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COUNTY MEET AT BALMORHEA APRIL SEVENTH AND EIGHTH

The high school is looking forward to the county meet of the University Interscholastic League which is to be held at Balmorhea with quite a bit of interest. At this time the representatives of Reeves county will be selected. A full program for all the events will be pulled off. The fireworks will start with a preliminary in tennis between Pecos and Toyah. By agreement these two towns will play in tennis and be ready to have the winner in the match play Balmorhea in the meet. This contest in preliminary tennis may be held this Saturday.

The days set for the county meet is Friday and Saturday, April 7 and 8. At this time the best speakers, runners, debaters, spellers, both juniors and seniors in the various schools in Reeves county will gather at Balmorhea to match wits and skill. The ones proving the superior in these arts will represent the county at the district meet to be held in Pecos, April 14 and 15.

The executive committee met in Pecos some time ago and outlined a program to be followed in the county meet. The program as agreed would begin with tennis singles Saturday morning not later than 9:30 and at nine if possible. The other tennis games to be played off in the forenoon as fast as the courts will allow.

Program is as follows:
9:00—Tennis.
11:00—Spelling both juniors and seniors.
11:00—Debate, girls.
12:00—Dinner.
2:00—P. M.—Field and Track events.
8:00—P. M.—Junior declamation.

Senior declamations.
Boys' debate.
All the schools of the county are entering the declamations and athletic events. Three are entering tennis, Pecos, Balmorhea and Toyah. Two schools are offering debate Pecos and Balmorhea, both boys' and girls'.

We expect a large number of Pecos people to go to Balmorhea for the meet. We expect to have a great time, not too easy but will bring some of the events back with us.

SLACK JEWELRY CO. MAKING SPECIALTY OF FITTING GLASSES

The Slack Jewelry Co., are now located in the office between Stephen's barber shop and Norwood's grocery. They have a very neat appearing place with ample room and are, according to Mr. Slack, kept busy and while this is a fact they are more prompt in turning out work than in the past. They have recently installed up-to-date machines for testing the vision and, according to Mr. Slack, have no chance for a mistake. Since the installation of these machines Mr. Slack says they are doing a land office business and with each and every one a pleased customer.

Monroe Slack, the manager has put in oodles of time under the electric light studying the latest in eye troubles and their remedies and believes he is thoroughly capable to fit the worst cases perfectly. His shop is a credit to his firm as well as to the city of Pecos.

Texas' Deepest Well Now at 5,031 Feet

Austin, Texas, Mar. 24.—The oil and gas division of the Railroad Commission has received a report of an oil well being drilled near Pecos, Texas, where the drill at the time of the report was 5,031 feet deep. At that depth no oil had been struck. The well is said to be the deepest ever drilled in Texas.

Editor's Note—The oil and gas division of the Railroad Commission of the State of Texas, U. S. A., appears to be greatly behind the times in making a report on this test, as it was at 5,031 feet that some oil was struck on March 9.

SELL 1000 HEAD OF STEERS
H. F. Anthony has just closed a deal for Clarence Cowden and Fred Leek of Monahans in which they transfer to Wichita, Kansas parties 1000 head of one and three-year-old steers, at private terms. The stuff was shipped through Pecos Tuesday afternoon, and comprised eighteen car loads, going to Kansas pastures. This is one of the biggest shipments of livestock from the Pecos country in some time.

GEMETERY ASS'N NAMES APR. 7-8 CLEAN-UP DAYS

Any and all persons owning lots in Fairview Cemetery are hereby informed that April 7 and 8 have been designated by the Cemetery Association as clean-up days, and such persons are requested to clean up and remove from their lots the weeds and trash that may have accumulated there during the past winter months.

The association have in mind a plan whereby with the co-operation of all individuals interested in the cemetery it may be beautified and cared for and such persons are invited to attend a meeting of the association to be held at the Baptist church Wednesday, April 5th.

Whether you are a member of the association or not you are requested to be present as a matter of extreme interest to every citizen in Pecos will be discussed.

Fairview Cemetery Association.

SOME LOW-BROWED THIEF STEALS C. CALHOUN'S CAR

The Ford touring car which Clem Calhoun, of 3718 Dyer street, bought on February 20 was stolen Friday afternoon of last week from the San Jacinto plaza on North Mesa avenue while Mr. Calhoun was working.

The license number of the car is 673,454, the seal number is 452,145. This is the 13th automobile reported stolen since March 1.—El Paso Herald.

LUCIAN W. PARRISH, NOTED TEXAN, DIES AT WICHITA FALLS

Congressman Lucian W. Parrish of the Thirteenth district and candidate for the United States Senate, died at 9:30 o'clock Monday evening at Wichita Falls.

The death ends a near two weeks fight for life following an automobile accident near Roby on the night of March 15. It was at first thought that the Congressman's injuries would not prove fatal, although his jaw and skull were fractured. Cerebral meningitis later set in and little hope for his recovery has been entertained since.

The story of Lucian Walton Parrish is that of the poor boy who overcame grave obstacles and rose rapidly from a position of obscurity to one of prominence by his own efforts. He knew the plaudits of the multitude on the athletic field and his ears had tingled with the buzzing that attends political achievement, and in the beginning his was the commonplace existence of one of nine children on his father's Grayson county farm.

Mr. Parrish was serving his second term in the lower house of congress. Parrish was a native of Grayson county, Texas, having been born at Van Alstyne, January 10, 1878. He attended the public schools finishing with a seven year course at the University of Texas.

He started life as a cowpuncher and practically educated himself until he entered college. Although he did not enter the university until he was 24 or 25 years old, he was captain of both the football and track teams.

CAPTURE MOONSHINE STILL

Sheriff E. B. Kiser and Deputy R. G. Middleton, accompanied by Deputy Will Massie of Balmorhea, Sunday visited a ranching property some twenty-eight miles southeast of Pecos and after a search of the premises unearthed all the parts of a moonshine still except the "worm," as well as other paraphernalia which is said to form a part of an illicit booze manufactory. The parts to the still were found buried near a dug-out, in which the officers believe the outfit was operated. Two arrests were made in connection with the discovery, both of whom contend they have no knowledge of the ownership of the still, or how it came to be located on their ranch. The parties arrested are brothers, and have made bond for their appearance in the federal court when the case will be heard on its merits.

METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL GROWING

The record at the church of the M. E. Sunday school last Sabbath shows a healthy growth and Supt. Rutledge is delighted at the showing. Last Sabbath the attendance reached 224 as against 191 the previous Sunday.

Illinois Child of Six Explores Seven Months in African Jungle



Alice Hastings, 6-year-old girl of Illinois, has just returned from a year spent in the jungles of Kivu country, Belgian Congo, Africa. Her experiences, of being carried through jungles by natives, as shown above; seeing lions and gorillas slain, and visiting with pigmy tribes, vie with Alice's Wonderland adventures.

Her father, a Chicago lawyer, was a member of Carl E. Akeley's exploring party. Her mother and two other women also made the trip.

Alice, though only 5 years old at the time, was taller than the chief of a pigmy tribe visited. He thought her curls false. She was the first white child the tribe had ever seen. The insert shows Alice as she arrived in New York last week.

MISS GLAYDS THURSTON BROUGHT HOME FOR AN OPERATION

That trouble often does not come single handed but in bunches, was manifest to Rev. L. L. Thurston and family in messages which reached them last Saturday and Sunday, the first being from their son, Herschel, at Clarendon College, advising of his serious illness. A later message from him did not make it imperative that members of his family attend his illness, much to their gratification.

Following this message on Sunday, Rev. Thurston and his wife were advised of the serious illness of their daughter, Miss Glady's, at San Juan, N. M., where she is teaching school, who was stricken with appendicitis, recommending that an operation be performed. Rev. Thurston secured the services of A. J. Curtis and his car to drive him to San Juan, taking all of Sunday night and most of the daylight hours of Monday. Reaching his daughter Rev. Thurston decided to return to Pecos with her, and if an operation is deemed necessary, it will be performed by local surgeons. The father and his sick daughter arrived home this afternoon by rail.

Mr. Curtis upon divvying Rev. Thurston at San Juan, left in his car for Plainview, where he will visit a brother for a few days before returning home.

WATER USERS' MEET

The board of directors of the Pecos Valley Water Users' association met in the Chamber of Commerce offices Monday to hear a report of the by-laws committee which was recently appointed to draft rules and regulations for the government of the body. A set of by-laws were approved at this meeting, but an adjourned meeting of the body will be held at Barstow Monday, April 10, at which time a basis to determine the voting power of each district comprising the association will be worked out.

SOMETHING NEW IN PECOS

Norwood's Cash Grocery sprang into active life the first of this week in entirely new quarters and fixtures in the Warn-Lipscomb building on the corner diagonally northeast from the public fountain. The equipment and arrangements look as new and fresh as a new peace dollar and Mr. Norwood assumes the direction of the enterprise just like an old hand, which he is in a measure, from past mercantile experience. He will be assisted in the service by Jesse Williams, who came just recently from Saragosa.

ISN'T WORTH IT

From Wayside Tales: "At's a wuthless man I's got, Miss Jenny." "Why don't you get rid of him?" "Sue him for divorce." "Divorce? You say a divorce? Why chile, a divorce ud cost me fifty dollahs, an' Ah ain't got no munny to waste on that niggah."

EASTERN CAPITAL AGAIN INVESTING IN TEXAS OIL FIELDS

"General business conditions have improved very rapidly in the East during the past few weeks—manufacturers in nearly every line of industry have reported large increases in orders and hundreds of factories which a short time ago were either closed down entirely or running at part time, have opened up and many are running at full capacity."

This is the general summing up of the business situation by Charles W. Barton, assistant publisher of the New York Morning Telegraph. In his review of business conditions Barton has considerable to say regarding the oil business, especially in Texas. He visited the Texas fields in January and will be in Fort Worth again about April 1, from where he will make another survey of the oil situation in Texas.

In his review Barton touches at length on the labor and money conditions. He states that the unemployment situation is taking care of itself and that men who really want to work are finding jobs offered them at fair wages. He states that New York bankers report steady increase in deposits and that call money is still very cheap though bankers have been lending money very freely recently.

"One can hardly pick up any of the leading newspapers now without noting articles by bankers and editorial columns or on the financial pages, which indicate clearly that the country is due for an era of great prosperity. Recent issues contain strong statements from such well known people as R. G. Dun, Bradstreet and Judge Elbert L. Gary, head of the United States Steel Corporation. All of these men state emphatically that business is improving very fast and that prosperity is staring us in the face."

"The stock market has climbed steadily with only few slight reactions until many stocks now are selling near their former high levels. United States Steel, which is the barometer of the stock market, as well as an indicator of the financial condition of the country, has climbed from around 70 to 96 and will unquestionably sell above par before long. Wall Street operators know that when steel advances, all good stocks advance with it. A genuine bull market is going on in the East and oil stock are still the favorites."

"Because of the fact that it is no longer possible to buy listed stocks cheap or to make large profits in bonds, investors in the East have turned to unlisted securities and Texas oil stocks are receiving a great deal of attention."

Texas oil men will remember the flood of Eastern capital which poured into Texas during 1919-20 as a result of the extensive publicity which was appearing in all the Eastern papers regarding the Texas oil fields. Eastern papers again are beginning to publish articles about the new Texas oil fields and these articles are causing Eastern capitalists once more to invest thousands of dollars in oil stocks.

"There is not the slightest chance of a national blue sky bill passing," said Barton. "Such a law might get by in some States, but New York would never stand for it. The big Wall Street interests have too much at stake to allow such a bill to pass in New York. Oil companies are being financed in New York every week and there is no question but that millions of dollars of Eastern capital will come to Texas during the next few months."

Regarding the failure of a large number of brokerage houses, so-called bucket shops, Barton stated that these houses were naturally forced out of business by the steadily rising stock market. When customers placed orders for stocks with these brokers, the orders were not executed. The stock never were bought hence when the market rose rapidly and customers demanded their profits, the bucket shops were unable to meet their obligations and were forced out of business. So many failures coming at once naturally caused some investigation by the District Attorney, but it was a healthy cleanup which has left the market in a much stronger technical position than ever.

"Warm weather always opens up hundreds of new channels for oil consumption and with the steadily increasing demand for oil and gas, further advances in the price of crude are looked for," declared Barton. "The big falling off in Mexico production is a big help to United States oil companies who are looking forward to a big year."—Star-Telegram, Fort Worth.

Judge Harry MacTier was up from Toyah for a day or two this week on business.

TOYAH-BELL WELL FLOWS BY HEADS LAST 48 HOURS

The Toyah-Bell has been flowing almost continuously for the past couple of days, according to those who have visited the well. While the flow has not been of appreciable volume as it must come through a small opening and around the broken casing spear which was caught in the casing at the time the derrick fell a couple of weeks ago.

The derrick has been completed and tools needed for the pulling of the casing were received Thursday afternoon. As soon as the casing is pulled the water will be brought under control in an effort to increase the flow of oil from the well. The Toyah-Bell is being drilled by the Ramsey Oil Co., on section 30, block 1, W. & N. W. survey, Loving county.

BELL WELL NO. 1

The gas flow at the Bell well No. 1, which blew in two weeks ago at an estimated volume of 30 million cubic feet daily, and which was said by the driller to have settled down to between 8 and 10 million feet daily was brought under control Thursday when specially made buckets six feet in length filled with sand, rocks and cement had been forced into the well. Cement was then poured into the well in order to form an impervious cover, and after the cement has set the hole will again be bailed dry, the casing pulled and the hole reamed.

The purpose of shutting off the flow of gas is to obtain better working conditions while the hole is reamed out 400 feet and casing reset below all water strata. The drill will then be sent through the gas-producing formation into what is believed will be a very productive oil sand. The well is 2739 feet deep, the gas having blown out eight additional feet during the two weeks that it has been running wild.

The Bell No. 1 is being drilled by the Dixieland Syndicate on S. W. 1/4 section 20, block 2, H. & G. N. Ry. survey.

RIVER WELL NO. 2

Six inch casing is being set in the River well at approximately 3500 feet. As soon as this work is completed the hole will be bailed dry and the bit drilled into the dark lime formation, which by comparison with other wells drilled in this field, leads to the conclusion that an oil sand may be found underneath. The lime is nearly black, of caprock hardness, and carries a slight showing of oil. Considerable delay has been occasioned at this well the past week owing to boiler trouble, which was overcome by the installation of a new one. The river well is 12 miles east of Pecos, being drilled by the Arthur-Pitts Oil Co., on 25-33 H. & T. C., in Ward county.

THE LAURA WELL

The Laura well, drilled by the Sunshine-Federal Corporation on section 17, block 4, H. & G. N. Ry. survey, has not been able to resume work since filling cave-in with cement and sand just below the 2300-foot level as a lowering of tools into the hole showed that the mass of filling had not hardened sufficiently.

PECOS-ANGELES

The Pecos-Angeles is shut down awaiting the arrival of a new cable which should be here Saturday. The new line is to replace an old one which broke while drilling at a 1300-foot level. As night and day shifts are now working at this test, fast progress is expected from here out.

PINAL DOME WELL

The Pinal Dome well in Loving county, is drilling at 5205 feet. This test is by odds the deepest in Texas. Some oil was struck at 5031 and 5050 feet.

WILLOUGHBY NO. 1

Willoughby No. 1, being drilled by the Willoughby Petroleum Co., on the Cowan ranch in western Reeves county, is setting casing at 550 feet.

"BUCKIE" BOYLE DEAD

Rufus M., better known as "Buckie" Boyle, of Toyah, who was brought here Monday for an operation, died Thursday night at 11 o'clock. Mr. Boyle was operated upon immediately upon his arrival in the city, as he had been suffering for two weeks of appendicitis. His appendix is said to have burst and formed an abscess. Deceased was about 57 years of age and well known over the Pecos country. He was unmarried. A brother, P. A. Boyle, of New Mexico, was at the bedside of the stricken man when death claimed him. His body will be buried at Toyah Saturday morning.

Mr. H. D. Slater is here from her home in California on business.

TRAIN SCHEDULES

TEXAS & PACIFIC
 Westbound:
 No. 1, Sunshine Special,
 Arrives 5:53 a. m.
 No. 5 1:05 p. m.
 Eastbound:
 No. 2 Sunshine Special
 Arrives 12:59 a. m.
 No. 6 3:29 p. m.
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 No. 92 Leaves:
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MR. HARPER WEDS MISS COLLINGS IN A PRETTY CEREMONY

Beautiful in detail was the wedding ceremony Wednesday evening March 22, when Miss Sadie Collings became the bride of Clarence Harper. Rev. George McCall, pastor of Central Baptist church, officiated and the service took place at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Sam Means.

Ferns and palms in an entire color motif of green were used throughout the reception rooms and, in attractive combination, lights softly burning were from yellow candles in crystal and silver holders.

While the guests assembled Mrs. Sam Means played a number of selections and Mrs. J. C. Wilson, another sister of the bride sang "Call Me Thine Own," with Mrs. Means at the piano.

At the approach of the wedding party, Mrs. Means played the wedding march from Lohengrin and during the ceremony Catherine Means played, as a violin solo, "Traumerel," with Mrs. Means accompanying at the piano.

First in the procession came the bridesmaids, Miss Cora Brewer and Miss Minnie Vickers. Their frocks were designed alike, of radium taffeta made with full skirts and tight bodices. A rose tint predominated in Miss Vicker's costume and Nile green in Miss Brewer's. Each carried arm bouquets of rose carnations and spring flowers.

Miss Warren Collings, sister of the bride, was her maid of honor and was escorted by Joseph B. Smith, who served as Mr. Harper's best man. Miss Warren was attired in a smart creation of Nile green satin, combined with silver lace and tulle and carried an armful of pink rosebuds and carnations.

Mr. Harper and his bride entered together, the latter lovely in her wedding gown of heavy crepe satin, made in Dolly Varden design. The court train of tulle was bordered with satin and the long lace veil was caught with a fillet of orange blossoms. Her arm bouquet was of bride's roses and orange blossoms.

The ring ceremony was used. Immediately after the ceremony, a reception was held and the elaborate wedding cake, decorated and enmeshed in white tulle, was cut by the bride. Ices were served from the lace spread table, which was lighted with golden candles.

The bride, who has taught in the Morehead school for two years, formerly lived in Pecos, Texas, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Collings, who were present for the

FORT STOCKTON YIELDS LARGE ALFALFA CROP

The average annual income on Fort Stockton irrigated lands for the last ten years has been more than \$100 per acre, according to G. L. Moody, president of the irrigation project and of the Pecos country farm bureau, who is in El Paso.

Alfalfa is the principal crop. Not only hay but also a fine quality of alfalfa seed is produced in the project. Springs and shallow wells are used to supply irrigation water. The Comanche valley has a vast underground water supply.

Big Alfalfa Crop.
 "Water rises almost to the surface in a 200 foot well," Mr. Moody declared.

"All the main canals are concreted. Noncorrosive screw gates hold back the water until it is applied for.

Fort Stockton produces about 30,000 tons of alfalfa annually. The section with water by springs in the foot of the Davis Mountains, produces about 20,000, and Barstow about 10,000 tons annually."

Mr. Moody continued Monday the conference which started Saturday with Joseph A. Fields, general manager of the Elephant Butte Alfalfa association, and county farm agent Herbert C. Stewart, relative to bringing Pecos and Reeves counties into an alfalfa exchange, with El Paso as headquarters.

Interests Are The Same.
 "It would be to the interest of all growers to bring the Pecos valley section of New Mexico into the exchange," Mr. Moody said.

"Though representing two states, all the territory from Deming, N. M., to Barstow, including the El Paso valley, is one in agricultural interests."

Fort Stockton will open bids April 4 for a \$75,000 municipal water supply system, Mr. Moody said.—El Paso Herald.

wedding. Several other friends from out of the city were present.

Mr. Harper is district clerk and both he and his bride have a large circle of friends.

Mrs. W. W. Wilkey and Mrs. Joseph M. Evans greeted the guests at the entrance to the reception room and the wedding vows were pledged before an improvised altar of ferns. A display of many beautiful gifts was shown in one of the reception rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. Harper are at home at 1901 East Vandell boulevard.—El Paso Herald.

Las Cruces Man Has Collection of Skeleton, Crossbone, Mummy, that are Puzzle to Scientists

Joe said he thought he would.—El Paso Herald.

W. G. Bledsoe, of Las Cruces, has a small museum of his own which he has built up during 30 years' prospecting in the southwest.

He came to El Paso Monday with a skeleton, a skull and one cross bone, a mummy and a mastodon's tooth in the back of his "flivver." He said he had been offered \$2000 for the skeleton by a doctor in Santa Rita, who told him it was worth \$18,000 to \$20,000.

Dr. E. C. Prentiss, surgeon and scientist, examined the skeleton and said he believed it to be that of an Indian who died 500 years or more ago at the age of 60 years.

Find It In Cave.
 Bledsoe said he had had over 30 doctors examine this skeleton and all were puzzled at the way the lower ribs were knit together.

He describes it as being like a dog in body and said it had a tail and believed it had walked on all fours. No "seams" were visible in the top of the skull and Bledsoe noted a peculiarity about its ears. It had no evidence of jaw teeth.

"I found the thing in a cave in the Sugar Loaf mountains in southwestern New Mexico near Cloverdale

Springs," said Bledsoe, "while I was prospecting for ore. It was about 40 feet back from the entrance of the cave. Nitrate of soda had preserved it, I think.

"I'm expecting a man from the Smithsonian institute at Washington and Field's museum at Chicago to look at it at any time now."

May Send It To Santa Fe.
 The mummy is that of a cliff dweller which he found in the Mogollon mountains near Clifton, Ariz. It is only about 10 inches high and is believed to have been that of a baby which died soon after birth. It was perfectly formed and well preserved. The mastodon's tooth was found 60 feet underground when excavation was being made for the base of the Elephant Butte dam, Bledsoe said.

The skull and cross bone were those of a man killed in a street car accident in Kentucky, according to Bledsoe, and he used them chiefly for comparison with the skeleton found in the Sugar Loaf mountains.

"One expert told me this thing was 2000 years ago," said Bledsoe.

"If you will send it to the museum at Santa Fe for examination they will be glad to tell you just what tribe of Indian that man belonged to," Dr. Prentiss assured him. Bled-

perishable possession.—Richmond News.

LOOKING AHEAD

From the Winning Post Winter Annual: Outraged Proprietor—What do you mean by comin' into my place and orderin' a dozen oysters with only 5c in your pocket?

Cheerful Optimist—Well, gov'nor, you see, there is always a chance of findin' a pearl in one of them—perhaps two.

PRUDENCE

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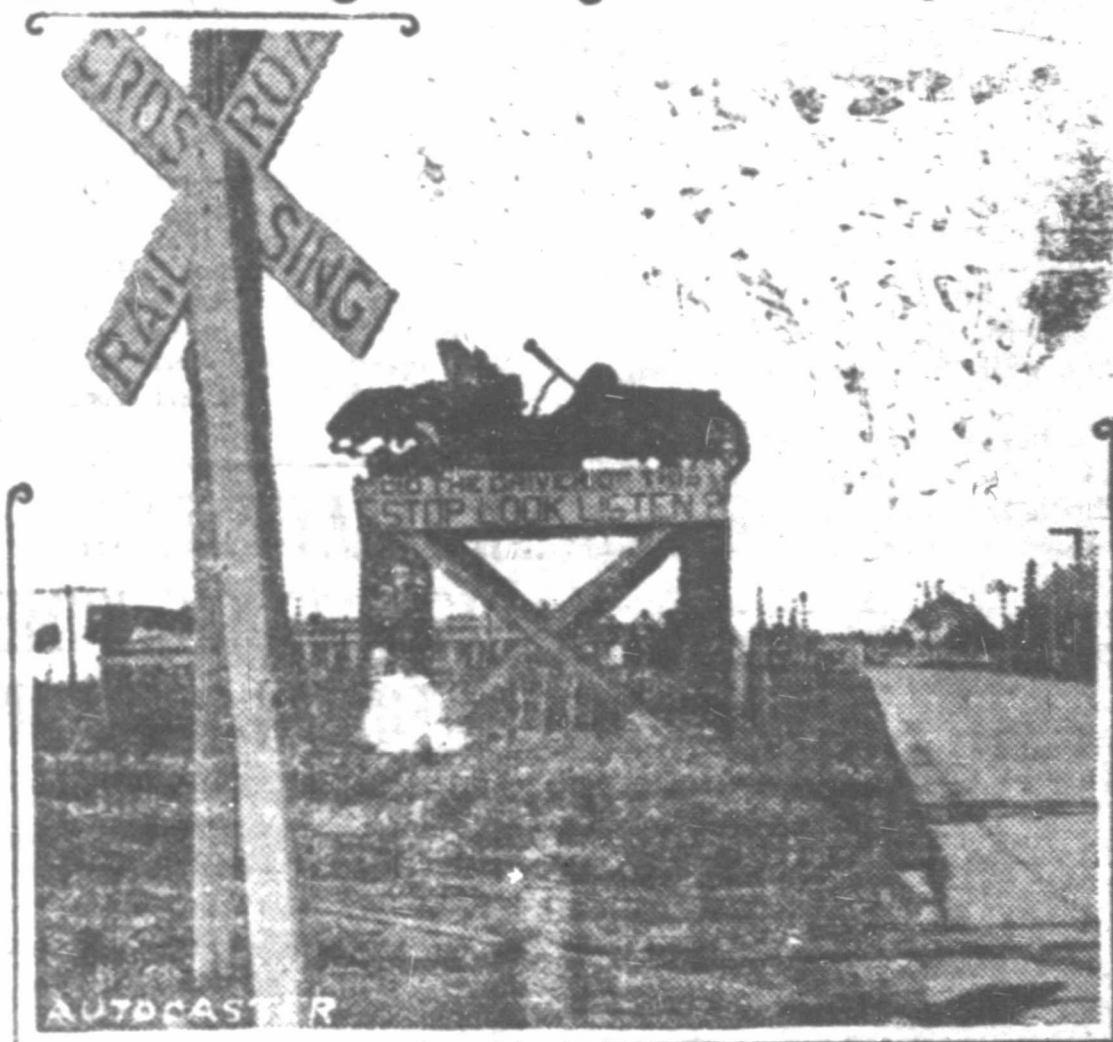
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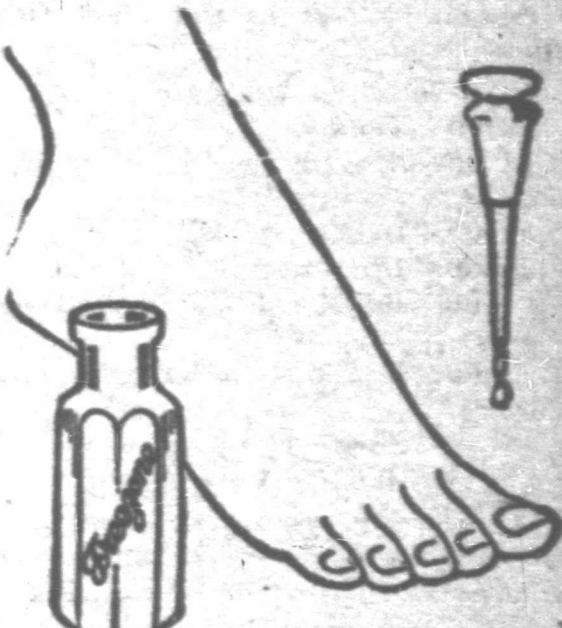
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DECISION AFFECTS MANY LAND TITLES IN WEST TEXAS

A decision affecting many titles to lands reclassified as grazing lands under the special drought relief act of the Thirty-Third Legislature, has been handed down by the Supreme Court of Texas, with Judge S. J. Brooks of San Antonio, setting as special Chief Justice; Carey M. Abney of Marshall, special Associate Justice, and William Pierson, regular Associate Justice of the present Court. The decision is in the case of Robert C. Johnson vs. J. T. Robinson, commissioner of the General Land Office, et al, and under it Johnson is awarded a writ of mandamus to compel the Land Commissioner to issue to him an unconditional patent to the N. W. 1/4 of section 6, block 50, township 4, Texas & Pacific Railway Co., survey, in Reeves county, and also to cancel an oil and gas permit issued to C. J. Charske on Feb. 12, 1919, on this land. Charske and those claiming under him had been made parties to the suit.

Chief Justice C. M. Cureton and Associate Justice T. B. Greenwood were disqualified to sit in the case, and Governor Neff appointed the special Justice to sit in their stead. In the written opinion, prepared by Special Chief Justice Brooks and concurred in by the other members of the special court, it is held that owners of land, originally classified as mineral land but re-classified as grazing land by boards of appraisers provided for by the act of the Thirty-Third Legislature, are entitled to all minerals under the surface of the land.

JUST A FEW FACTS CONCERNING THE OIL INDUSTRY GENERALLY (By H. L. Poquette.)

Do you know that the oil industry is the biggest business in the world today. And is paying larger returns on cash dividends, and, is not only making more men and women independent and wealthy, but is turning out more millionaires within a given time than any twenty industries you can name.

The "shrewd" investor spreads his holdings. The law of averages safeguards and protects his investments.

Did you ever stop to consider that oil is an absolute necessity, if you are foresighted and have nerve enough to invest a hundred or a thousand dollars in a number of producing, dividend-paying companies or syndicates, and that investment should net you a thousand for every dollar invested or make you independent for life, you have not belittled or robbed anyone. You have taken nothing from the mouths of orphans or widows. You have simply enriched yourself that you may be able to "do good unto others."

Furthermore, you are helping to develop the natural resources of this land of ours, which, by so doing, has made this, our native land, the richest country on the face of the globe, and you are furnishing to mankind that which he needs and must have—oil and gas.

The wheels of machinery can not turn without oil. Somebody must help furnish the crying needs of humanity. Don't be a slacker. Do your bit. It's a duty you owe your country and your fellowman.

Did you ever stop to consider that the demand for oil and gas is greater and greater from day to day, that thousands of automobiles and hundreds of tractors are being placed on the market daily, to say nothing of the locomotive engines, apartment houses, hotels, and sea-going vessels that are being equipped with oil burners? Each and every one is bound to burn their quota of oil and gas.

Let your hands rest for a moment. Use your head. Isn't it reasonable logic that the men who get in on the producing end of the oil business are the ones who will reap the profits of liquid gold that will make life pleasant when they are old?

Do you know that an optimist can always see "golden opportunities," and is forever looking on the sunny side of life?

Did you know that a pessimist can only see dismal failures, misfortune, strife—and the dark, dreary side of life?

Did you know that a peptomist "creates his own opportunities and laughs at failures, misfortunes and strife? He never will see the dark side of life." The weapon he uses to win his battle of right is only judgment, action and foresight.

You wouldn't be a pessimist, would you? Don't be an optimist—just looking on the bright side of life—be a peptomist. Do something.—Oil World.

ECCLIESIASTICAL CONFECTIONS

From American Cookery: A young American tourist stepped into a shop in a Scottish town one Sunday recently to buy some candy for a Scotch lassie of his acquaintance, and as soon as the customer ahead of him had been served he asked for chocolate creams.

"I dinna sell chocolate creams on the Sabbath," the old dame behind the counter said, severely.

"But," the young man protested, "you sold candy to the woman who

has just gone out."

"Aye, some ecclesiastical confectionery, but nae chocolate creams," the old dame declared.

"Some what?" gasped the tourist.

"Ecclesiastical confectionery—that is, peppermint draps, pan draps and ginger lozenges," she graciously explained, and added sternly, "but nae chocolate creams."

Chicago Man Claims Love for Music Went With Prohibition

Chicago, Ill.—"If prohibition continues much longer America won't recognize a musical tune from a Missouri mule's matutinal carol," according to Ralph O'Hara, president of the Chicago Musicians' Club.

Under the stimulus of a cocktail in the old days the first thing a normal citizen wanted was to hear a hand play, he said in addressing a large gathering of unemployed musicians here.

"Now there is no demand for music," he said, amid applause. "When John Barleycorn passed out they placed America's love for music on his chest. John is the real lost chord."

"Prior to prohibition every musician was working. Now 2,500 of us are walking the streets here and conditions throughout the country are the same. Only place outside of theaters and cabarets that there is work for us now is at Gold Coast residences, where there is still a supply of liquor. At modest parties where they used to hire five or six of us they now skate around to canned music for an hour or so and quit.

"Beer and wine worked up sentiment for music. There is nothing but 'measures of rest' in buttermilk."

Cigarette Smoking Never Requirement Made of Employes

In speaking about the recent action of the Canyon Parent-Teacher organization in asking that the cigarette law be strictly enforced in Randall county, Professor Phillips of the Normal had the following to say:

"For the last ten years I have studied the boy problem. I have heard their side of the story and I have had fathers to tell me their side of the question. I have had many people to ask me about certain boys and their ability to do special jobs. I have had several to tell me that they did not want boys to work for them who smoked cigarettes, but I have never had a man yet to ask for a boy or man to work for him who could smoke cigarettes. One of the greatest problems that I have had is to show my boys the evil of this practice. I certainly approve of the methods adopted in the Canyon Mothers' Clubs and suggest that the best method of procedure is to teach the harmful effects of cigarettes to the boys' body. I wish that it were possible for every state school to have a set of lungs that had been taken from the boy who had used cigarettes and one from a normal person, to use for comparison. Boys cannot be driven, but they can be shown. Again, I approve of the action taken by the State Teachers' Association in asking the legislature to pass a law prohibiting the sale of this form of smoking material in the state of Texas."

The Commercial Club of Canyon has also passed resolutions favoring that the cigarette law be enforced.

PEACE IS NO JOKE

Today when the men of fighting spirit in the United States are having their visions of military greatness shattered and scattered to the winds as ruthlessly as a frail toy in the hands of a destructive child, it is easy to believe that the peace for which the world has prayed through the centuries is ceasing to be a joke.

The officers of the army and navy are being shorn of their rank, and the body of enlisted men narrowed to an amazingly low ebb, when compared to former standards and estimates. The world is forcing its way to an attitude of peace at a more rapid and determined pace and the major portion of her citizens realize.

Note the following telegraphic dispatch sent out on March 21, by the Associated Press:

"Without ostentation the obsequies of four historic battleships will be held this week. The Maine, Missouri, Wisconsin and the cruiser Columbia, recently purchased as junk by a local firm, will be towed from the Philadelphia Navy Yard to a last resting place in the Delaware River. They will be scrapped, their armor and big guns melted and recast into the needs of peace.

"The Maine was launched in 1901 at a cost of \$3,000,000. The other three ships were of the same type and cost about the same amount. As junk they brought less than \$100,000 each."

To the minds of some, this state of affairs may present an economic tragedy, but in the last analysis it means that there is a better, a more wholesome and bigger day dawning for humanity as a whole.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

PUBLIC WONDERS WHAT MAKES A WILDCAT WILD

"Tell the truth and give 'er more gas—that's my motto for today, said a prominent oil promoter in one of Texas' greatest oil fields the other day, when talking to a newspaper reporter.

"Apropos of what?" says the reporter. And thusly spake the promoter:

"Apropos of this so-called art of advertising and particularly pertaining to advertising of oil stocks, shares, units, fractions, partnerships, royalties, leases or anything else related, attached, hung onto or dangling from the promotion end of the oil business. Not that I admit that advertising is an art or insist that truth is a novelty, but—"

"Well, whaddye mean—tell the truth—isn't it customary?"

"I wouldn't exactly say it wasn't customary, but lots of advertiser-like to loud-pedal the truth when it sounds good and slur it over or skip a bar or two of music when it might prejudice the harmony of their composition.

"Perhaps a case in point will illustrate what I mean better than sermonizing. Take the little word 'wildcat'—how many advertisers come right out and admit that they are promoting an enterprise to drill wildcat territory? Not many—mighty few. And it's sort of natural too, because the word has been given a bad name by our dear enemies the bankers, for to these many years. Every time a town or country banker sees anything with oil in it, he yells 'wildcat.' It's like yelling 'mad dog' on Main street on a hot day. And ever once in a while the newspapers take a crack at it. Whenever a country sheet is short of news or advertising it throws a fit about oil stocks. I used to feel scary about it myself. But I've found out different. And how?"

"Well, I go on the general proposition that the truth doesn't really hurt anything if you just yell it loud enough. In other words, give it speed, gasoline, make it travel, whoop it up and drown out the noise of the knockers.

"Now, every man knows that wildcatting is not only perfectly legitimate but an absolute essential of modern civilization. If it wasn't for the new oil fields being continually brought in, our visible stores of petroleum would mighty soon disappear. Then we would have to turn the clock back about 100 years. Railways, steamships, power plants, factories, automobiles, traction engines, aeroplanes—every device and institution of modern civilization, would go to the scrap heap. That's as obvious as two and two is four.

"Just because a bunch of bankers or country editors or politicians are always busy with their little hammers is no reason for my dodging the bald fact that I am wildcatting. So why dodge it? Why not come right out and proclaim it openly. Proclaim it so openly, so loudly and vociferously that there isn't the slightest doubt about it. And then defy any banker or editor or peanut politician to do his darnedest. He may scare away some of your listeners but he can't scare away all of them. And anyone who hasn't gumption enough to do his own thinking, but believes all this propaganda twaddle about running to your banker like he was a financial father-confessor, hasn't backbone enough to take a crack at a promising looking wildcat anyway. So let him ramble.

"Now I believe pretty strongly in the intelligence of the average investor—I believe he sees through a lot of pussyfoot advertising that hates to admit any relationship to a wildcat, but takes a chance anyway, because it looks pretty good. And I am not going to prejudice any proposition of mine with him by soft-peddling the wildcat part of it. I believe it's good business policy to say it's a wildcat and then prove that it is a mighty promising one. What the average investor wants is a quick and glorious run for his money and the wildcat well is the only thing on earth that can give it to him and he knows it. And we all know it.

"So, you see, I believe that if every operator were to tell the truth—all of it—and give 'er the gas, we'd have these hick bankers and editors and peanut politicians on the hike in no time and the public would no longer wonder what makes a wildcat wild."—Oil Field World.

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WHY

HOME TRADE FALLS OFF

It Always Slumps When Business Is Unbusinesslike

Most business men have this failing—they are swept off their feet when business booms.

We hit prosperity. Then starts the trouble. Everybody buys everything in sight and the merchants are caught in their own trap. They start advertising to beat the band. A riot of selling follows, the merchants OVER ADVERTISE and OVERSELL THE MARKET. Demand for goods keeps up and then comes the trip to the bank to borrow—for expansion. Then What? shortage and rising prices—a riot of buying before prices tilt to the top and a wild spree of advertising to keep the game going.

Suddenly there comes a halt. Buying slows up, and timid unbusinesslike merchants curtail advertising and the buying halt continues. Then advertising is stopped and business becomes stagnant.

When trade needs no stimulus the merchants buy space like drunken sailors, but when trade needs a strong push, they contract.

If business spent one-third the money in advertising when trade is booming and three times the money when trade is poor, business would find stability.

Now is the Time to Advertise Extensively

Don't throw chips on a blazing fire. The wood is needed when the fire is low. Advertising now means a real service to the buying public. The people want to know where and what they can buy economically.



Merchants Get Busy.

Make Your Drive Now

THE ENTERPRISE

Pecos Valley News, established 1887; Pecos Weekly Times established 1897; Reeves County Record, established 1910; consolidated Nov. 23, 1912. The Enterprise absorbed Pecos Times Jan. 1, 1917.

PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY JOHN HIBDON EDITOR, OWNER AND PUBLISHER ADVERTISING RATES Display, per inch, flat, 10c; Readers, per line, 10c; Classified, per week, 10c; Minimum 25 cents paid in advance. Copy must be in the office not later than Wednesday noon to insure publication in current issue.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES One Year, \$2; Six Months, \$1.25. Postpaid in Advance. No subscriptions taken for less than six months. Entered as second class matter Oct. 22, 1915 in the postoffice at Pecos, Texas, under the Act of March 3, 1879.

Foreign Advertising Representative THE AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION



IN WHICH WE ERRED.

The Enterprise was in error last week in stating that a number of Pecos citizens were to go to Barstow this week to assist in the organization of a "Business Men's Bible Class" for that place. Our reporter had been informed that such was the object of an invitation extended to several here, but it appears that this invitation was to a banquet at the Barstow Hotel Tuesday tendered by "The Barstow Men's Bible Class," according to William F. Ross, its teacher, who writes The Enterprise regarding the matter. The least that a newspaper can hope for in making some of its reports from hear-say is that its variance with the facts will not be the means of hanging somebody.

Appropos the matter of a newspaper-making mistakes in its news columns this editor was taken to task some time ago for having made as a statement of fact a certain matter which either was not contemplated or, else the plans were changed to meet other exigencies, and was asked as to "Where we got our information, and why we did not take time to confirm our reports?" And to think that even a newspaper man is not expected to live more than three score and ten years upon this earth!

In the first place, no matter how resourceful the imagination of the average newspaper editor, he is dependent upon the public in about 50 cases out of a hundred for the "fact" with which to clothe his yawning columns of white space. If he undertook then to confirm all this "fact" as given to him piecemeal by scores of different people, he would have to travel faster than a cat on a tin roof. It just can't be done.

The editorial in last week's Enterprise about the Richard Briscoe Post in thanking those who helped to make the play a financial success, brought forth a lengthy communication from the Post's manager, Jas. F. Ross, Jr., with a check for \$4.44. The check was returned for the reason that the advertising was solicited by Manager Ross as a donation and was gladly and freely given. It is the usual method in this enlightened age to thank one for a courtesy extended, and it is more incumbent when the courtesy is requested. This is all The Enterprise desired, and that only since a long list of others who probably contributed less to the success of the affair than did The Enterprise was published. The communication is taken as an evidence that leaving The Enterprise out of the list was not an oversight. The Enterprise asked for no pay and will not accept any except in the kind and manner given others who helped in the good cause—that of a public acknowledgment of its services—and this only since the others were paid in the same coin. This is the only way Manager Ross and the Richard Briscoe Post can square themselves with The Enterprise and if they desire to go on record as refusing this little courtesy then since the public know the truth The Enterprise is satisfied to let the matter pass at that.

That was rather a far-seeing decision by the Supreme Court of Texas in the case of Robert C. Johnson vs. J. T. Robinson, commissioner of the General Land Office, et al., a few days ago in which the plaintiff is awarded a writ of mandamus to compel the Land Commissioner to issue to him an unconditional patent to a certain parcel of land, originally classified as mineral land but reclassified as grazing land by boards of appraisers provided for by the act of the Thirty-Third Legislature under a special drought relief act. It affects the status of many titles to land in Reeves and adjoining counties, and means that the purchasers of these lands are entitled to all benefits of their exploitation for oil and other minerals, as well as to the surface rights. There is no reason why the purchasers of these lands should be deprived of the mineral rights to these holdings, for this is about all the run many of them get for their money after all, when it is considered that much of its surface area takes about 100 acres to support a cow in its native state.

A recent Washington dispatch states that President Harding has signed 7,000 postmasters' commis-

sions, which is but another way of saying that he has put the axe to the necks of 7,000 perfectly good democrats since he took office only a short two years ago. And it looks like at this distance that those democrats who have not as yet received the axe, are in process of decapitation, as semi-occasionally examinations are ordered by the Civil Service Commission to fill the "expired term" of any number of postmasters. One of the last "exams" ordered was to fill an "expired commission" of our own worthy postmaster, H. N. McKeller. It looks like the president would have been seized with "writer's cramp" by this time.

PHILOSOPHY FOR 1922

When we are young our ambition is fired with the desire to create something, and then as we grow older we see that mankind can't create anything. Often, when it is too late, we learn the lesson—that our time should have been spent in recognizing the things that are created for us rather than trying to create new things and try to steal the job of the divinity. There has been a correct answer to every problem in arithmetic even before we knew anything about arithmetic, and so there is a solution to every problem in life that confronts us. All we have to do is to find the way. There is no path so thorny but there is a primrose byway that will lead us out to happiness if we only see it. It's there. We don't have to make it. All we need is to recognize it.

NEW JOB FOR OUR FIREMEN

Residents of country towns will learn with interest that the fire loss of the United States for the year 1921 exceeded that of any previous year in the history of the country, totalling more than a half billion dollars. The National Fire Protection Association calls attention to the fact that of the conflagrations responsible for this disastrous condition fully seventy-five per cent were preventable. It is interesting, too, to know that the country which must depend on the service of volunteer firemen has a smaller fire loss than the cities with their highly paid and well skilled fire fighters.

There is no local activity deserving of greater encouragement than the activity of the local fire department. It is amazing to find throughout the country so many men, without thought of fee or reward, ready to endanger their health and their lives at the call of their neighbors. Surely there is no nobler, no more unselfish service. The man gain no reward save perhaps the thrill that comes to every red-blooded man when he answers an alarm. Yet we find the volunteer firemen always on the job.

There is, however, room for improvement—not in the way these lads attack their task of fire extinguishing, but in the more constructive work of fire prevention. Fire prevention is tedious and thankless work to be sure, but if the fire chiefs would appoint shifts of men, say two each week, to spend an hour back of the stores to see that boxes and other inflammable trash are not kept there as a menace, if they will pay an occasional visit to the local motion picture to see that the doors of exit open outward and that slip bolts are used, many a home, many a dollar and many a life will be saved. The boys may not get credit for the work thus done, but they will lay up treasures where they will not rust and reputations where the moths of criticism cannot hurt them.

A SPIRIT THAT HOLDS THINGS BACK

An enterprising reporter, after investigation, reports that there is no branch in Fort Worth of the organization known as "The Society of Shifters," the purpose of which is to "get something for nothing." Maybe not. This particular body is said to be a flapper fad. But is there not apparent here, as well as elsewhere, a desire on the part of many people to "get something for nothing" by profiting at the expense of those who are thought to be "hard up?" The surest way to sell anything today is to give the impression that you are "forced to sell" and that you are willing to take much less than the article you offer for sale is worth.

For example, here is an actual experience of a leading automobile firm in Fort Worth. One of its salesman placed two advertisements in the classified columns of The Star-Telegram offering for sale a second-hand automobile. One gave his office telephone, the other his home telephone. At his office he received no response; at his home he had thirty-eight calls. When the inquirers learned that his business was the selling of automobiles all but four refused to further discuss the matter with him. Fourteen of the number frankly stated that they did not want to buy from a dealer, that what each wanted was to buy from some individual owner who was "hard up" and had to sell. The twenty who assigned no specific reason probably included some others with the same views. And yet this firm is one of the most responsible in the city, and could be depended upon to deal fairly with a customer.

Other instances in other lines could be cited. Even the merchants have found that many people will not buy unless they feel that the merchandise is being offered at a sacrifice. Is there not too much of

this spirit abroad? And is it not a spirit that is calculated to prevent the revival of business and to injure all of us, including the folks who are looking for people who are "hard up" and are "forced to sell?"

It seems so to us. There can be no doubt that we have reached the up-grade in business, though the progress in the direction of revival goes slowly. It will continue to go slowly, and even be checked altogether, if such a spirit continues to prevail very widely. If people will not buy things at their value, but must be convinced they are getting more than they are paying for—getting something for nothing—business depression, unemployment and hard times will result.

Let's get rid of this spirit. Let's get some of the "go ahead" spirit which alone will bring us a return of prosperity.—Fort Worth Star-Tel egram.

WHAT THE MARKET WANTS

Does the farmer have to take pot luck on the marketing of his products? Does he? Most folks say he does. But down around Corpus Christi the cotton growers don't believe any such thing. Take cotton, for example, since that is what the farmers in that region have worked out their theory on. If the farmers take pot luck with their seed, their weather, their cultivation and their ginning, they are pretty likely to have the same sort of luck—mostly bad—with their marketing. But down near Corpus Christi they have discovered that the secret of marketing is to find out what the market wants, and then give the market exactly what it wants.

In the case of cotton, the market is particularly partial to a staple of an inch and a sixteenth or a shade better than that. By choosing variety and breed of the seed used, the Corpus Christi farmers find that they can produce this type of cotton. They find also that it pays for them to get together and use the same kind of seed and produce the same kind of product, so that the buyer can get something like a uniform classification of cotton when he buys the output of a given section. So the farmers of that part of the Gulf Coast country got together and planned the same kind of cotton and planned for inch and a sixteenth staple.

What happened? This is what happened. The market was so greedy for the longer fiber that it boosted the market price for that kind of cotton to about two cents a pound above what it paid for "just cotton." And the farmers around Corpus got the extra two cents. Now two cents doesn't sound big. But a million dollars does. It might interest you to know that inch and a sixteenth staple and uniform variety of cotton over a large production area has been worth a million dollars already to the farmers around Corpus Christi. A million dollars is not to be sneezed at. In this case, however, it is merely a reward for finding out what the market wants and then growing just that.—Dallas News.

The above editorial is in point with what The Enterprise said not long ago about the growing of long staple cotton in the lower Pecos Valley. Mr. Bernard, a resident cotton buyer, advises this paper that instead of having one or a half dozen buyers for cotton, this Valley would have at least a half hundred buyers if only the cotton growers would unite in growing a uniformly long staple variety.

It would seem that to grow what the market demands would be following the line of least resistance.

MR. ROOSTER'S TIP

"Though oft distressed, I do my best to play the role of booster; I do not fly in tempers high," said Mr. Barnyard Rooster. "It doesn't pay to spoil the day by getting blue and moody. I eat my food and never brood though half my wives get broody. Full half the wives give up their lives to men who never squeeze 'em; who never praise their pretty ways or even try to please them. It makes me sick to see men kick at wives who love and honor. If I were lax, I'd get the axe, and then I'd be a goner. Appreciate your running mate and coax her and caress her and don't forget the fearful debt you owe to just possess her. Wives tantalize, but if you're wise, you'll try to soothe and cheer 'em. Just look at me. I've twenty-three. I love 'em and revere 'em. You claim to be more wise than me, but still you say you're harried by wife's ways throughout your days, and you regret you're married. If you'd a flock like mine to knock, I'm sure 't would drive you silly. Your wife's a goose to stand abuse; you're much too cold and chilly. Emit surprise at wife's pies, and praise her splendid baking, and worship too, her mutton stew, and every undertaking. At break of day I'm blithe and gay. You'll always hear me crowing. You're cross as a sin when days begin, I've got a way of knocking. When eggs are laid, I lend my aid by cackling like the chickens. No chicken lays without such praise, for that's a way with chickens. Now take my tip, and don't get flip with wife, and berate her—Ah, there's an egg. I'll shake a leg. So long! I'll see you later."—Walter Wellman in Farm & Ranch.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

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



OH! POOR CHICKENS!

The city marshal of Childress has authorized the citizens of Childress who plant gardens and who are bothered with other people's chickens, to shoot the chickens, let them lay until next day and then throw them outside the lot for the garbage man to haul off to the dumping grounds. He says there is no law to arrest chickens and some people say the city ordinance won't "hold water," and that those who wish gardens shall have them without molestation from other people's chickens. This means that Childress folks will have an abundance of garden sass for the coming months. People who raise chickens should not expect their chickens to fatten off their neighbors' gardens. In Childress they will either put their chickens in a pen or have them shot down when they visit a neighbor's garden.—Claude News.

Well, that's one way to handle the matter, and yet, we cannot escape the conviction that there is a "better way." Force has never solved to best advantage, any matter of difference. If the proper spirit of neighborly regard exists between the people who grow gardens and those who grow chickens the advice of the Childress marshal will seldom need to be followed. The Golden Rule, which thank God is taking hold upon

the hearts of the people, throughout the world in a more practical manner than ever before perhaps, will go a long way towards solving these problems of attitude of human beings towards each other. While the law might sanction such action as is here indicated, it certainly could not be claimed that it would be conducive of better or more enduring friendships.—Amarillo News.

From the Illinois Life Bulletin: Inquisitive Young Daughter—Papa, what do you do all day long at the office?

Father (not paying much attention to the question, as he is just reading the evening paper)—Oh, nothing.

Daughter (not easily discouraged)—Well, how do you know when you are through?

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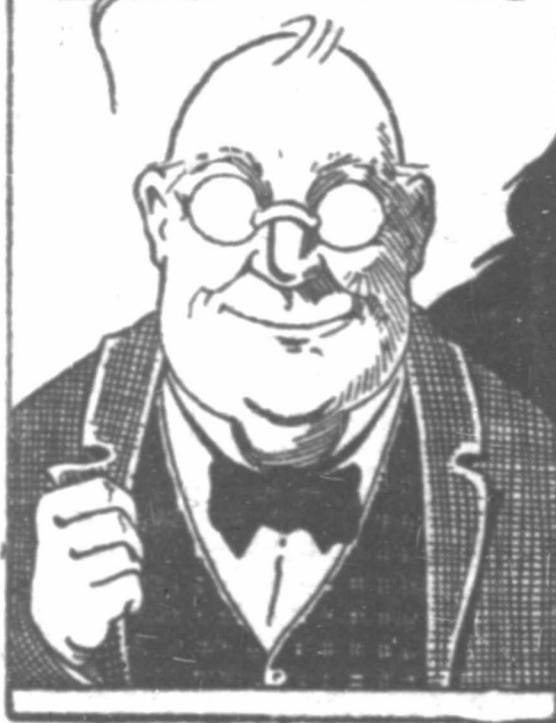
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Our Fountain Serves All the Popular Drinks

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Sure-Bearing Fruit Trees and Hardy Shrubs and Evergreens

We have been collecting them for forty-seven years. We think we have the best for each section, for both small and large orchards. The cold and rains make planting safe till middle of April. Extremely few trees have been planted for market for many years. Prices of fruit will stay up. Good times are coming. Get big prices instead of paying them. We will exchange trees for market orchards for land. A bargain could be good enough for us to plant and guarantee. Fine trees; best varieties. Catalog. We pay express.

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BACK STREET CHATTER

By M. J. Marsh in Farm Life. It's money-making, easy sport—this farming in the dell; I don't see why they always charge for everything they sell.

CLASSIFIED

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Carload two year old registered horned Hereford bulls; also carload two year old registered Polled Hereford bulls. Wm. E. Wallace, Box 475, Midland, Texas. 1*

FOR SALE—Navajo saddle blankets of best grade in sizes up to 38x66 inches, in colors desired, sent C. O. D. postage paid at \$7.50 each. Money will be refunded if not satisfactory. New Mexico Rug Co., Box 2, Gallup, N. M. 32-22*

FOR SALE—A farm of 10 acres, two artesian wells; good house; garage, and other out buildings. Would consider trade for good city property. C. S. Shorey, Pecos, Texas. 31-3*

WHEAT—The very best for either seed or for your poultry at 2 1/2 cents per pound f. o. b., Saragosa. V. Zuber. 31-4t.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, a good Fairbank-Morse pump engine—3hp. See The Enterprise. 1t.

FOR SALE—Texas Seeded Ribbon Cane Seed at 12 1/2 cents per pound—any quantity. This is pure seed same as sold by seed houses at 25 to 35 cents per pound. Each seed will make several stalks and will produce double the feed of any other cane ever grown in this section. See Miss M. A. Longnecker, at farm four and one-half miles north of Barstow. 30-4t.

CANE HAY FOR SALE—I have a quantity of baled hay for sale at 50 cents per bale—60 to 70 pounds bales—Miss M. A. Longnecker. 30-4t.

FOR SALE—Or will consider drilling contract; tracts forty seven and forty nine, section eighty-six, block thirty-three, of the H. & T. C. Survey Loving county, Texas. Located between the Toyah-Bell and Bell No. 1. The title is good and the rental is paid to January 1923. Write J. A. Law, 4284 South Harvard Blvd., Los Angeles, Calif. 28-tf.

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

REAL ESTATE, Oil Leases, Furnished Houses, and Auto for sale. I. E. Smith. 30-tf.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished home, sleeping porch, bath etc. On gravel street. See Oram Green. 33-2t.

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house-keeping. Mrs. M. L. Vickers, Phone 167. 32-tf.

FOR RENT—First class rooms close in on Hickory Street between Third and Fourth. Phone 137, Mrs. S. E. Wilson. 32-tf.

FOR RENT—Either rooms or light housekeeping apartments, all nicely furnished, Michigan, Phone Mrs. H. S. Ross, 117. 27-tf.

WANTED

WANTED—Good Jack trained to run pasture with mares. Write full information. C. M. Caldwell, P. O. Box "Q", Breckenridge, Texas. 31-2t.

HAY WANTED—Two tons of No. 1 alfalfa hay wanted at once. Do not want damaged hay. State price. Enterprise office.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

War Is Blamed For Suicide Increase

New York.—Reaction following the war was blamed by the Save-a-Life league for the large number of suicides in 1921, 20,000 of which were estimated to have taken place in this country. The number of cases brought to the league's attention was 12,144, of which 8,410 were males and 3,734 females.

All classes of society were included in the list of those who took their own lives. There were ten editors, 40 students, 51 school teachers, 21 clergymen, 39 brokers, 57 judges and lawyers, 86 physicians, seven mayors, 88 heads of large corporations, 76 millionaires, 80 wealthy women and 93 bankers including 37 bank presidents. The oldest suicide was 100 years old and the youngest five years.

One of the striking features of the report is the increase in the number of suicides of children which was 477 in 1919; 707 in 1920 and 858 in 1921. There also were 509 war veterans among the suicides last year.

Ireland has fewer suicides than any other country on earth, Mr. Warren declared in his comment on world conditions. Germany leads the world especially in child suicide.

SENIOR PLAY TO BE GIVEN AT RIALTO THEATRE APRIL 21

The following cast has been decided upon for the Senior play "An Early Bird": Cryus B. Killbuck, president of the P. D. Q. Railway—George Ross. Tony Killbuck, his son, just out of college—William Kerr.

Arrangements have been made to stage this play at the Rialto Theatre April 21. The student body of the High School should give this all the publicity possible and support it in every way that they can. The Glee Club will give several musical selections on this occasion and the entire school will be called upon to render different entertainments on the program.

Tanlac is one medicine that does what they say it will do. It is sold by—Pecos Drug Co. 1t.

"My boy," reproved the minister to Edmond, "do you know where little boys who fish on Sunday go?" Edmond—"Betha, just follow me an' I'll show you the place."

Colorado Celebrates First Shipment of Oil to Refinery

Special to The Enterprise. Colorado, Texas, Mar. 30.—Arrangements were completed her Tuesday night for the big celebration at Westbrook Monday, April 3, when the first consignment of oil from the Underwriters production leaves for the Rio Grande Oil Company Refinery at El Paso. Celebration arranged by the Colorado and Westbrook Chamber of Commerce. Ten thousand people expected. Barbecue, basket dinner, big band promised, speakers, races, baseball and numerous other attractions. One of the biggest events in the history of Mitchell county.

TRYING TO BE SOMEBODY ELSE

Pose and affectation, both disagreeable and unattractive, result from imitating somebody else. The foolish little fopper, with her powdered nose and floppy overshoes, imagines that she looks like a movie actress or a society girl. She even thinks she is one of these individuals as she takes her coquettish way along the street.

Let a woman of wealth and fashion walk through a department store and half the girls behind the counter will be aping her airs till they find someone else whose manners they imagine are still more elegant. Send a parcel of weak-witted young men to a play, and for months afterward each of them will be trying to act, in the office and out, like the leading man.

It is impossible to be somebody else. It is impossible to pretend to be somebody else and be natural at the same time.

One of the curious things about the pretense that is so prevalent that the pretenders never pick out good examples to imitate. They always choose something that is artificial, and cheap and tawdry, and seek to imitate that.

You will find sooner or later that the only possible course, if you want to get the most out of life, is to accept the personality that was given you, and try to improve it.

It cannot be changed. You cannot jump into anyone else's place. The machine you were given is the one that you must learn to run. If it is a Ford you will have to keep it in condition and make it do the excellent service that a well-cared-for Ford can do. You can't trade it for a Rolls-Royce, and you can't be putting an elaborate superstructure over it, make anybody believe that it is a Rolls-Royce.—John Blake, in Star-Telegram.

DEBATERS TO ELIMINATE

Friday evening in the auditorium of this school the boy's debating team of this institution will meet in order that the two best speakers may be selected to contest the teams in this district. To date only two teams are listed as entries but several have been working upon this subject and may enter "at the last minute." All entries have been working faithfully on their subject for the last two weeks, so a very interesting debate is promised to all those who attend. It is believed that Runyon and Sims will debate against Root and Kerr upon this evening with H. Sims and Wheat as the third team from which the best speakers will be selected.

Monday evening the girl debaters will hold their official elimination Misses Drummonds and Coon being the entries against Misses DeRacy and Childers. Both these teams have spent much time in preparation for their elimination and this event should be very interesting. Neither team has of yet selected the side which they will defend; it is understood that this selection will be made a few hours before the appearance of the speakers.

Fees Paid by Texas Fishermen

The sale of hunting and fishing licenses has brought approximately \$60,000 into the state treasury this year, or an increase of more than \$15,000 over last year, W. W. Boyd, state game, fish and oyster commissioner, said today. The hunting fee is \$2 for residents of the state and \$15 for non-residents.

"The department now has in the state treasury more than \$100,000, a surplus which will be increased to about \$150,000 by the end of the fiscal year, which ends September 1," Mr. Boyd said. "The hunting and fishing clubs in the state are planning a drive before the next session of the legislature to secure the passage of a bill which will allow the surplus funds of the department to be used to establish and maintain a state game farm and fish hatchery."

If you are craving variety of information and entertainment the El Paso Herald will be more interesting than any Southwestern paper.

If you haven't seen the El Paso Herald recently, you have missed a great deal. The Sunday edition alone has eight pages of comics, six of which are in four colors, two pages of the "Herald Junior" for boys and girls, also two pages of magazine features, together with usually thirty pages of other good reading matter.

The daily Herald, one year, by mail is \$10.50. The Tri-weekly Herald which consists of the Wednesday, Friday and Sunday issues, one year, is \$5.60. The Twice-a-week which includes the mid-week and Sunday issues, one year, is \$4.00. The Sunday only, one year, is \$2.50. (Advertisement)

WADLEY HURT IN GAME PLAYED WEDNESDAY

Wednesday in the game between High and Sox Milt Wadley, star first basemen for the All Star, sustained a broken bone when he and Kerr collided on first. Despite this injury Wadley finished the game without showing any effect of the bruise. This will make the line-up for the Sox be weakened until he returns, for in this entire country there is no player as good as Milt.

Gentlemen—Walter, I will give you a quarter if you can give me a lock of your sister's hair. Walter—Give me four bits and I'll give you the whole bunch. I know where she puts it at night.

We have 88 keys in our house and not one of them fit's the front door. Then what's the use of them? We couldn't play the piano without them.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following persons announce their candidacy for the respective offices subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July:

For Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, Eighth Supreme Judicial District of Texas: E. F. HIGGINS, re-election. (of El Paso)

For District Judge: W. A. HUDSON. TOM GARRARD. CHAS. GIBBS, Re-election.

For District Attorney, 70th Judicial District: T. F. SLACK, Pecos. BIRGE HOLT, Barstow. B. FRANK HAAG.

For County Judge: JAS. F. ROSS, re-election.

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. C. B. JORDAN.

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 2: A. W. HOSIE.

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 4: R. N. COUCH, re-election.

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 3: J. W. B. WILLIAMS.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: JULIUS EISENWIENE.

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 Mayor: BEN PALMER, Re-election. For City Marshal: J. W. HUDGENS. M. L. RODDY.

FREE SERVICE FOR SHORT TIME

For the next thirty days I will oil your springs on your Ford cars free of charge, making them have better action and service.

I do all kinds of car repairing at a reasonable price, giving you quick service as well as good work.

All work guaranteed. Give me a trial. Your work will be appreciated. 33-2*

WALTER SLOVER. (Advertisement)

CALOMEL USERS TAKE AWFUL RISK

Very Next Dose of Tracherous Drug May Start Terrible Salivation.

The next dose of calomel you take may salivate you. It may shock your liver or start bone necrosis. Calomel is dangerous. It is mercury, quicksilver. It crashes into sour bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

If you feel bilious, headachy, constipated and all knocked out, just go to your druggist and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents which is a harmless vegetable substitute for dangerous calomel. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't start your liver and straighten you up better and quicker than nasty calomel and without making you sick, you just go back and get your money.

Don't take calomel! It can not be trusted any more than a leopard or a wild-cat. Take Dodson's Liver Tone which straightens you right up and makes you feel fine. No salts necessary. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and can not salivate.

No Worms in a Healthy Child

All children troubled with Worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or digest the worms, and the Child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

GIVEN UP HOPE From the Boston Transcript: He—That woman I see you with so often looks very sad. Is she unhappily married? She—No, unhappily unmarried.

FOR SALE—Perfectly good heating stove at a very reasonable price. Apply at this office. 1t*

Are You Equipped To Win Success? Here is your opportunity to insure against embarrassing errors in spelling, pronunciation and poor choice of words. Know the meaning of puzzling war terms. Increase your efficiency, which results in power and success. WEBSTER'S NEW INTERNATIONAL DICTIONARY is an all-knowing teacher, a universal question answerer, made to meet your needs. It is in daily use by hundreds of thousands of successful men and women the world over. 400,000 Words, 2728 Pages, 6900 Illustrations, 12,000 Biographical Entries, 30,000 Geographical Subjects. GRAND PRIZE, (Highest Award) Panama-Pacific Exposition. REGULAR and INDIA-PAPER Editions. WRITE for Specimen Pages, FREE Pocket Maps if you name this paper. G. & C. MERRIAM CO., Springfield, Mass., U. S. A.

The Mental and Physical Comfort of Your Family Depends Upon Its Eyes. This is not only often the case with adults, but very frequently the children suffer, not knowing that the source of the entire trouble comes from some defect in vision which may readily be relieved through proper examination and the providing of proper glasses. But care should be taken that the examination IS properly made and PROPER glasses provided. Much more is involved in the proper fitting of glasses than the simple act of getting lenses that seem to correct the errors of vision. Experience and Scientific research have been our educators in this line and we are well equipped to render best of service. THE EYE—the most delicate organ of the body, will, if it is not normal, give rise to baffling mental unrest which sometimes approaches and even superinduces acute physical disorder. MONROE SLACK LICENSED OPTOMETRIST Slack's Jewelry Store PECOS TEXAS Don't Experiment

Pull The Blind For a Shine in New York Short skirts in New York resulted in a falling-off of business for shoe shining stands catering to women traders until an inventive "Knight of the Brush" equipped his stand with a common window shade as is shown here. Now lady has her shoes shined with a mind quite at ease.

OPEN FOR BUSINESS WITH A COMPLETE LINE OF Staple and Fancy Groceries Which we will be pleased to deliver to you in the quickest possible time at the lowest possible prices. We Are As Close To You As Your Telephone Norwood's Cash Grocery PHONE 27

WE ARE GLAD THERE IS A HELL

Sometimes we get weak-kneed on this doctrine of an eternal Hell, and suspect that the interpolators put one by the populace in codifying the statues of Holy Writ. And then again when we get up against one of those depraved creatures in human form, whose deeds are so dark and dirty and crooked and mean and slimy and foul that the devil just sits down in his cozy corner, crosses his legs and folds his hands and laughs for joy at a heinous crime that he has instigated, and put over in a civilized community where the church spires point heavenward, the church bells toll the hour of prayer and the communicants flock to the altar of prayer, pay their vows and seek forgiveness for evil deeds committed. And where the minions of the law, are armed with authority, and gowned, grave and learned jurists sit in high places and dispense justice, and sharp and shrewd attorneys tie knots in the tangled skein of court procedure, creating loop holes, whereby guilty culprits go Scot free—It's then that we come to the conclusion that God knew just what He was doing when He created that lake of fire and brimstone. Just the other day in a crowded court room, in a civilized community, the judge sat on the bench, the state's attorney was on duty, a jury of twelve men had been drawn and sat in the jury box, the Governor's praetorian guards were there to keep the peace, and to hold back the rabble and stay mob rule. Arranged in that court was a human (?) being, surrounded by a coterie of learned counsel, masters in the art of defense of human rights (?)—spiders in the web of technicalities, where-in big fat fees lend inspiration to the occasion, and adds zest to brain efforts in a court forum. Press dispatches reported that this defendant was a married man, had a wife and four children, a prominent business man of his city, and we suspect a church member, and possibly sang in the choir, and he had lived on this earth about forty-eight years. And when the curtains went up, a court stage scene was revealed that would have made good dope for motion picture mangers. The motley herd in the background, eager for the sloop and slime of a dirty court trial, wherein the character and virtue of a maid was the question at bar. Here, ofore this defendant had been arranged in court, and twelve good and lawful men had said that he was guilty of a dastardly crime, committed on the person of a feme sole, and assessed his punishment at nine years in the pen. But away high up in the court of last resort, where they unfix things, where grave and sedate minds wrangle with questions of law, and they discover a word misspelled, or a word left out or some fellow said something that he ought not to have said, and thus, human freedom is placed in jeopardy, and the case is remanded back to the lower courts for a rehearing. This court room was indeed a proper setting for a tragic scene soon to be enacted, feminine chatter, the rustle of silk gowns, the flash of jewels, the flutter of fans and the training of opera glasses on the court scene which gave tone to the motley court throng, and when the electric button was touched, and the machinery of the law court began to grind, a little seventeen year old girl, the prosecuting witness and the injured party in this damnable law force, was called to the witness stand, the newspaper boys said that she was possessed of a lovely form and pretty face—and Oh God, beauty misguided is so dangerous, she might have been indiscreet, and we expect that she lacked the proper home influence, and she surely lacked parental guardianship, or else the tempter would not have caught her in his trap. And while the judge wielded the gavel of court decorum and authority, the Texas Rangers armed to the teeth were there to awe the crowd, this injured girl just in the act of taking the witness stand, whipped out a deadly automatic, and sprung a tragic comedy on the court show which resulted in the death of the defendant, and further court proceedings. God made man stronger than woman mentally and physically, and how dangerous is the safety of the virtue of a maid in her teens, when a married jellybean plays his cards for the most priceless jewel in all creation, virgin purity, he's an adept in the exercise of the whore-master's wiles, knows just how to play upon the weakness of the maidenly virtue. Did you ever go out in the woods and sit down all alone, and watch a cat, or a serpent charm a little harmless bird as it flits from limb to limb in its innocent wild wood joys? Did you ever see the cold and dangerous glint in the serpent's eyes in its posture for the deadly combat? Did you ever watch the little bird in its struggle to resist the tempter, the flutter of its wings and hear its cry for help, and then see it succumb to the wiles of the deadly reptile? And man has this same power of the reptile over the weaker sex of his kind, and when this animal passion runs riot, and maidenly virtue hangs in the balance, this human devil piles his trade and blights a human life. And in an instance of this kind, in the language of the text: We are Glad that God Made A Hell. So often have we said, during our newspaper life, and we are going to keep on saying it until our right arm is limp, the lamp of reason snuffed out, and the crepe hangs on the knobs of our sanctum door, and the little mound out yonder in the Albany cen-



THE OLD OYSTER BUCKET

The old oaken bucket has ceased to engender a theme for the poet, or song for the muse; the fire-plug, and hydrant, and engine-house tender, supply through a meter the stuff that I use. And now comes the bucket, constructed of paper, that dangles beside me as homeward I go; I've learned to regard it a cute little caper, to fool my old woman who likes 'em, you know. How fondly I cling to my six little pickles, my grocer tied up in a sycamore tray,—I gaze at the clouds while the vinegar trickles and spouts up my clothes with a stain that will stay. But the square paper bucket I hold as a treasure, and proudly I swing it, as homeward I speed; there may have been buckets that held better measure, but it's got 'em skinned when it comes to a feed.

By your own Uncle John.

every marks the end of our journey, this aphorism: Old fashioned daddies, old fashioned Mothers, old fashioned family altars, old fashion family prayers, trundle beds, nine o'clock bed time hours, and all the kids in bed. That's all that we need to solve this age of crime, and most of it is being committed by juveniles.—Albany News.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

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

Imports from Germany in January were slightly less than in December, conforming with the general decline. They were slightly above the monthly average for 1921, when total importation reached \$80,000,000 against \$88,000,000 in 1920.

Compared with 1913, imports of 1921 were down over \$100,000,000. In sharp contrasts with exports, in two-thirds of 1921 imports from Germany were less than for the corresponding months of 1913.

It seems to be the opinion of American buyers in Germany that there is no danger of the American market being flooded by cheap made-in-Germany goods. Both rising cost of manufacture and the state of supplies of raw materials are mentioned as militating against this.

Of \$372,000,000 exports to Germany in 1921, no less than \$140,000,000 was of food. Included were: Corn, \$10,000,000; wheat, \$62,000,000; flour, \$12,000,000; lard, \$35,000,000.

Of \$351,000,000 exports to Germany in 1913, probably not more than \$50,000,000 was of food. But in that year Germany bought \$47,000,000 of copper, against \$31,000,000 in 1921, of raw cotton \$168,000,000 against \$47,000,000 in the past year, of illuminating oil \$4,525,000 against \$1,167,000 in 1921. Her purchases of lubricating oil from America were valued at \$3,665,000 in 1913 and at \$11,562,000 in 1921.

As far as commerce summaries show, imports were generally half or less than half of 1913 volume, when total value was \$184,000,000, compared with \$80,000,000 in 1921.

"THE NOBLEST ENGLISH."

I question whether we ought to call anyone educated today who has not studied the Bible, Sir Arthur Quiller-Couch in his "Art of Reading." "The Authorized Version of the Holy Bible as a literary achievement is one of the greatest in our language; nay, with the possible exception of the complete words of Shakespeare, the very greatest. More deeply than any other book—more deeply even than all the writings of Shakespeare—far more deeply—it has influenced our literature." Can the rising generation neglect it, therefore, and hope to be called educated men and women? Thomas Huxley called himself an agnostic, but his excellently plain literary style was fashioned after the English of the Bible, and, although he became a free thinker in the

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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. Take Aspirin only as sold in the Bayer package for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago and for Pain. Handy tin boxes of twelve Bayer Tablets of Aspirin, in cost few cents. Druggists also sell larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monocaceticacid-ester of Salicylicacid. (Advertisement)

religious field, he urged that the study of the Bible be maintained in English schools. His eulogy of the Bible is one of the most remarkable of all the tributes that it has received from men of genius. "For three centuries," says Huxley, "this book has been woven into the life of all that is best and noblest in English history; it has become the national epic of Britain and is as familiar to gentle and simple, from John o' Groats' House to Land's End, as Dante and Tasso once were to the Italians; it is written in the noblest and purest English, and abounds in exquisite beauties of mere literary form; and finally, it forbids the veriest hind, who never left his village, to be ignorant of the existence of other countries and other civilizations and of a great past, stretching back to the furthest limits of the oldest nations of the world. By the study of what other book could children be so much humanized?"—"Ivanhoe" in Winnipeg Tribune.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets). It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 30c.

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 GROVE'S 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 inside the throat combined with the healing effect of Grove's 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 35c. Just ask your druggist for HAYES' HEALING HONEY.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain Execution issued by the Clerk of the County Court of El Paso County, on the 24th day of June 1921, in a certain cause where-

MRS. D. A. DODDS

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Surveys Nos. 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67 and 68, all in Block 4. The surveys in these blocks are situated from 5 to 8 miles from Pecos City, in the northern part of the Pecos River country and will be sold only in whole sections. Also, surveys No. 49 in block 6 and Nos. 9, 10 and 15 in block 7. Also, surveys Nos. 1, 2, and 3, fronting on the Pecos River, in Reeves county, and Nos. 19 (a city survey) Pecos county. Also 12 surveys in block 11 and 3 surveys in block 12. None of these are river lands. All are in Pecos county. All these lands are under lease for oil, gas and mineral purposes and any sale of same will be subject to such lease. J. G. LOVE of Pecos is agent for the sale of all these lands situated in Reeves County and application should be made in him for the purchase of same. There is no local agent for the sale of the lands in Pecos County, and parties desiring to purchase any of same should apply to the undersigned.

EUGENE CARTLEDGE, Agent and Attorney in Fact. AUSTIN, TEXAS

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in M. P. Carlock plaintiff, and Sunshine Oil Corporation defendant, in which cause a judgment was rendered on the 20th day of May 1921, in favor of the said plaintiff M. P. Carlock against said defendant Sunshine Oil Corporation for the sum of Ten Hundred Fifty Two and 70-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per centum per annum from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit, I have levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in April 1922, at the court house door of Reeves county within legal hours, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of The Sunshine Oil Corporation in and to the following described personal property, levied upon as the property of The Sunshine Oil Corporation to-wit:

All interest of the Sunshine Oil Corporation in the Laura Derrick Rig and Tools, at the Laura well now located on section No. 17, in Block No. 4, in Reeves county, Texas.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for (\$1052.70) in favor of M. P. Carlock, together with the costs of said suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

E. B. KISER, Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Reeves

By virtue of a certain Alias Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, on the 16th day of December, 1921, by S. C. Vaughan, Clerk, of said Court, against Ira J. Bell et al for the sum of Eighteen Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy One and 28-100 (\$18,871.28) Dollars and costs of suit in cause No. 1937 in said Court, styled David F. Brooks, receiver, versus Ira J. Bell et al and placed in my hands for service, I, E. B. Kiser, as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 1st day of March, 1922, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Reeves County, described as follows, to-wit:

The North eighty acres of subdivision One (1) and all Sub-division Three (3) Five (5) Seven (7) Eight (8) Nine (9) Eleven (11) Thirteen (13) in Section No. 2 in Block No. Two (2) in H. and G. N. Ry Company Survey, in Reeves County, Texas, according to a map or plat of said Sub-division of said Section Two (2) of record in the county Clerks office of Reeves County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said Ira J. Bell et al. And on Tuesday, the 4th day of April, 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 Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Ira J. Bell by virtue of said levy and said Alias Order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Enterprise and Pecos Times a newspaper published in Reeves County.

WITNESS my hand, this 1st day of March, 1922.

E. B. KISER, Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.

30-4t.

ELECTION PROCLAMATION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the Town of Pecos City, in Reeves County, Texas, for the purpose of electing three aldermen for the said town of Pecos City. Also for the purpose of electing a Mayor, a City Marshal and a City Secretary for the said town of Pecos City, all to serve for a period of two years. That said election shall be held on the first Tuesday in April, A. D. 1922, being the 4th day of said month, and said election is to be held at the City Hall in the said town of Pecos City, between the hours of eight o'clock a. m. and six o'clock p. m. and none but the qualified voters within the said town of Pecos City are entitled to vote therein.

C. S. McCarver is appointed presiding Judge and J. W. Wadley, Assistant Judge; M. W. Collier and C. B. Jordan are appointed Clerks for said election; and said election shall be held and due returns made thereof to the Council of said town of Pecos City as required by law.

Dated this the 26th day of February, A. D. 1922.

BEN PALMER,

Mayor of the town of Pecos City, Texas.

Attest:

E. EASTERBROOK,

Secretary of the town of Pecos City, Texas. 27-77

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Reeves.

By virtue of a certain Alias Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, on the 19th day of December, 1921, by S. C. Vaughan, Clerk of said Court, against W. Earl Bell and Ira J. Bell for the sum of Twenty One Thousand Two Hundred Sixty and 73-100 (\$21,260.73) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 1936, in said Court style David F. Brooks, receiver, versus W. Earl Bell, et al and placed in my hands for service, I, E. B. Kiser, as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 1st day of March, 1922, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Reeves County, described as follows, to-wit: All of Section Twenty Two (22) and Twenty eight (28) in Block No. 2 H. and G. N. Ry. Co. Survey, in Reeves County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said W. Earl Bell and Ira J. Bell. And on Tuesday, the 4th day of April, 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 Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. Earl Bell and Ira J. Bell by virtue of said levy and said Alias Order of Sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Enterprise and Pecos Times a newspaper published in Reeves County.

WITNESS my hand, this 1st day of March, 1922.

E. B. KISER,

Sheriff Reeves County, Texas. 30-4t.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

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SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Reeves.

By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Hon. District Court of Reeves County, on the 19th day of January, 1922, by S. C. Vaughan, Clerk of said District Court, against R. L. Ledbetter, G. B. Pierce, J. E. Shartie, C. S. Johnson, E. A. Clayton, Miami Oil Company, C. B. Hackleman, G. H. Schooling, Luther P. Hines, J. L. Hines, Chas. Harris, S. A. Burchfield, J. H. Hemphill, Arthur Holiway, J. B. Frost, Ernest Hart, F. C. Alsdorf, T. M. Robinson, J. J. Ivy, E. C. Carson, Rex R. Baxter, J. S. Horner, J. O. Fox, J. C. Hyde, W. F. Conn, F. A. Overholster, N. A. Jennett, Tom James, J. L. Brothers, Hugo Williams Oil Company, G. R. Olin, J. P. Johnson, W. M. Reilly, W. B. Kohnherst, Wilber P. Thiele, E. A. Talman, Aaron Cohen, Jim Catauro, J. H. Overstreet, M. E. Watson, Tom Kickirillo, Toyah Bell Oil Company No. 2, A. W. Rockwell, J. A. Hetherington, A. M. Alexander, Thresa Sullivan, T. W. Potter, Toyah Lub. Production Syndicate, Chas. H. Knower, Rowe Rowls, W. K. Hollifield, W. H. Robison, J. H. Hampton, F. G. Swanson, J. H. DeVillie, J. E. Smith, T. M. Edwards, R. H. Andrus, John McCarty, T. H. Newfern, T. W. McCoy, J. W. Plaston, G. B. Willingham, Oscar Roson, R. R. Rice, A. A. McGee, A. H. Smith, W. F. Stamford and W. A. Monce, for the sum of \$448.00, and costs of suit, in cause No. 2207 in said court, styled A. A. Hassan vs. J. L. Brothers, et al, and placed in my hands for service, I, E. B. Kiser, as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 19th day of January, 1922, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Reeves County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: All of that certain State Oil and Gas Permit No. 3925, issued by J. T. Robison, Commissioner of the General Land Office, to Mrs. Barbara Browning, on April 3, 1919, covering all of Sections 5, 8, 17 and 20, in Block 58, Public School Land, in the County and State aforesaid, the entire Permit being levied on by me, save and except the West Half of the said Section 8, and levied upon

as the property of said R. L. Ledbetter, G. B. Pierce, J. E. Shartie, C. S. Johnson, E. A. Clayton, Miami Oil Company, C. B. Hackleman, G. H. Schooling, Luther P. Hines, J. L. Hines, Chas. Harris, S. A. Burchfield, J. H. Hemphill, Arthur Holiway, J. B. Frost, Ernest Hart, F. C. Alsdorf, T. M. Robinson, J. J. Ivy, E. C. Carson, Rex R. Baxter, J. S. Horner, J. O. Fox, J. C. Hyde, W. F. Conn, F. A. Overholster, N. A. Jennett, Tom James, J. L. Brothers, Hugo Williams Oil Company, G. R. Olin, J. P. Johnson, W. M. Reilly, W. B. Kohnherst, Wilber P. Thiele, E. A. Talman, Aaron Cohen, Jim Catauro, J. H. Overstreet, M. E. Watson, Tom Kickirillo, Toyah Bell Oil Company No. 2, A. W. Rockwell, J. A. Hetherington, A. M. Alexander, Thresa Sullivan, T. W. Potter, Toyah Lub. Production Syndicate, Chas. H. Knower, Rowe Rowls, W. K. Hollifield, W. H. Robison, J. H. Hampton, F. G. Swanson, J. H. DeVillie, J. E. Smith, T. M. Edwards, R. H. Andrus, John McCarty, T. H. Newfern, T. W. McCoy, J. W. Plaston, G. B. Willingham, Oscar Roson, R. R. Rice, A. A. McGee, A. H. Smith, W. F. Stamford, and W. A. Monce, for the sum of \$448.00. And on Tuesday, the 4th day of April, 1922, at the Court House door of Reeves County, Texas, in the city of Pecos, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I will sell said Permit at public vendue, for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of said above named parties, or Defendants, by virtue of said levy and said Order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in The Enterprise and Pecos Times, a newspaper published in Reeves County.

WITNESS my hand, this 20th day of February, 1922.

E. B. KISER,

Sheriff, Reeves County, Texas. 30-4t.

CITATION

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded To summon William Willis and the unknown heirs of Wm. Willis deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, Texas, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the 24th day of April, A. D., 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 3rd day of February, 1922, in suit No. 2228, wherein C. M. Wilson is Plaintiff, and William Willis and the unknown heirs of William Willis, deceased, are defendants (and said petition alleging suit in trespass to try title for Lot 9, Block 98, according to the map of the original town of Pecos City, Reeves County, Texas.

Plaintiff alleges peaceable and adverse possession, use and enjoyment and payment of taxes, claiming under a deed duly recorded for more than five years. Also peaceable and adverse possession, use and enjoyment for more than ten years.

Plaintiff prays for title and possession and costs of suit.

HEREIN FAIL NOT But have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 3rd day of February, A. D., 1922.

S. C. VAUGHAN,

Clerk District Court, Reeves County, Texas.

By H. P. Kerr, Deputy.

Issued this 3rd day of February, A. D., 1922.

S. C. VAUGHAN, District Clerk.

By H. P. Kerr, Deputy. (Advertisement)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County,—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon H. S. Dunn, Christian Dubach, Laura E. Dubach, P. Freyman, Paul C. Krank, George A. Rathburn, Reinhold Meierhoffer, Alfred Tinally, Henry Deutsch, Henry H. Murphy, Jesse D. Murphy, Unknown Heirs of Emma C. Meierhoffer, deceased, Federal Service & Development Systems, Inc., Ben Williams, M. P. Carlock, A. P. Foster, J. O. Childers, W. C. Best, R. E. Alston, Abner Davis, Trustee; and the Federal Service Systems (not inc.), a common law trust and its trustees, A. W. Beisang, W. C. Heller, F. M. Rutten, H. B. Baillie and Henry Deutsch, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, Texas, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 23rd day of February, A. D., 1922, in suit No. 2231, wherein L. H. Lamkin is Plaintiff, and H. S. Dunn, Christian Dubach, Laura E. Dubach, Unknown Heirs of Emma C. Meierhoffer, Reinhold Meierhoffer, Charles K. McKnight, Laura A. McKnight, Henry H. Murphy, Jesse D. Murphy, B. T. Biggs, Alfred Tinally, Jno. B.

Howard, Sunshine Oil Corporation, Piere P. Freyman, Federal Service & Development Systems, Inc., Federal Service Systems, (not inc.), and its trustees, Henry Deutsch, A. W. Beisang, W. C. Heller, F. M. Rutten and H. B. Baillie, Antonio De Pasquale, A. V. De Pasquale, Henry Deutsch, Abner Davis, Trustee, W. A. Hudson, M. P. Carlock, El Paso Printing Company, Krakauer-Zork Company, Ben Williams, Tom Simmons, Pecos Land Company, A. P. Foster, J. O. Childers, George A. Rathburn, Paul C. Krank, W. C. Best and R. E. Alston, are Defendants, and said petition alleging that on or about March 28, 1914, Defendant, H. S. Dunn, executed and delivered to L. H. Lamkin, his five certain promissory notes, dated March 28, 1914, being numbered, due and in amounts as follows: Note No. 1, due March 1, 1916, for \$1000.00; Note No. 2, due March 1, 1917, for \$1000.00; Note No. 3, due March 1, 1918, for \$1000.00; Note No. 4, due March 1, 1919, for \$2,000.00; and Note No. 5, due March 1, 1920, for \$4,500.00; payable to L. H. Lamkin, with interest at 6 percent per annum, and providing for 10 percent attorney's fee in case of suit thereon. Whereby defendant H. S. Dunn became bound said sums specified. That Notes Nos. 3, 4 and 5, totaling the sum of \$7,500.00, interest and attorney's fee, are now due and unpaid.

That said notes were given for a part of the purchase money upon Section Thirty-five, Block Four, H. & G. N. R. R. Sur., Reeves County, Texas, save and except right of ways for the Pecos Valley Railroad, and for the Pioneer Canal, leaving 625.50 acres; and that in said deed executed upon said March 28, 1914, by L. H. Lamkin to H. S. Dunn, a vendor's lien upon said tract of land was retained to secure the payment of said notes. That said notes Nos. 3, 4, and 5 are still due and unpaid to plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$7,500.00, interest and attorney's fee.

That by a series of meane conveyances from H. S. Dunn, the defendants, Christian Dubach, Laura E. Dubach, Unknown Heirs of Emma C. Meierhoffer, Reinhold Meierhoffer, Charles K. McKnight, Laura A. McKnight, Jesse D. Murphy, and Henry H. Murphy assumed and became bound to pay said vendor's lien notes, and are claiming some title to said tract of land.

That defendants Charles K. McKnight and Laura A. McKnight leased by an oil and gas lease to B. T. Biggs, Alfred Tinally, and Jno. B. Howard, said tract of land above described on June 17, 1918. That said Defendants assigned said lease to the Sunshine Oil Corporation, which corporation in turn assigned portions of said lease to defendants, Federal Service & Development Systems, Inc., Federal Service Systems (not inc.), Antonio De Pasquale, Henry Deutsch and other parties.

That since the execution of said deed and notes the defendants, W. A. Hudson, M. P. Carlock, El Paso Printing Company, Krakauer-Zork Company, Ben Williams, Tom Simmons, Pecos Land Company, A. P. Foster, J. O. Childers, George A. Rathburn, Paul C. Krank, W. C. Best and R. E. Alston hold judgments against Sunshine Oil Corporation and Federal Service Systems (not inc.), duly abstracted and recorded, but that said judgment liens are inferior to plaintiff's vendor's lien which is a valid and subsisting first lien upon said tract of land, above described.

That the right, title and interest of all of said defendants named herein emanates from the equity of defendant, H. S. Dunn, in said land, under said deed from L. H. Lamkin to H. S. Dunn, and are all subordinate and inferior to plaintiff's vendor's lien. And plaintiff prays for judgment for his debt, interest, attorney's fee and costs; foreclosure of his lien upon the above described premises; and for removal of cloud upon his title, etc.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 24th day of March, A. D., 1922.

(SEAL) **S. C. VAUGHAN,** Clerk District Court, Reeves County, Texas.

By H. P. KERR, Deputy.

No. 2231. In the District Court of Reeves County, Texas, L. H. Lamkin vs. H. S. Dunn, et al. Citation by Publication. Issued this 24th day of March, A. D., 1922.

S. C. VAUGHAN, District Clerk.

By H. P. KERR, Deputy. 32-4t.

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A TONIC

Grove'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. Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is simply Iron and Quinine suspended in syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs QUININE to Purify it and IRON to Enrich it. Destroys Malarial germs and Grip germs by its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. 60c.

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THE PECOS ENTERPRISE

PERSONAL

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wilson Wednesday morning, March 29, a son.

Isa Earl Randolph, son of W. C. Randolph, left Tuesday night for Oklahoma.

Mrs. John B. Howard and children visited home folks in Midland a few days last week.

J. A. Pruett of Deming, New Mexico, is here on a visit to his sister, Mrs. S. W. Ward.

Mrs. J. G. Love and daughters, Misses Aileen and Margaret, were week-end visitors at El Paso last week.

T. H. Beauchamp is having his residence brightened up with new paint and papering. The work is being done by Davis.

Little Killough Ligon is quite sick with pneumonia at his home in Oklahoma City, according to information received here by his grandparents, Lee Ligon and wife on Tuesday.

Earnest Lee and family are again residents of Pecos, having moved over from Toyah. Earnest is now holding down a chair in the Ritz barber shop and "looks natural" in his old haunt.

Jack Woods this week sold the lots known as the Level property, to E. G. Doty, the consideration being \$750. Mr. Woods also sold a house and lot in the west side of town to I. J. Sims.

Mrs. J. A. Leeman left Tuesday for Duncan, Oklahoma, where she will visit for a time. While en-route she will stop at Dallas to consult a specialist in the treatment of her eyes. At Dallas she will meet her son who lives at Duncan.

C. H. Leffingwell and son, of Barstow, were Pecos visitors Tuesday. This gentleman and his son are owners of one of the best orchards in the lower Pecos Valley and are making a big success of the enterprise in a commercial way.

S. W. Adams, a newspaper man of Navasota, was in Pecos the latter part of last week, having come out to this section to inspect a quarter section of land he traded for "sight unseen." He was also looking for a favorable newspaper field in West Texas.

Those from Pecos attending a dinner tendered by the "Men's Bible Class" of Barstow Tuesday were: Rev. J. M. Garner, Judge J. F. Ross, E. L. Collings, Pat Moran, R. E. Williams, H. H. Johnson, John B. Hudson, Archie Ross and W. N. Sutherland.

Mrs. John R. Daniel was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Ed Vickers, a few days last week coming home with the party from El Paso where they attended the wedding of Miss Sadie Collings. She left Saturday for Colorado for a visit to her father, before returning to her home at Valentine.

C. T. Norwood, president of the Pecos Sunday school athletic association, states that on account of the public exercises at the school tonight, there will be no games on the basketball court, but games have been matched for Saturday evening, at which the public is cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Kyle were in from the ranch this week. Sid is just up from a severe spell of sickness which has "drawn" him considerably yet he is still in the ring. Mr. Kyle is among our most prosperous ranchmen and holds the confidence and respect of all who know him. He is a gentleman of the old school and a genial good fellow.

H. H. Ellzey, field representative for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce with headquarters at Stamford, was in Pecos the first of the week renewing memberships to this organization. Mr. Ellzey stated that Pecos was in better shape and presented less hard time talk to his efforts at salesmanship than any West Texas town which he had visited this year.

J. I. Furr and D. T. McKee have recently closed a deal whereby Mr. McKee becomes owner of the town property of Mr. Furr near the school building and Mr. Furr is owner of the McKee pump farm near the old experiment station. They have already made the exchange. The Enterprise does not know the terms of the deal but will say that they are both good citizens and an asset to Reeves county.

J. G. Ashworth is hale and hearty and as eager to get to the river for anything as most any of the younger set. He is by no means an athlete and could hardly be at his ripe age. He stated to The Enterprise early in the week that he would come to his 76th mile post on Saturday, April 1st. Jerry is a fine old gentleman and holds his age well and is able to do a first rate day's work spreading paint, and when he smears it he prides himself on the fact that it "stays put."

Absolute merit and merit alone is responsible for Tanlac's phenomenal and unprecedented success—Pecos Drug Co. (Advertisement) 1t.

D. D. Christener is here after an absence of several weeks.

Sam Means of El Paso, is in Pecos attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pope were Pecos visitors the early part of the week from Toyah.

Robt. Stevenson has purchased from I. J. Sims the Jack Wood residence property in Elbert Heights.

C. M. Caldwell of Breckenridge, who owns the Woody Johnson ranch, was here Thursday looking after his property interests.

Mrs. H. L. Eaton and daughter, Miss Mary Olive, of Greenville, S. C., arrived Tuesday for a visit with their cousins, Mrs. Wildy Runnels and Mrs. Jas. F. Ross.

Guy Goodwin, in charge of the drilling of the Pinal Dome well in Loving county, left the first of the week for Santa Maria, California, to attend the illness of his wife.

Judge Chas. Gibbs, judge of the district court of the 70th district and candidate for re-election to the office, was in Pecos today meeting the voters in the interest of his candidacy.

Mrs. J. C. Wilson returned home Tuesday from El Paso where she attended the wedding of her sister, Miss Sadie Collings. Mrs. E. L. Collings and Mrs. Earl Collings returned from El Paso Saturday of last week.

H. H. Jones of Fort Worth formerly citizen and yet land owner of Reeves county, was a visitor in Pecos Thursday and today, returning home form a business trip to El Paso. Mr. Jones, while here visited the Toyah-Bell and Bell well and believes they will, properly handled, make real oil wells. He is with the Gates Oil Co., of Denver, Colorado.

We like to sell Tanlac because it satisfies our customers. Pecos Drug Co. (Advertisement) 1t.

LEGION "FOLLIES"

TO CARLSBAD
The cast which produced the "Legion Follies" in Pecos a few weeks ago will stage the attraction at the Crawford theatre in Carlsbad Saturday evening. A number of the cast left today for the City Beautiful to perfect arrangements for the appearance, while the remainder will follow tomorrow in cars. The production in Pecos proved a big success and the cast will likely receive an inspiration from a strange setting and audience which will enhance its quality and reception.

TO THE VOTERS OF PECOS
I respectfully solicit your vote and influence in my candidacy for marshal in the election next Tuesday, and assure each and every supporter and the public at large that I will, if elected, discharge the duties of the office without partiality so that the dignity of the law may be sustained.

I have lived in Pecos for 34 years, and my effort has been to measure up to all the requirements of an enlightened citizenship.

Thanking you for whatever favors you may show me in this race, I am,
Very truly,
JOE HUDGENS.

DR. GRONER HERE
Dr. F. S. Groner, State secretary of missions for the Baptists of Texas, made an address to the local congregation of this denomination Thursday evening. Dr. Groner is an able speaker and is thoroughly informed as to the Baptist work and its possibilities at home and abroad.

AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH
The pastor, Rev. J. M. Garner, requests The Enterprise to state that Wm. F. Ross, of Barstow, will preach at the Baptist church at both the morning and evening services next Sunday. Rev. Garner expects to be absent from the city for a week, being one of the speakers of the "Flying Squadron" who are campaigning the State in behalf of the re-building plans for Baylor University.

Mrs. Boles Tells of Convention Trip

Mrs. W. B. Boles, who attended the Assembly of the Rebekah Lodge at San Antonio last week writes some impressions of her trip to The Enterprise, and the editor takes pleasure in re-producing her words, in part as follows:

"Through the medium of your paper I wish to say to the brothers and sisters of the Rebekah Lodge who made it possible for me to attend the Assembly at San Antonio that I will never cease to think of my trip as one of the grand occasions of my life.

"My first stop was at Fort Worth, where I visited my daughter, Anna, who is attending the Texas Woman's College. The president, Dr. Stout, assured me that I had sent a fine girl and was pleased with her progress in her studies. While there we visited our friend, Mrs. J. W. Day, who formerly lived in Pecos. She is the same generous hearted, loyal friend of yore. Both of her noble daughters are with her and are a blessing to their mother. Both have responsible positions and their employer cannot speak too well of them. They are always glad to see any of their Pecos friends. We were most royally entertained by them while there and were loath to leave their hospitality, but we had to hasten on to our destination where business called.

"We arrived at San Antonio Monday at 7 a. m. Was met by a delegation of Odd Fellows in cars and were taken to the Gunter hotel, where we registered and turned in our credentials and were assigned rooms. At 11 a. m. all met at the Beethoven Hall in a joint opening exercises. The hall was full to overflowing. An address of welcome in behalf of the city was given by Hon. O. B. Black, mayor, in which he turned over the keys of San Antonio to us and we were told to explore the merry-go-rounds and enjoy our stay with them, which we surely did. "Nothing marred our stay until

SHOWER FOR MISS MOORHEAD

The Amona class of the First Baptist church gave a miscellaneous shower to the attractive young bride, Miss Esther Moorhead, at the beautiful home of F. P. Riechburg last Friday evening.

The entertainment for the evening was "42," in which there were five tables and about an hour after the bride arrived, two visitors called, a little boy and girl, being Miss Estelle Hicks and Fern Biggs. They were peddling glass-ware and rolling pins and linen. As no one was interested in these wares but the young bride and these being presents from her friends as a remembrance of the Amona class they were left with her. The rest of the evening was spent in talking and singing, and last of all but not least, a three course lunch was served, consisting of sandwiches, pickles, cookies and punch, which was enjoyed by all. Each guest went away wishing the beautiful young

Wednesday, when the sad news was brought that Past Grand Master Dr. B. J. Hubbard, who was in attendance at the Assembly, had died suddenly of acute indigestion. "I arrived home Friday morning."

bride many happy years and prosperity. The following guests were present:

Measames Parker, Hick, Moorhead, Fred Johnson, and little daughter, Imogene, and Misses Blackmon, Mattie Lee Wilson, Viola Ward Louise Wadley, Jennie Drummond, Zelma Childress, Annie Lou Cole, Francis Wilson, Mary Stine, Eva Richburg, Estelle Hicks, Fern Biggs, Collie DeRacy, Virginia Runnel, Julia Ward and Mr. Dewey Richburg.

TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB CLOSSES YEAR'S WORK

The Twentieth Century Club held the last meeting for the year Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Hibdon, the retiring president. After a business session games of "42" were played for the remainder of the afternoon. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following: Measames Hugh-Rober son, A. E. Wilcox, Max Krauskopf, P. B. Smith, Tena Adams, A. G. Taggart, W. W. Dean, Harry Anderson, Roy Wilcox, John Baker, J. G. Love, J. B. Heard, L. A. Lawson, Tom Harrison, Wylie Cole and John Hibdon.

New Peace Dollar

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Smart! Smooth fitting! All-wool! Honestly tailored! Does that about describe the kind of new suit you would like? It's here. Any one you may choose from scores of Kirschbaum designs for Spring 1922. As for prices—how does this lower scale appeal to you—

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