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### BATTLE'S BITE FATAL TO 2-YEAR-OLD BOY

Following the account of a race against death by Mr. and Mrs. Trav Humphreys, in an effort to get their two-year-old baby to Carlsbad for treatment after it had been bitten by rattlesnake at their ranch. Mr. Humphreys is well known in Reagan county, having resided at Toyah for many years. A graphic account of the tragedy appeared in the Carlsbad Current which is here reproduced: "Grief-stricken, tired and weary from a one-hundred-mile battle over rough roads in a vain race against death, Mr. and Mrs. Trav Humphreys, who live on Crow Flat, near a hundred miles west from Carlsbad, arrived here Wednesday night at ten o'clock, bringing with them the body of their little two-year-old son, Daniel Dean.

The little boy was bitten by a rattlesnake Tuesday evening about six o'clock and died from the effects of the reptile's fangs Wednesday about noon at El Paso Gap, while the parents were hurrying to town for medical assistance.

Little Daniel Dean was playing in a yard at the ranch home when the snake bit him on the leg, just above the ankle. Mrs. Humphreys applied remedies immediately, while waiting the arrival of her husband who was sent on a cow work, and who was summoned at once. Being some distance from home, Mr. Humphreys did not arrive at the house until daybreak when they started for town. The roads were in a terrible condition in the recent rains and their progress was necessarily difficult.

As they came through El Paso the baby breathed his last in great suffering. Tenderly bearing precious, lifeless clay, the heartbroken parents came on to Carlsbad where they arrived about ten o'clock Wednesday night.

The little one was laid to rest in City cemetery after appropriate services at the home of Mrs. Ann Hicks, sister of Mrs. Humphreys. Lowry and Rev. D. F. Sellards conducted the services and a choir of friends sang appropriate songs. A bed of beautiful flowers surrounded the little white casket, and seemed so pure and sweet that the human eye was suddenly plucked from the idea of love.

On occasions like this one needs to remember that there comes a time in life when "there shall be no more death, neither sorrow nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain," and in that beautiful home baby will be waiting the arrival of its loved ones.

### WOMEN'S POLL TAX SUIT IS AMENDED

Waco, Oct. 5.—Attorneys for Tom Hamilton, candidate for the legislature from McLennan county, seeking to enjoin the tax collector from turning poll tax receipts to women, yesterday afternoon filed a second petition in the Fifty-fourth District court, and will appeal the case on to the state supreme court.

Recently Judge Munroe, found-er of the District Judge Munroe ruled an injunction, ruling that the plaintiff had adequate remedy at law. An appeal from this ruling that action today is made.

### EL PASO-SARAGOSA OIL PRESIDENT HERE

Mr. I. S. Adams, of El Paso, president of the El Paso-Saragosa Oil Company, with Dee Davis, one of the stockholders, were pleasant callers at the Enterprise office Thursday of this week. Mr. Adams was here looking after the interests of the company. From Pecos he will go to Fort Worth on business. He states to the Enterprise that it is the intention of his company to secure a driller in contract to drill their well—one who is competent and will push the work to completion, his pay depending upon the progress made. Should the log of this first well show sufficient encouragement, he assures the Enterprise they will put down at least three more wells, whether oil be found in the first one or not. He says they propose to give their holdings a thorough test and that the work will be begun as soon as he can get in touch with the proprietors.

### FOOD HELD IN CARS AT THE MARKETS

Using refrigerator cars for storage houses at freight terminals is holding back perishable foodstuffs from city markets and causing losses to grower and consumer, according to investigators of the Bureau of Markets, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

A recent report on cars held at terminals made by one of the refrigerator-car lines shows that 67 cars were held an average of 4.37 days at Chicago, while figures on 86 cars at Denver show an average delay in unloading of 6.36 days. Assuming that these figures hold at other markets and that the average time for a refrigerator car to make a round trip is about 20 days, it is pointed out that such delays would decrease the available supply of refrigerator cars by about 25 per cent. This, in the face of a present inadequate supply of refrigerator cars, is hampering the movement of perishable products from an acreage in excess of that of past years.

While the Railroad Administration is using every effort to remedy the situation and much can be done to increase the supply of refrigerator cars through the speedier unloading it is pointed out that the supply will still be inadequate and that it is not being increased by new cars at a rate to give much relief. The acreage of perishable crops is increasing each year, making it more imperative that adequate cold storage terminals be constructed for temporary storage so that receivers can immediately unload refrigerator cars upon arrival at markets and send them back to the shippers.

### NOTICE

I am hereby ordered by the Mayor and City Health Officer to inspect all business houses and residences and see that all back houses and yards are clean. Nobody will be notified but once and if they are not cleaned the law will be enforced.

M. L. RODDY, City Marshal.

The Federal court in session in Pecos last week adjourned Friday. The damage suit against the T. and P. and Santa Fe railways, which occupied the greater portion of the court's time this term, resulted in a mistrial.

### PROMPT AND CONCERTED ACTION NEEDED TO SAVE RED BLUFF DAM

#### ZONE OIL COMPANY LOCATES FIRST WELL

The Zone Oil Company had their land surveyed and drove the stake for the site of their first well yesterday. The well is located on section 22, block 4.

The Enterprise is informed that it is the intention of this company to at once erect their derrick and let the contract for the first 1000 feet, and it is their hope that actual operations will be begun by November 1.

#### CHRISTIANS WALLOP PECOS HI ON GRIDIRON

By a score of 67 to 6 the football squad of the Midland Christian College triumphed over the Pecos High School eleven last Saturday morning on the local gridiron.

Despite the gap in the respective points scored, the game put up by the Pecos squad was all to the good, and showed quite an improvement in their form over other years. Their offensive tactics, especially, showed marked improvement, but their defense made but little headway against the superior weight of the Christians.

One source of elation is the fact that this is the first time Pecos has scored against the College squad, all other contests resulting in blanks as their share of the honors.

Midland College, The Enterprise, notes, has not quite as speedy a team as last year, but this feature seems to be balanced by additional weight, which is no mean factor in pushing the pig-skin over the line. They are a fine bunch of fellows, and our people are glad they came and trust we will see more of them before the curtain falls on the playing season.

The Pecos Hi is not the least undaunted by the defeat of Saturday, and will journey to Fort Stockton tomorrow and mix it with the students of the High School of that city.

#### WOMEN SMUGGLE BOOZE IN STOCKING

Three pairs of silk stockings were used Saturday afternoon in an attempt to smuggle five pints of whisky from Juarez. The stockings were worn by women, one the mother and the other a friend of a man said to be a railroad man of Clovis, N. M. They crossed the line as tourists.

When they went over in the morning they seemed bent on having a good time.

"All right, enjoy yourselves, but be careful not to come back with any of their Sunnybrook," warned a policeman at the Santa Fe bridge.

Searched at the customs house on their return, two of the women were found to have a bottle in each stocking, while the other had only one bottle in one stocking. The man carried no contraband.

Owing to the prominence of the people and to the fact that they were tourists and it was their first offense, they were not arrested, but the inspectors warned them against a repetition of the offense. The liquor was confiscated.—El Paso Times.

#### PARENT-TEACHERS HOLD INITIAL MEETING

The Parent-Teachers Association held its first regular meeting of the year Friday afternoon in the auditorium of the school building. There were a large number of mothers and teachers present at the initial meeting.

Mrs. John Hibdon presided, the president, Mrs. H. H. Johnson, being out of town. Mrs. W. W. Rannels acted as recording secretary.

An interesting program of music and readings was given by the school. In the count in the book contest the fifth grade won, there being sixteen votes for that grade. It was decided that in future any member voting in the contest must stay for the business session of the Association or else the vote will be counted out.

Mrs. J. W. Brooks, Mrs. L. W. Anderson and Mrs. W. L. Ross were appointed as a committee to take whatever measures were found necessary to prevent an outbreak of the influenza among the school children. Mrs. T. J. Hefner was elected recording secretary in place of Mrs. Sid Cowan, resigned.

The next meeting will be held the first Friday afternoon in November.

J. H. Walker and wife, of Balmorhea, were in the city Tuesday.

An important meeting of the Carlsbad Commercial Club was held yesterday afternoon at which a report was made by a committee consisting of Messrs. Craig, Pratt and Ryan, who had been appointed at a previous meeting to investigate the feasibility of building the third reservoir and a high line canal for the Carlsbad project so that the full flow of the Pecos River might be appropriated for use on this project.

Unless something is done by the Pecos Valley Water Users Association and the business men of Carlsbad, a part of the waters of the Pecos River will be given to an irrigation project from Red Bluff, south of the Texas-New Mexico line. The site for the reservoir is in New Mexico, but the water that would be stored there, if built, would be used in Texas. A bill has been introduced in Congress to finance this proposed project and unless all the water of the river is made use of on the Carlsbad project shortly it is very probable that the Red Bluff reservoir will be built.

According to the report of the committee, which got its information from project manager L. E. Foster, there are two sites where a reservoir might be constructed for storage of water to be used on the Carlsbad project, one between Lakes Avalon and McMillian, and one near Ft. Sumner. The dam between Avalon and McMillian would have to be 65 feet high and would store twice as much water as Lake McMillian now holds. To be exact, it would hold 110,000 acre-feet of water. McMillian's capacity is 50,000 acre-feet. The dam would be about half a mile long, and would allow an additional acreage to be added to the project of 25,000 acres.

To convey this water to the land a high line canal would be built which would run around the hills west of town, or the water could be raised from the present canal at Dark Canyon by means of pumps which would be operated by the forces of the current, part of the water being raised and part going below to furnish power.

There is land available suitable for irrigation at two places. One is west and southwest of the large canal about four miles southwest of Carlsbad and the other is on Black River. It would be better for the town if the lands nearest would be added, and it would be more economical to have the project more compact than to have it strung out several miles below Malaga. Project manager L. E. Foster gave an estimate of cost of construction in 1915 as \$80.00 per acre, and he estimates that the cost at the present price of material and labor will be approximately \$100.00 per acre.

In time a reservoir will have to be built to maintain water for the present acreage as McMillian is only good for about 25 years owing to the rapidity with which it is filling with silt. With McMillian to catch the silt a reservoir just below would last many years longer than it would otherwise.

Now is the critical time when action must be taken if the Carlsbad project ever hopes to expand, for water that is not put to good use cannot be held by any project whether located up or down stream. It is clear that the initiative in this matter should be taken by the water users association backed up by the commercial club and citizens generally. The chair was instructed to appoint a committee to be named at a later date to confer with the water users association to ascertain how the club might be of assistance in getting the third reservoir and high line canal built.—Carlsbad Current, issue of September 19.

Any citizen of this section of Texas can find food for grave thought in the above article; it also provides ample incentive for our people to get busy ere it is everlastingly too late. The building of a project as outlined above would leave us helpless in the matter of reclaiming the thousands of fertile acres the Red Bluff reservoir would reclaim. As the Enterprise sees it the project contemplated by the Carlsbad parties is entirely legitimate, notwithstanding the fact that it seems to be overreaching at first glance. To the people of the lower Pecos Valley it should serve as a warning to get busy and bend every energy to furthering the Red Bluff project. With the running start we have in the premises we can, by prompt, concerted action make of the Red Bluff project a reality and have an equitable division of the normal flow of the Pecos River. A thing of such importance will be sure to have the unstinted backing of every live business man, and our Chamber of Commerce should be the guiding spirit in it furthering the project. Let us begin right now, for, as with the people of Carlsbad, it is the crucial time with us, also. Carlsbad has literally "passed the buck." What are we going to do about it?

### DENVER FIRM SECURES LARGE HOLDINGS HERE

The following letter was received by the Enterprise and is self-explanatory. This is one of the big companies with general offices at Denver, Colorado, and offices in Texas, at El Paso and Weatherford, and from the tone of the letter it looks as if they intend to stir up something worth while in a short time. The letter follows: Denver, Colo., Sept. 28, 1919. The Pecos Enterprise, Pecos, Texas.

Gentlemen—We have just purchased thirty thousand acres of land in Ward county, Texas, this last week, and shall be actively engaged in the Pecos field from this time on. Later on we shall acquaint you more fully with our plan of operation. As we wish to keep closely in touch with any activity that may obtain in the Pecos Valley, we will subscribe to your good paper.

Will you kindly enter our subscription on your list, sending the paper to our Denver office, and sending bill for same to the same place.

Very truly yours, (Signed) KARL ANDERSON.

### CELEBRATION AT CARLSBAD CALLED OFF

The big celebration that was to be held at Carlsbad, N. M., next week, under the auspices of the American Legion has been called off. The following telegram from the American Legion committee, was received by The Enterprise yesterday morning, and, as many from this section were preparing to attend, publicity for the notice was requested:

"American Legion celebration has been called off by County Board of Health. Please give publicity."

The celebration scheduled was on an immense scale, and included every form of amusement, and the invitation embraced the entire Pecos Valley. Disappointment will be keen in many sections.

### MENACE OF TUBERCULOSIS IN CATTLE

One of the most important objectives in the campaign against tuberculosis in cattle, which is sometimes overlooked in the agitation regarding the effect of the disease on stock itself, is the very serious menace which tubercular cattle are to the public health. Children, in particular, are great sufferers from this source of infection.

According to the best authorities tuberculosis of bovine origin represents about 25 per cent of all the cases of tuberculosis in children under 5 years of age. In certain types of the disease it is very much more, but taking the tuberculosis cases as a whole, about one case in four of every child under 5 years acquires tuberculosis from cattle. It is estimated that in New York City between 6 and 10 per cent of the children that die in hospitals yearly die of bovine tuberculosis. Medical authorities point out that the country has been very slow to appreciate the greatness of the menace of bovine tuberculosis in children. This need for greater protection of human beings, particularly children, from the dangers of bovine tuberculosis is one of the things strongly emphasized by the U. S. Department of Agriculture in its campaign against diseased cattle.

There are only two ways in which the disease can be eliminated. One is to assure that the milk is free from tubercle bacilli when it is produced, and the other is to destroy the tubercle bacilli present in the milk. The Department of Agriculture experts point out that the public should accept the statement that a common herd is free from tuberculosis with a great deal of caution unless there is ample evidence that the tuberculin test has been applied and applied frequently and applied correctly.

Unless the milk which comes from the herd is in fact free from the tuberculous it should be pasteurized. Furthermore, eternal vigilance is necessary to make sure that pasteurization is carried on in the proper manner, otherwise the public is subject to great danger because it is acting on the assumption that it has been properly protected by proper pasteurization.

### NOTICE TO DELINQUENT TAXPAYERS

The Board of Trustees of the Pecos Independent School District finds that it is necessary to collect the back taxes due the district, and notice is hereby given to all parties that after a reasonable length of time suit will be brought to collect back taxes due the district from all who fail to pay within the time.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

County court will convene Monday.

### BACK TO SUN TIME AFTER OCTOBER 26

The clocks throughout the United States will be set back an hour Sunday, October 26, and revert back to sun time. This will be the last change of time made in this country, as a repeal of the daylight saving bill was affected by Congress at the last session.

With the days growing constantly shorter at this season of the year, many inquiries have been made as to when the customary time would become effective again. During the time from Saturday night, October 25th, to Sunday morning, October 26th, one hour's sleep will be gained.

### REAL ESTATE AND OIL AND GAS TRANSFERS

Deeds and oil and gas leases and assignments for week ending October 1, 1919, as shown by records in county clerk's office, Pecos, Texas. Compiled and furnished by Pecos Abstract Company, W. W. Dean, manager.

Verla L. Green et vir to Katherine Diehl, tract 9, section 27, block 56, public school, \$50.

Ira J. Bell to J. C. Alther, 6 oil lots, \$300.

Ira J. Bell to Marguerite Chapman, 2 oil lots, \$100.

Ira J. Bell to Catherine Bergstrom, 1 oil lot, \$50.

Ira J. Bell to H. A. Burkett, 3 oil lots, \$150.

Ira J. Bell to Lack Fitzpatrick, 2 oil lots, \$100.

Ira J. Bell to W. C. Millin, 1 oil lot, \$50.

Winnie-Bryant Co. to B. J. Dunn, 1 lot, Westlight, \$1.

Winnie-Bryant Co. to Mrs. Alma Phillips 5 oil lots, \$250.

S. M. Prewitt et al to M. M. Leeman, S. half lot 5 and lot 6, block 35, West Park addition, Pecos, \$1,250.

Julian R. Elkins to Jno. C. Williams et al, tract on section 1, block C-1, public school, \$40.

R. C. McCain to B. G. Smith, trf. permit on section 8, block 55, T. & P., \$160.

Henson Company to C. G. Ritchey, 1 oil lot, \$10.

Ira J. Bell to Dr. W. H. Woods, 1 oil lot, \$50.

Julian R. Elkins to C. Hanes Lee, tract in section 1, block C-1, public school, \$40.

C. M. Honaker et ux to H. R. Honaker, N. E. fourth of N. W. fourth section 129, block 13, H. & C. N., \$4,000.

W. J. Lincoln et ux to W. L. Smith, 200 acres in section 14, block 55, T. & P., \$1,500.

Geo. T. Boyd et ux to Chas. H. Kastner, N. W. fourth of N. E. fourth section 4, block C-18, public school, \$600.

Joseph A. Flagler to D. A. McCoy et al, Celina, Texas, half interest in E. half of N. W. fourth section 13, block C-21, public school, \$125.

C. C. Smith to H. L. Lockhart, one-tenth interest in O. & G. rights in 100 acres in section 15, block C-1, public school \$100.

Julian R. Elkins to Wm. B. White, tract in section 1, block C-1, public school, \$40.

Porter E. Glenn to O. A. Stubbs et al, 320 acres section 21, block C-8, public school, \$1.

Winnie-Bryant Co. to Thos. H. Thomson, lots in Westlight, \$1.

Winnie-Bryant Co. to Cortez H. Thomson, lots in Westlight, \$1.

Uphur Vincent to Blake Smith, 3 deeds, conveying interest in filings on sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 25, 26, 29, 30, 35, 36, block 23, university, \$1 each.

Ira J. Bell to C. W. Hartfield, 1 oil lot, \$50.

Ira J. Bell to Harry E. Escher, 2 oil lots, \$100.

Ira J. Bell to Max Escher, 2 oil lots, \$100.

Ira J. Bell to Morris Helman, 2 oil lots, \$100.

Ira J. Bell to Geo. M. Laing, 2 oil lots, \$100.

Ira J. Bell to W. E. Weinschenker, 2 oil lots, \$100.

Frank Mamola, to L. A. Spraggins, W. half section 9, blk 55, public school, \$100.

L. A. Spraggins et ux to J. B. Bryce, section 9, block 55, public school, \$1.

A. Kloh et al to Ira J. Bell, oil and gas lease on sections 1, 3, 5, block 55, T. & P., \$1.

Ira J. Bell to B. Moran, 1 oil lot, \$50.

Ira J. Bell to J. O. McNally, 10 oil lots, \$500.

Ira J. Bell to Fred W. Pothast, 2 deeds, 2 oil lots, \$100.

Ira J. Bell to Geo. Biblack, 10 oil lots, \$500.

Winnie-Bryant Co. to Mrs. M. A. Sparks, lots in Westlight, \$1.

R. C. Warn to J. M. Howland, 5 acres section 12, block 55, T. & P., Loving county, \$10.

S. M. Middlebrook to A. E. Johnson, 5 acres section 48, block 55, T. & P., Loving county, \$1.

Wm. F. Fahey to O. C. Graves Oil Co., section 30, block 55, T. & P., Loving county, \$1.

Sheriff to W. O. Mathis, section 42, block 54, T. & P., \$320.

T. J. Henry to B. G. Smith, permit trf. on section 10, block 55, T. & P., \$160.

J. H. Smith to Robt. D. Smith, El Paso, 2.25ths interest in section 4, block 70, public school, \$10.

Ira J. Bell to J. W. Watkins, Baird, Miss. 2 oil lots, \$100.

Milton A. Klein to J. G. McMillian, 5 trf. of oil and gas leases, covering 25 acres, 66 acres, 160 acres, 200 acres and 200 acres each, \$1.

### Women!

Here is a message, for suffering women, from Mrs. W. T. Price, of Paducah, Ky.: "I suffered with painful... she writes. 'I got down with a weakness in my back and limbs... I felt helpless and discouraged... I had about given up hopes of ever being well again, when a friend insisted I

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### Cold Lunch for Old Nick.

A clergyman who was a geologist, always carried his specimens about in a red satchel such as navvies use to carry their dinner in. One day, as he was going home with it full of specimens, he saw a man at the top of a well, using violent language because the windlass refused to work.

"My friend," said the parson, "do you know Satan?"

"No," replied the man, "but I'll ask my mate, Bill," and cried, "do you know Satan?"

"No!" came the answer from the bottom of the well. "Why?"

"Well," said the man on top, "there's a block up here wot's got 'is dinner."—Edinburgh Scotsman.

### INTEREST DUE THE STATE MUST BE PAID

"In reply to yours of the 7th inst., will state that those owing interest due November 1st, 1918, and November 1st, 1917, will have until the latter part of next December to make the payment. Interest due November 1st, 1918, may be paid some time next spring."

The above is an excerpt from a letter received from the general land office at Austin by the Midland National Bank, replying to an inquiry for this information. The land owner owing interest may thus rest easy, if he sees his way to make payments as indicated. If he can't so see, then he'd better begin to hustle. Though those in authority at the head office have shown much fortitude on account of the awful conditions the West has sustained for a number of years past, we have no idea how much longer payments may be put off.

Mr. Robison has been a wonderful friend to the west and seems disposed to go the limit, but that limit must be reached some time.—Midland Reporter.

### NOTICE OF SUITS FOR DELINQUENT TAXES

A great many of the people of the county have allowed their taxes due the State and County to become delinquent for the years 1917 and 1918, and no effort has been made to force collection of same on account of unfavorable conditions of the country. Obviously, the different branches of the county government cannot function without funds and this is to advise all such delinquents that suits will have to be filed within the next week to collect, at least, the taxes due for the year 1917. Considerable costs may be saved by paying these taxes before suit. J. A. DRANE, County Attorney, 7-41

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### DISCLOSES MANY OVERCHARGES BY COMMISSION FIRMS

In the course of its supervision over livestock markets under the food-control act, the Department of Agriculture, has been investigating the practices of livestock commission firms licensed under that act. In a number of instances overcharges by such firms on feed furnished by them in the stockyards to their patrons' consignments of stock have been disclosed at some of the largest livestock market centers as a result of audits made by accountants of the Bureau of Markets Stockyard Supervision Service. These overcharges in some cases amounted to many thousands of dollars annually.

One large commission firm recently was required to restore to its consignors more than \$20,000, representing such overcharges made by it since January 1, 1918. A number of firms insisting that these amounts in their own cases accumulated without any knowledge or willful intent on their part, but by reason of the method of doing business in the stockyards, and not claiming the money as their own, have assured the department of their willingness to return to their shippers on an equitable pro rata basis. Arrangements to that effect are now in progress.

Others have refused to adjust the overcharges in this manner and notices have been served upon such firms that unless they make proper restitution to their shippers their licenses will be suspended or revoked, as the circumstances may warrant. Six of these firms at Chicago, on whom these notices were served, applied to the United States district court for an injunction restraining the Secretary of Agriculture from revoking or suspending their licenses. A temporary injunction was granted pending a hearing to be held in Chicago on September 15.

### ECLIPSE OF SUN PARTIALLY VISIBLE HERE

The first annular eclipse of the sun since 1908 will be partially visible in Pecos. It occurs November 22. Starting long before sunrise the moon will begin to pass between the sun and the earth, casting its shadow down and darkening the usual morning light. At 7:25 a. m. the annular phase of the eclipse will begin and the entire surface of the moon will be between the sun's rays and the earth's surface until 7:32; it will be ten minutes to 8 o'clock before the transit is completed. An annular eclipse occurs when the moon is not in the right position so that it completely covers the sun and obscures it entirely from the earth.

The eclipse will be visible at Kermit, Kerrville, El Dorado, Seguin, Edna, Matagorda and the surrounding country, and will be seen as a partial eclipse over the entire United States and in Mexico and Central America. Only parts of Texas and Louisiana will be able to see the annular phase of this eclipse.

Eclipses of the sun come regularly every 10 years and are a result of the relation of the sun and moon to the earth. During the 19-year intervals a number of partial eclipses always occur. The moon is regularly in eclipse twice a year and may reach a number of eclipses as high as nine, according to the relation of the sun and the earth to itself in its orbit.

### ANOTHER PECOS CASE

It Proves That There is a Way Out for Many Suffering Pecos Folks.

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George G. Bero, says: "About three years ago my back was in bad shape. I had to do heavy lifting and such pains would catch me in the small of my back that I had to lay off work for a few days. My back was very sore and lame and when I bent over to pick up anything everything would get black. I would be so dizzy I would have to catch hold of the first thing I could reach to keep from falling. The kidney secretions passed freely and were highly colored. A friend of mine told me about Doan's Kidney Pills and I tried them. Doan's took the soreness out of my back and rid me of the dizzy spells; in fact they entirely cured me of kidney trouble."

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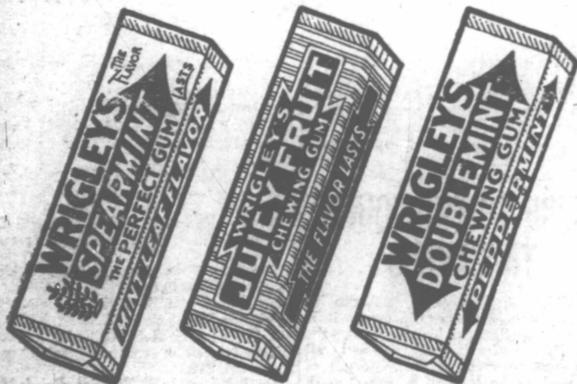
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**CAMELS'** expert blend of choice Turkish and choice Domestic tobaccos answers every cigarette desire you ever had! Camels give such universal delight, such unusual enjoyment and satisfaction you'll call them a cigarette revelation!

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Compare Camels for quality and satisfaction with any cigarette in the world at any price!

# Cigarettes

## TO MY FRIENDS

The best buy I know of is OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM stock—still selling at \$1.00, par—with five wells drilling and fifteen more contracts let; 4,536 acres of land in 72 tracts, and 18 different counties. Stock to go up soon. Would have gone up before, but they are doing such extensive drilling that it takes money. Have you got \$25 or \$50 you can afford to lose? If so, this stock is a good gamble—it may make you RICH. Remember, it is acreage that counts when a company hits oil. The officers of this company are experienced oil men. It has been my policy never to ask any man to invest money in oil stock which he cannot afford to lose, for the oil game is a gamble from start to finish. But I have picked some good winners, and try to keep posted on the fields. Can sell you any oil stock on the market, but do not recommend them all. Now, can you afford to let this pass? Others have hit; why not you? While we can not guarantee oil, we can guarantee this: a fair and square accounting for your money. Now, again, I say have you \$25 or \$50 you can take a chance of winning \$1,000 or \$2,000 with? If you have, let me talk to you. We reserve right to return money if stock is over-sold.

Respectfully yours,

JACK L. WOODS, Licensed Broker

## Open Your Eyes

Can't you see that you are losing money if you are not trading with O. J. Green & Co.? Look over our list of bargains and be convinced where to spend your money.

### GROCERY SPECIALS DRY GOODS SPECIALS

Dry Salt Bacon, per pound.....	.28	Outing Flannel, regular 25c, now.....	.20
Banquet Bacon, per pound.....	.39	Outing Flannel, regular 35c, now.....	.30
Smoked Bacon, per pound.....	.30	Outing Flannel, regular 45c, now.....	.40
1-lb. Very Best, per pound.....	.75	A dandy line of Men's Work Shoes. Call and see them. Prices below wholesale costs.	
Swift's Premium, per pound.....	.54	Also, Bootees—dandies.	
5-lb. White Cloud Lard, per can.....	1.20	MANY OTHER BARGAINS IN ALL DEPARTMENTS	
10-lb. White Cloud Lard, per can.....	2.25		

Ladies, we have the nices line of Aluminum Ware. Full sets that we are giving away for your trade. Call and let us explain it to you. We want to put a set in your home.

WE MAKE THEM PAY THE PRICE FOR YOUR COTTON ALWAYS IN THE MARKET

**O. J. GREEN & CO.**  
PECOS, TEXAS

## PROCLAMATION

To the People of Pecos:

The Mayor and the City Health Officer during the last few months have been repeatedly warned by the State Board of Health to take all precautions against the expected return of the dreadful Influenza and Typhoid, and various other diseases. The State Board of Health has ordered a general clean-up, and it comes rather in the form of a command than a simple request. They say, in effect, that they are not going to put up with any excuses, such as "the town is busted," or any similar excuses. Independent of any orders from the State Board of Health, it is the duty of every good citizen, regardless of law or any other authority, to keep his premises clean and sanitary. It is a duty that he owes to himself, his family, and his neighbors.

I, therefore, hereby proclaim the third week in October, beginning on the 13th day of October, and continuing until Saturday night, October 18th, as CLEAN-UP WEEK in Pecos. The work cannot be done in one day, but it will take at least a week to accomplish the task, and I hereby call upon every citizen to clean up his premises thoroughly during that week; to clean up all filth and trash of every description, cutting down all weeds and trimming the sprouts off of the trees on your premises, and especially are you requested to kill all flies on your premises, using every means within your power to destroy them. If every one will do this the present pest of flies will be gotten rid of.

If these precautions are not taken, we are liable to have a dangerous epidemic of "Flu" and Typhoid within a little while. If every one will do their duty, the town will be made clean and sanitary within one week's time. If we can save one life or even prevent one case of Typhoid or Influenza, it will be well worth the effort.

If it is convenient to burn your trash without any danger of setting fire to any building, it is best to burn it, but if it is not convenient to do so, then pile it out in the street where the trash man can get it and haul it off. If there are any mud holes or stagnant pools of water on your premises, pour kerosene oil on it every two or three days, and disinfect all unclean places about your premises with a 5 per cent solution of carbolic acid, and if you cannot do this, then use concentrated lie dissolved in a bucket of water. Use the fly swatter freely, and run the flies from your premises with insect powders, which you can get at the drug stores, and also destroy the flies by disinfecting their breeding places, either with concentrated lie or the carbolic acid solution mentioned above.

I earnestly insist that you obey these instructions, and by doing so, thousands of dollars will be saved the town in the way of expenses and sickness, doctors' bills, and drug bills; and death will be prevented, and many anxious and weary hours by the bedside of your loved ones will be avoided. I also call upon all merchants who sell fruits and vegetables to keep them under screens and protect them from flies; and I call upon all cold drink stands to use paper cups, and I ask everyone to use all sanitary precautions within their power. I call upon teachers, ministers, officers, parents, and all good citizens, to assist in this movement in every way possible.

Witness my hand, this the 8th day of October, A. D. 1919.

BEN PALMER, Mayor.

The above meets with my hearty approval; and I hereby request all to obey the above proclamation.

O. J. BRYAN, City Health Officer.

## THE FIRST THING

We earnestly desire to call your attention to the series of talks on banks and banking that will appear in this space regularly from now on. They are not musty statistics, learned theories nor complicated problems for "high brows," but just plain, honest, truthful, helpful talks to plain folks, talks that are worth while. They are written out of the ordinary stilted style, for a purpose, yet they are not flippant, foolish or frivolous, for each one carries a message. Watch this space regularly every week.

## THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

## GARROW, MacCLAIN & GARROW, Inc.

Successors to HOGG, DICKSON & HOGG

## Cotton Factors - Houston, Texas

On account of new and improved facilities for handling cotton and more efficient methods devised by us for expediting deliveries, we conscientiously promise shippers real SERVICE for 1919-20, and confidently expect to mail out Account Sales this season in LESS than ten days; but, under no circumstances will we charge a shipper with either Storage or Insurance in excess of charges incurred for those items, up to ten days from date of sale.

The interest charges on advances WILL POSITIVELY STOP on or before expiration of ten days after date of sale.

ACCURATE CLASSING—INTELLIGENT SELLING—PROMPT OUT-TURNS

## Joe Burleson

ALL KINDS OF LIGHT AND HEAVY HAULING ON SHORT NOTICE.

Try me once and if you are in a hurry you will repeat as often as you get in a hurry.

Office Phone 11  
Residence Phone 248

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## SANITARY BARBER SHOP AND BATH ROOM

MAX RITZ, Proprietor  
Opposite Postoffice.

THE ENTERPRISE
Pecos Valley News, established 1887; Pecos Weekly Times, established 1897; Reeves County Record, established 1910; consolidated Nov. 25, 1912. The Enterprise published Pecos Times June 1, 1917.

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EDITOR, OWNER AND PUBLISHER
SUBSCRIPTION RATES
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Positively in Advance.

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STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912, ENCLOSED IN SECTION 443, PENAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS, PRINTED ON THE REVERSE OF THIS FORM, TO-WIT:
1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, managing editor, and business manager are: John Hibdon, Pecos, Texas.

2. That the owners are: John Hibdon, Pecos, Texas.
3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: The Merchants Trust Company hold a mortgage against a new No. 14 Linsay machine and Miller Saw and Trimmer and the balance of the plant is free of debt of every nature.

JOHN HIBDON,
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of October, 1919.
A. G. TAGGART,
Notary Public, Reeves County, Texas.
(My commission expires April 30, 1921.)

TIME IS EVERYTHING IN RED BLUFF RESERVOIR PROJECT

The activity of New Mexico people in furthering another irrigation project on the Pecos River below Lake McMillan to utilize the entire flow of the river, should be a source of grave concern to farmers in the lower Pecos Valley. It means that action—prompt and decisive—must be taken at once. To sum up, it's now or never, as far as this section of the country is concerned, for should the third reservoir be built by the Carlsbad parties, a dam below will fall far short of its intended purpose. The following from the State (N. M.) Record puts the matter in true light:
"New Mexico irrigators have suffered heavy losses because later settlers in adjoining states have taken the waters in interstate streams. Rio Grande Valley irrigators know something of this. The state is now starting litigation to protect irrigators on the Plata River in San Juan county. Another move is to take the waters of the Pecos river from New Mexico for use in Texas. This move will be successful unless the people of New Mexico take effective steps to protect themselves. No fault need be found with the Texas people that want this water, if this water goes to waste, because of non-use in New Mexico. The Texas people should not be blamed for arranging to put this waste water from New Mexico to beneficial use. The Carlsbad district is evidently waking up and has appointed a committee to look into the matter. There is plenty of good land in that section of the state to make use of the entire flow of the Pecos River after it passes Ft. Sumner. There are excellent sites for reservoirs to store flood waters that now are of no benefit to anybody. Ft. Sumner may as well wake up to what is going on in the Texas end of the Valley as well. Although this project is far up the river that does not mean that Texas will not reach after every drop of water not put to benefit and prevent further extension of irrigation on both sides of the river there. The Texas irrigators are busy in-

restoring the government to establish an irrigation project of pretentious scope with a big reservoir just above the Texas line. They have devised a scheme of issuing bonds to be underwritten by the Federal Government—\$15,000,000 worth.
Texas can put such a thing over—New Mexico can. The high line canal is feasible at Carlsbad. But nobody will undertake to build it unless the people there want it. If the people of New Mexico want to use the waters to the full extent for irrigation developments, it is up to them to get busy. If not, advise Texas that the sooner the people there get title to the water of the Pecos the better."

VALOROUS EDITOR OF THE PECOS ENTERPRISE

Bro. John Hibdon, in the last issue of his paper, says: "The Enterprise is everlastingly calling attention to some need of our town, and shall continue from time to time these desertions so long as there is anything lacking to make Pecos the very best place on the map in which to live." Do you know, the newspaper man is the nerviest chap on earth? Do you suppose there is another citizen in Pecos who would tackle the job Hibdon has voluntarily butted into? We'd better something there isn't; better there isn't another there who would tackle making Pecos even a tolerable place in which to live. Bro. Hibdon though is going to live a long, long time, and, unsung as he inevitably will be—for such is the lot of the newspaper man—still The Reporter dubs him as a man of valor and sings of him in his long, long way to go.—Midland Reporter.
One beautiful thing about the fellow that strives is that he hasn't yet lost faith. Pecos at present, is one of the very best places in which to live, but there things which if improved will further the prosperity and happiness of our people. The Enterprise is on the job.
With the illness of President Wilson interest in the Treaty and League of Nations seemed to wane, proving that the majority of the people are behind him in an effort to remedy the state of chaos the world is in at the present time. One of his main opponents has quit the stump—Reed of Missouri. Two others, Borah and Johnson, are still drawing the curious where they speak.

PROMOTED TO STATION AGENCY AT TRENT

J. M. Jones, who for the past year held a position with the Texas & Pacific at Pecos, left Wednesday for Troy where he will make his home, he having been promoted to the position of station agent. Mr. Jones is a quiet, unassuming gentleman of a pleasant turn and his promotion is a deserved one. His Pecos friends join The Enterprise in wishing him all sorts of good things in his new home.

THE ORDER TO CLEAN UP COMES AT A VERY OPPORTUNE TIME

The order to clean up comes at a very opportune time. And The Enterprise wishes to impress upon the people that it is an order and not a request. Its strange though, that orders of this kind are so few and so far apart. The prime motive in the present instance is to ward off a recurrence of an influenza epidemic, which makes it imperative that the mandate be obeyed apart from the fact that the law will descend heavily upon any who disregard it. Elsewhere will be found a proclamation by the mayor, also a warning by the City Marshal. Read both and be governed accordingly.

CLASSIFIED

All classified ads one cent per word each insertion. Minimum of 25 cents per week.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Remington typewriter in first class condition, at a bargain. MERCHANDISE EXCHANGE, Pecos, Texas.
SALESMAN WANTED—Lubricating oil, grease, paint specialties; whole or part time; commission basis; man with car or rig. Deliveries from our Southwestern Refinery. RIVERSIDE REFINING CO., Cleveland, Ohio.
FOR SALE—Two fine business lots in Pecos, at less than half value for cash. GEO. LANDRUM, Pecos, Texas.
FOR SALE—The southeast quarter of section 32, block 54, Twp. 4, T. & P. Ry. survey—not leased. I want to sell same within the next two weeks. What am I offered? C. R. COULTER, Stephenville, Texas.
A NEW FORD—Will sell or trade for Ranger-Hudson oil stock. PORTER FANCHER, Toyah, Texas.
FOR SALE—A few choice pigs and gilts for sale at Cedarvale Farm. Write for prices. L. L. BARLOW, Balmorhea, Texas.

AUTOMOBILE FOR SALE

Five passenger Studebaker; first class running order; electric lights and starter; no reasonable cash offer refused. GEO. LANDRUM, Pecos, Texas.
FOR SALE—Here's your chance. Two sections for sale or lease—24 and 25 in block C-8, Public School; \$3.50 per acre in fee. This would include land, mineral, royalty and all pertaining thereto, the buyer to assume State debt.
Or will lease three-quarters of each of above two sections for five years at \$1.50 per acre. This property only 5 to 7 miles from a drilling site.
Write or come and see F. P. RICHBURG LAND AND RENTAL CO., Pecos, Texas.

FOR SALE—Oil and gas lease

State permit, just issued, on fifty-one acres in section 1, block C-19, near Laura well, at \$5 per acre. Apply to JOHN HIBDON, Pecos, Texas.

FOR SALE—See F. P. Richburg Land Company for the following list:

No. 1. 1120 acres in block C-1, P. S. Reeves county; 50 cents per acre; good abstract title; three-year lease; 10 cents annual rental.
No. 2. Two sections in block 50, township 7, T. & P. Reeves county; clear title, with abstract of title; three-year lease; 10 cents annual rental; price 50 cents per acre; will sell in 60, 80, 160 and 320-acre tracts.
No. 3. West half of section 12, block 72, P. S.; \$5 per acre; 81 per acre annual rental; five-year lease; 10 cents annual rental.
No. 4. Section 22, block C-17; five-year lease; \$6 per acre; annual rental \$1 per acre.
No. 5. Five-acre tract within 200 yards of drilling site of Texas-Pecos Oil Co.; \$100 for the tract; a special bargain.
No. 6. Six-room dwelling situated on two lots; good barn and garage; alfalfa patch; house in good repair; only \$1,600; one-half cash, balance in two years.
No. 7. A 10-acre tract in section 19, block C-17, for \$40; five-year lease paid for practically five years. Only a few left.

FOR SALE—Twenty-two hundred acres

deeded land and four thousand leased land in Gaines county, seven miles from Elgin, Texas; well improved; all cross fenced, with house and farm and lots of good water; will take money for part payment and balance easy terms. See JOE JAY, Midland, Texas, or ARCH BARNARD, Dumas, Texas.

FOR SALE—Two perfectly good sewing machines

at bargain. You cannot afford to be without a machine for a month for the cost of one of these machines. For prices see MRS. JOHN HIBDON.

FOR SALE—That higher class of job printing

it's printing the Enterprise can do it.

VULCANIZING

LET GATES TIRE CO. do your vulcanizing. 47th Street Building.

CONTRACTORS

WE will enter into a contract with reliable party to drill four or five wells to a depth of not exceeding five hundred feet. FOWLER BROS. LAND CO., 519 Bedell Building, San Antonio, Texas.

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Five room house by O. J. GREEN & CO.

WANTED

WANTED—Essexley Tire Filler, Ford rear. MERCHANDISE EXCHANGE.
WANTED—Food car without body, in any condition; must be bargain. MERCHANDISE EXCHANGE, sent to 2222.
WANTED TO BUY—From 320 acres to five sections in fee, either in blocks 1, 2, 3 or 4. Deeded land carrying full mineral. Will take same that is leased with one-eighth royalty. Have men that have money behind me. JACK L. WOODS.
WANTED—Section or more of land near Toyah, carrying mineral rights. Must be priced right and easy terms. Immediate action necessary. M. H. FULLER, 105 E. 14th St., Austin, Texas.
WANTED—At once, stock salesmen. Either lady or gent. Good commission. WESTLAND DRILLING AND PRODUCING ASS'N, Dublin, Texas.
WANTED—If you have anything in the printing line, no matter what it is, bring it to the Enterprise office. We can do it and do it right.

MISS ROBERTA HENDERSON

TRAINED NURSE

MALAGA, N. M.

JOHN F. GROGAN

DRILLING CONTRACTOR

PECOS, TEXAS

Phone No. 276 P. O. Box 547

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W. A. HUDSON

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SUITE 16, COWAN BUILDING

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W. W. HUBBARD

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UNDERTAKING

J. G. MURRAY

FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND EMBALMER

PECOS MERCANTILE CO.

PHONES

DAY 18—NIGHT 78

Oil Leases

WANTED: Oil land, give location, reference State map, price, terms, etc., first letter. Address, 306 City National Bank Building, El Paso, Texas

Our car of new Furniture

was shipped September 25th. We should have it in about the 10th of October. We think this will be interesting to you, as we have some new and attractive articles that you will like. PECOS MERCANTILE CO.

The "Ever Ready" battery carries an unconditional guarantee of 18 months satisfactory service. Try them once and you will use no other. Pecos Auto Company, exclusive agents, Pecos, Texas.

CITATIONS

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon John A. May by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, to be held at the court house thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1919, the same being the 17th day of November, A. D. 1919, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 4th day of August, A. D. 1919, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1867, wherein Mrs. L. E. Dyer is plaintiff and Sam Slayback is defendant, and said petition alleging, in substance, that: That on the 27th day of March, 1918, defendant made, executed and delivered to plaintiff three vendor's lien notes for the sum of \$233.55 each, payable to plaintiff, and bearing interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from date, and providing for the usual 10 per cent attorney's fees, and for a foreclosure of said notes, and that plaintiff vendor's lien notes for the sum of \$233.55 each, payable to plaintiff, and bearing interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from date, and providing for the usual 10 per cent attorney's fees, and for a foreclosure of said notes, and that plaintiff vendor's lien notes for the sum of \$233.55 each, payable to plaintiff, and bearing interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from date, and providing for the usual 10 per cent attorney's fees, and for a foreclosure of said notes, and that plaintiff vendor's lien notes for the sum of \$233.55 each, 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**EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM**

Subject, "The Folly of Pride."  
Leader, Edna Boles.  
Song, No. 162.  
Scripture Lesson, Prov., 16:1-19.  
Prayer.  
Bible references on Pride—By six Leaguers.  
Song, No. 93.  
Topic, "Trusting in Self," Harold Wendt.  
Topic, "The Folly of Pride," Mr. Stephen.  
Topic, "Pride Goeth Before Destruction," Miss Cornelia Ligon.  
Quotations on Pride, Donald Ruman, Myrtle Ruhlen, Alice Leeman, and Anna Boles.  
Song, No. 130.  
Benediction.

**TO THE PUBLIC**

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**PERSONAL MENTION**

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barnes left the fore part of the week for a month's visit with relatives in Paducah, Ky. A son, recently arrived from overseas, is the principal attraction at this time.

R. N. Hale and wife of Houston, are here visiting their daughter, Mrs. A. L. Black. Mr. Hale is in the service of the S. P. at Houston.

Doyle Garrison, head of the hardware department of the Pecos Mercantile Co., left Thursday for his old home at Killen, where he will look after business matters for a few days. He will also visit the Dallas Fair before his return.

Sid Lasley, in the dry goods and clothing department of the Pecos Mercantile Co., left Thursday for Dallas where he will attend the fair.

M. McAlpine of Toyah, and for years with the Citizens State Bank of that place, was a business visitor in Pecos Wednesday and while here left an order for job printing, and inspected the new equipment of The Enterprise which he pronounced marvelous and the best in the country. Mc says Toyah is about the same as ever with the exception that the fine rains of the season have put new life not only into the grass and stock, but the people as well.

Paul Huckleberry, enroute to his home at Clarendon, stopped over in Pecos Sunday and occupied the pulpit at the Christian church morning and evening. Bro. Huckleberry is preaching half-time to the Clarendon congregation, the other portion of the month being spent on the road as a salesman. His sermons here Sunday were very much enjoyed.

Mesdames B. R. Stine, W. A. Hudson, and Sam Prewitt left Monday for Dallas to attend the State Fair that opened Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Collier left Monday for Dallas to attend the Texas State Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee have moved into the Elmer Wadley home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Manahan left Wednesday afternoon for Dallas to attend the Texas State Fair.

Mrs. Alfred Tinnally arrived home the early part of the week from Los Angeles, California, where she had been with Mr. Tinnally for some time.

M. L. Lawson and family moved into the R. N. McCarthy residence Tuesday.

Capt. J. T. Tucker returned last week from a month's visit to relatives at Dallas and in Hunt county and at Merkel. He says the farmers have made the finest crops in Taylor county this year than for many years, but that labor to harvest same is scarce.

Mrs. M. E. Ray returned home last week from a visit to relatives in Fort Worth.

W. M. Hopper was a business visitor from Toyah Wednesday.

Monroe Hart, with the T. & P. water service crew, was down from Toyah Tuesday, doing repair work at the depot here.

Misses Golda and Mary Wilhite, one time residents of Pecos, having scores of friends here, came over from Midland Friday afternoon and visited until Saturday, the guests of Mrs. H. L. Magee and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hedblom arrived in Pecos Wednesday from Chicago where they have been since arriving from Sweden. After a short sojourn in the old country Andy and his good wife decided to return to the land of the free, where conditions are more favorable in every way. After looking after interests here it is likely that the family will go to California and make their home.

Dr. and Mrs. I. E. Smith will leave Saturday for Dallas to attend the fair and visit with their son Willie.

Mesdames J. V. Hanson and John Camp will leave Saturday as delegates from the Pecos lodge to the State encampment of the Eastern Star.

Mrs. Geo. K. Jackson came in from the ranch today to visit with friends and do shopping.

Miss Julia Padgett is in Pecos visiting with Mrs. John Cowan.

Judge Lee Monroe, wife and daughter, of Topeka, Kan., are in the city and have apartments with Mrs. W. L. Ross for the winter.

Mrs. Lou Duncan returned Wednesday from San Antonio, where she had been visiting her sister, Mrs. M. T. Lyles.

Lee Ligon, wife and daughter, Miss Cornelia, are spending the week at the ranch, on the Delaware.

Joe Hollebeke has been quite sick for several days, but is improving.

George Coon, of the City Bakery, has been quite ill for several days and his daughters, Mrs. Hattie Baird and Miss Mary Ellen Coon and little son, Johnnie, came in the middle of the week to be with him. He is reported as doing fairly well.

J. H. Mullane, of the Van Horn Advocate, ran down Tuesday to meet his little daughter, Gracie, who was returning home from a visit to her grandfather, Wm. H. Mullane, at Carlsbad.

Mrs. A. F. Brigrance of Navasota, Texas, was a pleasant caller at the Enterprise office Thursday. She was on her way home from spending the summer in California and stopped off to see Pecos and see what is going on. She has been a constant reader of the Enterprise and remarked about the excellency of the paper. Mrs. Brigrance was surprised to find Pecos the beautiful city that she is and was high in her praise. Mrs. Brigrance owns property in this and Culberson counties.

Prof. J. S. Long, once superintendent of the Pecos schools and later the hustling editor of the Record, which was founded by this editor, but now superintendent of the Portales, N. M., schools, is a business visitor in Pecos.

**FOR BETTER ROADS  
THROUGHOUT TEXAS**

Many people have supposed that the election in November on what is known as the bond amendment to the Constitution carried with it a bond issue of \$75,000,000. This is not true.

No bonds are authorized by the election.

Should the amendment be approved by the voter, the Legislature will be authorized to issue bonds for aiding the building of State roads, but this authority can never exceed a total of \$75,000,000.

The State Highway Commission is charged with building a State system of roads. This commission has little money for the purpose.

Texas can never have State roads until the county roads are properly connected.

The Legislature has no power to give the State Highway Commission the needed money. The proposed amendment is to cure this unfortunate situation.

It is estimated that ten years' waste in wear and tear will pay the total cost of good road construction. The Highway Commission should be given a chance.

Six hundred and fifty thousand vehicles in Texas have an assessed value of fifty-five millions of dollars. Bad roads destroy these vehicles in ten years. Good roads would double their life. Here is a waste of over five and a half millions a year on assessed values—a waste of more than fifteen millions on actual values.

Good roads cost nothing, according to statistics. They save their users more money than they cost.

When a farmer wears out a wagon in ten years or less, which wagon should have lasted twenty years or more, he does not charge a new wagon to bad roads, but there is where the charge belongs.

Unnecessary loss in wear and tear to farmers and other users of bad roads in Texas would, if it could be saved, pay for building every foot of Texas highway in a permanent material, according to A. C. Baldwin, manager of the campaign in favor of the Constitutional road amendments.

**BERRIES A PROFITABLE CROP**

There are very few fruits that require as little attention and are as profitable for home use as berries. The different sections of the State are adapted to different kinds of berries. There are some adapted to nearly all sections. The section of East Texas is well adapted to the growing of the strawberry and the blackberry. In Central West Texas the dewberry is the best for planting in the smaller gardens. For South Texas the strawberry is the leader. The following varieties are recommended:

Strawberries—the Klondike and Excelsior.

Dewberries—Austin Mae and the Lucrecia.

Blackberries—Lawton, McDonald. Plant same berries this fall in your garden for home use. In sections of the State where they can be grown commercially they are one of the most profitable crops that can be grown.

M. E. Hays, Horticulturist.

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**NOTICE**  
The Episcopalians will open Sabbath school at St. Mark's church Sunday at 9:45 a. m. All who are interested are requested to be present.

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640 acres, 5-year commercial lease, section 9, block C-1, Reeves County, at \$2 per acre.

5,000 acres, 5-year commercial lease, in east part of Reeves County, at \$1 per acre.

15,000 acres, State permit, Winkler County, near Kermit, at 65 cents per acre.

3,600 acres, fee simple, Barillo Draw, carrying all mineral rights, at \$15 per acre.

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### METHODIST APPOINTMENTS FOR YEAR

Tucumcari, N. M., Oct. 5.—After five days of unbroken sunshine, both in the weather and in the spirit of the conference, the thirteenth annual session of the New Mexico conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, came to a close with the reading of the appointments of preachers for Sunday night by Bishop W. F. McMurry at the Methodist church of Tucumcari.



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HIGHEST QUALITY AWARDS

While there has been a decrease in the membership of the church and ministry of the conference, and no new ministers applied for admission, the entire session has been marked by enthusiasm and religious fervor. Bishop McMurry has made an ideal presiding officer and has endeared himself to the members of the conference. Able addresses were delivered by prominent visiting ministers and the keynote of them all has been the spirit of evangelism and the great evangelical plan which has been proposed for a year of revival effort which shall reach every Methodist congregation in the United States.

The Woman's Missionary Society held profitable and enthusiastic meetings every day and its members were greatly inspired by the able discussions of Bible topics by Miss Cunningham of the Lydia Patterson institute of El Paso. The ladies concluded their work on Saturday by the installation of officers for the coming year. Mrs. H. M. Smith presided at the election and installation. Following are officers installed:

President, Mrs. I. J. Ayers, El Paso; corresponding secretary and vice-president, Mrs. J. H. Derrick, Alpine, Texas; conference treasurer, Mrs. Ben Randals, Pecos, Texas; reading secretary and editor Conference Bulletin, Mrs. J. H. Walker, Alpine, Texas; superintendent young people's work, Mrs. W. C. Urton, of Roswell, N. M.; superintendent children's work, Mrs. S. G. Douglas, El Paso; superintendent social service and supplies, Mrs. Albert Sisk, Pecos, Texas; superintendent publicity and mission study, Mrs. Henry Barton of Gallup, New Mexico.

District secretaries.—Albuquerque, Mrs. George Barbour, Carrizozo, N. M.; Roswell, Mrs. K. C. Childers, of Clovis, N. M.; El Paso, Mrs. L. B. Westerman, Van Horn, Texas.

At the afternoon session Saturday reports were received from the various boards and committees appointed at the opening of the conference. On Sunday morning Rev. H. M. Barton preached at the Baptist church and Rev. George H. Givan at the Presbyterian. Bishop McMurry preached at the Center Street Methodist church and at the conclusion of the services Rev. J. S. Rice was ordained deacon.

At 2:15 p. m. Rev. Percy R. Knickerbocker preached at the Center Street Methodist church and in the evening at eight Bishop McMurry ordained Rev. W. H. Vanderpool as elder. Following an impressive talk the appointments of ministers for the ensuing year were announced as follows:

Albuquerque District.—J. C. Jones, presiding elder; Albuquerque, A. L. Bowman, Armistad circuit, to be supplied; Carrizozo and White Mountain, A. C. Douglas; Clayton circuit, to be supplied; Gallup, H. M. Martin; Gallup circuit, to be supplied; Grady circuit, R. A. Crawford; Magdalena and Kelly, W. P. Vanderpool; McAlister circuit, to be supplied; Melrose circuit, G. C. Higbee; Moriarity circuit, J. P. Evans; San Jon circuit, C. H. Hatfield; San Marcial, W. M. Beauchamp; Taiban circuit, E. C. Sanders; Tucumcari, R. H. Lewellyng; Tularosa and Vaughn, J. J. Richards;

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**No Worms in a Healthy Child**  
All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

### REQUEST FOR RANGERS IN WICHITA OIL FIELDS

Formal request for the sending of Texas rangers into the Wichita county oil fields for the preservation of order and suppression of lawlessness found by the grand jury to exist there has been forwarded to the governor by Judge William N. Honner, of the Thirtieth District Court, after several weeks' delay following the recommendation of such action by the last Wichita county grand jury.

Peace officers of the county almost without exception, are opposed to the sending of the rangers to that county, saying the situation could be handled by the sheriff's office if the commissioners' court would make appropriation for the number of additional deputies to take care of the large increase in population in the oil field areas. On the part of the public at large however, comment is wholly in favor of the stationing of rangers in the oil fields.—Midland Reporter.

### WASTE DUE TO THE BAD ROADS OF TEXAS

"Every foot of public highway in Texas could be permanently paved and maintained out of the waste in wear and tear to the transportation equipment of the public if there were means of capitalizing this waste."

This rather startling statement was made by A. C. Baldwin, manager of the good roads amendment campaign at the headquarters in Austin, Texas.

"A careful survey of Travis county, which is used as a basis on account of the availability of the facts, shows that five and one-half millions would pave and permanently build every road in the county."

"At 5 per cent interest, it would require approximately \$687,500 a year to pay the debt in ten years."

"This amount would be saved in the operation of motor vehicles of the county alone."

"Saving of feed for the 17,000 work animals of the county at \$19 per year would equal approximately one-fourth of the yearly outlay."

"Five thousand vehicles would easily add \$50,000 more to this saving."

"Time saved in marketing the crops, to say nothing of the loss now suffered due to unpassability of the roads, would save practically half the yearly outlay in building a complete system of roads in ten years."

"Without good roads the farmers alone lose in the moving of crops and in horse flesh and vehicles more than the roads would cost."

"Automobiles lose twice to three times what good roads would cost."

"Rain and mud now deny country people much of their social pleasure. They are kept from church, school, and neighborhood meetings by bad roads. They pay more for the merchandise they buy, for good roads lessen freights."

"Good roads are profitable investments, not expenses, and Texas can do little toward a State highway system until the Constitution is so amended that the Legislature can do at least a limited amount of road building."

### FINANCIAL REVIEW

PREPARED FOR THE ENTERPRISE BY THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ST. LOUIS.

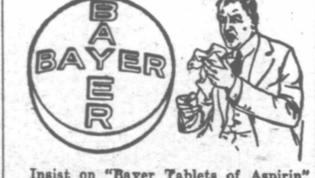
The monthly statements of the operations of Federal Land banks show that they have now made loans to over 100,000 farmers, amounting to over \$250,000,000.

The exact figures of the number of loans are 101,323, and the amount \$252,958,976, the average being almost \$2,500. This total is distributed by Federal Land Bank Districts as follows: Omaha, \$34,720,890; Spokane, \$33,876,910; St. Paul, \$32,561,700; Houston, \$27,760,666; Wichita, \$22,606,400; St. Louis, \$20,190,065; New Orleans, \$17,730,280; Louisville, \$17,241,200; Berkeley, \$13,606,800; Columbia, \$13,465,570; Baltimore, \$9,823,700; Springfield, \$9,374,795.

During the month of August an aggregate of \$8,490,055 was loaned to 2,495 farmers. The Federal Land Bank of St. Paul led with loans close to the amount of \$1,059,200, the St. Louis bank being next with \$903,540.

### ASPIRIN FOR COLDS

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Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Colds, Pain, Headache, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monocyclic-acidester of Salicylicacid.

### 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

### BUILDING OF COZY HOMES

Materials for building, will, later on become scarce. Entire cities in Europe must be rebuilt. America must supply the material. We are position to furnish estimates on plans and materials for the building. Later on we may not be able to do so.

### PRUETT LUMBER COMPANY

### Helping You With Your Live Stock

The Federal Reserve Banking System, established by the government, stands back of the stock raiser. Through our membership in it we can help our patrons carry live stock which they are raising or fattening for future sales.

Farmers' notes, with not over six months to run, given for raising or carrying live stock can be rediscounted by us with our Federal Reserve Bank, thereby increasing our ability to extend to our patrons such help as they may need.

If you contemplate raising or fattening live stock for market come in and talk with us. We can help you.

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Pecos, Texas.

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The best possible inducement is private, attractive, and comfortable quarters—in other words, livable tenant houses. The farm laborer has the same desire as the farmer for a home of his own.

A modest, moderate priced home for your help is the wisest and surest form of farm labor insurance and, when lumber is the building material used, it will prove to be the most economical.

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is often abused by keeping goods out an unreasonable length of time, and we sometimes have goods returned to us in damaged condition. Ladies' shirt waists and ready-to-wear are sometimes returned rolled up in newspapers. This damages the merchandise. We are glad to accommodate our customers, but in future we must ask that all approval articles be returned in 24 hours and in good condition.

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**HAWAIIAN VOLCANO POURS STREAM OF LAVA IN OCEAN**

Hilo, T. H., Oct. 5.—The lava stream now flowing from the volcano of Mauna Loa, which has been in eruption for a week, became obstructed last night and piled up in a mass 60 feet high and 300 feet wide. When the obstruction finally gave way and the lava rolled into the ocean, spectators a half mile away were deluged by the salt water that was thrown into the air. The lava cape now extends out about half a mile from the old shore line.

**The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head**  
Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 30c.

The "Ever Ready" battery carries an unconditional guarantee of 18 months satisfactory service. Try them once and you will use no other. Pecos Auto Company, exclusive agents, Pecos, Texas. 7tf

Call for and insist upon genuine Ford parts. There are none "just as good." Pecos Auto Company. 7tf

**THE MANY EVILS OF THE CREDIT SYSTEM**

From some exchange was clipped the following description of what the credit system does for most people, and it is so good that The Enterprise wishes to add "Amen" and pass it on. It says:  
"The credit system is one of the greatest evils the laboring man has to contend with. It tempts him with its alluring offers; he eagerly seizes the deceptive bait and finds himself a slave. He can build a fine house or buy a fancy carriage, own a new piano like neighbor B's, by simply giving his note to be paid next year. When his crop will, perhaps, be better, and the desire overrules his better judgment. In an evil hour he allows the trap to be sprung upon him. With a load of interest bearing upon him he struggles on, growing fainter and fainter beneath the burden, and when the time of payment arrives he is no better able to pay the debt than the day it was contracted. The interest eats into his prosperity like a corroding cancer, and gradually takes everything he can earn above what is absolutely necessary for his family. The financial horizon looms up dark and threatening. An hour of adversity happens and then the crash comes. His property is sold under the hammer at less than half its value, and he is turned out upon a cold world, penniless and destitute. In many instances the shock of transition from affluence to pauperism is more than his mind can bear, and he finds relief in a suicide's grave."

**Might Have Said "Bribed"**

The judge was evidently getting a bit fed up with the jury, and at last he announced:  
"I discharge the jury!  
A tall, lean member of the twelve then arose.  
"Say, judge, you can't discharge me!"  
"Can't discharge you? Why not?" thundered the judge.  
"Waal," replied the jurymen, pointing to counsel for the defense, "I was hired by that guy over there!"—Exchange.

**DEFINING DIFFERENT TERMS OF BREEDING**

Midland stockmen know, better than the Reporter, perhaps, the various breeding terms, and yet we have frequently had them misused. For instance thoroughbred or "full-blood" preferably "full-blooded," are the synonymous terms applied to horse breeding only. Especially is "full-blood" frequently and incorrectly applied to "grade" cattle.

Registered, pure-bred, high-grade, or grade are the terms that may be accurately applied to herds in the Midland country, and these alone, for there are now no scrub herds, or even crossbred herds that we have heard of. Therefore, your herd is either registered, pure-bred, high-grade, or a grade, as the case may be, with occasional mixtures of two or more of these terms.

The following definitions have been adopted by the United States Department of Agriculture for use in the "Better Sires—Better Stock" campaign which it will conduct in cooperation with the various states, beginning October 1:

**Purebred**—A pure-bred animal is one of pure breeding, representing a definite, recognized breed and both of whose parents were pure-bred animals of the same breed. To be considered registered, eligible to registration, or (in the absence of public registry for that class) have such lineage that its pure breeding can be definitely proved. To be of good type and quality, the animal must be healthy, vigorous and a creditable specimen of its breed.

**Thoroughbred**—The term "thoroughbred" applies accurately only to the breed of running horses eligible to registration in the General Stud Book of England, the American Stud Book, or affiliated stud books for thoroughbred horses in other countries.

**Standardbred**—Applied to horses this term refers to a distinct breed of American light horse, which includes both trotters and pacers which are eligible to registration in the American Trotting Register. Applied to poultry, the term includes all birds bred to conform to the standards of form, color, markings, weight, etc., for the various breeds under the standard of the American Poultry Association.

**Scrub**—A scrub is an animal of mixed or unknown breeding without definite type or markings. Such terms as native, mongrel, razorback, dunghill, piney woods, vayuse, the broncho, and mustang, are somewhat synonymous with "scrub," although many of the animals described by these terms have a certain fixity of type even though they present no evidence of systematic improved breeding.

**Crossbred**—This term applies to the progeny of pure-bred parents of different breeds, but of the same species.

**Grade**—A grade is the offspring resulting from mating a purebred with a scrub, or from mating animals not purebred, but having close pure-bred ancestors. The offspring of a purebred and a grade is also a grade, but through progressive improvement becomes a high-grade.—Midland Reporter.

**HEAVY PENALTY FOR EXPOSING CENSUS**

Washington, Oct. 11.—"That the facts and figures gathered by the enumerators, supervisors and special agents of the Fourteenth Decennial Census will have absolutely nothing to do with valuation of property for taxation purposes is a point I desire to emphasize with all possible vigor," said Director of the Census, Sam L. Rogers, today, in speaking of the forthcoming 1920 enumeration.

"Some difficulty has been experienced in the past," continued Mr. Rogers, "in getting absolutely accurate values of land and other property because of a certain amount of confusion over this point. Many people were erroneously inclined to connect the Census with taxation. We hope to avoid any such confusion this time."

The act of Congress which, under the Constitution, provides for the taking of the Fourteenth Decennial Census makes it unlawful for any enumerator, special agent, supervisor or other employee of the Census Bureau to divulge any information whatsoever concerning the census returns. A heavy fine and possible imprisonment, or both, is the penalty prescribed for violation of this provision of the law.

The proper tabulated figures of the Census are given out nowhere but here in Washington and then only upon the express authority of the Director of the Census Bureau.

Actual work by the enumerators in the various census districts will begin on January 2, 1920. It is expected that the population statistics of all cities and towns will be gathered in approximately two weeks. Final figures for rural districts, however, can hardly be gathered in less than a month.

**Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days**

Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, bleeding, hemorrhoidal Piles. Instantly relieves itching Piles, and you can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 5c.

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Don't let the oil wagon run over you. An oil field, the biggest of them all, is about to be brought in at your very door.

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**WILL BE THE NEXT BIG FIELD**

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Our first well is now drilling on the DIXIELAND ANTICLINE, the anticline that made the PECOS FIELD famous.

Six locations with contracts for drilling have been made on this perfect structure.

You have read about structure, but have you SEEN it? Visit the Dixieland Syndicate well and see what perfect structure is. Visitors are welcome

**WE HAVE LEASES FOR DRILLING CONTRACTS WE ARE DEVELOPING--NOT PROMOTING**

**THE DIXIELAND SYNDICATE**

IRA J. BELL, Trustee, Pecos, Texas, or

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**O. B. Colquitt a "Hobo"**

A certain woman happened recently to be touring the oil fields, and saw a very dejected and dirty-looking man leaning against a fence. The woman being kind-hearted, said to herself: "Here's a poor fellow who needs help." She got out of the car, went up to the "poor fellow," and said, "my poor man, you look down on your luck, here's a dollar to get yourself a shave and something to eat."

The "poor man" looked at her and said, "Madam, I thank you for your kindness, I admit that I need a shave and something to eat would be very acceptable, but it is impossible for me to get either today, as I am waiting for my well to come in and I can't possibly leave; however, I would like to keep this dollar as a souvenir." Then he departed, leaving the woman with her mouth open and out a dollar.

The "poor man" was none other than O. B. Colquitt, ex-governor of Texas.—Texas Oil Ledger.

**DODSON TELLS THE HORROR OF CALOMEL**

You Don't Need to Sicken, Grip, or Salivate Yourself to Start Liver.

You're bilious, sluggish, constipated. You feel headachy, your stomach may be sour, your breath bad, your skin sallow and you believe you need vile, dangerous calomel to start liver and bowels.

Here's my guarantee! Ask your druggist for a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone and take a spoonful tonight. If it doesn't start your liver and straighten you right up better than calomel and without griping or making you sick I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Take calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak and sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day. Take a spoonful of harmless, vegetable Dodson's Liver Tone tonight and wake up feeling splendid. It is perfectly harmless, so give it to your children any time. It can't salivate.

We are agents for the INTER-STATE Automobile Insurance Co. We can insure your car against Fire, Lightning, Tornado, Wind and Theft, from one to four years. The longer the term the lower the rate. If you lose, we pay. E. L. Collings Insurance Company. 6-4t

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Surveys Nos. 45, 47, 63, 55, E. half of 61, and 63, in Block 4. Nos. 43, 45, 47, and W. half of 37, in Block 5.  
The surveys in these blocks are situated from 5 to 8 miles from Pecos City, in the arctesian belt of the Pecos River country and will be sold as a whole or in quarter sections.  
Also surveys No. 49, in Block 6, and Surveys Nos. 9, 15, and 15, in Block 7.  
Also surveys Nos. 31, 33, 35, and 37 (fronting on the Pecos River) and 39 in Block 1, and Nos. 11, 15, and 17, adjacent thereto, in Block 2, in the vicinity of Hiverton, on the Pecos River Railroad.  
Also surveys Nos. 1, 3, 5, and 19, fronting on the Pecos River, in Block 8, in the extreme northern portion of Pecos County, and partly in Reeves county.  
Also 11 surveys in Block 10; 16 surveys in Block 11, and 3 surveys in Block 12; none of these three blocks local.  
No local agents for these lands, which are handled direct by the Agent and Attorney in Fact for the owner, William M. Johnson.

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Everything that falsely encourages unrest also encourages bolshevism.

Misunderstanding of American industrial organization, and of its benefits to mankind, leads to unrest, dissatisfaction, and radicalism.

For example, the Federal Trade Commission tells the public that the large packers had an agreed price for lard substitute (made of cotton-seed oil.)

It reproduces letters taken from the files of one of the packers, showing that such agreed price existed.

But it failed to mention that the agreed price was determined at the request of and in co-operation with the Food Administration!

Even the Department of Justice, in its unjust attempt to create prejudice against the packers, has made public these same letters, with no explanation.

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and had charged to your account are due to be paid for now, and we are depending on you to come in promptly and settle for last month's purchases before the 10th of the month.

Under our new terms we will be unable to charge anything more to you if you do not pay your last month account by the 10th of the following month. We know that this is quite a departure from our old terms, but we find it necessary under the present conditions which we are forced to do business under. We believe that you will find it helpful in your business to adjust your finances and purchases to correspond to the changed conditions which we have to deal with.

We think you will find our 30-day charge terms more convenient than to pay cash at time each purchase is made, as it enables you to keep your business more consolidated and in doing all your trading with us you can buy practically all you want under one roof and all be in one account at end of month. Try it. You will like it.

**PECOS MERCANTILE COMPANY**

OUR CLASSIFIED ADS BRING HOME THE BACON

## TEXAS COTTON GROWERS ARE ORGANIZING

Dallas, Oct. 7.—With spot cotton slowly creeping upward in price, officials of the Texas Division of the American Cotton Association are urging the farmers to hold their crops, or to market it very slowly. Although the recommended minimum price at the New Orleans meeting was only thirty-six cents, it begins to appear that even a better price will be secured, and brokers in the East are predicting publicly fifty cent cotton.

The ability to borrow from banks on cotton protected from country, damage and warehoused is showing to the farmers throughout the cotton belt that one phase of the solution of securing a better price for their cotton lies in the development of a system of warehouses. The attitude of the consumer with reference to cotton prices may be gathered from the discussion of the World's Cotton Conference to be held in New Orleans in the near future.

Although the American Cotton Association is only partially organized, its officers are confident that its activities will result in immeasurable benefits when it has been extended into every cotton growing county in Texas, as it has been extended in Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina and other states. Growing out of the cotton acreage reduction organization which caused cotton to take a boost over thirty cents, which price it has almost consistently held the American Cotton Association proposes to develop in the South an organization as fully capable of protecting the interests of the cotton grower as the spinners, manufacturers and others have been protected for years at the cost of the producer.

The Texas Division will be organized soon. Preliminary work necessary, as to the printing of pamphlets, etc., is being completed. From all over Texas have come requests to organize at once and with the State headquarters in Dallas, under direction of Nathan Adams, chairman, and endorsed by the Texas Bankers' Association, the Texas Cotton Seed Crushers' Association, and the Texas Ginners' Association, as well as the Texas Industrial Congress and the Texas Farmers' Union, the officers feel that the answer to low cotton prices lies with the growers themselves and in perfecting an organization that will be absolutely non-political, but working only to the interests of the growers of the South, that millions of dollars now going into the pockets of speculators will accrue to cotton growers of Texas.

Texas headquarters are located at 515 Slaughter Building, Dallas. All persons interested in the movement can secure further information by addressing the office.

## BLACKS SLAIN FOR KILLING WHITE DEPUTY

Lincolnton, Ga., Oct. 6.—Three negroes tonight had paid lynch law's penalty for the fatal shooting early Sunday morning of Red Freeman, a deputy sheriff of Lincoln county. The mob, which spent all of yesterday and most of last night searching through swamps and canebrakes for Jack Gordon, the negro accused of killing the sheriff, had dispersed to night and the county was quiet, although a search was being made for evidence showing that other negroes were implicated in the shooting.

Gordon and William Brown, who is alleged to have aided Gordon in escaping after the shooting, were burned at the stake before daylight today by a mob of 1,100 persons after Gordon had been taken from Lincoln county officers who captured him.

Mose Freeman, a negro charged with misleading members of the mob during their search for Gordon, was shot to death when he tried to escape.

Deputy sheriff Freeman died late today from the gunshot wound inflicted by Gordon.

Gordon was caught five miles from Washington, Ga., late Sunday night and kept in jail there until 2 o'clock this morning when he was turned over to the authorities of this county. Once in Lincoln county, the mob seized the negro, brought up Brown, who had been caught earlier in the night, and fastened both to an old wagon axle. Wood and trash were piled around the negroes and the torch applied.

**Colds Cause Grip and Influenza**  
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 50c.

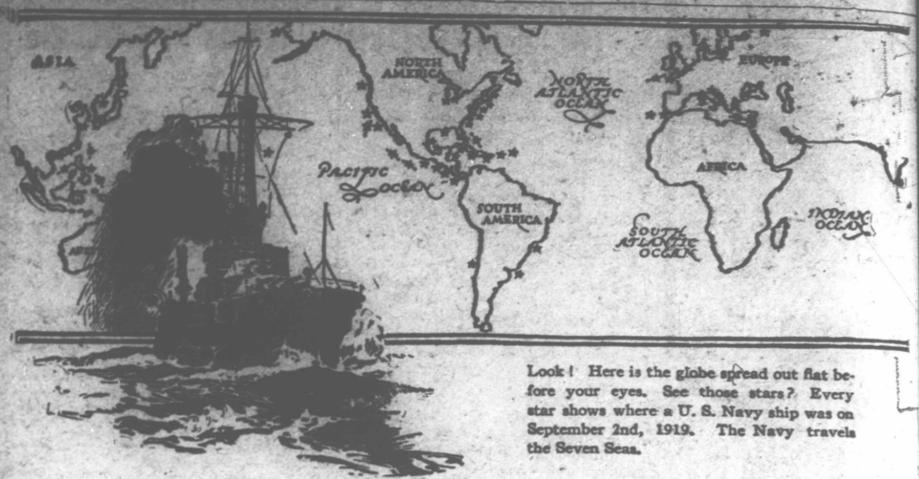
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Learn to "parley-vo" in gay Patee. See the bull-fights in Panama. See surf-riding on the beach of Waikiki.

Learn the lure that comes with the swish and swirl of the good salt sea. Eat well—free; dress well—free; sleep clean—free; and look 'em all straight in the eye—British, French, Chinese, Japanese, Spaniards, Egyptians, Algerians and all manner of people.

Come! Be a real man of the world. See the world. See it with

the red-blooded, hard-working, hard-playing men of the U. S. Navy.

Pay begins the day you join. On board ship a man is always learning. Trade schools develop skill, industry and business ability. Thirty days care-free holiday each year with full pay. The food is good. First uniform outfit is furnished free. Promotion is unlimited for men of brains. You can enlist for two years and come out broader, stronger and abler.

Shove off—Join the U. S. Navy. If you're between 17 and 35 go to the nearest recruiting station for all the details. If you don't know where it is ask your postmaster.

## Shove off! -Join the U. S. Navy

## NEW POSTMASTER FOR CITY OF RANGER

F. O. Kelly, former assistant postmaster of the Ranger postoffice, is now the postmaster, taking charge Saturday. He succeeds O. R. Cooper, who resigned several weeks ago, and who had been in the office only a few months. An idea of the growth of the office can be gained from the fact that thirteen clerks are employed; it serves four free delivery routes and four rural routes, also several star routes.

## Common-Sense for Corns, "Gets-It"

The Great Painless Corn Loosener. Simple as A. B. C. Never Fails. If you have ever tried to get rid of a corn by bundling up your toe with bandages, or by using salve that made your toe red and almost



raw, or tried to drag your corn out with a knife, there will be a surprise waiting for you when you use "Gets-It." Imagine peeling your corn off gloriously, easily and painlessly, just like peeling off a banana skin. Well, that is what happens when you use "Gets-It." There is nothing else that will give you this same result. Millions of folks have had the same blessed experience. Why putter and suffer, limp, and spoil a good time for yourself and your friends, or your peace of mind while trying to attend to business? Use "Gets-It," the simple common-sense way. "Gets-It," the only sure, guaranteed, money-back corn-remover, costs but a trifle at any drug store. MFD by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

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