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#### **RED BLUFF DAM** OPPOSED BY CARLSBAD

Santa Fe, N. M., April 13 .- The e engineer, to prevent the grant- land commissioner on state lands.

In the demurrer it was claimed position he has taken hitherto with that the protests of the Pecos as- respect to oil and gas leases issued. sociation would not lie, as the applicant had no intention of trying to get water already appropriated, and SUNSHINE DRILLING 24 that the water rights of the association were fully protected. In its answer, it is held that there is nothing in law or the regulation of the purpose, that the protestants have a prayer of protestants as filed be granted. Otherwise the right to appeal is claimed as to any other action on this demurrer.

E.-L. Stratton, of the Toyah Valley Oil Co., said Wednesday that the work of building the derrick and installing the machinery for the deep test near Monahan's, in Ward county, Texas, is now going on rapidly. This location is in section 25, block B-19, public school lands. J. C. Culter, head driller, with a crew, is installing the drilling machinery.

LONG DISTANCE PHONES Last Saturday morning H. C. Iverson, of El Paso, who was here with the auctioneer of his Central Oil and Stock Exchange of that city, Bill Rogers, said he had obtained about \$4,000 in subscriptions here to stock gram at the church on Sunday night. in the telephone company. He plans building a long distance telephone line to connect towns like Pecos and secred and religiou pictures on Sun-Toyah with El Paso. Mr. Iverson said day nights," said dr. Faust. "On he had a force of men building at the week nights we shil have varied rate of three or four miles a day a programs which will be educational standard metallic line eastward from and recreational. In getting this sixth well drilling within four miles work was commenced on the dering an is a unit which can treat 100 barrels 30 sections of oil holdings scattered that as soon as poles already ordered effort to meet the social, spiritual strived in Toyah he would start and recreational neds of the combuilding the line westward from that munity. All such entertainments town toward Fort Hancock.

#### UPHOLDS VALIDITY OF MINERAL OIL LEASES

Santa Fe, N. M., April 12.-Judge Pecos Water Users' association of Sam Bratton, of the fifth district, Carlsbad has filed its answer to the sitting in the first dstrict court in the demurrers filed by C. Q. Thorpe, by case of Neal vs. Barker, in a decision his agent, A. S. Kirkpatrick, against Saturday upheld the validity of the the protests filed recently with the oil and gas leases made by the state ing of a permit for the Red Bluff In substance the decision upholds the state land commissioner and the

At the offices of the Sunshine right to be heard in the matter as to Oil Corporation, in the Orient hotel, facts and the association prays that it was given out last Tuesday that the demurrer be overruled and the that concern was drilling a water well and building the derrick for its Tinally No. 1 well, in section 20, block C-6, about 12 mlles south of

> It was also stated at the some time that all four of that company's wells which are driling are working the full 24 hours a day now to push the drills down. These are the Laura in Loving county, and who Victory well, in Ward county.

the M E. Church South here, stated Thursday that the moving picture machine ordered or that church was expected any day and that he hoped to give the first moving picture pro-

"Our plan is to rive a program of will be free."

#### BELL AND CHAPMAN INTERESTS TO DRILL 2 WELLS NEAR

Ira J. Bell and N. F. Chapman & Com- | The owners named pulpee organizing a pany have announced that they will drill company on these propers so advantagein the northwest quarter of section 20 and ously located to the Bell ell and other deon 40 acres in the northeast part scrap sec- velopment now going of in that immedition 67, both in block 2, H. & G. N. survey, ate vicinity. Reeves county. The 10-acre piece men- N. F. Chapman & Comany helped very tioned is about 1500 feet north of the Bell largely in financing the ixieland Syndidiscovery well of the Dixieland Syndicate. cate in Mississippi,

#### Bell Discovery Well Still Looks Ike a 30 to 35 Barrels An Hour Jumper

According to accounts of the pumping of when the pumping will aspeeded up to the Bell discovery well located 22 miles test finally the capacity of well. morthwest of Pecos, the result of the pump- the well is that when the pumping has ing showed 130 bbls. of oil for the 5 stopped the oil stood at a top and befor the five hours last Saturday. Since then all along until the pump wistarted again. hours last Sunday to as high as 16 hours half-hour period as last Fray and Saturdaily with a very slow, short stroke, all day as above stated are on statement of fices of Ira J. Bell, on account of the in- Oil Co., who said that W. B. Flynn. creasing gas pressure which caused the scout of the Sinclair oil intests, checked bending of the pump rod. The result in the output and gave those ures. They barrels by this latter method of pumping are approximately those giveny the Bells was estimated at from five to seven barrels themselves who said the puing was at an hour. A new pump harrel has been or the rate of about 30 to 35 bees an hour dered to replace the present California type on those two days and previde

#### LEGION PREPARING FOR JOURNALISTS

The Pecos post of the American Legion met last night and voted to take charge of and pa s theu Pe os F. dalight for the entertainment of the 125 "Fighting Big Spr ngs to instal a ne odge in Journalists" of the A. E. F. expected here the latter city. V. R. Still district May 12th and 13th. The plan of the en- depu y g and exh lte t oil development. The afternoon of the last nalists will be taken through the Barstow irrigation district and to the Bell, Laura and other oil wells. The next morning they will be taken to Balmorhea and Toyah and back to the barbecue. The Legion executive committee consists of Dr. Jim Camp. the post commander, and Adjutant John Ross; Capt. W. W. Dean, O. T. Norwood. W. N. Sutherland and Mrs. Sid Kyle.

#### TO DRILL 12 WELLS IN LOVING COUNTY

Wm. Myers, connected with the Pacos Valley Land & Oil Company, been in Pecos since Monday, has as saying that his company had let block 2, H. & G. N. survey in Reeve as saying that his company had let contractors are moving the new tacts for the drilling of 12 wells on its lands across the Pecos river, in Loving county. Six of these wells are to go lown on section 78, Mr. Myers said, and three each in 78 and light for the work. It is used to water well. 81. all in block 3, H. & T. C. railway survey, in Loving county. It was been shipped for the drilling of also said that two rigs had already wells,

# EL PASO TO INSTIL

Elks of Fl Paso will Inathat city

Members of the El Paso se ectad later.

tten! he "r mo y the new 1 dga wil ba Sat rd , night.

#### **ABNER DAVIS LETS** DRILLING CONTICT

Abner Davis of Fort Worth,

#### TROXEL MAKES BIG DEAL WITH J. R. MARTIN OF DENVER AND TO DRILL 2000 ACRES

The Fort Worth Star-Telegram | field and was for many years an of-Toyah field and the two will com | Cottonwood Draw. mence quite an extensive drilling Traxel and Martin have been campaign to prove the holdings. friends for twenty years and both of A SHALLOW TEST The article referred to reads:

anacu cad by Cloyd R. Troxel who back, in his arms for twenty miles. ing the legal phases of the deal.

involved in the transfer. There are erations in the Toyah basin were now two deep tests on the Troxel exceedingly difficult. eass and Martin went to Denver Operations in the Toyah field have

e Cil forn'a fie'd and he put the conduc'ed in every part of the field.

of last Monday gives the following ficial with the Mid-Continent Oil and account of a deal made by C. R. Cas Company. He said \$400,000 Troxel, the pioneer oil operator of would be available for the drilling Toyah, this county, with J. R. Mar- c m aign on the Toxel lease. The tin, of Denver, by which the latter terms of the contract carries with becomes interested with the former it a drilling contract covering 200 in 2,000 acres of oil lands in the are; of the lease in the vicinity of

them goo'ogized the Toyah field fif-The sale of one-half interest in the teen years ago. It was while they Troyel Oil Company's holdings in the were on a geological tour of the Toyah Basin to J. R. Martin of Den- field that Martin shot off his right ver and other Denver capitalists, was arm and Troxel carried him, horsewas in Fort Worth Monday conclud- Mart'n and Troxel both made favorable reports on the Toyah basin. ir x l, the pioneer of the Toyah Troxel remained at Toyah but Marfield, will remain in Toyah and help tin went to other fields. At that carry on a \$500,000 drilling cam- time crude oil was selling at less pa gn on the 2,000 acres which are than 40 cents a barrel and the op-

No. 1, sayon miles north of Pecos; Monday ot arrange for the drilling been greatly improved by the discov-the Grogan and llow, which is to be of four more wells immediately ery of a fine water well on the Monday ot arrange for the drilling been greatly improved by the discovwhich, with the wells now under Evans lease in section 23 of block course of drilling, will test every 59. The water is free from gypsum and apparently is inexhaustible. It Martin drilled the first deep test in is being piped to new tests being

#### The Rev. Fred B. Faust, pastor of he M E. Church South here, stated Six Wells Drilling Around the Bell and Total Projected and Contracted Now Thirty-seven

21, block 2, H. & G. N. survey, Reeves county, thus making the first of the week,

week; the "Lucky 13," reported deeper sands. 350 feet; Minerva, No. 1 well of Bell Together with the six wells drilling located their first well on section 10, increased to 37.

The Dominion Oil Company has | three miles now theast of the Bell disspudded in its No. 1 well, on section covery well and a mile northeast of and add other units as business, and the Big Four Consolidated Oil Co.,

Fort Hancock, Texas. He also said machine we think to are making an of the Bell discovery well. Nash & rick for the Dixieland Syndicate's of crude oil in eight hours, with one over the Pecos valley region. A description of the Bell discovery well. Garvin are drillers of the Dominion deep test, locatel 300 feet south of man to handle it The products of relopment to make the products of relopment to the products of the pro the Bell discovery well of the same | uc'i at plant are graciine, distillate, ings is repreted to be part of the Other wells drilling in that vicin- concern. It is expected that this kerosene and fuel oil, Mr. Davis said, new concern's plans. ity are the Citizens, at 452 feet and well will have to be put down from was awaiting casing the first of the 2,200 feet to 3,000 feet to strike the

> brothers, below 150 feet; the Bell- the first of this week in the vicinity Reeves well, below 250 feet, and the of the Bell discovery well and the Crogsm well, of the Sunshine Oil Cor- number of wells contracted in varporation, and the Abner Davis well. | ious stages from locations, moving on Finley & Anderson, ranchers, have and ac'ually drilling, the total had

# F. W. JOHNSON, PIONEER CATTLE MAN, FINANCIER, PHILANTHROPIST

wife and a few friends, resolute and fear | native goodness of heart. less, as he had lived, and will sleep until For twenty years or more preceding his in life and helped lay away in death.

Coleman county, then the western frontier ness of heart? tertained with a big barbecute and "roundup" and 5,000 people will be expected to
Booth, exhal ed ruler H. Shrw 1, many lines of business, A man of great
his heart and for their upbuilding he gave cattleman, farmer, banker, merchant and of encouragement and cheer as well as of Se e al l Paso Elks who have all-around business man he was closely money. no off il at in the inaston identified with the founding and developw ' als acc monny the pand ment of practically every phase of industrial life here.

At the time of his death Mr. Johnson was president of the Pecos Valley State Bank and of the Pecos Light and Ice Company, vice president of the Pecos Mercantile Company, the Pecos Valley Southern material sintitution or issue which claimed Railway Company, the Pruett Lumber attention. He was a friend to them all. He Fecos Valley Land & Oil Company, been in Pecos since Monday, has diet care of all of which he found time and succeeding call was made. He placed life that teemed with love and devotion himself absolutely at the service of the for every good cause that needed a friend chairman of the Liberty Bond campaigns. and supporter.

> In estimating the life work of a man like Mr. Johnson—"Uncle Woody" he was to voung and old—the history and citizenship of central and west Texas must be kept in Johnson's death brings sorrow to a multiand rugged life of the pioneer. If in these of the very faithful and well-loved wife family residence here at 4 p

F. W. Johnson, for many years a resident that marks the tenure by which pioneer Peccos, died at his home here at 2:30 p. life is held, there, too, he developed the What is considered the est feature of m. Wednesday, April 14th. For a year or which more than compensated for lack of more his health had been intermittently polish and modish graces. He was a hrs. pumping last Friday and 135 bls gun flowing by heads as it as been doing bad, but great natural vitality and buoy- western man in the very best sense of that ancy of spirit prevailed over adverse con- term, imperious in defining and upholding the pump has been operated from eight. The figures given on the work and a significant the pump has been operated from eight. The figures given on the work of suddenness and surprise printing the pump has been operated from eight. The figures given on the work of suddenness and surprise printing the pump has been operated from eight. The figures given on the work of suddenness and surprise printing the pump has been operated from eight. with the shock of suddenness and surprise. nizing the rights of others, physically fear-On the preceding Monday he was down less, impulsively outspoken, a frank and that could be done, it was said at the of. C. R. Pope, presdi. of the Bell Reeves town as usual. On Tuesday the attack candid enemy and a staunch and loyal from which he, apparently, rallied kept friend. The type needs no delineation him at home, and on We mesday the last here. A composite of good and bad, of enemy conquered the indomitable spirit. great strength and great weaknesses, ele-He died quiety in the presence of his mental passions barely held in check by

the radiant morning in Fairview cemetery death Mr. Johnson made his home in Pewith the multitude of those whom he knew cos. Some ten years ago he built a beautiful home in the west part of town. From Mr. Johnson was born near Brenham, it he was taken to his last resting place. Washington county, Texas, in 1851. His It was and is a hospitable home. There father, J. H. Johnson, came from Illinois to were no children to his marriage, but his Texas in 1836, settling in Washington love for children was very great. The I ref r to H cw r, who, though he county, where he became a prosperous young people were his fast friends. His said that he would not accept the planter and a man of much influence. Fan- cars, his money, his time were at their dis- Demorration, there are nin Woodyard Johnson, the deceased, lived posal. He loved them and their games and Democr t: still trying to get delein Washington county until he was 22 they made free of his substance. What gat's for him, years old, when he moved with his cattle to other evidence is needed of his inate good-

May 12th and 15th. The plan of the he d the El Paso d l gatio and will sheep business in Nolan county. Moving needy. No man ever knew his hand closed westward with the development of the against a good cause. By day and night he was at the service of those who needed day the journalists are here they will be en-Chas R Br nn R. F. npton, mental and physical energy, he turned his with a prodigal hand. His name was a burned his be hand and fortune to many things, and as synonym for ready and generous giving

ice missed his eager presence.

As with church, so it was with school. and as with school with every moral and

mind. His schools were largely the stern tude of friends less only in degree to that The funeral services will be held at the

#### **DEEP TEST 300 FEET** FROM BELL WELL

interests associated with that concern have made a location on section now worth about \$3,000 and this deal to 52, block N. on the G. & M. & D the library took place nearly a month ago survey in Ward county Texas. The and perhaps not a dozen people knew of plan is to drill with a star rig to de the peculiar circumstances surrounding it. velop sands down to 1,000 feet and spud in within 90 days.

# DAVIS REFINERY AND

Monday and has been spending sev- in other sections of the valley. It is eral days here and about Irabell, the understood that this company will-Be and string of standard tools in a drick now a Krn River field. He company and the Martin interests was a big operator in the Kansas will be at Toyah.

Conducted in every part of the lied.

Headquarters of the Troxel Oil o'l town 22 miles northeast, at which latter place he plans to establish a refinery. He also plans building one refinery. He also plans building one of his "one man" plants here. He said that half of his machinery for his I abell plant was tied up in Fort Worth by the switchmen's strike. He h s one very light drilling rig started in the northeast corner of section 20, block 2, H. &. G. N. survey, and effect that the Big Four Oil and Resaid he had two more rigs en route fining Co. and the American Oil and

# **PECOS LIBRARY IS**

The construction of the derrick by Pearce brothers for the Dixieland Syndicate's deep test 300 feet south of the Bell discovery well of that concern in section 20 in block 2, H. & G. N. survey, in Reeves county, is now under way. Ira J. Bell, trustee of the syndicate, said that the derrick by a 25x115-foot lot which had been lost, strayed and not even stellen for about 28 years, and no taxes paid on it and no one claiming it. It is lot 9, block 6, facing east on Cedar street. This stray, ownerless lot lies in between the lots of Edgar D. Park of Elements of Edgar D. Park of Elements of Edgar D. Park of Edgar D. rick would be completed in 10 days after Paso and Pecos and that of T. Y. Casey estimated depth at which the second oil and Jack Harris. Mr. Park appears to commencement. It is understood that the have been the first to have discovered it. sand will be struck is at some point be quickly followed by Messrs. Casey and tween 2000 and 2300 feet. The sand now Harris. Both sides wanted it and started producing the oil in the Bell discovery well is at a depth of 657 feet.

A SHALLOW TEST

The sand how to take possession, when a spirit of good sportsmanship and public spirit seized all of them and they all quit-claimed their rights to the Pecos public library. The only conditions imposed on the library of the sand their rights to the Pecos public library. ficials are that if they attempt to sell it they must advertise in for a certain time and then sell to the highest biddes; also, E. L. Stratton, of the Toyah Valley Oil Co., stated Wednesday that each side the length of the lot...

Mr. Park said this little lost lot wen

PROVIDENT CO. TO DRILL. F. A. Gaggers, vice-president of the Provident Oil and Refining Co., of Houston, Texas, has returned to the Pecos valley fields to start a drilling camp.ign. The plan is to drill first in the Toyah section of Reeves Abner Davis arrived in Pecos last county and later for the deeper sands

Mr. Divis said his plan was to 000 and \$1,000,000 respectively, build a 200-barrel plant at Irabell have conscionated under the name of the "Lucky 13." The rigging was supply of crude may justify. His with a caritalization of \$1,500,000. being set up for this I ew well the "one man' refinery, which he plans The new concern is a New Mexico

#### Josephus' Brether Here on Law Business Talles Some Politics

w off c s at No. 20, Bread street, They always bave organization and N. w York City, and who is a brother they mut and wil have some one of Josephus Daniels, secretary of the who wil take orders from Wall na y, was an arrival at the Orient | Street. A man who will use his own h t he e Th r da morning. He head can only get in thru the Repubsaid he was here on law business le n party by slipping it over on Co. and was met at the train by O. B. Blackburn, of New York, and R. R. Geer, of this city.

C. C. Dan els is rlo n'crested here and that his rres ne s n connecwith im o tant legal matters con e n ng a big deal between oil

connected with oil only."

"How about politics?" Mr. Daniels

"I think," he replied, "that no one new in the I melight for the Demoe atie nominat on will get it. I think th San Fan i convention will be 'g t t gether' aff ir, as it should be, to slct a g od candidate and we h v good nate it. I think the can id to hould be a Democrat and shoud have ben so long enough to ha e got n h 'pip of h's tongue.

"H w about a third term for President Wil on" repeated Mr. Daniels; m le stretch of shortening it at the of Texas. Afterwards he engaged in the He was a friend of the sick and the "1 do rot b lie e the American peop ev r will stand for any man to ed to be completed this week. The

"The Reputl cans are cock-sure of

him well, knew his simple faith and manly religious views. Again and again he spoke of the new era upon which the world is en- been subs ribed privately in Toyah He was one of the organizers of the First tering, and expressed the wish to see its and vicinity before the road was Baptist church of Pecos and its constant glorious unfolding. But invariably, of commenced. and staunch supporter. No activity but en- late, he felt that his race was nearly run listed his sympathetic interest and no serv- Steadfastly, however, he faced the future confident of the working out of the great plans of the God in whom he trusted.

Pecos has lost a friend, an honest citi-Company, and actively connected with was placed before a count was taken, as and bound him strongly to his fellows. Oil and Gas Company's well now most of the banks in surrounding towns his stand upon the right side was certain They appraise him justly as the product drilling. and counties. His interests included and foreknown. Every phase of the war of a great era that has passed, as a striking ranches, farms and city properties, for the work appealed to him. He gave largely figure of picturesque West Texas, as a manly man with a man's failings and a man's virtues.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Zemula Day Johnson, by two brothers, W: D. John-In estimating the life work of a man like spent himself in the cause of the Red Cross Fort Worth; also by two sisters, Mrs. J. M. Sallis of Dallas, and Mrs. T. J. Brown

C. C. Daniels, an attorney, with win ing the presidency this time. onnected with the Toyah Basin Oil hem Rooseve't was one who did

# It was stated by persons here that BUILDING ROADS

Residents of Porterville and other parts of Loving county are planning "I have just come from Fort to have built a road from that town Worth whire I had legal business some 17 miles or more northeaste Cas Oi! Co and the Trinity ward to the section of country occu-C rp ration of both of which I pied by the Brookfield ranch. ! This "My trip to Pecos is on legal business opment beginning and projected in that section of Loving county. It was expected that a petition for this road would be presented at the regular monthly session of the county commissioners court in Pecos last Monday. The commissioners all expressed their desire to help in every way possible the new oil industry now in its infancy in this section, and help for the Loving county road

Reeves county has just completed 4.7 miles of new road to the Bell discovery oil well but it can not be put in real good condition until it rains. However, the road to that well not using this new portion is quite good. A new road has been built from Toy h to the Bell well with the exhave a third 'e m. It is the unwrit-te ul made by the people to pre-and straightened and the rest of the way is said to be a fine one. County C mm ssioner A. W. Hosie said at the meeting of the County Commissioners' court last Monday that all the money for this road work had

BRYAN-BOZEMAN WELL It is announced that Messrs. Bryan and Bozeman, of Pecos, have spudded Pecos has lost a friend, an honest citi-zen. His friends were legion. They speak block 4, township 4, Reeves county.

> Alfred Tinally, president of the Sunshine Oil Corporation, the pioneer in starting development of the Pecos field says the following offers of awards still stand good:

"\$2,500 to the drillers bringing in commercial o ilin any shallow oil wells' of the Sunshine Oil Corporation. "\$5,000 to the drillers bringing in

# How would YOU FIRST NATIONAL BANK Provide around Rev. N. E. Pastor. Only Fifty Just Cents 524 like a raise, like this? -and for

THAT is the kind of increase in salary the minister has received. His living expenses have risen just as fast and as far as yours.

34 Years Work

But he is paid on the average just 52 cents more per church member than he was paid 34 years ago.

#### The Minister Never Fails You

Every officer of the Government with a war message to deliver appealed to the ministers first of all.

But 80% of the ministers receive less income than government economists figure as a minimum for the support of an average family.

When hospitals need money they enlist the support of the ministers—and receive it.

But when sickness visits the minister or the members of his family they must be treated in a charity ward. His pay is less than a day laborer's.

8 out of every 10 ministers receive less than \$20 a week-about half the pay of a mechanic.

#### We Pay Him Half the Wages of a Mechanic

And of these pitifully inadequate salaries, how much do you contribute? Nothing if you are outside the church; an average of less than 3c a day if you are a church

All of us share in the benefits of Christian ministers to the community. They marry us; bury us; baptize our children; visit us when we are sick. In their hands is the spiritual training of the youth.

#### We Are All Profiteers at Their Expense

Part of the Interchurch World program is this a living vage for every minister of Jesus Christ; an efficient plant, and a chance to do a big man's job.

If you want better preachers, help to pay the preachers better. We the best investment for your community and for your children that you can ever make.



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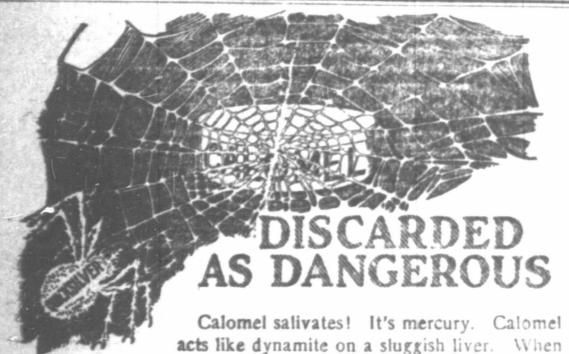
The publication of this advertisement is made possible through the co-operation of 30 denominations.

#### H. & G. N. RY. LANDS FOR SALE IN REEVES COUNTY

The surveys in these blocks are situated from 5 to 8 miles from Pecos City, in the artesian belt of Perce River country and will be sold only in whole sections. to, surveys No. 49 in Block 6 and surveys Nos. 9, 13 and 15 in Block 7

surveys Nos. 1, 3, 5 and 19, fronting on the Pocos River, in Block 8, and survey No. 51 in taxes on a lot No. 1, block 4, Warn E. LOVE of Pecos is agent for the sale of all these lands situated in Reeves County and applica. ment. These taxes were for the Those is no local agent for the sale of the lands in Pocos County, and parties desiring to purchase of same should apply to the undersigned.

IRA H. EVANS, Agent and Attorney in Fact, AUSTIN, TEXAS



#### Take "Dodson's Liver Tone" Instead!

So your druggist and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tons for a few cents, which is a harmless vegetable sub-

If you feel bilious, headachy, con- | and without making you sick, you stipated and all knocked out, just go just go back and get your money. If you take calomel today you'll be sick and nauseated tomorrow; besides, it may salivate you, while if Altute for dangerous calomel. Take you take Dodson's Liver Tone you will wake up feeling great, full of a spoonful and if it doesn't start ambition and ready for work or play. your liver and straighten you up It is harmless, pleasant and safe to to children; they like it.

calomel comes into contact with sour bile it

crashes into it, causing cramping and nausea.

acquired 30,000 acres of leases in the Toyah section in Reeves county. This company has already spudded in two wells, according to Mr. McGehee. One is in section 5, block 70, and the ther in section, 15, block C-17. Reeves county. Star rigs have been u ed. Mr. McGehee is quoted as savng that Dr. H. B. Patton, geologist of Denver, had reported upon the former's holdings in the Topah field.

#### LOG OF BELL WELL

At the request of many newcomers The Enterprise repeats here the log of the Bell discovery well, located in sect on 20, block 2, H. & G. N. Ry. survey, in Reeves county. This well is 22 miles northwest of Pecos. The lug follows: Description

1 to 9 Gyp surface rock. 9 to 14 Sand and gyp-soft. 14 to 23 Sand and gyp--narder 34 to 37 Sandstone and gyp -wa-

37 to 54 Sulphary sandstone 54 to 66 lark sand. 66 to 103 Shale- light blue. 103 to 125 Dark anale.

125 to 148 Blue shate.

146 to 166 Light blue shale. 166 to 174 Soft black and white mixed sand. 174 to 191 Light sandy shale.

191 to 224 Darker sandy shale. 224 to 310 Blue shale. 310 to 355 Shale, blue, sticky. 355 to 360 Shell, Grady hard. 360 to 400 Blue shale.

400 to 404 Rock soap-stone - no 404 to 415 Blue shale, hard and

415 to 420 Hard blue shale; gumbo. 420 to 426 Dark sand, shale, sui-

426 to 428 Sandstone-shell. 428 to 465 Sandy shale. 465 to 475 Hard sticky shale. 475 to 480-Saft blue shale. 480 to 496 Hard sticky shale. 496 to 502 Hard sandstone. 502 to 504 Hard sandy shale 504 to 509 Hard sandstone. 509 to 535 Blue shale.

535 to 545 Shell-sulphur water. 545 to 546 Sandy shale-show of a 546 to 555 Hard dark shale. 555 to 560 Lime cap rock. 560 to 570 White sand stone gas.

572 to 595 White sandstone. 595 to 653 Ward sand shale-light. 653 to 6555 Oil and gas sand lime,

570 to 572 First show of oil sand-

pebbles, sand. 6305 to 658 Gravel and oil sand. Ten-inch pipe collar shoe babbitted in. Sixty feet of 10-inch pipe with swedged nipple to 8 1-4 inch, the 8 1-4-inch easing to well mouth. 8 1-4-inch water shut-off string at 591 feet. Formation shut off. 6 1-4inch casing anchored at top reaching to 653 feet; 7-inch open hole in sand. It will be noted that oil first showed at 572 feet but was finally brought in in the gravel and sand

#### COMMISSIONERS' COURT

from 655 to 658 feet.

The Reeves County Commissioners' court met in regular monthly sels on last Monday, County Judge Wilson, Pennsylvania. J. F. Foss presiding. Commissioners trict No. 1; A. W. Hosie, district No. 2; C. C. Kountz, district No. 3, and

Little business was transacted mostly being the allowance of bills. The shoriff was ordered to procure more blankets and sheets for the use of jurors when necessary during the next term of the district court, which begins next Monday. The sheriff explained that during the "flu" epidemic all of the county' bedding was lent out and little of i returned. The monthly salary of the deputy sheriff at Toyah was raised from \$25 to \$100. The wages of the janitor of the courthouse was raised from \$60 to \$65 a month. The comm ssicners voted to remit the county subdivision, of Pecos, which lot is held in trust for the city fire departyears 1919 and 1920.

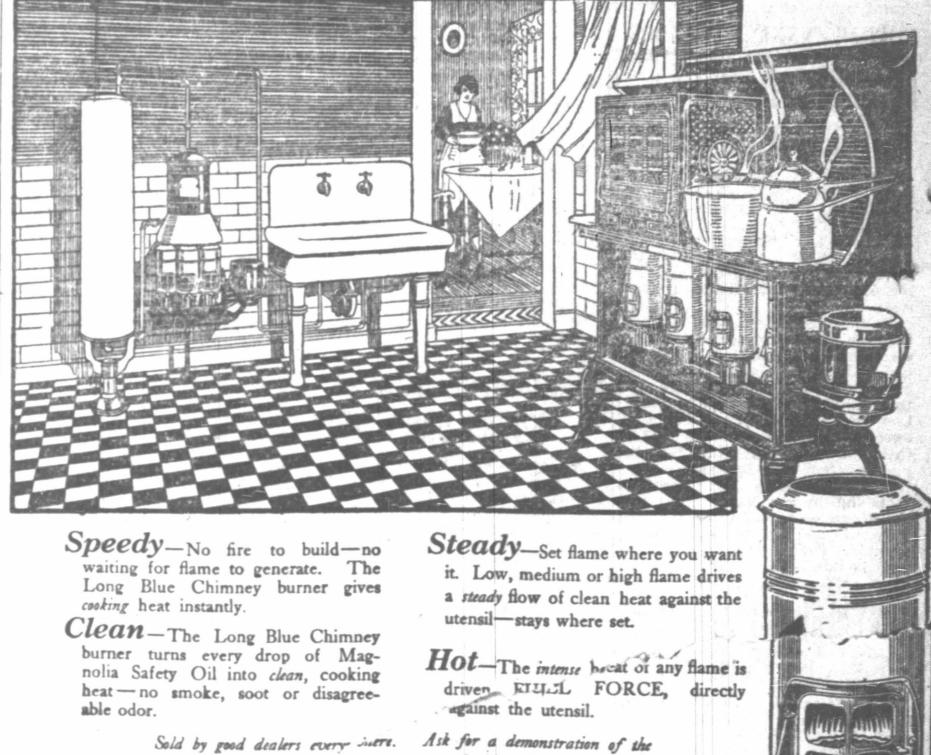
#### CATTLE SHIPMENTS

Joe Hollebeke, livestock inspector for the Pecos district for the Panhandle Southwestern Stock Men's Association, reports cattle shipments for this month up to last Tuesday as and up to 10,000. Write Postoffice Box follows: March 31, Jim Thornton 347, or phone 44, Peces. shipped from Toyah four cars of calves to Daggett Keene Commission Co., Fort Worth; April 3, Cowan & Sons, from Toyah, seven cars of cows and three cars of calves to Cassidy Commission Co., Fort Worth; April 9, Will Collins, two cars of cows from Toyah to Nations' Meat and Supply Co. El Paso, Texas; April 5, J. M. Cooksey shipped 11 head of bulls from Pecos to J. Peco, Riverton, Reeves county; April 9, Jim Thornton, five cars of two-year-old heifers from Toyah to Daggett Keen Commission Co., Fort Worth; April 10, by E. Will Collins two cars of cows and Cowan & Sons two cars of calves all from Toyah, to Peyton Packing Co, El Paso; Aphil 10, Cowan & Sons, one car of calves, one car of bulls and five cars of cows to Nations' Meat & Supply Co., El

TO DRILL NEAR ROSWELL

A Roswell, N. M., report is that the Mescalere Oil Company has enered into a contract for 4,500 acres of land, of the Blackdom Oil company, 12 miles southward from that town. A bonus of a dollar an acre i said to have been paid and the Mes down a well 3,500 feet if necessary and to start actual drilling within 60

# TOYAH-PECOS D. CO. STARTS TWO WELLS The Toyah-Pecos Development Co., known as the A. F. McGehee interests, of New York, is said to have TOYAH-PECOS D. CO. DEW PERFECTION Oil Cook Stoves



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Attorney General-A. Mitchell Palmer, Pennsylvania, Postmaster General-Albert Sidney Burleson, Texas.

Secretary of the Navy-Josephus Daniels, North Carolina. Secretary of the Interior-John Barton Payne, Illinois. Secretary of Agriculture-Edwin

T. Meredith, Iowa. Secretary of Commerce-Joshua W. Alexander, Missouri. Secretary of Labor-William B

#### TOYAH BASIN Q. & G. CO.

The Toyah Basin Oil & Gas Co. is a concern organized in Cleveland. Ohio, with \$200 000 capitalization, to exploit 1,280 acres of oil lands in the Toyah field, in Reeves county, according to prospectus issued. The prospectus states that the company has offices in Cleveland and Toyah C. Scott Ferguson, of Philadelphia, is general manager.

#### TO DRILL NEAR MALAGA

H. E. Cantrell, of Cantrell & Co... of El Paso, is quoted as saying that he had sold 40,000 acres of state leases owned by himself and associates, of which 38,000. are in Lea county and 2,000 in Eddy county, New Mexico, to R. A. Hodges, who will drill a number of wells for oil J. B. Knight and associates, who are of El Paso, who are drilling a well close to Malaga, Eddy county. are said to be installing a larger rig after reaching a depth of about 150 feet. It is said that three other contracts for drilling within five miles of Malaga have been let.

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#### Pecos Cotton District May Grow That Staple With No Unnecessary Quarantine Rules

with their big cotton growing inter- mon caliers, vehicles, etc., as may be est, can go right ahead with no un- necessary to prevent the accidenta. necessary interference with that in | transportation of cotton seed. dustry on account of the proposed quarantine against the pink bol action on the part of Texas as coworm. It had been feared that a re- operated in by the federal departsult of the conference last week be ment of agriculture will make it postween Gov. Hobby and Texas con- sble for the other cotton states of gressmen from this state, with the south which have already issued the federal agricultural board, there quarantines or are contemplating might be regulations put in force issuing such quarantines against which would prevent the growing of Texas on account of the pink boll cotton in this Pecas valley district worm, to accept the federal quaranbecause there was found at one time | t ne as fully meeting the needs, or at

proved by the Secretary of Agricus | quarantines promulgated by Texas. non-cotton area covering the regulated zone now in effect with additions to include new points of infection which have been determined outside of the quarantine line. This zone involves all or portions of the counties of Jefferson, Chambers, Galveston, Brazonia, Harris Liberty Frot Bend, Jasper and Newton."

Other recommendations of the horticultural board that affect Texas, and in which this section of the Pecos valley and the cotton groweres are interested are as follows:

Zone 25 Miles Wide

"In addition to and surrounding this noncotton area, as a further factor of safety, Texas will establish and enforce a regulated zone 2 miles in width. The growth of cotton in such regulated zone will be permitted under restrictions that the crop shall be under the full control of the state authorities in co-operation with the department of agriculture, for the purpose of enforcing any safeguards that shall be determined to be neces-

during tre last three years from parishes in southwestern Louisiana known to be invaded by this pest Such points in Texas include Houston, San Antonia, San Marcos and

'It is agreed that Texas will maintain and continue the non-cotton zone established for the last two years at Hearne, and the non-cotton zone established for 1918, including the counties of Presidio and Brewster, in the great bend of the Rio Grande; and will continue the quarant ne with respect to Valverde Kinney and Maverick counties, on the basis of a non-cotton zone, extending inward five miles from the Mexican border of those counties and the inclusion in a regulated zone of the portions of these counties outside of such border zone in which all cotton produced will be under the control of the state authorities, in cooperation with the department of agriculture, as in the case of other reg-

To Convene Ligislature. "The governor has agreed to promulgate immediately the non-cotto. zones indicated and to take steps for the prompt establishment of the restricted zones referred to. He has stated that he will convene the state legiclature in extraordinary session during may for the purpose of making such amendments as may be necessary to the pink boll worm act of the state to carry out the specific appropriation of state moneys for the they may sustain as a result of the proportion of the growth of cotton and for the reimbursement of such planters for cotton actually prodduced in 1919 and which has already been destroyed in control operations with respect to the pink boll worm.

To Limit Federal Quarantine "Execution of this agreement will make possible, the secretary of agriculture states, to limit the federal quarent ne to the non-cotton and the regulated zones described. his action will be supplemental to the state quarantine and for the purpose of giving federal authority and aid in heir enforcement. It will place no restrictions on the interstate movement of cotton and cotton products but of the sections of Texas not included in the quarantine districts It is believed that it will be possible to discontinue many, if not all, of the r gulated zones about oil mills in Texas which are under suspiciion on account of having received seed from the invaded districts. These restrictions covering movement of products out of the non-cotton and regulated zones of Texas shall apply to all cotton products other than oil, including seed cotton and cotton lint baled or u aled, cotton seed, cotton seed hulls, cotton seed cake and meal, bagging and other containers that have been used with respect to cotton and shall include also provision for

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Reeves, Ward and Pecos counties such inspection and cleaning of com-

"The department believes that this last to limit such quarantine action The horitcultural boards recom- to the areas and products covered by mendations which have been ap- the federal quarantine and by the ture, are that "Texas will enforce a Similar action was taken for Louisi-

# CHECKS WITH BELL

The well o the Citizens O.1 & Gas Co., on Scrap, section 71, Reeves county, made 52 feet and at the dep h of 452 feet shut down to awa.t casing, which is expected in a few days. The elevation above sea revel is 2,700 feet. The log of the well, as given out to the company by Nash & Garvin, the drillers, is as follows: From to Sedimentary formation Character of materials,

0-110 ft as follows: 0-33 ft White gyp. 35- 55 ft Brown shale. 55- 90 ft Yellow Clay. 90-110 ft Brown Shale 110-170 ft Big Blue alluvial.

170-172 ft Sand, shell, 60 gals. water per 24 hours. 172 ft on Big Blue, continues at

"Texas will establish regulated Note by drillers .-- The Bell well zones of a ten mile radius surround | contained about 600 feet of blue ing all oil mills in the state which shale above the oil sand. If this well are known to have received cottom checks up with the Bell well we should strike the oil sand in the next

RESUMED DRILLING

The Big Springs Production Co. resumed drilling on April 8 on its well on the Quinn ranch, 13 miles west of Big Springs, Texas. This well had been drilled 1,900 feet with a rotary rig and a change was made to cable tools and it was with the latter that drilling was resumed, as

MAJ. R. F. BURGES HERE Maj. Richard F. Burges, attorney, of El Paso, stopped in Pecos last Monday as he went east on legal business, he said. He also said he stopped here to attend to legal business, but incidentally he was feeling the political pulse in this national and state campaign year.

REEVES COUNTY ROAD BONDS The uncertainty of the bond market is still hindering Reeves county in building its roads. For several months this county has had issued \$85,000 in public road bonds, but so far bonds of all classes everywhere are not in good demand, so the commissioners are awaiting for a better

TO DRILL NEAR BIG SPRINGS A Big Springs, Texas, report is to he enect that H. H. Enders & Company, of Boston, Mass., are to put down a test well on the W. F. Cushing ranch. 20 miles southeast of that rem ursement of 'planters' in the town. The heads of the concern non-cotton zones for the losses which promise active work to push the drill-

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#### Announcements

	chaouncements in this column this year and the p will be the same whether you announce now or thay before the election:	rice
ä	City and Precinct offices \$ 7.50 County affices 15.00 District offices 20.00	
	This will carry the names in our columns until July primaries, and then the ticket until the generation in November.	the eral

(Advertisement) The following have authorized The Enterprise to announce their candidacy for the offices proceding their names, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July:

FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICE CLERK: S. C. VAUGHAN (Re-election)

FOR TAX ASSESSOR: W. W. CAMP (Re-election) FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:

CLEM CALHOUN FOR SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR E. B. KISER.

Undoubtedly the decision of the federal horticultural board and the Peccs several days on legal business. approval of Secretary of Agriculture Meredith will meet all the requirements in fighting the pink boll weevil in this state. Cotton growers will street and the other opposite the appreciate the plan of adopting the postoffice, were opened this week, thus seriously hampering a great industry. Texas, through Gov. Hobby, houses are going up north of the T. has promised every effort in stamp- & P. tracks. ing out the pest where it has been growing industry is important, can ladies' ready to wear goods. looked out for the interests of this values of his oil lands north of town.

Hoover's saying "no" to the Democratic nomination for presidency and for a few days, Hiram Johnson of California's winning out so big in the Michigan primaries, are the two outstanding facts facing the G. O. P. just now. And they are serious problems, for there is reason to believe that Hoover is of the Wilson autocratic type, and mer. Johnson well, there was "too much Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Warn returned Wed-Joanson" in the White House once needay from a five days business trip to

ting so much law now that a person Ark. has to stop and think how to draw the next breath to be within the legal reipal, and then some, this New York law seems to have some poetic justice in it. The press dispatch re-

ferred to is as follows: New York landlords lost the first round today in the battle being waged between the tenants and the rent gougers when the new anti-rent profiteering laws were given their first court test. More than 3,000 week seeing his old friends and watching the east half of blocks eight, thirteen and cality, \$50.00 to \$200.00 weekly, selling that wondermen and women crowded municipal the oil boom expand. courts in the Bronx and Brooklyn Mrs. P. B. Smith of Elgin is paying her to appeal in 600 eviction notice and respects to her many Pecos friends this rent increase cases. In every in- week. stance tenants were granted from Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Leroy of El Paso one to three months stay-overs when are here visiting Mrs. Leroy's mother, Mrs they proved their inability to find J. F. Christ an who is ill at the home new houses. In Brooklyn, Municipal of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Smith. Judge Ferguson collected more than Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Smith. \$1,000 in rentals from tenants after Mrs. A. M. Walthall of El Paso is the landlords had refused to accept guest of Mrs. T. J. Hefner. amaunts thought fair by the court."

This month will show the Pecos valley in Reeves county a real oil field. Just watch the section around the Bell discovery well, where six other wells are going down. Barring unexpected bad luck the Citizens' Oil and Gas Company and very probably some of the others should reach the Bell well sand during April. Then dianola, Miss. Judge D. F. Voorhees of Inthe Bell is showing up splendidly dianola and associated with Mr. Leonard in under the pump and will be proved the oil business, is in Pecos. out thoroughly before May 1.

Strikes and more stfikes for more pay and less work, if the general rule is observed.

The county commissioners are anxious to he'p in every way possible the Dear Friend Hibdon: lack of funds, however, as it is run- year. I will mail other subschiptions City Council as hereinabove provided. ning on last year's levies of taxes and as I can get them merely because I the oil boom has come unexpectedly- want people to have your paper. ly. The only way the county has increased revenue thus far from the ble judgment, you are making The oil boom and the rapidly increasing Enterprise and Times the best county population is from the recording paper in Texas. fees in the county clerk's office. But it can be said truthfully the oil industry will be fostered in every way possible and practicable by the county commissioners.

#### TWO RIGS FOR 2 WELLS

It is announced that the Pecos-Toyah Oil and Development Co. has an Armstrong rig en route for the drilling of the R. C. Warn No. 1 ship & Reeves county.

rie has been shipped from Ranger, range or possible irrigation land. Texas, for the deep test to be known as the J. F. Leonard No. 1 section 32, block 55, township 4. Reeves county.

Floyd Goodrich, of Porterville. Lowing county, was in Pecos last Monday, in attendance on the county commissioners' court.

M. M. Griffith, of Sioux City, Iowa, was a guest of his brother, R. B. Griffiths and wife, for a few days up to Monday last, when he went to El Paso, where he will be connected with the Mississippi Syndicate, which is an oil operating concern of the Pecos valley, in Reeves county.

Hy J. Bales, of Riverside, Cal., and and visiting at Eby Bales' ranch. Judge Adrian Poole, of El Paso,

was an arrival in Pecos Tuesday. J. F. Primm, of El Paso, returned be expected. to Pecos Tuesday. E. P. Howard is expected back

from New Orleans Saturday. J. F. Leonard, of the Citizens' Oil and Gas Co., returned Wednesday

from Indianola, Miss. C. P. Brown, of Kansas City, and an oil operator in the northern fields, is now with the Pecos-Toyah

Brokerage Co. R. C. Lomax, late of the state land office at Austin, is now located in

Pecos. R. D. Mahoney, W. H. Vining, John El Paso, were registered at the

Orient hotel Tuesday Judge Frank E. Everett, of Indianola, Miss., attorney for the Citizen's Oil and Gas Co., has been in The new city jail made of rein-

forced concrete is going up rapidly. Two new restaurants, one on Oak zone quarantine plan instead or and the building to house a third quarantiming the whole state and was started on Oak street last week. A number of small new frame

Madame Grandpierre, from El found. The counties of Reeves, Paso, has opened up over the Ameri-

the federal horticultural board with now visiting his son-in-law, L. G. Farnum Tuesday, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Dean, and her friend Miss Evelyn Scott.

who were the guests of Mrs. T. J. Hefner J. A. Buck, formerly prominent Pecos attorney, but now practicing in Crosbyton and farming as a side line, is looking after business matters in the city this week.

I. H. Bullard of Waxahachie is visiting with his daughter, Mrs. W. A. Hudson, and will probably remain through the sum-

V. E. Pruett, manager of the Pruett lumber yard at Balmorhea, was a business 1920. A New York Associated Press dis- visitor in Pecos for a day or two this week. patch tells of the way rent profiteers Mrs. A. M. Randolph and daughter are handled under the law there. Mrs. Mary Boatright and little son are While it is evident that we are get-spending the summer at Eureka Springs

at Pecos, but now of Fort Worth, is the quirements, federal, state and munic- guest this week of the editor and family. J. B. Dandridge, an attorney of Chicago and erstwhile citizen of Pecos, is in Be It Ordained by the City Council of the town this week looking after his in-

> Will Foster of Lake Arthur, N. M., has development and looking after his own

J. B. Davis, an old time Pecos citizen

Mrs. R. D. Gage of Port Gibson, Miss. is in Reeves county this week, the guest of her brother, B. P. Van Horn of Toyah. and Mrs. T. J. Hefner of Pecos. At the latter's home Mrs. Gage is receiving many

of her old time Pecos friends, Ed Bell, banker, and Clyde Bell, stockman, both of Mt. Hamill, Iowa, arrived in Pecos Thursday on a visit to their cousin,

J. F. Leonard of the Citizens Oil and Gas Company, returned Thursday from In-

#### SAYS ENTERPRISE IS BEST COUNTRY PAPER

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allow plenty of time for investigation don't of Tucumcari N Mex. bother me at all. It will save much time to write a full

description of your property and mark the W. Q. McKinney and Will Burge, of location on a map before presenting. Make south of fountain. LEWIS W. THOMAS, Pecos, Maricopa, Ariz., have been here sev- your best price first. I will not argue Texas. eral days looking over the oil fields with you on price. If not in line and FULL BLOOD Duroe pigs for sale; delivery April satisfactory I will not consider at all. Anything I handle must present a fair FOR SALE-33 Star gasoline drilling machine, locachance for results and development may ted in Pecos County. Inquire at this office.

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#### AN ORDINANCE

ing the Rates to be Charged by the Violations of said Ordinance.

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Art. 1. That hereafter each and every FOR SALE-Some choice residence lots. Inquire of ice automobile, which is run or operated FOR SALE-In Pecos, Texas, corner lot and buildowner or operator of a service car, or servwithin the incorporate limits of the town | | L. BARLOW, owner, Balmorhea, Texas. 31-tf of Pecos City, Texas, for hire and carrying FOR SALE-Forty new cots with springs and matpassengers, shall apply to the City Secre- tresses, \$7.50 each, complete. Phone CHILTON, tary for a license for each car run or operated by him, and shall pay a license tax of twenty-five dollars per annum, payable CRAWFORD, 508 Mills Bldg., El Paso, Texas, 31-4 run or operate any service car or automo- OR SALE- Certified abstract of all permits is bile within the incorporate limits of said sued in Reeves County by General Land Office of city without first procuring said license Texas, to whom issued, P. O. and date issued. For and paying said license tax.

Peces and Ward, where the cotton can Express office, a stock of finest such license shall be permitted to charge gasoline engine, good tools, 800-foot cable, buckets passengers a greater rate of fare than fifty 82.000. Can deliver at once. SAM WOOLEY, María, be grateful to Congressman Huds- J. L. Miles of Dilley, Texas, and a read-cents per passenger from any point in the Texas. peth who attended the meetings with er and firm believer in the Enterprise, is city to any other point in the city, and od SALE-Cottage in most desirable part of town. Gov. Hobby in Washington and of Barstow and watching the increasing the city a fare of not to exceed fifty cents per mile per passenger may be charged FOR SALE—That higher class of job printing. It Charles Hefner returned to El Paso and collected from such passengers. These and collected from such passengers. These rates are maximum rates, and it shall be The ENTERFRISE has two perfectly good scholar and it shall be at a scholar former and it shall be two perfectly good scholar former and it shall be two perfectly good scholar former and it shall be two perfectly good scholar former and it shall be two perfectly good scholar former and it shall be two perfectly good scholar former and it shall be two perfectly good scholar former and it shall be two perfectly good scholar former and it shall be two perfectly good scholar former and it shall be two perfectly good scholar former and it shall be two perfectly good scholar former and it shall be two perfectly good scholar former and it shall be two perfectly good scholar former and it shall be two perfectly good scholar former and it shall be two perfectly good scholar former and it shall be two perfectly good scholar former and it shall be two perfectly good scholar former former and the shall be two perfectly good scholar former former former and the shall be two perfectly good scholar former lawful to charge a less rate than these, but saving. it shall be unlawful to charge a greater NOR SALE—Registered prize-winning Duroc-Jersey rate than these prescribed in this article. Art. 3. Any person who shall violate

any of the provisions of this ordinance L. Burlow, Owner. shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction therefor shall be fined in any sum not less than twelve dollars and fifty cents nor more than fifty dollars. Art. 4. This ordinance applies only to service cars, or service automobiles, carry- Company, Pocos, Texas.

Passed by the City Council on April 13. Approved this the 14th day of April

BEN PALMER, Mayor. Attest: E. EASTERBROOK,

City Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE Mrs. R. E. Gentry, formerly postmaster Establishing, Prescribing and Defining the Violation of said Ordinance.

Town of Pecos City, Texas. Art. 1. That hereafter the fire limits of the Town of Pecos City, Texas, shall embeen in town this week watching the oil brace and consist of the following portion

All of blocks six, seven, fourteen, fifteen, thirty-one, and thirty-two, and the west Pecos. but now of San Angelo, is in town this half of blocks five, sixteen and thirty, and REAL SALESMEN, with ear proferred, in your lonorth of said blocks six and seven and with a \$6.00 Order.) "CORAJA" RUBBER MFG. north of the east half of said block eight CO., Dallas, Texas. P. S.: Have several openings for and north of the west half of said block State Managers with \$500.00 to \$1000.00 capital. Should easily make \$500.00 to \$2000.00 per month. five and extending from the north, boun- Be quick, or the other fellow will get it. 33\*4 dary lines of said last named blocks and WANTED-Position by middle aged man who knows parts of blocks to the center of the main every inch of bookkeeping; capable of monaging

said Town of Pecos City. Art. 2. From and after the passage of this ordinance, the erection, building, placing, moving or repairing (where the said HAULING-We have two big trucks and four repairing is to be made on a wooden or teams and will haul any kind of stuff anywhere ironclad building damaged to the extent BROUGH & WILLIAMS, Toyah, Texas. 24°3t of fifty per cent of the value thereof) of wooden or ironclad buildings within such limits above defined is prehibited. The removal of any such wooden or ironclad HAVE \$200,000.00 or more to place on good ranch building from one place to another within said limits is also prohibited.

Art. 3. All buildings hereafter erected or constructed within said fire limits of said city as above defined, shall be made or constructed of fireproof material to be FIRST CLASS DRESSMAKING DONE at J. N.

approved by the City Council. Art. 4. Any person hereafter desiring to erect or construct any building whatever within the above defined fire limits of said city shall first present to the City Council 16x16 tents, 3 ft. wall, khaki color an application in writing, giving the loca- 14x14 army tests, 4 ft. wall ...... tion and character and description of such | 17x20 army tents, 5 ft. wall proposed building, and material to be used, 9x9 officer's tents, 4 ft. wall ... 9x9 naval tents, 4 ft. wall (new) and if the City Council approve the appli- 12x12 naval tents, 4 ft. wall (new) cation, he shall obtain from the City Coun- All of the above tents are made of 12-4 oz. double Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court. oil development of Reeves, and the

Enclosed find two dollars, for cil a permit for the erection of such building the country of Lov
attached unorganized county of Lov
which you will send The Enterprise ing. But in no case shall any person be Grey wool 4½-16. Government Inspected blankets

at office in Pecos, Texas, this the 23rd day of Guaranteed to be free from rips, holes and tears.

March, A. D. 1920.

S. C. VAUGHAN, ing. All of the commissioners and to The Guaranty & Oil Lease Associ- permitted to erect or construct any build-County Judge Ross so express them- ation. National Bank of Commerce ing whatever within said fire limits withsolves. The county is hampered for Building, Amarillo, Texas, for one out first securing such permit from the Army comforts, 4-lb. cotton, used

Art. 5. Any person violating any of the Mattresses, cotton, slightly used, fit either cot. \$5.00 are hereby commanded to summon Chas. M. Watson, provisions of this ordinance shall be deem. provisions of this ordinance shall be deem- Army overcoats, olive drab, slightly used....\$10.50 ed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum Ganvas leggings, side or front lace ........\$1.25 turn day hereof, in some newspaper published in not exceeding one hundred dollars, and Wrap leggings ...... each ten days that he allows any building to stand which he has erected, repaired or removed in violation of any of the proremoved in violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance shall constitute a blankets, which are sent prepaid insured parcel post. separate offense. And in addition to such penalties, the City Council may condemn any such building, house or structure, and tear down and remove the same out of the fire limits of the city and this last remedy by condemnation is cumulative and addi-

Art. 6. All ordinances and resolutions heretofore passed by the City Council in conflict with the provisions of this ordi-Presented and passed by the City Coun-

Approved this the 22nd day of March. A. D. 1920. BEN PALMER, Mayor. Attest: E. EASTERBROOK. City Secretary.

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OWN 12 sections State Permits on university lands n Ward county and 4 sections in Loving county; cheaper than any acreage offered in this country, if adcbe b i ding on the east of that money for your holdings and the other can sell at once. F. K. CAMPBELL, Pecos Hotel for FOR SALE-One office desk and four chairs, solid oak, new. Phone 291. Ask for Mr. Dodge. ONE HUNDRED cots, mattresses, comforts and building their office to fit it, running If you are in too much of a hurry to feather pillows; a bargain. Write A. G. Diefend.

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C. S. Shorey, phone 981.

semi-annually, for each car, and procure HAVE 80-acre State Permit in Section 22. Block 55, from the City Secretary, a license therefor, townsh'p 5, T. & P. Ry. Co., Reeves County. Make And it shall be unlawful for any person to the an offer. Address Box 43, Capital Station, Austin, Texas. particulars, write O. H. Ridgeway, Austin, Texas,

care Fire Ins. Comm. Art. 2. No person who runs or operates a service car or service automobile under a service car or service automobile under order, with J. I. Case steam tractor and 10 h. p.

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tracts, giving with each tract 100 shares of capital WILL IAADA Wacre oil lease in Hudspein Lounty for diamond. Send diamond in first letter by regis-day in April, A. D. 1920, tered mail. PAUL GUERRE, Box 707, Shreveport,

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NOTICE TO HOLD REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION

tack for 50 feet.

By aut ority vested in me as Chairman of the Republican Executive Committee of Pecas County, Texas, and pursuant to the call issued by the Hon. Phil E. Baer, Chairman of the Republican State Executive Committee, I hereby call g e County Convention, to be

he'd at the Court House, county seat o' Reeves C u ty, on Tuesday, May 4, 1920, at 11 o'clock a. m., to elect such d legates as said County may be entitled to attend the Republican S ate Convention, to be held at San Antonio, Texas, on Tuesday May 25, 1920, for the purpose of electing delegates-at-large and alternate elegites-at-large to the Republican National Convention, and also to nominate presidential electors at

Said County Convention will also elect delegates to the Congressional D strict Convention, called by the Chairman of the 16th Congressional di trict, to be held at ...

Texas, on May ......, 1920, which C ng essional District Convention wil liect delegates and allernate d legates to the National Convention, and nominate a presidential elector for such district.

Said County Convention will also make recommendations to the regular July and August nominating conventions of its pre-convention choice for nominees for county offees, as directed by the State call, so that recommended nominees may

This County is entitled to one vote in the State Convention, and one vote in the Congressional District Convention and under the call of ad one-half the State Chairman, may elect not exceeding two delegates and two alternate delegates for each vote the county is entitled to cast.

> R. S. JOHNSON. Republican Executive Committee of Reeves County, Tex. H. C. ZIMMER

#### (Adv.)

CITATIONS

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County-Cilliland by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks pre-THE BLACK RIVER PETROLEUM COMPANY are published therein, but if not, then in sny newsoffering leases on 18 sections, blocked in 5-acre paper published in the 70th Judicial District; but there be no newspaper published in said Judicial stock, for \$100.00, agreeing to drill 19 wells. This stock participating in all the wells. For further information, write or wire Peces Oil and Real Estate Co., appear at the next regular term of the Bistrict House thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the third Monday in April, A. D. 1920, the same being the 19th day of April. A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 20th day of March, A. D. 1920 is a suit, combered on the Fire Limits of the Town of Pecos City, LEASES in Toyah and Pecos district wanted for eash docket of said Court No. 1919, wherein S. D. Texas, and Fixing Penalties for the or on drilling contract. FRANK P. MONTAGUE, Stennis, Jr., is plaintill, and J. N. Gilliland is 34\*4 defendant, and said petition affeging: Plaintiff vember, A. D. 1912, he was lawfully seized and HUDSON & STARLEY FOR LEASE-300 acres in Section 13, Block C-16, represents that on or about the 14th day of No-31tf possessed of the following land and premises sitnated in Reeves County, Texas, S 1/2 of 1/4 of the S E 1/4 of section No. 19, block S8, P. . Reeves County Texas, containing 120 acres of land out of the survey. That on or about the 25th day of November, A. D. 1912, the defendant J. N. Gilliland, unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, to his damage D V. KEATING & CO. in the sum of \$2500.00. Defendant asserts some title by deed recorded in Book 33, Page 431, Deed Records Reeves County, Texas. Plaintiff prays for said deed to be esneelled and cloud on said title to Be removed.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court. at office in Preces, Texas, this the 23rd day of

S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk, District Court, Reeves County THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County-Greeting: Dandridge and Spencer B. Pugh by making publimosessive weeks previous to the return day hereof, some newspaper published in your County, there be a newspaper published therein, but not, then in any newspaper published in the 70th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial Districk, then in a newspaper published in the mearest District to said 70th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term TOHN B. HOWARD of the District Court of Reeves County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Pecos, Texas, oh the third Monday in April, A. D 1920, the same being the 19th day of April, A. D. 1920, Dings on the 20th day of March, A. D. 1920, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1918, wherein R. S. Johnson is plaintiff, and John B. Dandridge and Spencer B. Pugh are defendants, and said petition alloging: Plaintiff alloging that FIRST CLASS DRESSMAKING DONE at J. N. he was the owner of sections 4 and 6, block 3, Green's place by Mrs. Franklin. All work guaran-H. and G. N. Ry. Co. Survey in Reeves County, teed. In northwest part of town. Phone 87. 24\*2 Thuss, and on or about April 17th, 1913, George A. Franklin and his wife, Almira S. Franklin deeded by Quit Claim deed the above described land to John B. Dandridge and Spencer B. Pugh. .\$35.00 plaintiff, prays to have said Ouit Claim deed .\$42.50 set aside, and cloud removed from the said de-

\$65.00 scribed land. \$85.00 Herein full not, but have before said Court, at .\$30.00 its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your re-.\$35.00 turn thereon, showing how you have executed the

> Clerk, District Court, Reeves County THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County-

Greeting:

Oath having been made, as required by law, you . \$3.50 making publication of this Citation once in each . \$1.65 week for four successive weeks previous to the re-in, but if not, then in any newspaper published in newspaper published in the nearest district to said 70th judicial district, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, to be holden at Pecos, Texas, in said Reeves County, on the 19th day of April. A. D. 1920, then and there ARMY EQUIPMENT COMPANY,
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FUNERAL and said petition alleging that defendants failed to begin the drilling of a well for oil and gas upon said lands within twelve months from the date of said lease, to-wit: on the 17th day of February, 1919. and failed to pay or tender to plaintiff the rental due thereon on the date when due or at any time since said date. Prays for cancellation of lease and removal of cloud from title, for costs and general

Herein fail not, but have you before said court. at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed Witness S. C. Vaughan, District Clerk, Reeve County, Texas. Given under my official agnature at office in Pe-We want your business and offer the inducement of "more goods for less money."

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Mrs. A. Johnson vs. E. O. Olds. foreclosure of mortgage. Clay Cooke vs. W. C. Welborn,

suit for debt. Geo. W. Teague vs. Sunshine Oil Corporation, for damages.

W. S. Castle vs. T S. Hart. This is a claim brought as will to try title and for damages.

B. H. Palmer et al. vs. J. B Roy-B. H. Palmer et al. ve. N. C. Hall

O. W. Erdnow vs. Thos. G. Ashe. W. D. Casey vs. Jose H. Salcido et

P. B. Neal vs. S. B. Pugh et al:

suit to clear title. R. C. Warn vs. Citizens' State Bank and Trust Co. et al; suit for specific performance of contract. Mrs. Mary E. Ward vs. A. J. Car-penter et al.; suit fo rforeclosure of

Mrs. Mary E. Ward vs. A. J. Carpenter; suit for foreclosure of notes. Chas. Fitzgerald vs. E. J. Moyer, specific performance of contract. W. T. Maron & Son vs. Pecos Val-

ley State Bank; garnishment. Eliza T. Mitchell vs. Sunshine Oil Corporation; breach of contract. W. O. Green vs. T. D. Rife; performance of contract.

R. F. Kelton et al. vs. C. M. Watosn et al.; cancellation of contract

J. W. Alley vs. Sunshine Oil Corpotation; suit to cancel lease and for damages. T. S. Ingle vs. Chas. M. Watson:

cancellation of oil and gas lease T. P. Shelton vs. Sunshine Oil Corporation; cancellation of lease and for damages. C. J. Johnson vs. Sunshine Oil Cor poration; cancellation of lease and

Roy Fujiware vs. Jessita Fujiware; divorce. W. T. Essex vs. W. S. Isam; suit to cancel deed.

Geo.O'Connor vs. A. D. Tucker et Citizens' State Bank of Toyah vs. R. H. Wolf, as administrator of estate of Frank Tillar, deceased.

O. J. Green vs. Chas. M. Watson et R. S., Johnson vs. Spencer B. Pugh S. D. Stennis, Jr., vs. J. N. Gilliland, for damages to try title.

R T. Stagner vs. C. L. Burns, et W. J. Middleton et al., vs. Sunsh'ne Corporation et al. Ex parts Roswell Odell.

Sid Kyle vs. E. P. Turner et al. Francis B. Ball vs. J. D. Ball. J. M. Grider vs. C. W. Waddington of al.; to try title and for damages.

J. M. Grider vs. Mrs. Pearl Timmins, et vir; to try title and for dam-J. M. Snider vs. C. S. Fowler; to try title and for damages.

Pecos Mercantile Co. vs. Lon D. Boxley et al.; foreclosure of ven-T. D. Rife et al. vs. W. O. Green et al.; damages.

Mamie A. Autrey vs. Wm. H. Oliver et al. : damages. Mary F. Hartzog et al. vs. S. E. Weldon.

E. S. Stephens vs. Van Eisn Bockin: specific performance of contract and damages. Kragauer, Zork & Moye, Inc., vs.

G. W. Stancliff. Francisca Franco vs. Jose Franco. Martha E. Davis.

D S. Brooks vs W. Earl Bell et al. W. S. Marshall vs. Sunshine Oil

Corp.; to cancel lease. Herman Becker vs. Sunshine Oil Corp.; to cancel lease. Murdock et al. vs. J. F. Calloway et al.; partition and injunction.

Murdock et al. vs. Kniffen et al. partition and injunction. McCombs vs. J. S. Fitzsimmons; partition and injunction.

McCombs vs E. J. Miller: partition and injunction. Murdock et al. vs. J. L. Eneboe et al.; partition and injunction.

McCombs vs E. C. Kniffin; partition and injunction. Pruett Lumber Co. vs. Sunshine Oil Corp.: cancellation of lease.

Lizzie Hoefs vs. A. H. Hoefs. . E. L. Callings vs. W. R. Beasley et al; damages

I E Smith vs W R Wylie. Ima Wilson vs. Earl D. Wilson. Corp.; to cancel lease.

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to cancel lease. M. A. Durdin vs. Sunshine Oil Corporation: to cancel lease. Duy Colson vs. J. M. Davies; dam-

C. N Bell vs C R Rotke end M R Yard; to cancel lease. R. G. Johnson et al. vs. C J. Clarke

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#### OIL OPERATORS AND CONSERVATION LAY

leases of oil and mineral rights, or erties never fail to drive out impurities in C. F. Morris and J. B. Lisk vs. the transportation of oil or gas by the blood. pipe line, are required under Senate Substitute Bill No. 36, of the second TASTELESS Chill TONIC has made it David S, Brooks vs. Ira J. Bell et called section of the 36th Texas Leg- the favorite tonic in thousands of homes. amount of stock sold and unsold, would ride a long distance to get GROVE'S promotion money paid, oil and gas TASTELESS Chill TONIC when of disbursements made in connection store, 60c per bottle. with or for the benefit of such business, and to report such information when required to the State Railroad

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Our derrick on Section 25, Block B-19, Ward County, 6 miles southwest of Monahans, is a standard Ranger derrick; machinery of the heaviest and latest design, entirely new and fresh from the makers, is all on the ground and the drillers tell us that the biggest and best drilling outfit ever put to work in the west half of Texas will within ten days be going down after the deepest oil sand ever discovered in America at a depth of less than 1000 feet, capable of being developed into the greatest oil field in the world, according to the reports of two geologists in whom we have the utmost confidence.

stream estimated by experienced oil men at better than 500 barrels, with the probability

that the flow would increase to 2000 barrels when the drill went a few feet deeper.

Lands about the Bell well sold BEFORE PRODUCTION for \$50 for one-tenth of an acre. Today lands against the derrick are held at \$5,000 per acre and the prices are going higher every day. This month only we will sell ten acres of land on the structure, in sections one mile from the derrick section, for \$500, not \$500 per acre, but \$500 for the ten acres. Cash or three payments as desired. April 5th these lands will be doubled in price and probably doubled again each thirty days thereafter for this will probably be the well that will be driven to production in less time than any other ever attempted. THESE ARE THE RAREST BARGAINS EVER OFFERED IN OIL INVESTMENTS. 88 Form Leases, 5 years, rental 25 cents, abstracted and titles approved by our attorney. Better wire as the first orders received will be given the lands closest to the derrick.

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islature, to keep books showing More than thirty-five years ago, folks produced and disposed of, the price member of their family had Malaria or needed a body-building, strength-giving gether with receipts from the sale or tonic. The formula is just the same totransfer of leases or other property, day, and you can get it from any drug

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American Legion Condemns the

Pecos, Barstow and other towns in to stimulate immigration and new in West Texas have units in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and a press dispatch from Stamford, Texas, the headquarters of that greatest, of Texas commercial bodies, tells what it is planning in regard ti advertising the resources of and advantages of the territory which it covers. The dispatch is as follows:

Advertising West Texas by air-plane and truck through the Middle West, East and South, and showing products from this section, is the purpose of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, beginning June 1 and ending late in the fall. The expenses of such a trip have been placed at \$45,000. It will be the most imposing and novel undertaking ever devised and executed by any section of the country to exploit its riches,

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blood. Without good red blood a

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take stock of one's condition. If

the blood is thin and watery, face

pale or pimply, if one is tired and

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tcreage if good. Write, giving location and particulars, and we

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PECOS, TEXAS

The organization has just entered into an agreement with W. K. Whipple, manager of the Panhandle Aerial Transportation company, of Amarillo, for two modern planes, built and equipped for this work. The airplanes will have their regular complement of force, as well as a publicity man. Thousands of pounds of literature on West Texas and its towrs will be poured into the ether to find lodgment in the larger cities and hamlets through which the planes will fly. The planes will stop at considerable sized towns and give moving picture shows of West Texas. Thirteen reels of pictures will shortly be prepared, comprehensively depicting everything of magic and im-

A three-ton truck has been arranged for. It will go throughout the East and South. It will be fitted with display sides so that products, minerals and other attractions may be shown. An advance man will precede the arrival of truck a week, "preparing the way." It will also carry movie films and secure as much

portance in the West.

advertising for the West as possible More than 250 towns will be visited for the showing of the thirteen Chamber of Commerce, with headreels of West Texas movies, as well quariers at Stamford, Texas, and it in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle. as the exhibits to be carried. Towns is the largest commercial body in of the West which will arrange dis- Texas and the second largest in point plays and aid in the financing of the of membersh p in the United States. airplane voyages will be permitted to The way for commercial organizaissue for distributed any form of lit- tions, individual members and affilierature they desire, which will be dis- ated units to use the W. T. C. of C. tributed free in all towns. A man as follows: well acquainted with West Texas will Traffic matters, affecting service accompany the exhibit truck to claims, car shortage, new trains. furnish any information which may schedules, etc.: take up directly be desired by visitors.

TO DRILL NEAR ROSWELL northwest of Roswell. This well is ager, Munsey building. to be put down on what is known as driling is expected to commence May your city for general publication; if necessary to find oil in paying you; passing on or suggesting

REVENUE TAX ON STOCKS The internal revenue department ford. has made a ruling that the tax upon the original issue of stock applies when the stock is subscribed for and the subscription is accepted regard-less of the time of delivery of the certificate. The direction by the subscriber to deliver the transfer of the right to receive stock and is subject will be worked out and submitted to to state tax, the ruling says.

NOTICE John Cohn will not be responsible for debts made by Carie Fisher. JOHN COHN

in condemning the unlawful acts of Sheppard and Culbertson and to each officers sworn to uphold the laws. of the members from Texas in the This action had reference to the kill- house of representatives in congress: ing of Harold G. Halstead, a world "Whereas, the American Legion carrying contraband liquor. Hal- and order, and stead and his companion, C. P. Craw- "Whereas, officers of the law ford, were returning from El Paso to should be the first to uphold our their oil operations in the Toyah statutes and our laws, now, therefield, in Reeves county, when the fore, be it

last Monday. the sixteenth congressional district in officers sworn to uphold the laws, the Fort Worth conference, had ex- and be it further plained that it is a common practice citizens to indignity. The Legion gress."

tragedy occurred two weeks ago

The American Legion at the ses-, executive council, which conssts of sion of its state executive council in representatives from each of the con-Fort Worth last week adopted strong the following resolutions, which recoutions endorsing the action of were ordered transmitted to the govthe c tizens of Toyah, this county, ernor of the state, U. S. Senators

Killing of Halstead of Toyah

war weteran, by U. S. customs guards in the preamble of its constitution because his auto was suspected of declares that it stands first for law

Resolved, by th executive committee of the American Legion of The executive council of the Leg- Texas that it heartily endorses the ion took this action after Capt. Frank stand taken by the citizens of Toyah Loftue, who represented El Paso and in condemning the unlowful acts of

"Resolved, That a copy of these along the border for officers of the resolutions be sent to the governor law to exceed their authority and to of our state, to the citizens of Toyah subject law-ab'ding and respectable and to our representatives in con-

# FOR PECOS TO

with the Traffic Bureau, Chamber of Commerce building, Fort Worth, Ed Byars, Panager.

A Roswell, N. M., report is that | Postal service, irrigation matters ne Burton-Spencer Oil Co. was un- government, literature, or any naloading machinery and equipment tional matter: take up with Washat Elkins for a deep test 30 miles ington office, Henery M. Eaton, man-

Publicity, any matter connected the White Lake pasture and actual with publicity, such as writing up The contract calls for 4,000 feet planning a publicity campaign for changes in your literature: take up with Publicity Bureau, Hamilton Wright, Publicity Manager, Stam-

Organizations and plans for fairs, road campaigns, industrial plans. etc. Take up with Porter A. Whaley, manager, Stambord.

Any matter yau desire to take up, regardless of what it is refer it to the General Offices, Stamfgord. A plan

Any exhibit matter, connected with county exhibit of the national fair exhibit movement, take up with J. C. Wells, manager, Stam-

SERVICE DRILLS AT TOYAH
The Service Oil Corporation, of El Paso, Texas, is reported as erecting its drilling rig on its holdings in the Tovah field. The company is also said to have a deal on for acreage in the neighborhood of the Bell discovery well, 22 miles northwest of Pecos, in Reeves county.

DEEP AND SHALLOW WELLS A. T. Freet, of Fort Stockton, Texas, who was in Pecos Tuesday, said that a California company had a standard rig at Girvin. Pecos, county, for a location 25 miles south of that place on the White-Baker ranch. Mr. Freet did not know the name of the persons or company back

Mr. Freet also said that C. E. Menzie had a star rig en route to drill the Menzie No. 2 well, a shallow, on the line of sections 32 and 35, block C-4, on the Sherbino ranch, in Pecos

The Menzie No. 1 well, on the same ranch was still awaiting casing at 3,735 feet, Mr. Freet said.

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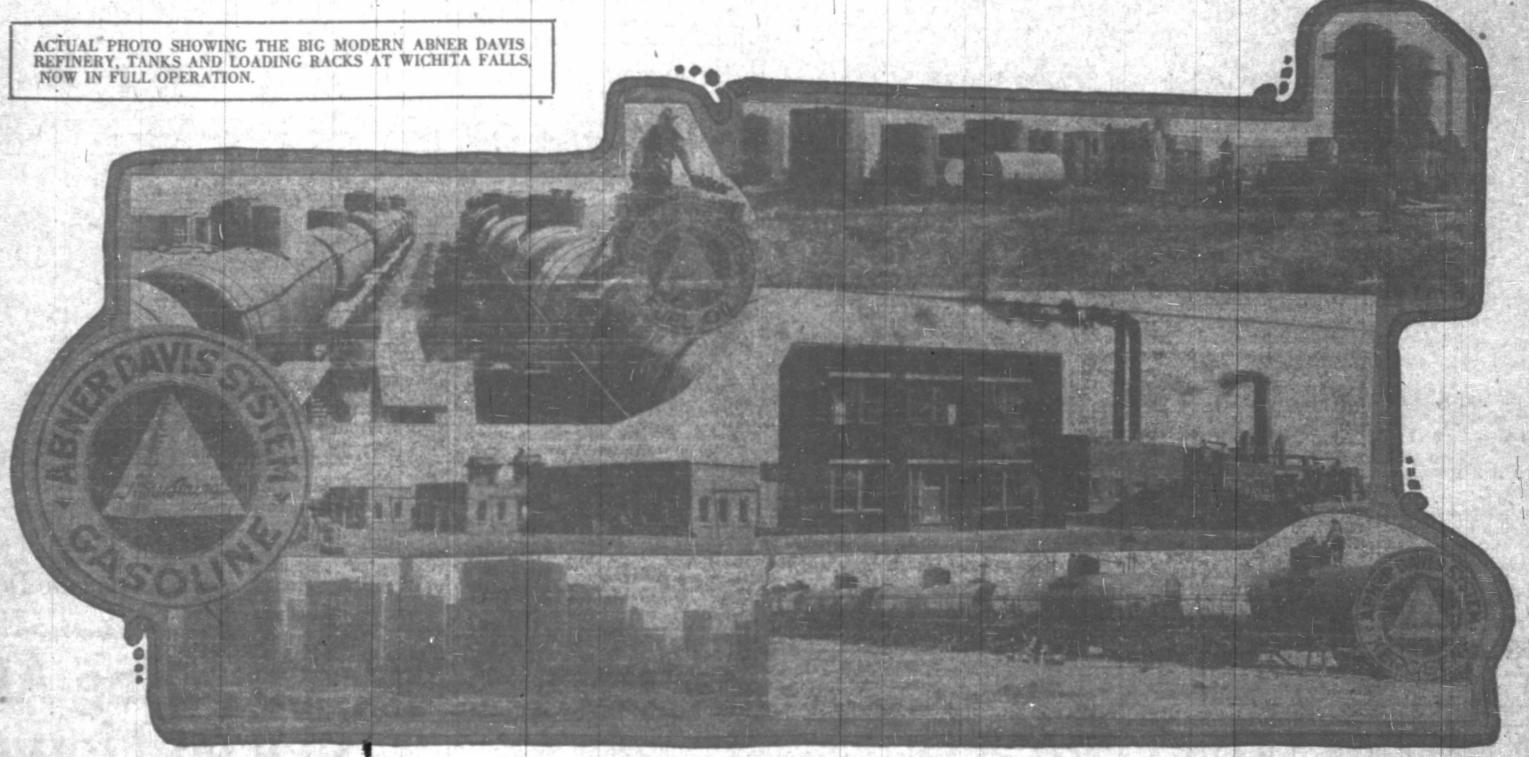
Buildings WELL and ATTRACTIVELY painted add to the life of the structure, the looks of the town and the VALUE OF THE PROPERTY.

Unpainted buildings offer no inducement to the intending citizen; while attractive colors with their attendant air of neatness, cleanliness and prosperity, smile a welcome.

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# THE BIGGER THEY ARE THE HARDER THEY FALL



I have told you from time to time for a year that the oil business takes work and constructive management to win, and then the BIG THING that will be necessary is common honesty in the handling of funds and putting the money into actual operations. Any time you see the big promotion with a long list of names boosting a stock on the curb or other stock exchanges you may know for sure the public will be taken to a cleaning.

When Home Oil Refining Company went into the hands of receivers there crashed upon the rocks one of the greatest of Fort Worth's magnificent enterprises. A long string of names of prominent men and financiers with at least one of the big bankers of the city stood sponsor for this great institution, whose stock soared upon the mighty New York curb at 4 to 1.

But when the water and graft to prominent men was squeezed out there was scarcely an affer for this 4 to 1 stock at 10c on the dollar. Then Little Motor Kar Company jumped into the limelight and flash went prospects from Grand Prairie, Texas, to Havre de Grace, Md. Shattered into the hands of receivers. It's a thousand to one bet that Home Oil Refining will never get out of the receivers' grasp and it's ten thousand to one that Little Motor Kars will never

The automobile concern has no excuse for existence and can't come back. While the very fact that a thousand worthless acres of oil leases today may be worth a thousand fortunes tomorrow does give the play in favor of the Home Oil Refining Company. Whenever a company selling stack tries to get more than par for their offerings it is prima facie evidence that they are getting something for nothing for the plain and simple reason that it takes a mighty good company with awful good assets and with a lot of horseshoes hanging around their necks to make the original stock worth par, much less a premium.

When you place your small investment through Abner Davis as trustee in the Consolidated Syndicate your money secures the largest possible representation. It goes in on the early ground-floor basis when hig holdings were acquired with little money and you share procate accordingly in cheap leases, in higher priced acreage and deeded land and your money also begins active work in a constructive and productive way because you share in the refinery already under construction. You share in the drilling campaign already under way and in the enhanced values of all Consolidated Syndicate holdings.

Then in addition to all of these benefits you receive outright a lease on 5 acres with each \$100 you subscribe to the Consolidated Syndicate, this lease is in promising territory but of course away from present development. But the lease is all yours to do with as you please and it is the plan of the Syndicate to help in the development of its holdings, which will enhance the value of your lease and perhaps prove its value or make you many thousands of dollars.

The Consolidated Syndicate is separate and distinct from any other organization. The money invested by this Syndicate will be for the benefit of all its members on a full profit-sharing basis.

In order that no one may be confused the following details are

The Abner Davis system of refineries known as the First National will own one-half interest in the refinery in the Pecos field. The Con-

The Abner Davis trustee plan will co-operate on a similar basis in the drilling campaign; in other words, the whole Abner Davis man to man profit-sharing idea is one of co-operation. First the public co-operate in financing the different enterprises, then these different Abner Davis organizations co-operate with each other for mutual profit, but at a very great reduction in overhead expenses because of the Abner Davis trusteeships being operated under one management.

FROM LOST WAIF TO MILLIONAIRE.

Charles Broadway Rouss rose from obscurity, named for that famous street, because first picked up there as a waif, he rose to the high position of multi-millionaire back in the days when millionaires were few.

Woolworth sprang into prominence and a merchant prince, whose fame circled the globe in a few years through the chain-store system.

From that obscure town, built on the mountain side where a triangle park takes the place of the public square for lack of room to lay out streets running four way, comes J. C. Penney, whose advertisement says:

THE TRAIL THAT WAS BLAZED FROM A WYOMING TOWN.

Back in 1902 he started. Many said: It cannot be done. But,
he did it.

Inspired with the idea that a fair, square and aboveboard service to the people would win, he established a little store in a town on the Wyoming frontier.

A few hundred dollars was his capital. With high ideals and steadfast purpose he started his store in a shambling building of twenty-five by forty-five feet floor space.

The Golden Rule was his policy. He was content with small profits.

One cash price to everybody. All prices marked in plain figures. No so-called sales. No premium baits. No fancy fixtures. No deliveries.

At that time, these were pioneer and revolutionary business methods. This man was then 26 years of age. He was married; had two children. Even with the household cares, his good wife managed to do

much to help that little store succeed. The beginning was small. The

Already a trail of unbroken faith has been blazed to two hundred and ninety-seven towns. That first store in Kemmerer, Wyoming, is the mother of its namesake in this town. From that humble beginning you today are continually benefitting by the service you receive from this nation-wide institution.

A NATION-WIDE INSTITUTION—197 STORES.

This man by thrift and his faith in a principle—that of the Golden Rule, fair, square dealing—has, in a few years from utter poverty from a store and dwelling of one room in the coal-mining town of Kemmerer, Wyo., stretched a string of 197 stores across the continent. Principle and system did it.

The thing other men have done can yet be done by other men.

THE MOST CUSSED BECAUSE MISUNDERSTOOD.

John D. Rockefeller has been hated, abused and cussed throughout the world for over a quarter of a century, until a few months ago, when the world finally awoke to the fact that the Oil King had actually given to the public of this country fifty millions of cash dollars for its educational, scientific and religious advancement. He is a man of ideals, honor and industry. I do not wish it to appear that I am trying to class myself with any of these marvelous men, but I do say that the foundation I have laid has been upon a principle as firm as that of any of them—a foundation of truth, profit-sharing, "man-to-man."

You will remember the abuse that was heaped upon me a year ago—the cussings that were leveled at me in volleys from the thousands of stock-selling promoters, who said I could not and would not do it. But thanks to the principle upon which I knew was dependable, I am proudly marching forward from results counted in thousands a year ago to realities counted in hundreds of thousands today, and if nature and truth and the law of averages run true another year, I expect to have millions in assets for my backers.

FOR GOVERNOR TO REDEEM HIMSELF.

Joseph Weldon Bailey, when the idol of Texas as her senator, when the pride of the Southland as her Democratic statesman, when the peer of any American law-maker in the congress of these United States,

occupied a position in his party and in the hearts of the Democracy of the nation that placed him in line for the White House, he was the only Texan, the only Southerner for 50 years that was a formidable contender for the presidency. His mistake is too well known to need further com-

Mr. Bailey is a man of marked ability, loved today by thousands of his fellow countrymen as no Texan since Sam Houston. He is, I am sure, a man with a heart and soul that has been punished ten fold for every mis-step he may have made.

In my judgment, he comes to the people of Texas now with the full intention of making them the greatest governor the state has ever had, that he may, by honest indusry and loyal service, win back that position in the hearts of his fellow citizens that means more to him than all the gold stored in the vaults of the world. I am opposed to a repeal of prohibition. I am in favor of woman suffrage. I am in favor of an unqualified indorsement of President Wilson and the greatest constructive administration this nation has ever had. I am opposed to Republicanism in the South and against all the things that Bailey stands far, so far as his speeches go.

But I am for Bailey because Bailey can have but one object in returning to Texas politics—the unquenchable thirst for the plaudits and love of his home people as once enjoyed.

Abuse drove Bailey from Texas; abuse brought Bailey back to Texas; abuse will win Bailey the governorship of Texas. Texans are lovers of freedom—of men with nerve—and they will rally to the standard of any man who will fight in the open and challenges all comers to prove him wrong.

When I tell you that truth is the foundation upon which my business has won its backers, ten thousand strong, I have no fear that any one can discredit this statement.

When I tell you that my business was founded upon merit, I point

to the record of success.

When I tell you that my business has succeeded because it was "built on confidence," I point you to the results.

When I tell you that the Abner Davis organizations are being "operated on honor," I point you to the record and the results.

And now, when I tell you to get in the game, play the Peros field with me to win, I tell you what I believe to be the truth when I say the Consolidated Syndicate has the chance to win the thousand to one you have long waited for.

Consolid	RESERVATION. AVIS, Trustee, ated Syndicate, Phrockmorton St., Fort Worth, Texas.
Count or	n me for \$ I am inclosing \$
on a full pro	d \$ more within 30 days. I am to share or rata basis with all others and you are to look after my
interests un	til otherwise instructed,
I also wa	antacres as a bonus, which you will the name I am inclosing.
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The Abner Davis Dream continues to grow into solid reality—the pride of the thousands who backed the Abner Davis Plan of Profit Sharing Man to Man. The splendid 2,000-barrel modern refinery plant at Wichita Oil Field, where a greater future and quicker returns awaits us. The things I have done in the past against great odds, overcoming almost impossible handicaps yet succeeding, has enabled me now to reach the

Abner Davis, Trustee, Consolidated Syndicate

812 THROCKMORTON STREET FORT WORTH, TEXAS

# TEX.-LU DRILLING CO.

A. V. De Pascale, general manager of the Tex-Lu Drilling Co., of Fort | Loving county, for the Toyah Val-Worth, before he left on his return to that city Monday, said he repre- that the machinery was en route for sented an Italian syndicate of Newark, both wells mentioned, and that he N. J., which plans to drill a deep test, expected that the installment of the commencing at once in township 26, ri swill be under way within 30 days.

capacity

this field.

the Bell well.

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PECOS, TEXAS

South range 31, east in Eddy county, HEREFORD BULLS FOR New Mexico, two miles north of the Texas line. Mr. De Pascale had been TO DRILL TWO WELLS in Pecos several days looking over the oil fields in this vicinity. His company is under contract to drill a well in block 57, township 1, ley Oil Co. He is quoted as saying

# PECOS OIL LANDS

this week. O. M. Shore, who was here this week from Herford, Texas, sold the bulls to Spencer Jewell, local cattle man and got in the latter trade the 25 acres in section 12, block 2, H. & G. N. survey, Reeves county. This land is in the same block where the Bell discovery well is located. Mr. Shore is a cattle man and oil operator, and it is understood that he plans to drill on his holding.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING

At a meeting of the city council of Pecos last Tuesday night the canvass of the returns of the city election the Tuesday previous was made and the new officers began their new term of two years. All were incumbents except H. H. Johnson, who was elected over B. T. Biggs. The new officials of the city now are: Ben Palmer, mayor; M. L. Roddy, marshal; Earl Easterbrook, secretary; S. M Puett R. E. Williams and H. Johnson, aldermen.

tally unable as yet to get offices in ficulty from water there." which to do business and that they were paving a tax for the privilege to the city. The mayor and council decided that under the circumstances with the present inadequate office fabrokers as they are.

annually.

Bell-Reeves, which was down over 160 Wedresday and has its 10-inch casing. The Citizens' is drilling with an Armstrong rig and the Bell-Reeves

wth a Ke sone with an additional

derrick for an emergency

# BUY PROPERTY HERE

Twenty-five registered Hereford J. J. Hair & Co. of Big Spring, Texas, bulls for as many acres of oil hold-have bought the three lots on the east side ings plus about \$2,600 cash was the of Oak street in this city. These lots are m xed story of the oldest industry the one upon which the Moorhead cafe is cat le raising and the rewest old located, the vacant lot immediately north -in the Pecos valley, to be recorded of it and the next lot north occupied by the Reeves County Abstract Company. The Hair interests which are bankers and in other lines of business in Big Spring, still run the cafe named. It is understood that they purpose greatly improving it and probably will build on the other lots.

# TEXOILAND'S DRILL

C. C. Beck, treasurer and field manager of the Texoiland Syndicate, a Springfield, Ill., concern, stated Wednesday that the Armstrong rig to drill on the company's holding in section 6, block 2, H. & G. N. survey, was expected to arrive in Pecos this week. The location is about the center of the section.

TRACTOR HAULS MACHINERY "Getting big teams for the heavy hauling of machinery for drilling is The question of the oil brokers' impossble in this vicinity," said E. L. blackboards on the streets came up Stratton, of the Toyah Valley Oil for discussion after Mayor Palmer Co. "We have bought a caterpillar read a retition with 29 signers ask- tractor and two wide tire wagons. ing that the council pass an ordi- We sawed off short the tongues of nance taking such means of doing the wagons and the little caterpillar business off of the streets. The peti- just walks along with them and their t on recited that these boards were loads. This is the means we are usfavoring non-taxpayers and tran- ing and will use in hauling the heavy sients and interfering with business machinery to our Loving county opof property owners. Several of the erations. There is a good shallow board brokers spoke in their own de- crossing with a gravelly bottom over fense persisting that they were to- the Pecos river so we have no dif-

#### DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that the cilities it was best to leave the board partnership business of W. O. Green, O. J. Green, B. A. Toliver and O. T. The council decided to tax the jit- Norwood, hereto before known as the ney drivers \$25 a year, payable semi- Pecos Oil & Real Estate Company, was dissolved on the 9th day of April,

> All debts due said partnership are to be paid to said B. A. Toliver and O. T. Norwood, and all debts due by said partnership are hereby assumed by B. A. Toliver and O. T. Norwood. Said partnership will be continued by B. A. Toliver and O. T. Norwood under the name Pecos Oil & Real

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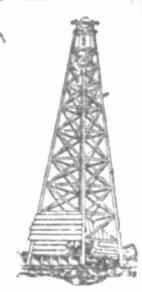
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#### CITATIONS

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Rocres County-

pany by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the A. D. 1920. 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 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves Countyn a newspaper nublished in he nearest district to said judicial district, to appear at the next regular of the District Court of Reeves County, to be acres. Said lease provided that work should begin ises, to-wit: The north half of the southwest onesaid parties have done anything looking to the carry- or less, holding and claiming the same in fee sim the removal of said cloud and the cancellation of said lease for failure to perform its conditions.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Peece, Texas, this the 4th day of March, Clerk District Court, Reeves County.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheviff or any Constable of Reeves County-You are hereby commanded to summon S. B. Pugh, Frans-Peces Land and Irrigation Co. (a corporation). R. A. Dewees, M. J. Zolman and P. A. Cooney by makng publication of this citation once in each week four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but not, then in any newspaper published in the 70th ludicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper to be holden at the survey in Reeves county, Texas, for \$4,500; that the same being the 19th day of April, A. D. ferior to plaintiff's title and grow out of said con-defendant Watson for the drilling of a well for all tract. That by reason of the facts alleged plaintiff's and gas thereon; that said lease provided that if s title clouded and he prays that said clouds be re- well was not begun on or before February 1, 1920. moved and for costs and general and special relief. lessoe should pay ten dollars per year rental

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, said well nor paid nor tendered the payment pro-at office in Pecos, Texas, this the 4th day of April, vided in said lease. Frays for cancellation of lease.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County-

You are hereby commanded to summon W. S. lsom by making publication of this citation once in A. D. 1920. each week for four cosecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some 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 newrest district to said 70th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Pecos, on the third Monday in April, 1920, the same being the 19th day of April, 1920, then and there to answer a potition filed in said court on the 15th day of March, 1920, in a sure numbered on the docket court No. 1914, wherein W. F. Essex is plaintiff and W. S. lsom is defendant, and said ctition alleging that on or about August 22, 1918, daintiff was the owner of the following described Sections 33 and 40 and the west half of Section 28, all in Block 53, public school lands, lying principally in Reeves County, Texas, but partly erson County, Texas. That on or about said time defendant approached plaintiff and represented to plaintiff that the defendant was the owner of the ollowing described tract of land, to-wit: The west one-half of the southwest one-fourth of Section 13, township 28, N. Range 22, east of the Indian Meridunty, Oklahoma. That at or about said time said defendant made, among other things, the interest in the Oklahoma lands above described tiff a one-half interest in said Oklahoma lands of defendant's, each owning a one-half interest therein; that defendant, being well acquainted with the soldiers stationed at said Fort Sill, would sell to said old ers lots in said Oklahoma lands at large profits; ant to be false and fraudulent, and that this plaintiff was deceived to his injury thereby, and plaintiff swindled out of his said above described lands in Reeves and Culberson Counties.

Wherefore plaintiff prays for citation to defendant, to answer herein; that plaintiff have judgment rescinding said trade and contract of sale and that said deed made by plaintiff to defendant be cancelled, annulled and stricken from the records, and plaintiff he decreed to be the rightful owner of said first above described lands, and that the sloud cast and general relief, both in law and equity.

Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its acresaid next regular term, this writ with your rethereon, showing how you have executed the Given under my hand and the seal of said court,

at office in Pecos, Texas, this the — day of March, A. D. 1920. S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk District Court, Reeves County. By VANNIE INGLE, Deputy. THE STATE OF TEXAS.

gie Cox and Henry Cox, her husband. Issae Tucker title, costs of suit and general relief. turn day hereof, in some newspaper published in same. your county, if there be a newspaper published Witness S. C. Vaughan, Clerk of the District Court therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published of Reeves County. in the 70th Judicial District; but if there be no Given under my hand and the scal of said court newspaper published in said judicial district, them at office in Pecos, Texas, this the 11th day of in a newspaper published in the nearest district to March, 1920.

S. C. VAUGHAN, in a newspaper published in the nearest district to March, 1920. said judicial district, to appear at the gent regular 31-4t 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, A. D. 1920, the same being the 19th day of April, A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in aid court on the 16th day of March, A. D. 1920, in a suit, numbered on the decket of said court No. 1915, wherein George C. O'Cosnor is plaintiff and A. D. Tucker, Isaac Tucker, Ben Palmer, administrator, unknown heirs of W. G. McClure, deceased, Mrs. Millie Jones and J. L. Jones, John Massie, Mrs. Addie Happle and Ed Happle, Mrs. Maggie Cox and Honry Cox, Mrs. Virgie Ruhlen and W. W. Ruhlen are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of an undivided one-half interest in and to the following described property, to-wit: Section No. 4, Block C-20, public school survey, tn Reeves County, Texas, containing 613 acres, and that the defendants are the owners of the remaining un-divided one-half interest, but that plaintiff is not adrised as to the interest owned by each of said defendants, but alleges that all of the defendants to gether own an entire interest together with the plaintiff in and to said described land, which said land of the estimated value of aix thousand five hundred (\$6,500.00) dollars. That said property is insapable of beng divided in kind and should be said for the purpose of effecting a division of said land. Plaintiff prays for a descree of the sourt for this sne-hall interest in and in the said presenter;

that said real estate be partitioned in kind, if that can be done, and if not, that it be sold for the purpose of effecting a partition as the respective in-

Herein fail not but have before said court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your recurn thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Watson and West Columbia Trans-Pecos Oil Com-Given under my hand and the seal of said court, S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk District Court, Reeves County
By VANNIE INGLE, Deputy. 31-4t

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

Perkins by making publication of this citation once holden at the court house thereof, in Pecos, Texas, in each week for four successive weeks previous to on the third Monday in April, A. D. 7920, the same the return day hereof, in some newspaper published being the 19th day of April, A D. \$920, then and in your county, if there be a newspaper published there to answer a petition filed in said court on the therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published 3rd day of March, A. D. 1996, in anit, numbered in the 70th Judicial District; but if there be no on the docket of said court No. 1851, wherein Ruby newspaper published in said judicial district, then B. Black et al are plaintille and Char M. Watson in a newspaper published in the nearest district to and West Columbia Trans-Pecca Off Co. are defend-said 70th judicial district, to appear at the next regants, and said petition alleging that on January 29th, ular term of the District Court of Reeves County 1919, plaintiffs executed to Chas. M. Watson a lease to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Pocos for the purpose of mining and operating for oil and Texas, on the third Monday in April, A. D. 1920, the gas and laying pipe lines, building storage tanks. same being the 19th day of April, A. D. 1920, thest power stations and structures to produce and save and there to answer a petition filed in said County on the oil and gas on an undivided one-half interest in the 18th day of September, A. D. 1919, in a soil. and to the following lands in Reeves County, Texas, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1863. Sections 23, 25, 26 and 160 acres the north part wherein Alphonse Kloh and David Rumsey are plain 27, Block C-18; N. W. % section 6, Block 54, tiffs and Walter K. Perkins is defendant, and sale Tsp. 5, T. & P. Ry. Co.; 30 acres out of west part petition alleging that on or about the first day of , block C-19, and section 8, block 54, July, A. D. 1918, plaintiffs were legally seized and Tap. 5, T. & P. Ry. Co., and containing in all 4001 possessed of the following described land and prem within ninety days thereafter; that said Watson fourth of section No. 9, in block No. 50, township trensferred said lease to the defendant West Colum- No. 8, Texas and Pacific Ry. Co. survey, in Reeves bia Trans-Pecos Oil Company and that neither of County, Texas, containing 80 acres of land, more ing out of said lease. That same constitutes a cloud ple; that on the day and year last aforesaid defendupon plaintiffs' title and they pray for citation and ant unlawfully entered upon said premises and eject ed plaintiffs therefrom, and unlawfully withholds from them the possession thereof, to their damage Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its in the sum of one thousand dollars; that the reaaforesaid next regular term, this writ with your re- sonable annual rental value of said land and prem-

iscs is one hundred dollars. Plaintiff prays judgment for the title and possession of said land and premises, and that a writ of restitution issue, and for their rents, damages and costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, they may justly be entitled to. Said action being brought as well to or damages

aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the Given under my hand and the seal of said court at office in Peoos, Texas, this the 3rd day of March

Clerk District Court, Reeves County By VANNIE INGLE, Deputy THE STATE OF TEXAS.

ourt house thereof, in Press, Texas, on the third Watson, H. G. Lay, W. F. Moulton and P. L. Atkin-Monday in April, A. D/1920, the same being the son by making publication of this citation case in 19th day of April A. D. 1920, then and there to ans each week for four successive weeks previous to the and court on the 4th day of return day hereof, in some newspaper published it in a suit, numbered on the docket your county, if there be a newspaper published wherein Jo B. Neel is plain-therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published tiff and S. B. Pugh, Frans-Pecos Land and Irrigation in the 70th Judicial District; but if there be no Company (a corporation) R. A. Dewees, M. J. Zol- newspaper published in said Judicial District, then man and P. A. Cooney are defendants, and said in a newspaper published in the nearest district to tition alleging that heretofore on the 9th day of said 70th Judicial District, to appear at the next May, 1913, plaintiff made and entered into a con- regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, tract with defendant S. B. Pugh to sell the east 480 to be holden at the court house thereof, in Pecos, acres of section 38, block 1, H. & G. N. Ry. Co. Texas, on the third Monday in April, A. D. 1920, That said payment was not in fact made, but suit, numbered on the docket of said cour No. the defendant Pugh caused said contract to be re- wherein R. F. Kelton is plaintiff and Chasa M. Watorded in the records of Reeves county, Texas, and son, H. G. Lay, W. F. Moulton and P. L. Atkinset thereafter conveyed said land to the defendant are defendants, and said petition alleging that on the Trans-Pecos Land and Irrigation Company. That the other defendants are asserting some character of block 55, Tsp. 5, T. & P. Ry. Co. surveys; section claim to said land, the nature of which is unknown 44, block 55, Tsp. 4, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, and to plaintiff, but such claims are alleged to be in- section 56, block 55, Tsp. 4, E. J. Brady grantee, to Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its on. That said provision was an error and should aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your re- have been one dollar per acre per annum; that said turn thereon, showing how you have executed the Watson transferred said lease to the other defendants and that none of said deendants have begun emoval of cloud, costs of suit and general relief. Herein fail not but have before said court, at it Clerk District Court, Reeves County, Texas aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your turn thereon, showing how you have executed

at office in Pecos, Texas, this the 11th day of March,
A. D. 1920. S. C. YAUGHAN, Clerk District Court Reeves County

THE STATE OF TEXAS. the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County Greeting unknown, 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 the District Court of Reeves County, to be holden the 19th day of April, A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in all court on the 18th day of March, A. D. 1920, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1917, wherein O. J. Greet is plaintiff and Chas. M. Watson, H. G. Hay, H. G. Lay, W. F. Moulton and P. L. Atkinson are defend ants, and said petition alleging that on the 19th da of February, 1919, the plaintiff made to the defend ant Ches M. Watson as bil and gas lease on the of Texas & Pacific Ry. surveys of land in said Reeves county, Texas; and that certain stipulations igreed upon were by oversight omitted from said ease, as shown in the certified copy of plaintiff by drilling a well for oil and gas on said land, or pay plaintiff the annual rental, as provided in said case; and praying that said contract and lease b

roid and the cloud on plaintiff's land caused by Hertin fail not, but have before said court. aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said court. at office in Preos, Texas, this the 18th day of

March, A. D. 1920. S. C. VAUGHAN. Clerk District Court, Reeves County VANNIE INGLE, Deputy. 31-4t

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 a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 70th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County. be holden at the court house thereof, in Pecos. exas, on the third Monday in April, 1920, the same being the 19th day of April, 1920, then and there to of March, 1930, in a wit, numbered on the docket said court No. 1906, wherein R. F. Kelton and Pat Wilson are plaintiffs, and Chas. M. Watson, H. G. Lay, W. F. Moutton and P. L. Atkinson are deendants, and said petition alleging that on the 21st day of February, 1919, plaintiffs leased the N. onehalf and the S. W. one-fourth of section 2, block 54 ownship 5, T. & P. Rg. Co. survey in Reeves coun Texas, to defendant Watson, who afterwards transferred same to the other defendants; that defendants failed to begin the drilling of a well upon said lands or upon neighboring lands within the time provided in said lease and failed to pay or tender the annual rentals due thereon. Plaintiffs pray You are hereby commanded to summon Mrs. Mag- for cancellation of said lease, removal of cloud from and the unknown heirs of W. G. McClure, deceased. Herein fail not but have you before said court. by making publication of this citation once in each at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your week for four successive weeks previous to the re- return thereon, showing how you have executed the

Clerk District Court, Reeves County.

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The Sunshine Oil Corporation announces the beginning of two more deep test wells in the Pecos field.

This company is now drilling five deep test wells in the Pecos field.

These are the Laura No. 1, the Leeman, the Victory, Tinally No. 1 and Laura No. 2.

Tinally No. 1 and Laura No. 2 will be drilling within fifteen days.

Laura No. 1 is about six miles north of Pecos; the Leeman is drilling in Loving County, northwest of Pecos; the Victory is drilling in Ward County, about twelve miles east of Pecos. Laura No. 2 will be drilled on Section 69, Block 4, immediately north of Pecos, and Tinally No. 1 will be drilled on Section 20, Block C-16, south of Pecos.

All are deep test wells, drilling with fully equipped standard rigs, capable of drilling more than 4000 feet, and constitute a thorough test of the famed Pecos oil fields. The locations of these wells give an adequate idea of the vast acreage controlled in the Pecos field by the Sunshine Oil Corporation.

The Sunshine Corporation is the Pioneer Oil Company in the Pecos field. This company began the first deep test well ever started in this field. This well, the Laura, is now nearing the second oil sand and competent oil men believe it will be a producing well very shortly. Drilling in the Laura was recently delayed, awaiting the arrival of a new boiler, but is now drilling night and day; also the Leeman and the Victory.

The company's two new wells, soon to be started, are fully equipped with steel crown blocks and steel shafts. They are among the best equipped drilling outfits ever erected in the State of Texas.

There is oil in the Pecos field, and the Sunshine Corporation is prepared to get it and will get it. Pecos is already a proven field, with flowing oil, and we have no doubt whatever of striking oceans of it when we have reached the deep sands with our five deep test wells. We prophecy, as do all experts, that Pecos will be the biggest oil field on the North American continent.

The development being done by this company is a conclusive evidence of our faith. If we have so much faith you will be justified in having at least some faith. Your faith, whether great or small, will bring you big returns on money put into Sunshine leases. We think you cannot possibly fail. If we win you will win, and we are certain that we shall win. Write us for information concerning leases. There is big money in Pecos for the men who put in with us. Fortunes have already been made; more and much larger fortunes remain to be made.

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#### Toyah Reorganizes Chamber of Commerce and Raises Money

of the Youngblood hotel, in Toyah, private subscription.

At a meeting of citizens of Toyah, pres ded. Officers of the chamber Chamber of Commerce of that place | will be elected next Monday night. Citizens and oil operators of was reorganized and several hundred Toyah have practically completed dollars raised by popular subscription a road from that town to the Bell to further the objects of that com- well, a distance of 26 miles. The mercial body. C. C. Dues, proprietor money for this road was raised by

# THE INTER-CHURCH

last Wednesday night visiting ministers from New Mexico presented to the Christian people of Pecos the plan and objects of the Inter-Church Movement in all its phases and the financial campaign which is to be conducted throughout the United States from April 25 to May 2. Rev. G. H. Givan, of the M. E. C hurch South, of Carlsbad, N. M., stated the general purpose of the movement. The Rev. Bedford, of Roswell, N. M., presented the four great objectives of the movement, viz.: (1) to enlist all Christian people of the world in a great intercession for God's help; (2) to lead all Christian people to acknowledge God's ownership of all things by setting aside a tenth of all income for His work; (3) to enlist a sufficient number of people to engage in active Christian service to meet the world's needs; and (4) to acquaint all Protestants with the world's conditions as they actually exist.

The Rev. Kelly O'Neill, from El Paso, Texas, gave an illustrated lecture presenting the survey of world conditions as so far made.

Mrs. Joyce, of Carlsbad, read a paper on "Co-operation" in the Inter-Church Movement by the Protestant denominations.

The Rev. T. L. Lallance, of Las Cruces, N. M. presented the plan for the financial campaign to be conducted during the week beginning April

#### RANGER BOILER WORKS LOCATES IN PEGOS

To take care of the present and future needs of the Pecos oil field, not trespass upon section 68, S. F. the Ranger Boiler Works, of Ranger, 8292, S. R. Johnson, original gran-Texas, has stready placed in stock tee, Reeves county, Texas, containhere a complete line of Butler Bolt- | ing 495 acres. Any one so trespassed Steel Tanks, according to Mr. W. L. McDermott, who is in charge of 34-4t

the Pecos business for the company. Mr. McDermott says his company has so much confidence in the future of this field that they have secured a site east of the ice plant and will begin immediately to install a large states that his company is now installing storage tanks at the Bell

Somewhat to the surprise of their many friends and relatives, Monday Miss Erie Conger and Ray Martin at the Baptist parsonage by Rev. W A. Knight. Miss Erie is the eldest daugh er of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Conger, of this place. Mr. Martin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, of Sioux City, Iowa, and has been here for several months past in charge of a bunch of cattle. Mr. and Mrs. Martin will leave within a few d ys for a visit in Iowa and Minne-

Saragosa school certainly has some basket ball team. Last Saturday they p'ayed Pecos High School at Balm rhea, resulting in a score of 8 to 4 in favor of Saragosa. The sev eral games they have played this season have been victories for Saragosa Miss Jewell Conger, of Sterling City, is here visiting relatives and

Rev. C. A. Dickson went to Van Horn Saturday and preached there

Mrs. C. L. Heath, of Arlington, Texas who has been here for the past two weeks visiting her daughter. left Sunday for her home. Two large tanks for the El Paso-

Saragosa Oil Company have arrived and will be placed near the derrick soon. It is reported the boiler for this company has been shipped and the other machinery will be shipped soon and everything will then b working in first class order. Mr. and Mrs. Martin were ten-

dered a reception Wednesda night at the home of the bride's parents. An elerant supper was served to the gue to. They received many useful and handsome presents. An orchestra from Pecos furnished music for the occasion. Cutting the bridal cake Raymond Honaker cut the ring, Mrs. C. A. Pearson a dime, Lon Robbins

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Minister

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SENIOR LEAGUE

Subject, "The Power of an Endless Life." Leader, Mrs. A. G. Waugh. Hymn 41.

Scripture lesson, Heb. 7:15-25: 1 Cor. 15:20-50.

The Easter story as recorded in John 20:1-18, Myrtle Ruhlen. Hymn 97.

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