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## SEVERAL OFFER TO BUY PECOS WATER WORKS BONDS IN ADVANCE OF THEIR PASSAGE

If the electorate of Pecos evince as much interest and enthusiasm in the integrity of its institutions and an abiding faith in its credit rating as outside buyers of municipal securities have already manifested, there will be a solid phalanx of voters appearing at the polls Tuesday, February 28th to signify their approval of the proposal of the city fathers and a large number of petitioners to issue bonds in the sum of \$75,000 with which to install a comprehensive water and sewer system for the city.

No sooner had the city dads matured plans for the calling of an election for this purpose than a plethora of bond buyers appeared by letter, telegram and in person to assure the city that they were able and willing to take up the bonds at par and at a premium by close dicker.

One of these offers came by wire and was read at the meeting of the council Tuesday evening which had been called for the purpose of placing official sanction to the call for an election. The telegram stated that the offer was being made from the buyers of millions of dollars of Texas municipal bonds.

The special meeting of the council was attended by Mayor Ben Palmer, secretary E. Easterbrook, and Aldermen I. J. Sims, H. H. Johnson, A. G. Taggart and R. E. Williams. The body voted as a unit to issue the election order.

The proposal is to issue bonds in the sum of \$75,000, to be retired in thirty years, with interest at the rate of six percent.

The election will be held at the city hall, with the following officers in charge: C. S. McCarver, presiding judge; J. W. Wadley, George Harris and M. W. Collicie judges; M. W. Collicie and C. B. Jordan, clerks.

## W. E. HAMILTON DIES IN PECOS FOLLOWING AN OPERATION

The citizenship of Pecos joins the people of all this section of the Pecos country in the loss by death this week of W. E. Hamilton, which occurred here Monday morning following an operation for appendicitis last week.

Mr. Hamilton was brought here last week from Van Horn, whither he had been removed from his road camp which he was directing in the construction of the western end of the Bankhead Highway in Reeves county. His condition was such that an operation could not be immediately performed, as an abscess had formed in the region of the appendix. The removal of the appendix by surgeons followed, but the complications forced an obstruction in his bowels which resulted in death.

Mr. Hamilton was nearly 45 years of age at the time of his death. He was a native of Texas, dating his birth at Dallas. He is survived by a wife and five little girls. His parents reside at Van Horn. Funeral services were held here Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. W. Johnson, Rev. J. M. Garner preaching the sermon. At the conclusion of this service the body was taken in charge by the masonic body, who buried it according to the rites of the order.

The pall bearers were W. W. Camp, W. A. Hudson, A. G. Taggart, J. F. Province, T. B. Pruitt and R. Durrill.

All classes of people in Pecos and this section of the state join in mourning his untimely death. He had endeared himself to the people here and wherever he was known, by his orderly and circumspect life which exemplified the gospel of the Golden Rule. No greater eulogy upon his life and the esteem in which his memory will be enshrined in the hearts of his friends and acquaintance will be found than in the resolutions of respect which were adopted by the local Masonic lodge upon his passage to the life beyond this vale of tears, a copy of which is being reproduced in this week's Enterprise.

A wealth of flowers were tenderly placed by friends and relatives upon the bier of the popular road builder, their sweet perfume blending with the chastened sympathy of the scores of mourners who formed the funeral cortege.

Ladies, see that you are really and truly Americanized before it is too late. The only way to do this is to—either in person or by proxy—pay a visit to Sheriff Kiser and City Clerk Easterbrook and secure a poll tax receipt.

## LAW RELATING TO PAYMENT OF POLL TAX EXPLAINED

Thousands of columns of space have been cheerfully given by the newspaper publishers of Texas the past few months in an effort to inspire pride in the citizenship to pay their poll tax, and to dispel the confusion which seems to have been the result of the newly earned franchise of the wife.

The Enterprise has contributed its quota of space to this sort of propaganda, as its readers can verify, but another very recent request from the state comptroller's office on the subject is reproduced herewith for the general information of the public:

"Either Poll Tax can be paid without the payment of the other, and one or both poll taxes may be paid without the payment of the Ad Valorem Tax, but the Ad Valorem Tax cannot be paid unless both poll taxes assessed therewith are also paid.

"The husband may pay the poll tax of his wife and receive a receipt therefor; in like manner, the wife may pay the poll tax of her husband and receive a receipt therefor. No order is required on the part of the husband or wife for the payment of the poll tax of the other, irrespective of whether or not they reside in a city of ten thousand inhabitants.

"If residing in a city of ten thousand inhabitants or more, either the husband or wife must appear in person for the payment of poll taxes. If not residing in a city of ten thousand inhabitants or more, either the husband or the wife may, by written order, authorize some other person to pay one or both poll taxes, but in each instance the receipt or receipts must be sent to the husband or wife.

"The laws of this State now levy a poll tax against a woman the same as against a man, and the payment of the woman's poll tax is just as obligatory as that of the man, and their community property can be held for the payment of both poll taxes. The State's lien against the community property cannot be avoided by making a separate assessment of the poll taxes.

Article 7630, Revised Statutes, 1911, reads as follows:

"All real and personal property held or owned by any person in this State shall be liable for all State and county taxes due by the owner thereof, including taxes on real estate, personal property and poll tax; and the collector of taxes shall levy on any personal or real property to be found in his county to satisfy all delinquent taxes, any law to the contrary notwithstanding."

## Joe Preusser, Jr., of Toyah, Ends Life By Bullet

Joe Preusser, Jr., of Toyah, committed suicide Wednesday morning about three o'clock by shooting himself through the head with a 22 calibre rifle.

Mr. Preusser was living at the T. & P. pump house about three miles out from Toyah, having his nephew, E. Scott, and Charley Hawes, of Barstow, as companions. He has been in ill health for a number of years, and for several days prior to his death had been in a critical condition.

Preusser's companions state that about three o'clock Wednesday morning he was heard to arise from his bed and go across his room for a drink of water. He was asked as to how he felt, and he is said to have replied that he was feeling very well. His companions supposed that he returned to bed, but a little after the time in which he had to reach his couch a shot rang out which ended the man's life a little later.

Preusser was well known all over this section of the Pecos country his parents and family being among the oldest residents of the county. He was unmarried.

An inquest was held over the body by Justice of the Peace, W. E. Morton, the jury returning a report that the man had died from the effects of a self-inflicted gunshot wound.

Preusser was buried in the Toyah cemetery this afternoon.

## OUR ONLY CONGRESSWOMAN TODAY



Miss Alice Robertson as she looks today at 68. Snapshot just taken of her at her desk in Washington.

## NEW HIGHWAY MAP MUST INCLUDE PECOS TO BE COMPLETE GUIDE

The Enterprise office is just in receipt of the official map of the Bankhead Highway which starts at Washington and ends at San Diego, California. The map is issued by the Bankhead National Highway association, and shows all of the divisions, rivers and streams it crosses, and is quite comprehensive in every way as far as we can see, save one, and that is sufficient to almost wreck the whole project as far as The Enterprise is concerned.

The map traces the highway from its source to its destination, giving in bold relief the towns and cities through which it traverses, together with the mileage between each. The map itself appears to be uniformly correct, for it shows Pecos as occupying the stellar role of importance it deserves. But on the reverse side of the map, where it is purported to show the towns and cities on the highway together with the distance between each, the name of Pecos is conspicuous by its absence. This omission is apt to prove confusing to the traveler who is gliding along the landscape between El Paso and Midland with only the official knowledge that he is to pass through Barstow and Sierra Blanca when all at once the lustre and grandeur of metropolitan Pecos bursts upon his vision.

It is passing strange how this great national highway association should have omitted this strategic point from this publication. The press report which is sent out with the map states that it represents the work of the association for the past six years in locating and building this great transcontinental highway which can be traversed 365 days in the year. It certainly seems that the labor of all these years should have been rewarded with more accuracy.

Otherwise the map is all right. We must insist, however, for the sake of accuracy, and the protection of the thousands of tourists who will annually traverse this highway, that Pecos be placed in all the literature of the project which seeks to establish the guide posts of its extent. The Enterprise feels called upon to enter this objection right now, for the prospectus goes on to say that the map in this form has been furnished to the various map makers throughout the country, "so that correct maps can be made and distributed throughout the nation. It is the only authorized and complete map that has ever been issued by the association. All other maps, however, should say they have been and are incomplete."

**LOOKING OVER OIL FIELD**  
Among the visitors in the city this week who are attracted here by the development of the Pecos oil field, are J. J. Stanfield and A. P. Marston of Los Gatos, Calif., who have extensive lease holdings in this territory.

In visiting The Enterprise office to renew their subscription to this medium of authentic oil development work, the gentlemen stated that they are watching the field with the most sanguine expectations, based on a close study of its possibilities under proper tests. When asked if they intended to develop their holdings here, the visitors stated that the showings in present tests were so favorable they did not see how they could keep out of the game much longer.

## G. OF C. ENTERTAINS STATE A. & M. HEADS WITH LUNCHEON

Dr. W. D. Bissell, president of A. & M. College, and Dr. B. Youngblood, director of the State Agricultural Experiment stations, were honor guests of the local Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon Saturday noon, something more than a score of persons being present on the occasion.

The visitors were here to pass upon the new proposed site for the State Experiment station in this county, which had been selected by a corps of state soil and farm experts who were here last December for that purpose.

At the luncheon the future of the station which is to serve this section was discussed at some length, with particular reference to the desirability for the removal of the project to a more advantageous site. It was pointed out in the round table discussion of the question, that of prime consideration in the establishment of the station at another point in the county, is to serve a desire to enlarge its possibilities in the development of the resources of the great domain, chief among which is the livestock industry and the growing interest in bee culture.

Another feature in determining the removal of the site was a desire to obtain soil conditions which were typical or an average in constituency to that of the Pecos slope in general, and it is the opinion of the experts making the investigation of the question that the approved new location more nearly fits the need in this respect than any other available site.

Drs. Bissell and Youngblood made it known in their remarks at the luncheon that they approved the recommendations of the soil experts in the choice of a location. The new site will be farther removed from Pecos than the present location, but will be in this county, between Balmorhea and Saragosa, and will include what is known as the Sol Mayer farm of 200 acres.

The Mayer farm is ideally situated for the purposes of conducting experiments in both irrigated and dry farming, being contiguous to the great reservoir which is fed from innumerable and apparently inexhaustible springs and the big reservoir. Some eighty acres of the farm will be devoted to experiments in farming by irrigation methods, the remainder to be used in dry farming processes of development.

While the transfer of the new site has not been completed in all its details, it is expected that the finishing touches will be put to the enterprise within the next few days. Mr. Mayer, the owner of the proposed site, expected to be here Saturday to meet the visitors, but was detained at Denver, Colo., on account of the illness of his wife. As soon as the legal formalities are concluded in the transfer, the way will be paved for the establishment of the station upon its new site.

## PAY YOUR POLL TAX.

To vote in any election this year you must, if you live within the city of Pecos, pay both your county and city poll taxes. Sheriff Kiser will issue you the proper credentials for your county poll for \$1.50 and City Clerk Earl Easterbrook will fix you with a city poll for only \$1.00. Remember Tuesday is the last day of grace but to be on the safe side you had better not wait.

## TOYAH-BELL CENTERS INTEREST FOR WEEK IN TRANS-PECOS FIELD BY ITS INTERMITTENT FLOWS

"All hands and the cook" feverishly working day and night in the Pecos oil field to see which shall be the first to bring in the big pay, denotes the general situation which The Enterprise would offer for the past week's activities of the drillers. True, there have been sporadic flashes here and there over the field which magnetized the interest of the investors and the hangers-on of the game for an intense moment, as for example the demonstration at the Toyah-Bell, where an all-day baling of the hole revealed a volume of oil which could not appreciably be lowered, and which yielded by this crude lift something like three barrels hourly or thirty barrels for the ten hour test.

And more spectacular has been the constantly increasing strength of the well, revealed in spasmodic heads which shower the derrick with oil. The report of the drillers and spectators at the well yesterday was that four successive heads of less than half an hour apart, had sprinkled oil all over the site.

In talking with Mr. Ramsey this morning regarding the activity of the Toyah Bell yesterday, he said that a depth of 4460 feet had been reached, the formation being a blue shale and sand. This gentleman further stated that it was his belief that the drill would not have to go more than ten or fifteen feet deeper before bringing in the well that will make the world sit up and take notice of the Pecos oil field. The hole stands about 4000 feet in oil.

The faith of the operators that the persistency of the drillers will ultimately subdue the hidden secrets of the Pecos oil field, is found in the remarks made this week to an Enterprise reporter by Will H. Hays, a prominent Los Angeles attorney. Doubtless all of us have heard that name before, but the Californian will hasten to remind those to whom he is introduced that he is not the postmaster general, that he has not resigned any such job to become a movie director, and that he is not a republican, though he and this spectacular public figure both call the same venerable gentleman grandpa.

Mr. Hays is attorney for the Pecos-Angeles interests who have a location near Arno, five miles southwest of the Toyah-Bell, being also one of the largest stockholders in the enterprise. He is here this week completing the details of a contract for the further development of the location.

In commenting on the local situation, Mr. Hays said:

"There is no longer any doubt in the minds of myself or my associates that this section presents a real oil field and that it only remains to capital and the ingenuity of operators and drillers to uncover the immense treasure. As I see it, it is only a matter of time. It is a race on the part of the operators to see which shall be the first to bring in the big pay.

"We are proceeding now very cautiously with our well near Arno. We have already spent enough money on that hole to make any normal man independent for the average span of human life, but that fact does not make us think of quitting. We have profited some from our mistake in the past.

"Our hole is down 925 feet. We have let a contract to Munce & Wolfe to do two things. First, to clean the hole out, and next to shut off the water. We are not going to drill until this water is shut off. The drillers assure me that they can do it. I know enough about oil development work to know that you are wasting money so long as you cannot control these great strata of water which spell grief to the operators in many of the great discoveries.

"When we get the water shut off, we are going to drill deeper, and deeper until we strike the big pay.

"We are not selling any stock. The money is being advanced for the development by myself and an association of friends and business men of Los Angeles, and no money goes for salaries and upkeep of any official family in the enterprise. Our Mr. Sherer, who is here to direct field operations, is serving without salary, having turned over his large interests at Los Angeles to his partner in order to come here. That should convince the most casual observer that our blood and our money is an indication of the degree of faith which we have in Pecos oil field."

Mr. Hays stated to The Enterprise that his company had lease holdings here to the approximate amount of 3600 acres.

**THE WESNER-ANTHONY**  
The Wesner-Anthony is reported setting 6-inch casing at 1700 feet.

## W. J. LOUGHBY NO. 1

The Willoughby No. 1 well on the Cowan ranch in the southwest part of Reeves county, went on the walking beam Monday of this week after having spudded to below 300 feet, but on account of the rains of the past few days, Mr. Willoughby says he has been unable to get out to the camp, and is unable to give out the exact depth of the hole at this writing, but since he has heard nothing from the crew this week it is supposed that everything is going nicely.

Mr. Willoughby says he is having little difficulty in financing the development work, and that the plan which he has adopted of monthly subscriptions is guaranteeing a fund every month sufficient to carry on the work.

**THE BELL WELL**  
The crew at the Bell well are engaged today in renewing the drill cable, replacing a line which was showing too much strain for comfort to the drillers. Mr. Bell states that the hole is still yielding about 25 barrels of oil daily from bellows and enough of the fluid has been conserved to furnish fuel for the boiler. The depth is 2412 feet at this writing.

**LAURA WELL**  
The Laura well of the Sunshine-Federal Company, has cut the 6 5/8 inch casing at 2360 feet and pulled it. 8 1/4 inch casing has been set at 2260 feet. As soon as a water leak is corrected at 1200 feet connection of the casing, drilling will be resumed from the 2360 foot depth.

**THE TRANS-PECOS**  
The Trans-Pecos is re-informing derrick and moving engine back in order to get more driving power with which to cope with the greater depth which they expect to penetrate. This hole is in red shale at 1710 feet.

**THE PINNACLE DOME WELL**  
The Pinnacle Dome well, 16 miles north of the Toyah-Bell, in Loving county, is drilling in a lime at 4600 feet. The formation in this hole would seem to indicate now that the Toyah-Bell sand will be picked up at 4800 feet.

**RAMSEY NO. 1**  
The Ramsey No. 1 is drilling at 310 feet.

**THE LOE-PECOS**  
The Loe-Pecos resumed drilling this week at 900 feet after a shut-down of several months.

The following letter from J. F. Lowney of Toyah to the Enterprise is self-explanatory and will be found interesting to Enterprise readers interested in the Pecos oil field:

Dear Sir:  
Enclosed herewith please find "Prospectus" of the "Tatum Lease Syndicate" of which I am an officer, the others being C. W. Waddington (who has been in the production end of the oil game for over fourteen years) and N. A. Hickok of Fresno, California.

Owing to Mr. Geo. Clements (our secretary of the Chamber of Commerce) being out of town and the suspension for the time being of the Toyah Basin News, I am taking this way of letting you know of our organization and will appreciate your co-operation in letting the world know that we are out to help make West Texas the largest and best oil field in the world.

We are now drilling around 700 feet with Star Drilling Machine, our location is just seven miles from Mr. Willoughby's and he was kind enough to come over and test our location out with his magnet and the information he gave us makes us feel good indeed.

**A TONIC**

**Doan's Tasteless Chill Tonic** restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value.

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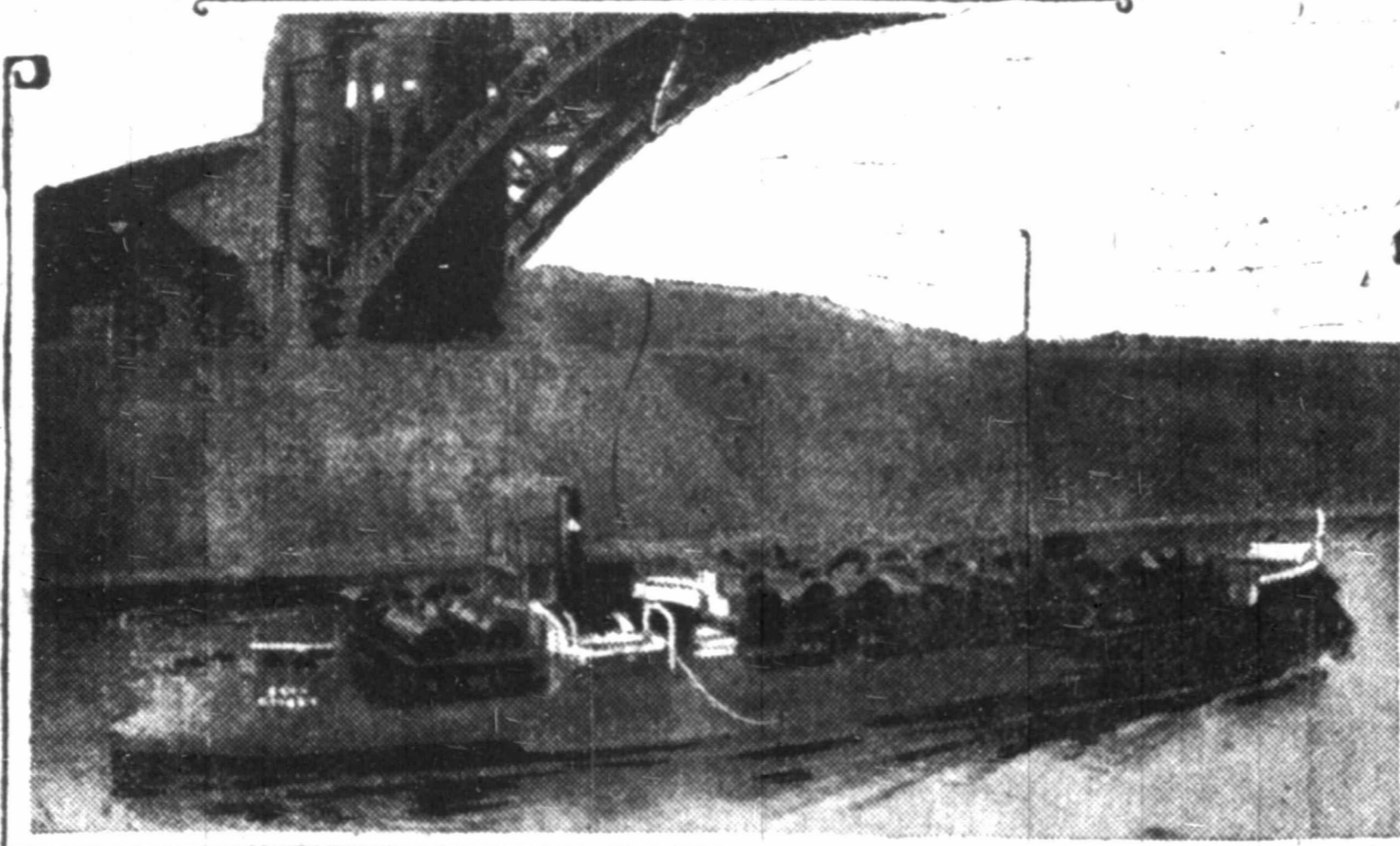
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**No Worms in a Healthy Child**

All children troubled with Worms have an unhealthy complexion, which indicates poor blood, and as a result, there is more or less stomach disturbance. Doan's Tasteless Chill Tonic given regularly throughout three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthener to the whole system. Nature will then remove the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

**HOW ARE THE MIGHTY FALLEN!**



This is Germany's most powerful dreadnaught battleship, the "Odin," built just at the end of the war. It is now a freighter. The "Odin" is shown steaming through the Kiel Canal with a deck load of locomotives.

**TO THE DEMOCRATIC WOMEN OF TEXAS.**

We will soon enter throughout the nation Congressional campaigns, in which the Democratic party will have opportunity to elect a Democratic Congress and regain the power to consummate the beneficent policies inaugurated by the last Democratic administration, chief of which was a League of Nations, instead of a "Four-Power Alliance," as now sought to be accomplished by the Republican administration.

I appeal to every Democratic woman to pay her poll tax before the first of February, and thereby be in position to vote at the coming elections for those policies and measures which are for the good of the country.

In obtaining suffrage the women of the country have become citizens, and have had laid on their shoulder a duty and responsibility which they cannot escape, even should they so desire.

As women we have long clamored for good government, for incorruptible men to fill our places of public trust; we have desired the consummation of policies that would secure a "government of the people, by the people and for the people," and not one that is dominated by wealth and special interests. As women we want a League of Nations, to make wars forever impossible. In order to secure this, we must use the power of the ballot, exercising it intelligently for the great good of our country and the world.

The women of Texas are progressive and forward-looking—they have never feared to take up the fight in a just and righteous cause, and I am sure that now they will not fail to meet the great duty which is at hand.

It is my view, that the women in every county and precinct should enter actively into the Democratic Clubs and organizations in their respective counties and precincts and that they should at an early date, in connection with the Democratic men, effect strong and permanent organizations for work in the coming campaign.

From reports received at National Democratic Headquarters, coming from every section of the country, Democrats everywhere are already at work and are resolved to secure victory in the Senatorial and Congressional elections next November.

Texas has been the "Banner Democratic State." We should make it so again.

Let us return from Texas a solid Democratic delegation in Congress. Friends and co-workers, will you not on the day you read this appeal, pay your poll taxes; lay plans to form a strong Democratic organization in your town and county, and let me have a word from you at an early day.

Yours with all good wishes,  
MRS. CONE JOHNSON,  
Democratic National Committee woman for Texas.

Tyler, Texas, Jan. 16, 1922.

**THE BRAVEST ARE THE TENDEREST**

Watching a fire in the mountains, the company admired its scenic grandeur. General Lee remarked: "It is beautiful, but I have been thinking of the poor animals that must perish in the flames."

Near Richmond as a storm of shell swept the field, General Lee ordered his attendants to the rear, and while attentively surveying the area under fire was seen to stop, pick up a fledgling sparrow which had fallen to the ground, and carefully restore it to a nest overhead.

Amid the carnage of Chancellorsville his orders to the Confederate surgeons were, "Treat the whole field alike."

At the Petersburg crater, in the midst of the battle, he dismounted to help a wounded man, and kneeling over him, finding him past hope, was heard to say: "Alas! poor soldier! May God make soft your dying pillow!"

At the door of his home, having given alms to a poorly clad man begging aid, he pointed to his retreating form and said to one near him, "That is one of our old soldiers now in necessitous circumstances. He fought on the other side, but we must not remember that against him now."

Crossing the Pennsylvania line with his army he announced, "We make war only upon armed men," and on one occasion, in the presence of his soldiers, dismounted and put up a farmer's rail fence which they had torn down.

**NEW GOOD ROADS PROJECTS APPROVED IN 28 STATES**

Ninety-three road construction projects in 28 States were approved for Federal aid during October, by the Bureau of Public Roads, United States Department of Agriculture, according to a compilation just made public. Virtually every type of construction is represented in the approved projects.

The States in which these projects were approved and the number of projects approved in each State follow: Alabama 3, Arkansas 3, California 2, Colorado 1, Florida 1, Idaho 1, Kansas 8, Maryland 5, Massachusetts 2, Minnesota 15, Mississippi 6, Missouri 4, Montana 1, Nebraska 2, Nevada 1, New Mexico 2, North Dakota 2, Ohio 2, Oklahoma 1, Pennsylvania 5, South Carolina 1, South Dakota 1, Texas 3, Utah 1, Virginia 12, Washington 1, Wisconsin 2, and Wyoming 1. The longest single stretch of roadway approved in one project during the month was an earth road in Calhoun county, Miss., 32.3 miles long; the shortest, 0.9 mile, was a brick road in Stark county, Ohio.

**Habitual Constipation Cured in 14 to 21 Days**

"LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN" is a specially-prepared Syrup Tonic-Laxative for Habitual Constipation. It relieves promptly but should be taken regularly for 14 to 21 days to induce regular action. It Stimulates and Regulates. Very Pleasant to Take. 60c per bottle.

**Bankhead Highway 3690 Miles Long**

Birmingham, Ala., January 21, 1922.—Six years ago the Bankhead-Highway was a dream. Today it is a reality. Through the untiring efforts of the founders and its officers, there have been more miles of actual construction work done on the Bankhead Highway than any other highway of like mileage. Today tourists are traveling the entire distance from Washington to San Diego, without difficulty. Within the next two years the Bankhead Highway will be the very best and only transcontinental highway that can be traveled the year round.

The official map of the Bankhead Highway shows that the distance from Washington to San Diego is 3690 miles. It traverses the states of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas, Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Arizona, California.

Work building this national highway, is being done by county, state and federal aid money. Thos. H. MacDonald, Chief of Bureau of Public Roads, Washington, writes officially that 1513 miles of the Bankhead Highway is being built with federal aid money.

Official reports are being received by J. A. Rountree, director general, from every state through which the Bankhead traverses, that under the recent federal aid law, the Bankhead Highway has been or will be within the next thirty days, designated as an interstate highway, in accordance with this recent act, notwithstanding that prior to the passage of this new federal aid bill, it had already been designated. Reports also state that many counties through which the Highway passes are going ahead and building their portion of the highway without waiting for federal aid to assist in the same. The most enthusiastic reports of the actual building of this highway are being received daily at headquarters.



**Farmers, attention!**

We have just received notice that our car of Swift's Red Steer Fertilizers will arrive in a few days. We can save you some money if you will haul your fertilizer from the car. Get in touch with us at once so we can reserve what you want.

For sale by **JOHN WENDT**

**DRY YEARS WHEN THE QUAIL DO NOT MATE**

Have you ever noticed, writes a contributor from Arizona to the Youta's Companion, that in very dry years the quail do not mate? We live in a cattle country where quail are abundant. Last year there was an unusually dry spring and early summer; all the vegetation was parched, and there was no undergrowth. Usually several coveys of quail nest in a wild grove, but last year there was not a single brood there. And the cowboys say that where they usually would see thousands of young quail during the early summer round-ups they saw only five or six broods.

Usually the quail are all in pairs by the 1st of April and do not travel again in coveys until the young birds are almost full grown. They make rough nests in the underbush or in the cactus or the bear grass, where they are better protected against the snakes and the skunks, which make away with a great many eggs and baby quail. By the first of June or earlier you can see the little families of from twelve to fifteen searching everywhere for food. The proud father marches ahead and calls lusty advice or warning to his brood, and when they find a good feeding place he chooses a high rock or a branch and acts as lookout while the mother shows the babies the best places to scratch for worms or seeds. Last summer, however, they traveled only in coveys. The cattlemen say it happens at rare intervals when the wild feed is scarce.

FOR SALE—Perfectly good heating stove at a very reasonable price. Apply at this office.

**\$5 Portrait Free**

In order to be doing something during these dull times, we will make you a 14x20 oval convex \$5.00 portrait FREE. We want you to show it to your friends and advertise our work. All we ask of you—send us 95c to pay for postage and boxing and we will send the portrait prepaid, free. Mail your photos with 95c. Give us a trial. No frame catch—buy your frame where you please. We copy anything and everything. Money back if not pleased.

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**OH! MY BACK!**

The Expression of Many a Kidney Sufferer in Pecos

A stubborn backache is cause to suspect kidney trouble. When the kidneys are inflamed and swollen, stooping brings a sharp twinge in the small of the back, that almost takes the breath away. Doan's Kidney Pills revive sluggish kidneys—relieve aching backs. Here's Pecos proof: Mrs. J. B. Prewitt, says: "It has been some time since I have needed Doan's Kidney Pills, but before I tried them I had a bad case of kidney trouble. I had sharp pains in the small of my back and severe headaches but I am glad to say Doan's Kidney Pills brought me the relief I wanted and since then when I have felt any soreness across my kidneys a few Doan's have fixed me in fine shape."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Prewitt had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

**LIFT CORNS OR CALLUSES OFF**

Doesn't hurt! Lift any corn or callus off with fingers



Don't suffer! A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store. Apply a few drops on the corn, calluses and "hard skin" on bottom of feet, then lift them off.

When Freezone removes corns from the soles or calluses from the bottom of feet, the skin beneath is left pink and healthy and never sore, tender or irritated.

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# Uncle John's Poem

## SAVED BY GRACE

I used to greet a sunny morn with mutterin's of dread,—I viewed the buddin' rose with scorn, and sadly shook my head. "I've had experience," sez I "with weather in the past; I never trust an azure sky—this ain't a-goin' to last!"

And sure enough, she wouldn't last no more'n a dozen days. She blew up cold, an' busted loose, an' slammed us forty ways. She rained, incessant, till the crick was filled to overflow,—an' I responded mighty quick, an' said, "I told ye so."

The neighbors kep' their eye on me, an' seemed to think it strange—no matter what the weather'd be, I'd prophesy a change! Nobody seemed to bother much with how the weather went,—but I would growl to beat the Dutch, an' foam with discontent!

But I have underwent reform—I make no more complaint. I dote on weather when she warm, and praise her when she ain't. I adore her if she's wetter, and enquire her when she's dry,—and the neighbors like me better, since I've ceased to prophesy!

*Your own  
Uncle John.*

## OIL MILLIONAIRE DOES NOT REALIZE THAT HE IS RICH

Orange, Texas, Jan. 20.—Oscar Chessons, millionaire owner of the famous Chessons oil tract in the local field, upon which is located the 25,000-barrel well, No. 5, Chessons, of the Humble Oil Company, cares more about his pigs and vegetable crop than he does about his riches and oil.

Recently Chessons turned down an offer of \$500,000 for royalties alone on his forty-six-acre tract, he said. This offer approximated \$11,000 an acre, the highest price ever offered in the state for royalties. Chessons shrugged his shoulders and returned to his two-room "mansion" on the edge of the oil field—and there he began the delicate job of doctoring sick pigs.

Last week Chessons sold a flivver full of fresh turnip greens on the local streets, obtaining, he said the highest market price. At other times he has "peddled" his vegetable crop likewise on the streets.

In his conversation Chessons indicated his biggest interest in his crops. "I had a corn patch and the coons kept getting the corn, so I set a trap. I caught one coon and took him to the house and whooped and whooped it. Then I turned him loose and haven't heard of him since," Chessons said.

"That there ile shore liked to have ruined my tater crop," he said, referring to the big gusher. "I had to hurry and get them 'taters away from there."

Other interesting points in the life of this new millionaire are:

He paid \$14,000 income tax last year. He had \$40,000 in the bank last year and needing \$20,000 for something, borrowed it from his brother.

Had six hens and was getting six eggs a day. One day he found only five. He accused oil field workers of stealing the egg and "bawled them out good and proper." Next day he went to the workers and apologized, for he had found his sixth hen to be "settin'."

When he married he wanted the ring ceremony. Somebody gave him an old ring. He worked in the field until ten minutes of the ceremony and hurried to his little shack, put on his wedding clothes and rushed over to the girl's house near by. The minister proceeded with the ceremony and when he got to the ring part he said, "Let me have the ring." Chessons felt in his pocket—the ring was gone. Finally he said, "I left that damn thing in me other pocket at the shack," and the ceremony halted until he got the ring.

### FOSTER, WEATHER PROPHET, PREDICTS GREAT WAR

Foster, the weather prophet in winding up one of his recent long guesses has this to say:

"This continent is at the beginning of one of the greatest wars our race ever encountered. That war can not be avoided by disarmament, because we can disarm our two great enemies only by destroying them and their immensely destructive armaments. Europe had its 30-year war and we are at the beginning of ours. We went into the World War, it is claimed to preserve civilization. We are being forced into this 30-year war by a universal drought that will come because of our destruction of timber and other vegetable growths, whatever of our crops are not destroyed by insects, bugs, worms and small animals. We are killing the birds, wild fowls, wild animals that heretofore destroyed the insects and small animals and if remedies are not found within the next thirty years our race will have made a long and disastrous march toward its own destruction."

## \$10 BILL GREW TO \$30,000 IN LESS THAN YEAR

Dallas, Texas, Jan. 20.—L. B. Pruitt, broker and manager of the Main Oil exchange, Dallas, the other day told a very interesting story of the possibilities of a ten-dollar bill invested in oil.

Pruitt said that in September, 1917, when he was a resident of Marlow, Okla., he paid ten dollars for a one-eighth interest in a 40-acre lease in section 31-18-8 west Stephens county. Two years later the Empire Gas and Fuel Company brought in a wildcat well in section 33-18-8w, about one-quarter mile from the 40-acre lease.

A drilling contract was made shortly after that with Walter Gant and associates, whereby Mr. Pruitt received a cash bonus of \$1,000. A well was brought in on the property,

and the price began to soar. By April, 1921, Mr. Pruitt had received about \$1,500 in oil runs, and in the same month he sold his interest in the lease for \$27,500 cash, making a total of \$30,000 received from one \$10 investment.

Mr. Pruitt does not attribute his good fortune to luck or good judgment, but to the law of averages. He said he had bought numerous leases and stocks without receiving any returns before he hit the right one.

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Friends:

About two years ago at a show in Bartlesville, Oklahoma, I realized that I was nothing but a work ox; a mere human animal. I saw in that picture a multitude of men, women and children and realized that most of them were indeed human animals like myself; We saw a ragged news boy beaten and sent to bed hungry; saw his drunken father spend his "paper" money for whisky; saw that boy REBEL and leave home; saw that run-a-way beggar rise to the head of a great going, successful enterprise; saw his home for boys; we saw more; how easy to distinguish the FRIENDS of the news boy and beggar; a happy; contented; well-to-do lot of friends; and we saw the great majority of that throng of men, women and children remain human animals.

What caused that boy to rebel? A dog may be beaten but it will never leave home. Something greater than animal instinct or animal intelligence caused him to rebel against the curses of poverty, environment and parental abuse; that something carried him on and on; made of him a MAN; a leader amongst men; a benefactor to orphans and friends who left the herd of human animals.

Was it luck? Was he a born genius? Was it a gift of God? No. A thousand times No. It was that same "something" that made Napoleon, Webster, Washington, Abe Lincoln, Edison, Carnegie; the same thing that makes all great men; the same thing that gives any man a home; the same thing that makes every worthwhile thing in all the universe; the thing that builds all great fortunes; it has made all else and it will make YOU.

What changed me from a work-ox; a mere human animal to the presidency of an oil company in two years? How have I, since last September, built the Willoughby Petroleum Company to one of the large land holding companies of South West Texas? How, friends, have I been able to finance the drilling of an oil well in these HARD TIMES? That "something" which made a success of that bare-foot beggar whispered to me that night in the show: it has since talked to me in confidence; told me "YOU CAN" and I answered "I WILL."

Four months ago you saw us an infant; today you recognize and admit that we are one of the going oil companies of the Great Trans-Pecos country; to-morrow we will be a successful oil producing; profit paying concern and our friends will have left the herd of human animals.

That same something that has carried us thus far is growing as we grow. Every morning and every afternoon this week we have banked money; every week the drill bit has ground its way nearer the oil; every man knows where and how his money is being spent; knows we are going on to a quick success in oil; every friend of ours knows that same SOMETHING is giving them square deal and they know that when I say we expect to pay TEN FOR ONE within a very short time I mean it. "Something" is telling me that \$10.00 will very soon return you \$100.00; that \$100.00 will very soon return you \$1000.00. If you can close your eyes and hear our drill pounding; hear that "something" called SUCCESS knocking at your inner self it will tell you the same.

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Make your subscription and first payment before February 10, 1922. Save the 25 per cent.

C. H. Willoughby, President, Willoughby Petroleum Company

### HINTS ON CARE OF PELTRIES

From United States Department of Agriculture Bureau of Biological Survey.

**Skinning.**—The care of hides includes skinning, curing, and tanning. As a rule, the first step in skinning an animal is to make a cut along the under side from chin to tip of tail, and from each foot along the inner side of the leg to intersect the main cut nearly at right angles. Fur bearers, however, excepting beavers, the pelts of which are sent to market flat, are slit across beneath the tail from heel to heel, the skin being reversed as the body is withdrawn. The tail and the base of the ears should be skinned out.

**Curing.**—Fresh skins should be divested of loose fat and sinews, and then either tanned at once or cured so as to be kept without deterioration until a convenient time for tanning arrives. They are cured by being stretched free of wrinkles, flesh side exposed, and left in a cool, shady, airy place. In a moist atmosphere or where moisture is imperative, the flesh side may be covered with a layer of salt and the skin folded hair side out into a compact bundle, which should be opened and refolded two or three times during the first two days to insure salt action in every part. Flat skins may be stretched by pinning them out on a floor or frame, but in any case there should always be a circulation of air on both sides. Pelts of fur animals are dried, flesh side out, after being drawn over pieces of board shaped so as to stretch them uniformly. Wolf, fox, lynx, and wild cat pelts are taken from the boards and turned fur side out before they are fully dried. Other kinds of pelts take market flesh side out.

**Tanning.**—Skins may be tanned either with the hair on or off, as desired. Hair can be removed from hides by soaking them in tepid water made alkaline by lye or lime. The following recipe for a tanning liquor is in common use: To each gallon of water add one quart of salt and one-half ounce of sulphuric acid. This mixture should not be kept in metal container. Thin skins are tanned by this liquor in one day; heavy skins must remain in it longer. They may remain in it indefinitely without harm. When removed from this liquor, they are washed several times in soapy water, wrung as dry as possible, and rubbed on the flesh side with a cake of hard soap. They are then folded in the middle, hung lengthwise over a line, hair side out, and left to dry. When both surfaces are barely dry, and the interior is still moist, they are laid over a smooth, rounded board and scrapped on the flesh side with the edge of a worn flat file, or a similar blunted tool. In this way an inner layer is removed and the skins become nearly white in color. They are then stretched, rubbed, and twisted until quite dry. If parts of a skin are still hard and stiff, the soaping, drying, and stretching process is repeated until the entire skin is soft. Fresh butter, or other animal fat, worked into the skins while they are warm, and then worked out again in dry hardwood sawdust, or extracted by a hasty bath in gasoline, increases their softness.

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THE WILSON FOUNDATION

The Enterprise believes that the people of Pecos are willing to join in what the great nationwide campaign for the Woodrow Wilson foundation fund. Already towns, cities and states have raised their respective quotas to the fund, and Pecos citizenship invariably takes a part in every worth while movement at home and abroad.

It is a great pleasure to have the privilege of contributing to a fund to inculcate in Americans the ideals of the greatest president, the greatest statesman and the most patriotic and unselfish man the United States has ever known.

Mr. Wilson was undoubtedly placed at the helm of our affairs in those crucial times by divine wisdom and the principles for which he has all but given his life cannot be killed, but phoenix-like, will rise again.

This writer's words are puerile when attempting an eulogy upon the life and deeds of this most illustrious American citizen and statesman. A poet's inspired verse the better lifts our appreciation to those sublime heights of service, and the words of Lottie Pratt Brown are re-produced herewith for that purpose:

A well-known worthy hero, Whose life is nearly done, Stood at his post of duty Until the war was won.

He never had a furlough From duties harsh and grim, But bore the mighty burdens As they were thrust on him.

Though tortured with anxiety, And terrors of its kind, He went through the trenches, Fighting in his master mind.

He felt the mighty shell shock, He saw the flaming glare, Although duty kept him here, His heart was over there.

He went through every battle, Still trusting in his God To lead them on to victory And save them from the rod.

Still true to his convictions, His soul was in the fight To overcome the enemy, Who said that "might was right."

His thought, hope and prayer was That the world soon might be A land of peace and liberty, Safe for democracy.

Yet there is no monument, A herald of his fame, But Woodrow Wilson gave his life For his country, just the same.

When a manufacturing firm discovers some other firm is manufacturing goods cheaper they immediately begin an intensive campaign to reduce the cost of their own production so as to meet competitive prices with a margin of profit.

That was a good reply which Diogenes made to a man who asked him for letters of recommendation. "That you are a man, he will know when he sees you; whether a good or bad one, he will know if he has any skill in discerning the good and the bad."

BONDS AND STOCKS

One of the queerest things in the business is that when a railroad arrives at the height of efficiency in serving its patrons, the stock market begins to look at it with suspicion.

The stock market's favorite caution to its investors is not to buy stock in a railroad that serves perfectly and makes no, therefore, a great number of women stockholders. Why?

The speculator who must be a great student of everything pertaining to stock and must intimately know all stock companies and the history of stocks, explains the paradox in this way: When it becomes possible for people of no wealth to buy stock, it means that the insiders of wealth are getting out. When they are getting out, it is either because something is beginning to go wrong or because the stock is believed to be at its topmost point.

People wishing to invest small amounts of money—their savings—should always beware of "stocks." New Haven's \$100 shares selling at \$185 for years were looked upon as good as gold.

If your savings are only a few hundred or even a few thousands, buy bonds. They are a mortgage on property and collectable. You are a creditor. Stocks are not collectable; if you own them you are to all intents and purposes a debtor.

MISTAKES

It is no easy matter to get out a newspaper such as The Enterprise without an occasional error creeping in. In fact there are few, if any papers published anywhere clear of error.

The paragraph referred to in this article was that in reference to T. M. (Tom) Dolan of Springfield, Ill. For fear some one will think it an advertisement the editor will state that it is not.

It may not be known by all that it is a violation of the law to publish a paid editorial without making it "advertisement," and that this violation carries with it a heavy penalty, hence the necessity of watching closely to see that that little word is attached to all paid readers.

AUTOS AND RAILROADS BOTH NEEDED

On all sides you see the extension of the automobile truck and the automobile passenger car. Men with small capital are everywhere buying trucks to carry light freight and packages between city and town and between towns.

All over the United States, comfortable automobile passenger cars are conveying people between towns cheaper than the railroad does it and pretty nearly as fast as the local accommodation trains.

Here and there railroads are abandoning locomotive-hauled passenger trains on branch lines and carrying the people in large truck cars.

All this is an indication of the way things are going in transportation. It is the way the railroads themselves began spreading over the land 75 to 85 years ago.

How seriously is the expansion of the automobile in transportation going to injure the railroad? It isn't long since railroad men were much alarmed, but they are getting over it. People and heavy freight are constantly increasing in America.

HOMEY PHILOSOPHY FOR 1922

One of the most curious things in human nature is the exercise of authority by the average man. Place him in a position that is merely subordinate and everything goes well, anyway, so far as authority is concerned.

him in turn resists the authority still higher. And so on to the top. Perhaps the top will be found resisting his wife! All this, of course, isn't to say that such resistance hasn't some good points, although friction of any kind reduces the effectiveness desired at least equalling the quantity of friction applied.

Only three days more remain in which the citizens of Pecos City and county may pay their poll taxes, and thus maintain untarnished their reputation of 100 per cent Americanism.

The Enterprise considers itself fortunate in securing the services of Walter R. Brandon who will act in the capacity of associate editor as well as work in the mechanical end of the shop when necessary. Mr. Brandon is a versatile writer as well as an expert printer and capable in any department of a newspaper or job office.

If reports be true the acts of vandalism perpetrated by two or three who occupied the gallery at the Baptist church this week during the lectures of Dr. Moore should cause an investigation and the guilty parties taught a lesson which they will not forget until they are as gray as the proverbial rat.

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Some years ago when "The Town of Team Work" used to be the slogan of every business man of Pecos, the town was growing and its people happy and prosperous. Later when some of our people concluded they would let the other fellow carry the load and sit by and profit by the progress and energy of their more enterprising neighbors the town began to wane, building practically ceased and the non-progressive spirit became very evident.

real ho-men who will work together and do real team work and not afraid to invest a few dollars in the future to build a city. We have just such a citizenship as this as has been proven in the past but they need just now to be organized—an organization such as bees or hornets have—a body of men who will stand as one man and do something for the good of the town.

Notice To All Car Owners We now have the well-known mechanic, Mr. George Beck with us again as head mechanic. All work intrusted to us will have his careful consideration before leaving our shop. TERMS CASH JOHNSON & GARRETT GARAGE

PECOS OIL FIELD LOOKS BETTER ALL THE TIME Conditions in this field, at the present time, look better to us than they ever have. There are more wells drilling, and more new wells arranged for than there have been in nearly two years, and every indication points to the early production of oil in tremendous quantities. Let's All Cut The Gloom and Boost! Boost! Boost! WE SOLICIT BUSINESS RELATIONS WITH YOU EITHER IN PERSON OR BY CORRESPONDENCE BARNUM & THOMPSON ROY D. BARNUM ARTHUR R. THOMPSON POSTOFFICE BOX 126 PECOS, TEXAS

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For District Attorney:  
CLEM CALHOUN.

For Tax Assessor:  
F. P. RICHBURG.  
W. W. CAMP, re-election.  
TOLBERT GARRETT.

For County Attorney:  
ROY I. BIGGS.

For County and District Clerk:  
S. C. VAUGHAN, re-election.

For Sheriff:  
E. B. KISER, re-election.  
E. C. DOTY.

For County Treasurer:  
M. A. DURDIN, re-election.  
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**CITY ELECTION**

The Enterprise is authorized to announce the following as candidates for offices of the City of Pecos subject to the action of the voters at the spring election.

For City Marshal:  
J. W. HUDGENS.

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FOR SALE—Texas Pacific Leases, rentals paid to Dec. 1921, in Block 54, Township 4; Block 53, Township 4; Block 55, Township 5; Block 54, Township 5; Block 58, Township 6; Reeves County, write for prices and description.—J. E. Bowen, 1101 Montana, El Paso, Texas. 8-1f

**FOR RENT.**

FOR RENT—Two rooms—furnished apartments.—Mrs. E. J. Weyer. 24-2f

FOR RENT—Desirable bedroom with heater, close in. Mrs. P. B. Smith. 22-3f

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished for light housekeeping. Mrs. Vickers. Phone 167. 22-1f

**PAINTING AND PAPERHANGING**

A. L. Oliver—Painter & Paperhanger. Paint any color, \$3.50 per gallon. Wall paper at lowest prices.—Phone 391. 35-1f

**OIL LEASES**

OIL Leases & Real Estate for Sale. Furnished House for rent. I. E. Smith. 19-1f

**WANTED**

GOV. POSITIONS OPEN—Men and women. Experience unnecessary. Honesty required. Good pay to start. Write, T. McCafferty, St. Louis, Mo. 20-41\*

WILL BUY—Lands or leases in Reeves, Loving and Ward counties. Must be cheap for cash. Give description and price in first letter. Box 578, Pecos, Texas. 21-1f

**MISCELLANEOUS.**

GEOLOGIST—Want to correspond with a successful oil geologist. For further information write D. L. Laughlin, Advertising Agent, Quedado, N. M. 22-31\*

**LOST AND FOUND**

LOST, STRAYED or STOLEN—A black 3 year old horse, streak faced and one white hind leg. Branded cross V on left thigh. Please notify R. W. Burkholder and receive reward. 23-21\*

LOST—Between Pecos and Barstow, Tuesday, a Suitcase containing lady's and baby's wearing apparel, and several other articles. Finder return to Orient Hotel and receive reward. 24-21\*

**RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT**

"Know Ye not that there is a Prince and A great man fallen this day in Israel?"

On the 23rd day of January, 1922, death as a kind messenger from the Supreme Architect above, called William Edward Hamilton to that home not made by hands Eternal in the Heavens. He now labors as a worthy and loving member of that all perfect and celestial Lodge, under the direction of the Grand Master, whose precepts made him here on earth a real man and a Prince among his fellowmen. He has been called to a higher and nobler work, in a purer and loftier world.

In his going we realize that in the midst of life we are in death. Last month he was hale and still aspiring, now he is gone. His passing was sudden, tragic, poignant and unbelievable; death did not claim him after a long, lingering illness and incapacity, but caused him from our midst before we hardly realized that he was unwell; there was no slow decay of body and mind.

He was a Prince among men, and all the elements that go to make a man fine, true, brave, loyal, strong, useful and lovable were combined in his wonderful character. He was a peer of the highest and best. Because of his fairness, his sense of honor and incorruptible character; he was loved and respected by his competitors, as well as his family and friends.

His personality was a happy combination of strength and firmness, tenderness and sweetness; the wholesomeness of which endeared him to all who knew him, and because of which our sorrow is now intensified, our grief made deeper, and our sense of loss felt more keenly.

As a husband he was chivalrous, tender and true, and as a father affectionate and devoted. To his family he leaves the sweet remembrance of a well spent and blameless life, which strengthens them with comfort and composure to look forward to a blessed immortality, and doubt not but that in the glorious morn of the Resurrection his body shall rise and become as incorruptible as his soul. Indeed they are enabled to know:

"There is no Death, what seems so is transition.  
This life of mortal breath,  
Is but a suburb of Life Elysian.  
Whose portals we call Death."

W. E. Hamilton spent many years in West Texas building roads. He has blessed every community in which he has labored, with his high standards and ideas; he has saved West Texas and the public in general hundreds of thousands of dollars by means of his fairness in his dealings with the counties, and by being a man of too high a type to take advantage of the public and the people when he could have done so without notice and with impunity.

He has long dreamed of giving up the strenuous work of contracting and settling down in a nice home on a farm; he had promised his beloved wife that the present contract in Reeves county, on which he was laboring, would be his last, but he was called to his reward before it was completed, and before he realized the dream of a happy home on the farm.

He was a zealous member of the Masonic Fraternity, and because of his knightly character and uncommon traits and graces as a man he delved deeply into its mysteries and symbolisms, showing a love for its great principles, equalled by few. He was scarcely forty-five years of age, and in his departure we realize the meaning of the words, that, "Whom the gods love die young," and that, "Death loves a Shining Mark, a Signal Blow."

Although we reverently bow to the will of the Divine Father, yet we deeply deplore his untimely fall, and consider his death an irreparable loss to his family, fraternity, and to humanity. However, his life was such that his death causes us to desire to imitate his virtuous and amiable conduct, his unfeigned piety to God, and his inflexible fidelity to the principles of our Fraternity, so that when it comes time for us to die we may be able, as he was able, to say:

"Life's race well run,  
Life's work well done,  
Life's crown well won,  
Now comes rest."

We are unable to express our feelings at this time, as words are empty nothingness when applied to his life and character. The friends and flowers at his funeral all show in a meager way the high regard in which he was held.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, by Pecos Chapter No. 218, Royal Arch Masons, that in the death of Companion Hamilton the Masonic Fraternity has lost a just and upright member, the family an affectionate father and husband, the State a true and loyal citizen, and humanity a loving friend.

Be It Further Resolved, that as an expression of our sorrow and bereavement, and in realization of our great loss, a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records of the Order, a copy furnished the immediate family of our worthy companion, and a copy given the press for publication.

CLEM CALHOUN,  
W. W. CAMP,  
J. W. JACKSON,  
Committee.

**FINANCIAL REVIEW**

Prepared For The Enterprise By The First National Bank In St. Louis.

When complete figures for production of automobiles during 1921 become available, it is likely that they will show a total of about 1,563,000 new cars made in that year. Of these about 938,000 will be Ford cars and about 625,000 will be all other makes combined. In 1920 the total output of automobiles was about 2,205,000 cars of which 1,028,000 were Fords and 1,177,000 were cars of other makes. In 1919 the Ford output was 42 per cent of the total number of cars made; in 1920, it was 47 per cent, and in 1921 it was 60 per cent. The output of Fords was twice as great in 1920 as in 1916, while that of all other makes shows little increase.

The total productive capacity of the automobile industry has been estimated at about 2,750,000 cars a year. The production in 1921 was about 1,563,000, and automobile men expect that this year's output will fall about 1,000,000 cars below the full capacity output. In other words the trade expects to make about 1,800,000 cars in the coming year.

Automotive exports during the calendar year 1921 show an increase of 594 per cent in number in shipments of motor trucks, which represents an increase in value of 511 per cent. Passenger car exports increased by only 20 per cent in number and 27 per cent in value, while shipments of parts increased 517 per cent in value.

**HAVE YOU STOPPED**

TO THINK—

That the city that gets the publicity gets the business?

That the city that gets the advertising grows?

That advertising properly done is worth its weight in gold?

That advertising a city is business, not a child's play?

That people will go miles to get a good live city to trade?

That your property will increase in value when the outside world knows your city is wide awake?

That people from neighboring towns will come where there is something doing?

That the city which does not seek to get something better than it now has is going to lose out?

That now is the time your city and businesses need advertising more than ever before?

That if you don't get out and go after the outside trade some other neighboring city will?

That if they do they will get the business you should get?

—E. R. WAITE  
In The Fourth Estate.

**ELECTION ORDER.**

Whereas, the City Council of the Town of Pecos City deems it advisable to issue bonds of the said city for the purpose hereinafter mentioned:

Therefore, be it ordered by the city council of the town of Pecos City, Texas, that an election be held on the 28th day of February, 1922, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the City Council of the Town of Pecos City, Texas, be authorized to issue bonds of the Town of Pecos City in the sum of Seven hundred Thousand (\$750,000.00) Dollars, payable \$25,000.00 each year from One (1) to Thirty (30) years from their date, bearing interest at the rate of six (6) percent per annum, payable semi-annually, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem them at maturity, for the purpose of extending and improving the water works system in and for said city, as authorized by Chapter 9 of the General Laws passed by the Thirty-seventh Legislature at its regular session, 1921, and the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas?"

The said election shall be held at the City Hall in the Town of Pecos City, and the following persons are hereby appointed managers of said election, to-wit: C. S. McFarver, Presiding Judge; J. W. Wadley, Judge; George Harris, Judge; M. W. Collier, Clerk; and C. B. Jordan, Clerk.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas applicable thereto, and only qualified voters, who are property taxpayers of said city, shall be allowed to vote.

All voters who favor the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words: "For the Issuance of Bonds."

And those opposed shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words: "Against the Issuance of Bonds."

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State regulating general elections.

A copy of this order, signed by the mayor of the Town of Pecos City, as attested by the city secretary of the said city, shall serve as a proper notice of said election.

The mayor is authorized and directed to cause said notice of the election to be posted up at the city hall, and two other public places in the Town of Pecos City for at least thirty full days prior to the date of said election.

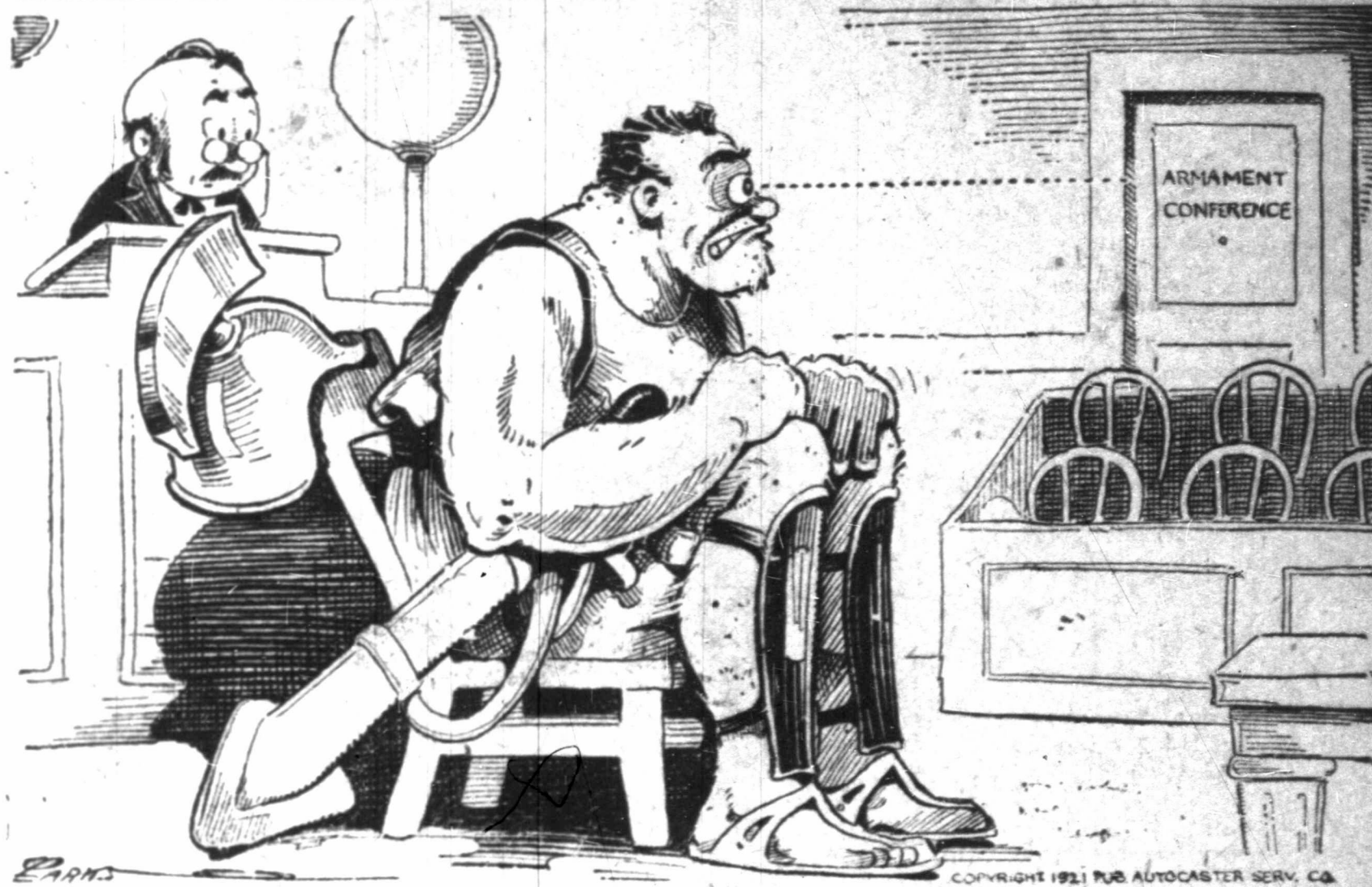
The mayor is further authorized and directed to have said notice of election published in some newspaper of general circulation published in said city and which notice shall be published once each week for four weeks, the date of first publication being not less than thirty full days prior to the date of the election.

BEN PALMER,  
Mayor, The Town Of Pecos City Texas

E. EASTERBROOK,  
City Secretary, The Town Of Pecos City, Texas.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE  
In The Pecos Enterprise. Rates 40 cents an inch or 10 cents a line for readers.

**AWAITING THE VERDICT**



**POULTRY AND LIVE-STOCK SALVATION OF TEXAS FARMS**

Preaching a red-hot gospel of the stocking of West Texas farms and ranches with more and better livestock and poultry, B. M. Whitaker, exhibit manager for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and C. C. French, representing the Stock Yards Company of Fort Worth, appeared in Pecos Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock before one of the largest audiences to which they have spoken on their itinerary, according to their own statement.

The meeting was staged at the court house, and the speakers were introduced in turn by W. H. Browning, Jr., president of the local Chamber of Commerce, who prefaced his introductory remarks by saying that a hogless, cowless and chickenless Texas baryard symbolized a moneyless commonwealth.

Mr. French was the first speaker, and his message dealt with the livestock industry as applied to the conditions now affecting the growing and finishing of the product for market. Mr. French is known locally to the farmers and business men by his past work in the capacity in which he appeared here this time.

Mr. Whitaker directed his remarks particularly to the services which the West Texas commercial organization was rendering the varied interests of the domain which it represents, emphasizing the value of co-operating with the body in comprehensive exhibits of our products abroad. He said that these exhibits were not only drawing down some

very real premiums wherever they were shown, but were of immense educational value to the visitors who thronged the display rooms of fairs in our own and other states. He submitted statistics to prove the contentions of those preaching the gospel of more and better livestock and poultry in all our barnyards, that independence and happiness attends the commonwealth that pays attention to the growing of well-bred livestock and poultry.

The program of the itinerary was cut short on account of a rearrangement of the schedule which necessitated their departure on the afternoon train east. The local

commercial organization had planned a dinner for the visitors in the evening at one of the local cafes, but this event was cancelled. The student body of the High School attended the meeting at the court house, and the speakers took advantage of the opportunity to direct their remarks to the youth of today who will form our mature citizenship of tomorrow.

**Uncle John's Josh**

MEN'S COATS WILL BE TIGHTER THIS FALL BUT THE MEN WON'T BE.



**Buy Leases Ahead of Production**

You will have to hurry if you get one of these 20 acre tracts in Section 24, Block 29, Loving County Texas

At \$5.00 Per Acre

This lease was made for a term of five years, and carries an annual rental of 25c per acre. Send me \$100.00 and your lease will be mailed to you at once.

TITLE GUARANTEED  
Address  
**LEE GARRETT**  
Box 412 Pecos, Texas

**Ramsey Oil Company Plans Big Development In Pecos Field**

In order to raise funds for the immediate execution of important development plans in the Pecos field, we are offering some of the stock of Ramsey Oil Company for sale at \$1.00 per share, par value, for the next few days.

This company owns the major interest of the Toyah-Bell No. 2 and all the oil lease rights in the land immediately surrounding this well, which is a recognized commercial producer. We have a standing offer of \$3.00 a barrel on this oil, f. o. b. Arno. Ramsey Oil Company also owns over a thousand acres in the Pecos field and is already starting to drill another well, just 500 feet northwest of Toyah-Bell No. 2, and has plans for still further development in this territory. It also has its own pipe line constructed to the Arno switch. It KNOWS there is abundance of the liquid gold under this area and its plans call for getting it out in large quantities. These plans take money and lots of it and we will sell some of this stock to our friends to help carry out these plans.

This stock entitles you to a share in Toyah-Bell No. 2, which is flowing daily. It is increasing daily both in oil and gas. It is a rare opportunity that one has to buy interest in a producer but our reasons are as stated above.

As everyone in this territory knows, the Ramseys and their dealings have been on the square all along. They are after the oil and did not enter this field as promoters but are reliable business men who have put their money back of their drilling activities. Everyone knows that the freakish sand cavings and other trouble have cost thousands upon thousands of dollars to cope with in making the Toyah-Bell a paying producer. They have also demonstrated unusual patience. Their money and their patience together have held on until they have convinced themselves and others that there is plenty of high grade oil and that it will pay to drill still other wells to enlarge the production of that pool.

Not less than ten shares of Ramsey Oil Company's stock will be sold to any individual. The right is also reserved to reject any or all acceptances of this offer after they are received and if the stock is oversubscribed we reserve the right to return remittances of any who may be late in getting their acceptances to our office.

Fill out the coupon below and mail to me at once.

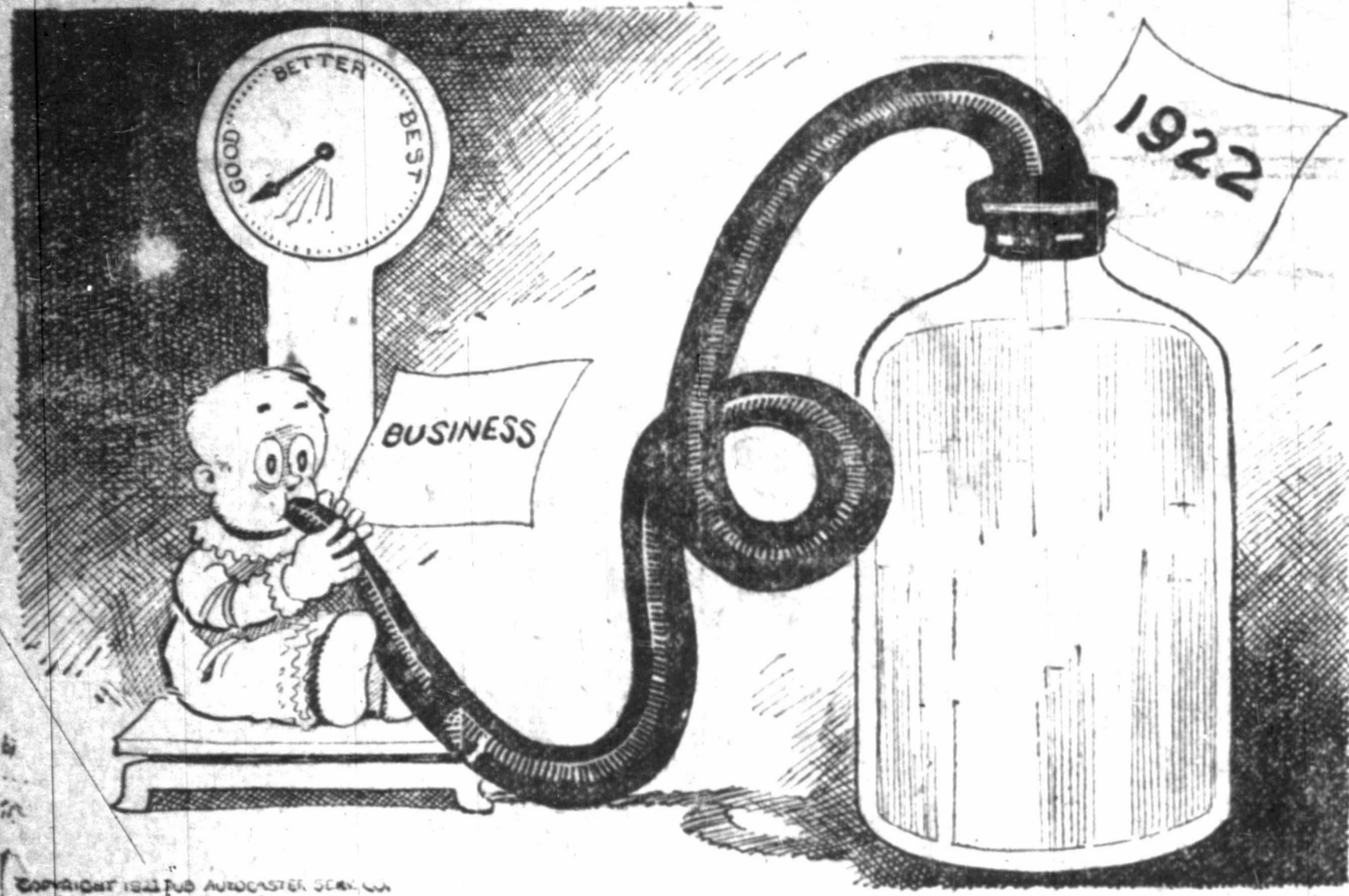
Lee Garrett, Agent,  
Ramsey Oil Company,  
Pecos, Texas.

I hereby subscribe for \_\_\_\_\_ shares in RAMSEY OIL COMPANY stock at \$1.00 par value per share, which stock I understand to be fully paid and non-assessable. Herewith I enclose \$\_\_\_\_\_ in payment for this block of RAMSEY OIL COMPANY stock.

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_

**LEE GARRETT, Agent Ramsey Oil Co**  
PECOS, TEXAS

KEEP YOUR EYE ON THE SCALES



SELLING BAD STUFF NOW OVER IN JUAREZ

As he stepped from the Juarez car last night, writes E. E. Morrow in the El Paso Herald, it was evident from his garb that he was from the wind swept ranges and had been across the river lubricating his alkali cracked system.

THE CURE FOR IL'ENESS

By Evangeline Booth Commander U. S. Forces.

Evangeline Booth, Commander of the Salvation Army in the United States, is regarded as an authority upon many of the perplexing questions concerning the social and economic life of the nation.

er community. It had been impossible to get to this community and do demonstration work in culling before fall. Not being acquainted with the nature of our work some members of the community were more or less skeptical.

"For unemployment, for hard times, man alone is to blame. The trouble with the world is traceable to nothing more or less than man's inhumanity to man.

"But in the sight of all these blessings men have elected to differ—to differ unreasonably. Angry debate starts and soon the world is in a ferment.

"It is in this state we find ourselves today; analyze the cause honestly, and you can come to only one conclusion. Negative mental processes, purely man-made antagonisms, lie at the root of the evil.

"Let us come to understand each other better; let us in the light of honest reason practice team-work, which is the life-giving grease on the world's axis—then, unemployment and hard times will be no more."

CULLING THE FLOCK

The following interesting facts are revealed in the weekly report of Home Demonstration Agent, Mrs. Mable Peck of Dallam county: As a result of poultry culling work in cooperation with County Agent Bennett we have obtained the following results: In the Colony community Mrs. J. B. Sumerour had forty hens of which twenty were culls.

CALOMEL SALIVATES AND LOSENS TEETH

The Very Next Dose Of This Treacherous Drug May Start Trouble.

You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashees into sour bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you.

If you feel bilious, headachy, constipated and all knocked out, just go to your drugstore and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents which is a harmless vegetable substitute for dangerous calomel.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tone straightens you right up and you feel great. No salts necessary. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and can not salivate.

BE CAREFUL WHAT YOU SAY.

In speaking of a person's faults, Pray don't forget your own; Remember those of homes of glass Should never throw stones. If we had nothing else to do Than to talk of those that sin, 'Tis better that we commence at home.

CORRECTION.

It is my earnest desire to correct the impression unintentionally conveyed by my use of language in the first paragraph of the three-quarter page advertisement of the Willoughby Petroleum Company in this paper in its issue of January 20, 1922.

TELEGRAPHY

Bookkeeping and Shorthand in this Nationally known institution will mean a guaranteed position and business success for you—three \$150 positions this week. Catalog free—state course wanted. Abilene Draughon Business College, Box T, Abilene, Tex. 23-31"

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

In The Pecos Enterprise. Rates 40 cents an inch or 10 cents a line for traders.

ASPIRIN

Name "Bayer" on Genuine



Beware! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for twenty-one years and proved safe by millions.

MINING IN TEXAS IN 1921.

Metal mines in Texas produced 544,000 ounces of silver in 1921 as compared with 511,401 ounces in 1920. The principal producing mine was the Presidio mine, at Shafter, which was operated steadily throughout the year.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days

Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Instantly relieves Itching Piles, and you can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 60¢ (Advertisement)

MRS. D. A. DODDS

LANDS AND OIL AND GAS LEASES—FIVE ACRES TO FIVE HUNDRED ACRES

MRS. D. A. DODDS

PECOS, TEXAS

FRUITS THAT BEAR AND SHRUBS THAT BLOOM

Every product of the soil has gone down in price except fruit. We have a fine stock of fine trees of surebearing varieties fruits, pecans and berries, selected out of hundreds of varieties we have tested since our first Texas Orchard was planted in 1850.

THE AUSTIN NURSERY F. T. RAMSEY & SON, Austin, Texas.

Arthur E. Hayes

THE PECOS LAND MAN

OIL LEASES A SPECIALTY



WHEN YOU ARE IN THE MARKET FOR OR WANT TO KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT

OIL LEASES, FARM OR RANCH LANDS OR TOWN PROPERTY



SEE

Arthur E. Hayes

OFFICE PHONE 44.



ALL TITLES GUARANTEED

OFFICE LOCATED IN FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING

Pecos, Texas

MANUFACTURE OF TIRES DEPENDS ON NATURAL GAS

It seems a far cry from the oil fields and natural gas wells to the modern tire factory, but the making of high grade tires is dependent upon a product derived from natural fuel gas," says Mr. Louis Herzog, Director of Purchases for the Gates Rubber Company.

"This product is known as Carbon Black, a very pure form of carbon, and is made by burning gas in a scanty supply of air. The flames are thrown against metal or slate slabs or upon revolving cylinders. The accumulating black is scraped off and ground to a fine granular texture.

"Carbon black has great staining power and is the best pigment yet found for coloring rubber. It adds to the rubber not only color, but strength and toughness as well.

"Since the other main uses of carbon black are in the making of printer's ink, black varnishes, phonograph records and various other products manufactured principally in the East, western consumption of carbon black was practically negligible until the last few years.

"The Wyoming and other western carbon black makers were thus formerly under the handicap of great distance from their markets to which competing producers had only a short haul.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Pecos River Railroad Company will be held at the General Offices of said company in Pecos, Texas, on Wednesday, March 1st, 1922, at the hour of 12:00 noon, for the purpose of selecting a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and for such other business as may come before such meeting.

The Annual Meeting of the Directors of said company will be held on the same date and at the same place, immediately after the meeting of stockholders.

J. G. LOVE, Secretary.

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(Advertisement)

(Advertisement)

**SURE THEY KNOW**  
(Retail Public Ledger)

There is a merchant in our town  
Who thinks he's wondrous wise;  
He scoffs at those who spend hard  
cash  
Their goods to advertise.  
He mocks the ad man to his face.  
"You're talking through your  
hat,  
'Cause everybody, everywhere  
Knows where my store it at."  
Of course most people vaguely  
know  
That old Jones conducts a store—  
Out of the beaten paths where goes  
The cream of trade no more.  
But what he sells in his small place,  
What goods he has on shelf  
They cannot say, because old Jones  
Keeps that all to himself!  
And that is why the blinded man  
Has troubles now, and woe,  
And why his sales are less than  
They were  
Some Twenty years ago.  
Sure everybody knows where Jones  
Sits glum in his chair  
They also know where the grave-  
yard is,  
But they are not flocking there!

**To Stop a Cough Quick**

take HAYES' HEALING HONEY, a  
cough medicine which stops the cough by  
healing the inflamed and irritated tissues.  
A box of GROVES O-PEN-TRATE  
SALVE for Chest Colds, Head Colds and  
Croup is enclosed with every bottle of  
HAYES' HEALING HONEY. The salve  
should be rubbed on the chest and throat  
of children suffering from a Cold or Croup.  
The healing effect of Hayes' Healing Honey in  
the throat combined with the healing effect of  
Groves' O-Pen-Trate Salve through the pores of  
the skin soon stops a cough.  
Both remedies are packed in one carton and the  
cost of the combined treatment is 25c.  
Just ask your druggist for HAYES'  
HEALING HONEY.

(Advertisement)

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

The State of Texas,  
County of Reeves.  
By virtue of a certain Execution No. 2  
issued out of the Honorable District Court  
of Tarrant County, on the 17th day of  
November, 1921, by the clerk of said  
Court against O. J. Green, et al., for the  
sum of One Thousand Four Hundred  
Seventy Two and 25/100 (\$1472.25) Dol-  
lars and cost of suit, in cause Number  
56912 in said Court, styled James Mc-  
Cord Company versus O. J. Green, et al.  
and placed in my hands for service, I,  
E. B. Kiser, as Sheriff of Reeves County,  
Texas, did, on the 14th day of December,  
1921, levy on certain Real Estate, situated  
in Reeves County, described as follows  
to-wit:  
Lots Nos. 24, 25, and 26 in Block No.  
41, Lots Nos. 10, 11 and 12 in Block  
No. 42, Lots Nos. 1 to 12 inclusive in  
Block No. 74, in North Pecos Addition to  
the Town of Pecos City, Texas.  
And a 2-3 interest in Lots 5 and 6 in  
Block No. B. A., together with 2-3 in-  
terest in a business house now located on  
said lots, known as the Toyah Valley  
Trading Company in Balmorhea, Reeves  
County, Texas.  
Also One brown horse mule branded  
—Mexican brand.  
One sorrel horse mule branded—Mexi-  
can brand.  
One sorrel horse mule branded—Mexi-  
can brand.  
One white mare branded—Mexican  
brand.  
One sorrel colt—no brand.  
One blue mare branded—Mexican  
brand.  
One bay horse branded T I T.  
One bay mare branded—Mexican brand  
One sorrel horse mule branded B.  
One black mare—no brand.  
One fiores bay mule—no brand.  
One sorrel mare mule branded  
One black horse mule branded 11.  
One mare mule, black, branded J on  
left shoulder.  
One brown horse mule jack, branded H  
Two roan mares branded NC.  
One black mare mule branded SH.  
One brown mare branded PV.  
One sorrel mare mule branded—  
Mexican brand.  
Also one Moon touring car, license No  
466371, Seal No. 378,923, Motor No  
97,490.  
One Ford Delivery Car, Motor No  
2586823.  
Also one Ford delivery car, motor No  
2281,717.  
And levied upon as the property of said  
O. J. Green, et al. And on Tuesday, the  
7th day of February, 1922, at the Court  
House door of Reeves County, in the town  
of Pecos, Texas, between the hours of ten  
A. M. and four P. M. I will sell said  
premises and personal property at public  
vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as  
the property of said O. J. Green, et al., by  
virtue of said levy and said Execution No.  
Two.  
And in compliance with law, I give this  
notice by publication, in the English lan-  
guage, once a week for three consecutive  
weeks immediately preceding said day of  
sale, in the Pecos Times and Enterprise  
a newspaper published in Reeves County.  
Witness my hand, this 14th day of  
December, 1921.  
E. B. KISER,  
Sheriff, Reeves County, Texas  
(Legal Advertisements)

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

The State of Texas,  
County of Reeves.  
By virtue of a certain Order of Sale  
issued out of the Honorable District Court  
of Reeves County, on the 4th day of Janu-  
ary, 1922, by S. C. Vaughan, Clerk of  
said Court against E. W. Sparks for the  
sum of Three Thousand One Hundred  
Fifty-five and 32/100 (\$3155.32) Dollars  
and costs of suit, in cause No. 2135 in said  
Court, styled Citizens State Bank, Toyah  
Texas, versus E. W. Sparks and placed in  
my hands for service, I E. B. Kiser as  
Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on  
the 4th day of January, 1922, levy on cer-  
tain Real Estate, situated in Reeves  
County, described as follows, to-wit:  
Five acre out of survey No. 10, D. W. W.  
Survey, beginning at the S. E. Corner of  
Block No. 27, Town of Toyah, Texas;  
Thence S. 37 deg. 35', E. 660 feet; Thence  
S. 52 deg. 25', W. 320 feet; Thence N. 37  
deg. 35', W. 660 feet to point in the south  
line of the Town of Toyah; Thence N.  
52 deg. 25' E. with said line 320 feet to a  
place of beginning.  
Three acres out of Sec. 10 D. W. W.

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

The State of Texas,  
County of Reeves.  
By virtue of a certain execution issued  
out of the Honorable District Court of  
Reeves County, on the 22nd day of Novem-  
ber, 1921, by County Clerk of said  
county against Sunshine Oil Corporation  
for the sum of one thousand eight hundred  
seventy nine and 62/100 (\$1879.62) dollars  
and costs of suit, in cause No. 2220 in  
said Court, styled W. A. Hudson versus  
Sunshine Oil Corporation and placed in  
my hands for service, I E. B. Kiser as  
Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did on  
the 12th day of January, 1922, levy on  
certain leases on Real Estate, situated in  
Reeves and Loving Counties, described as  
follows, to-wit:  
All the right, title and interest of the  
Sunshine Oil Corporation in and to the  
Oil and Gas, or other mineral, lease or  
the following described lands to-wit:  
Sub-divisions 1, 2 and 3 of Block No. 8  
also Subdivision 3 of Block No. 4 and  
all of blocks Nos. 9 and 10, all of said  
tracts being out of Brown's Subdivision  
of 425 acres of Section 4, Block 4, H. &  
G. N. R. R. Co. Survey in Reeves County,  
Texas, and containing 131 acres more or  
less.  
The Southeast 92 acres in Section 96  
Block 4, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey in  
Reeves County, Texas.  
Section 32, Block 4, H. & G. N. R. R. Co.  
Survey in Reeves County, Texas.  
Southeast one-fourth of Section 75  
Block 4, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey in  
Reeves County, Texas. (160)  
North three-eighths of Section 68, Block  
4, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey in Reeves  
County, Texas. (236 acres).  
Section 72, Block 4, H. & G. N. R. R. Co.  
Survey in Reeves County, Texas.  
The West one-half of Section 75, Block  
4, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey, in Reeves  
County, Texas.  
Section 20, Block 54, Township 4, T. &  
P. R. R. Co. Survey in Reeves County,  
Texas.  
West 560 acres of Section 26, Block 4  
H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey, Reeves County  
Texas.  
North one-half of South-west one-fourth  
of Section 69, Block 4, in Reeves County  
Texas. (80 acres).  
Section 28, Block 4, Abstract No. 1892  
H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey in Reeve-  
County, Texas.  
West 120 acres of North one-half of  
Section 5, Block 4, H. & G. N. R. R. Co.  
Survey in Reeves County, Texas.  
North-west 480 acres in Section 23  
Block C-9, Public School Land, Reeves  
County, Texas.  
570 acres of land in Section 43, Block 4  
H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey in Reeves  
County, Texas. Description reference be-  
ing Vol. 1 of the Mineral Lease Records of  
Reeves County, Texas, page 38 (38).  
Twenty acres in Section 69, Block 4  
H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey in Reeves  
County, Texas. Description reference be-  
ing Vol. 24 of the Deed Records of Reeves  
County, Texas, page 464.  
Southeast 166 acres of Section 77  
Block 4, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey in  
Reeves County, Texas.  
West one-half of Section 205, Block 13  
H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey in Reeves  
County, Texas.  
Sections 293 and 303, Block 13, H. &  
G. N. R. R. Co. Survey in Reeves Co. Tex  
South-west 143 acres of Section 76  
Block 4, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey in  
Reeves County, Texas.  
100 acres in Section 38, Block 4, H. & G.  
N. R. R. Co. Survey in Reeves County  
Texas. Description reference being Vol. 3  
of the Patent Records of Reeves County  
Texas, page 388.  
North one-half of the North one-half of  
the North-west one-fourth of Section 45  
Block 4, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey in  
Reeves County, Texas.  
Center one-third of the South one-half  
of Section 31, and the East three-fourth  
of the North one-half of the North-east  
one-fourth of Section 50, Block 4, H. & G.  
N. R. R. Survey in Reeves County, Texas.  
South-west one-fourth of Section 58  
Block 4, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey in  
Reeves County, Texas. (155 acres more  
or less).  
West one-half of Section 3, Block 4  
H. & G. N. R. R. Survey, except 100 acres  
lying along the southeasterly boundary  
line of said last 1/2 of Section 3.  
All of Section 18, Block C-26, Loving  
County, Texas, except lots 191 to 200 and  
221 to 240, inclusive, of the subdivision  
of said Section.  
East one-half of Section 8, Block 29  
Loving County, Texas.  
Undivided one-half interest on mineral  
rights on Sections 9, 10, 14, 15, 16, 17,  
18, 19, 20, Block 56, Public School Land  
in Reeves County, Texas.  
West 250 acres of Section 14 and all  
of Section 17, both in Block C-18, P. S.  
Land in Reeves County, Texas.  
Sections 15 and 16 in Block C-18, Public  
School Land, in Reeves County, Texas.  
Section 6, Block 4, H. & G. N. R. R.  
Co. Survey in Reeves County, Texas.  
135 acres in Section 29, Block 4, H. &  
G. N. R. R. Co. Survey in Reeves County  
Texas, being the same premises conveyed  
to J. W. Curtis, deceased, by W. H.  
Houston and H. Bird and W. E. Mc-  
Anely by deed duly recorded in the office  
of the County Clerk of the County of  
Reeves, State of Texas.  
Section 12 and the North one-half of  
Section 13, both in Block 3, H. & G. N.  
R. R. Co. Survey in Reeves County, Texas.  
Section 2 and the E. one-half of Section  
3 in Block 4, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey  
Reeves County, Texas.  
And levied upon as the property of  
said Sunshine Oil Corporation. And on  
Tuesday, the 7th day of February, 1922  
at the Court House door of Reeves County  
in the town of Pecos, Texas, between the  
hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I will  
sell said leases on lands at public vendue  
for cash, to the highest bidder, as the  
property of said Sunshine Oil Corporation  
by virtue of said levy and said execution  
And in compliance with law, I give  
notice by publication, in the English lan-  
guage, once a week for three consecu-  
tive weeks immediately preceding said  
day of sale, in the Enterprise and Pecos  
Times, a newspaper published in Reeves  
County.  
Witness my hand, this 12th day of  
January, 1922.  
E. B. KISER,  
Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas  
By R. G. MIDDLETON, Deputy  
22-4t.  
(Legal Advertisements)

E. B. KISER,  
Sheriff Reeves County, Texas  
(Legal Advertisements)

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

The State of Texas,  
County of Reeves.  
By virtue of a certain Order of Sale  
issued out of the Honorable District Court  
of Reeves County, on the third day of  
January, 1922, by S. C. Vaughan, Clerk  
of said Court, against Jack Cassidy, C. O.  
Lund, and D. A. Bertrand, for the sum  
of Twenty-three hundred thirty-nine and  
37/100 (\$2339.37) Dollars and costs of suit  
in cause No. 2209 in said Court, styled B.  
F. Wylie versus Jack Cassidy, C. O. Lund  
and D. A. Bertrand, and placed in my  
hands for service, I, E. B. Kiser, as Sheriff  
of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 3rd  
day of January, 1922, levy on certain Real  
Estate, situated in Reeves County, Texas,  
described as follows, to-wit:  
All of Block No. Forty-four (44), of the  
West Park Addition to the town of Pecos  
City, Texas, in said Reeves County, Texas,  
according to a map or plat of said Addi-  
tion of record in the Deed Records of  
Reeves County, Texas; and levied upon as  
the property of said Jack Cassidy, C. O.  
Lund and D. A. Bertrand, and on Tuesday  
the seventh (7th) day of February, 1922  
at the Court House door of Reeves County  
in the town of Pecos City, Texas, between  
the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I  
will sell said real estate at public vendue  
for cash, to the highest bidder, as the  
property of said Jack Cassidy, C. O. Lund  
and D. A. Bertrand, by virtue of said levy  
and said order of sale.  
And in compliance with law, I give this  
notice by publication, in English language  
once a week for three consecutive weeks  
immediately preceding said day of sale  
in the Pecos Enterprise, a newspaper pub-  
lished in Reeves County.  
Witness my hand, this 3rd day of Janu-  
ary, 1922.  
E. B. KISER,  
Sheriff Reeves County, Texas  
By R. G. MIDDLETON, Deputy  
22-4t.  
(Legal Advertisements)

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

The State of Texas  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves  
County Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded to sum-  
mon Woolf Teitel, Lottie Teitel, J. Buel  
Warren and J. W. Ganzhorn by makin-  
publication of this Citation once in each  
week for four successive weeks previous to  
the return day hereof, in some newspaper  
published in your County, to appear at the  
next regular term of the District Court  
of Reeves County, to be holden at the  
Court House thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on  
the fourth Monday in April, 1922, the  
same being the 24th day of April, 1922,  
then and there to answer a petition, filed  
in said Court on the 6th day of January,  
1922, in a suit, numbered on the Docket  
of said Court No. 2227 wherein Mrs. Mary  
Young, joined by her husband, E. W.  
Young, is Plaintiff, and E. G. Doty, C.  
W. Croom, Woolf Teitel, Lottie Teitel  
J. Buel Warren and J. W. Ganzhorn are  
Defendants.  
The same being a suit brought by Mrs.  
Mary Young, joined pro forma by her  
husband, E. W. Young, to cancel and  
set aside a certain Oil and Gas Lease and  
certain Assignments thereof, which lease  
was made by Mrs. Mary Young and  
husband, E. W. Young, to E. C. Doty  
dated October 1, 1919, covering certain  
subdivisions of Section No. 25, in Block  
No. 4, H. & G. N. Ry. Co. Survey in  
Reeves County, Texas, said sub-divisions  
aggregating 240 acres, which is all the  
land covered by said lease. But that  
part of said land upon which said lease  
is sought by this suit to be cancelled is  
better known and described as tracts Nos.  
9, 11, 15, 17, 18, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27,  
29, 30, 31, 32, and 33, and being sub-  
divisions of said Section No. 25 in Block  
No. 4, H. & G. N. Ry. Co. Survey in  
Reeves County, Texas, said last mentioned  
fifteen sub-divisions aggregating 170 acres  
of land, being only a portion of the land  
covered by said original lease. Said suit  
is brought to cancel said lease, and the assign-  
ment thereof, held by the defendants, for  
the non-payment of rentals and also for  
failure to commence a well upon any part  
of said land covered by said original lease,  
as specified and stipulated in said original  
lease, whereby the said lease became void  
as to all parties. Plaintiff in said suit also  
prays for judgment not only cancelling  
said lease, but also quieting her in her  
title and removing cloud from her title.  
Herein fail not, but have before said  
Court, on the said first day of the next  
term thereof, this writ, with your return  
thereon, showing how you have executed  
the same.  
Witness S. C. Vaughan, Clerk of the  
District Court of Reeves County.  
Given under my hand and the seal of  
said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this  
6th day of January, 1922.  
(SEAL) S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk.  
District Court, Reeves County  
By H. P. KERR, Deputy.  
Issued this 6th day of January, 1922  
S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk  
H. P. KERR, Deputy.  
22-4t.  
(Legal Advertisements)

The Guinness Tonic Does Not Affect the Head  
Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXA-  
TIVE BRONCH QUININE is better than ordinary  
Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor  
ringing in head. Remember the full name and  
look for the signature of E. W. GROVES 30c.

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- Sale Option Contract
- Mineral Transfer Deed
- Affidavit to An Account
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JUST SO IT'S PRINTING, THE ENTERPRISE  
CAN DO IT AND DO IT JUST A LITTLE BET-  
TER THAN THE OTHER FELLOW. THERE'S  
A NIFTY, PLEASING APPEARANCE ABOUT  
EVERY JOB TURNED OUT OF THIS OFFICE  
—AND YOU AND THE ONE TO WHOM YOU  
WRITE OR SEND PRINTED MATTER KNOW  
IT IS AS GOOD AS THE BEST

## THE PECOS ENTERPRISE

PERSONAL

B. C. Lanier was over from Toyah early in the week and set his dates to January 1, 1923.

Mrs. Frank J. Billingsie and Mrs. C. C. Davis of Toyah, were business visitors in Pecos Monday and pleasant callers at The Enterprise office.

Mrs. Roy Wilcox and baby son, Bobbie, returned home Tuesday from a visit of several weeks to her parents at Sand Springs, Oklahoma.

Mrs. David Tudor returned home last week from Dublin where she had been on a visit for a few weeks to home folk.

Mrs. Oscar Shelton and two little sons, of Sanderson are in Pecos visiting their aunt, Mrs. J. E. Eisenwine and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hoef and children have returned from a visit of several weeks to relatives at Ozona and Fort Stockton.

The friends of Mrs. M. A. Piercy will be pleased to know that she is recovering from a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Pecos citizens will be interested in hearing that E. P. Turner, an old-time friend, charming gentleman and expert railroader, has returned to the Pecos country and is now engaged in development work in the Toyah field.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lewis are the happy parents of a new eight-pound baby girl which came to their home Tuesday, morning January 24.

County Judge J. F. Ross left today for Van Horn where he will confer with the bondsmen of the lamented W. E. Hamilton in regard to securing completion of the road building contract which the deceased held with this county. It is said that Mr. Hamilton had a well organized road-building force and that his finances were in good shape to carry out the contract as originally planned.

H. H. Johnson, superintendent of the Baptist Sunday School, has been advised by the denominational Sunday School board at Nashville, Tenn., that up to last week 26 of his student body had qualified for A-1 standard.

Word came this week from Uncle Joe Seay, who is now in Dallas, asking that his name be put on The Enterprise subscription list. Uncle Joe is now so much improved in health that he has been dismissed by physicians, and his Reeves county friends, knowing his disposition, will be looking for him back in Pecos in a short while.

Mrs. Frank Kelton is in the eastern markets selecting her stock of millinery for the spring trade. Mrs. Kelton will this season occupy with her millinery a portion of the Dawson building just south of the Pecos Hotel, which is occupied by the Pecos Light & Ice Company as offices. Mrs. Kelton has been in this business in Pecos for years and has many friends who will be glad to learn that she is to open her millinery parlors again this season.

H. T. Newell of Pitchfork, Wyoming, has been in Pecos for the past ten days in a visit to his mother, "Grandma" Newell, and his brother, "Nick." Mr. Newell is a prosperous farmer and stockman of his section. The Newell's are of the oldest, if not the very oldest, settlers in this part of the country and came here when Pecos was yet unborn and moved with the town to its present location.

W. R. Birdwell of Pyote, writes to the Enterprise enclosing his check for two dollars for a re-newal of his subscription and further says: "Say, John, it is awful dry out here, wish you would order some rain. Cattle are looking fairly well yet." The Enterprise immediately ordered the rain and it commenced Tuesday night with a steady, slow rain. Mr. Birdwell is one of our very best citizens and anything the Enterprise can do for his comfort, happiness or prosperity—or all three combined—it will gladly do. When you want anything, friend Birdwell, except money, call on The Enterprise and if no harder than an order for a light shower the editor will be glad to try to get it for you.

EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM Sunday Jan. 29, 1922.

"God in our Lives." Song—No. 9. Prayer. Offering. Scripture Reading, Gal. 5, 16-26—Franky Wilson. Luke 8 4-15—Ida Lawson. James 3, 13-17—Olene Rhodes.

Silent Prayer. Topic Discussion. 1. The Fruits of Sin—Lucile Thurston.

2. The Fruits of Righteousness.—Mary Ellen Coon. 3. God in our Lives, make these fruits possible—Dorothy Slak. Debate.

Are the young people today better or worse than the young people of fifty years ago. Negative.—Donald Runyon. Affirmative.—Oscar Thurston. Song—No. 75. Benediction.

Tania is manufactured in one of the largest and most modernly equipped laboratories in the country. Sold by Pecos Drug Co.

Eight Young Men Caught Gambling

Eight young men were enmeshed in the drag-net which was spread a few nights ago by local officers for the followers of the gentle art of gambling, and the evidence appeared so conclusive that they were "caught with the goods" that each and all of them made a wild rush to the judge of the city court to enter pleas of guilty and separate themselves from \$16.70 per individual.

The next rush of a number of the party was to the Enterprise office where they impertuned the editor to withhold their names from the public print, to which we acquiesce, not for their sakes, but for the sake of some dear mother of these recreant sons. Some people don't appear to realize the enormity of a crime until they are caught and faced with public exposure.

Only One Bid Received for Core Drilling

Several local citizens were in Carlsbad the latter part of last week to obtain the results of the calling for bids for the reclamation department for the core drilling of the Red Bluff and other proposed irrigation projects in the Pecos section.

As only one bid was received, it being for \$7.50 per foot, it was declared rejected by the department. Another call for bids for the drilling will be issued by the department, it is said.

CARD OF THANKS

We extend our deep and sincere thanks to those who so sympathetically assisted us in the trying hours of the last illness and death of our husband and father, W. E. Hamilton.

Words express inadequately the lasting impression made by kindness when the burdens became over-heavy, and only in a measure therefore, may we tell you how much your thoughtfulness means to us at this time.

Yours very truly, MRS. W. E. HAMILTON AND FAMILY.

E. G. DOTY.

E. G. Doty announces in this issue of The Enterprise for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Reeves and Loving counties. Ed has been a resident of Pecos since the "woods were burnt" and everybody knows him. He has served as deputy sheriff here and knows the duties of a sheriff and is well qualified to fill the office and solicits your support in the coming primary election.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank the good people of Pecos who were so kind and sympathetic to us in the death and burial of our brother, Gunner Irvin Tholander, and especially are we indebted to the members of the local post American Legion for their thoughtful service.

STANLEY THOLANDER. MRS. F. W. PIEHLER.

FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

The Fifth Sunday meeting of the Pecos Valley Baptist association opened Thursday night with the Baptist church at Balmorhea. Rev. J. M. Garner, of Pecos, will preach the opening sermon.

Mrs. S. F. Beddoe, of Dallas will be present and address the association. Rev. J. J. Kellam, also of Dallas, has been secured to conduct a protracted meeting for the Balmorhea church at the conclusion of the meeting Sunday evening.

J. W. HUDGINS

J. W. Hudgens announces, in this week's Enterprise, his candidacy for the office of city marshal subject to the wishes of the voters at the city election in April. Joe, as he is more familiarly known, is one of the old-time citizens of Pecos and needs no introduction to our people. He is a good man and fully capable of discharging the duties of the office and will appreciate your vote and influence.

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTICE

Sunday Jan. 29, 1922. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor.

The three B. Y. P. U.'s. will meet at 6:30 p. m.

Story telling for the small children of parents desiring to attend the morning service will be under the direct supervision of Mrs. H. H. Johnson, who is a specialist in this line. We have a comfortable room suitably equipped for the little folks, and the pastor feels that this is a great opportunity both for the little folks and the mothers. Come and bring the children.

The combined morning service is a special feature these days and is getting splendid results, the Superintendent and pastor have a happy surprise in store for the Intermediate boys, which will be made known at the close of the Sunday School service. Boys, be there.

Don't forget the Business Men's Bible class that meets at the Rialto Theater every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. It is growing in interest and attendance.

J. M. GARNER, Pastor.

If you have tire trouble phone 288.

Palestine Pageant Closes Engagement

Dr. Allen Moore of Pasadena, California, closed his services of lectures in Pecos Monday night and left Wednesday for Midland where he will appear in a similar role for a week.

The lectures and Palestine pageant of Dr. Moore drew full houses at the Methodist church and on Sunday and Monday nights the lectures were held at the Baptist church in order to have the larger auditorium to seat the large gathering in attendance. The last lecture and pageant was a repetition of the one given at the Methodist church Thursday night of last week, which was not witnessed by many of our people on account of the exceedingly inclement weather. It was again given by special request from a number of our citizens—some of whom declared they would gladly give a dollar to see it repeated—and it was worth the price at that.

Those of our people who attended these lectures will hereafter read their Bibles more understandingly and with greater interest, since it was made plain to them that literally the people of Palestine are living today as they did during Christ's lifetime, and many were the specimens of ancient and present day souvenirs and costumes of the Holy Land an exhibition which will make the reading of the Bible more interesting.

Dr. Moore spent seventeen years as a Missionary in Palestine and the barbarous states of Africa and has a store of knowledge which is unsurpassed and which he reels off as easily and fluently as do the present day boys the points of a football game or game of marbles. He is a learned gentleman and his very pleasant visit to Pecos will not be forgotten by our people.

The world will be better for him having lived in it. May he live long and his good work continue.

Mrs. Amelia Wilson of Pacific Grove, California, who works with him is very pleasant and a great help in this noble work.

GUNNER I. THOLANDER

The body of Gunner I. Tholander, aged 29 years, a survivor of the World War, who died last week at Tucson, Ariz., where he had been invalided in a hospital by the government for the treatment of tuberculosis, which malady was contracted by the young man following gassing while at the front, arrived here Monday and received burial at Fairview cemetery in the afternoon.

The body was met at the station by Mrs. F. W. Piehler, a sister of the young man, who resides in this city, his brother, Stanley Tholander, who resides at U. Paul, Minn., having been at his bedside when he died and who accompanied the remains here. The body was taken to the home of his sister, where funeral services were held by Rev. L. L. Thurston.

The casket bearing the body of the World War veteran was draped with the American flag, while beautiful floral wreaths traced the words "Brother." The pall bearers were taken from the ranks of the local post of the American Legion, in the persons of: James, William, and John Ross, Tom McClure, Floyd Oden and Capt. W. W. Dean. The body of the fallen ex-soldier was thus reverently placed beside that of a sister who rests in the local cemetery.

The young man is survived by the sister and brother previously mentioned. His parents were natives of Sweden, and are now dead.

While young Tholander was not known in Pecos outside of his immediate family, yet the sympathy of the hosts of the city attend the brother and sister in this sad hour of bereavement.

The fact that the galleries at the Methodist church had to be closed last week to prevent the young folk—or at least some of them—from disturbing the worship is far from being a credit to the parents of the guilty ones. Children who will not keep quiet in church on any occasion would best be forced to sit by the father or mother who could take a crack at the noodle when they become too obstreperous.

Uncle John's Joke

YOU CAN'T PAINT ON A BLUSH THAT'S GOOD FOR ANYTHING



IN THE COUNTY COURT

The following criminal cases have been disposed of in the county court since the last issue of The Enterprise:

Simon Terrazas, charged with the theft of a shotgun from H. C. Zimmer Hardware Co., fined \$50 and sixty days in jail.

Hosea Cortez was convicted of theft of clothing at Toyah and assessed ten days in jail.

Fernando Ruiz, charged with theft of a \$60 overcoat at Toyah, was given ten days in jail.

Chas. Matthews, negro, charged with forging checks, waived preliminary hearing and was bound over to the grand jury with bail fixed at \$750.

Joe Hale, charged with theft of hat and other articles of clothing at Toyah, was assessed ten days in jail for the purloining of the sky piece, and the other articles in the bill of information formed the basis for a continuance of case.

PECOS GETS A RAIN

A slow penetrating rain which made all the landscape assume an oozy-woozy, slippery and sliding surface, spelling grief to travelers and joy to those who were not in such a hurry to get about, fell in the Pecos section Monday morning. Fog and mists enveloped the city and valley from the time of the rain until Thursday afternoon, causing some to think that our climate had gone the way of the Gulf or Pacific coasts. But the clouds were dissipated and the sun shone out with all of its Pecos Valley brightness yesterday afternoon. The rainfall during the spell must have measured more than a quarter of an inch, not counting the heavy-laden fog which possessed enough moisture to drive a chill clear through your bones to the marrow.

MEMORABILIA

By Maj. Thos. H. Bomor.

Does The Enterprise know? And how many Texas newspapers know or can tell off hand the name of a Texas born lady who visiting several of the most brilliant courts of Europe, was at each and all feted by these grand monarchs as the most beautiful, accomplished and charming lady of modern times.

I had the pleasure of entertaining her, and her charming daughter, for several days.

And by the way the heir apparent of one of the most powerful governments in the world who afterward become its ruler, stood as God-father for this little child. Who was she?

Ladies, Await My Showing of the Early Spring Millinery

I am now in the Eastern Markets selecting the cream of the new season's offerings. I am confident you will be pleased with the showing. I feel that my faithful service to the Pecos ladies in the past is an earnest of my desire and ability to serve them now.

MILADY'S STORE

Mrs. Frank Kelton, Prop. New Location—Electric Light Co.'s Office

PRUETT LUMBER CO.

Twenty-five years experience in Pecos should give us an idea about how to supply your wants. We are always on the job. Lumber prices have hit the bottom. Now is the time to get ready for the next oil boom which is expected daily.

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At present prices represent the biggest values ever offered to the tire-buying public. The quality is better than ever; only unusual manufacturing conditions and large volume have made the present low prices possible.

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