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## MUDDY ROADS AND INCLEMENT WEATHER KEEP MANY AWAY FROM PECOS' FIRST TRADE DAY

### HON. O. B. WEBB IS A GREAT BOOSTER FOR PECOS VALLEY

Hon. O. B. Webb, assistant general passenger agent of the Texas & Pacific railway, while visiting in Pecos the fore part of the week, made a point to visit the ENTERPRISE editor as usual. Mr. Webb states that passenger traffic is very good on his lines at the present time and increasing. He states that the general condition of the country as a whole is better than for months and he is looking for still greater improvement.

This gentleman has been with the T. & P. for some thirty-three years and is always a booster for his road and the country which supports it. The Pecos Valley always receives a very gratifying sort of publicity at his hands and on this occasion he stated that T. & P. diners are still serving Pecos Valley Challenge cantaloupes and that from one end of his road to the other they receive attention and commendation.

Mr. Webb is also a believer in irrigation and very much enthused over the prospects of the construction of the Red Bluff reservoir. All that the Pecos Valley lacks of being one of the finest spots in the United States, says Mr. Webb, is the Red Bluff reservoir, and that which will follow—the settling of this rich valley with prosperous farmers. "I find that your people are just learning the value of crop rotation in this section," states Mr. Webb, "and that by plowing up your alfalfa every two or three years you can raise from one to three bales per acre, and the alfalfa crops will also produce better. Those farmers in the future who cultivate crops in the Pecos Valley will profit by this experience."

Mr. Webb would also like to see more cantaloupes grown here.

Another crop which would pay big dividends in the Pecos Valley is asparagus. But at present, like cantaloupes, it would have to be irrigated by pumps until such time as the Red Bluff is constructed.

### CHRISTMAS SEALS READY FOR SALE

Six hundred and thirty-six miles of Tuberculosis Christmas Seals for the 16th annual seal sale in Texas have been received by the Texas Public Health Association and its local associations.

Texas' quota this year is 40,300,000 seals. The seals are one inch long. If placed end to end they would reach from Denison to San Antonio following the Katy tracks and from there to Houston following the S. A. & A. P.

Although the seals sell for only one cent each, the amount of good that they accomplish is tremendous. The seals make possible health educational work, clinics, children's camps, nursing, health lectures and demonstrations, the Modern Health Crusade, etc.

The seals this year show a small child seated before a fireplace and the smoke of the fire forms a picture of Santa Claus. The words "Merry Christmas 1923" appear at the top and the double-barred cross, the emblem of the nation-wide fight against tuberculosis, is at the sides.

### FOOTBALL TEAM TO ALPINE

The Pecos football team left today for Alpine where they will play Sul Ross tomorrow. Those who left this morning are R. B. Norman, coach, and the following players:

W. D. Cowan, Joe Brown, Nathan Poer, Ona and Ora Moorehead, Tullus Randals, Chas. Fitzgerald, Bill Dean, Gordon Stine, Claud and Alex Hendricks, Brawley Adams, Jas. Hudgens, Jas. Caroline, Teddy Rubin.

## TOYAH BELL HAS BEEN MAKING GOOD PROGRESS AT WELL

Bad weather and roads that were impassable for autos and auto trucks did not interfere with operations at this well during the week. A carload of fuel oil was hauled from Arno, the station on the Santa Fe, four miles distant, by mule team, thereby assuring a supply of fuel on hand, regardless of what may happen with the elements.

Geo. Doty, expert fisherman in charge of operations at the lease assures us that his most difficult work is over, and that unless something unforeseen happens he will have a producer in the next few weeks. Continuous gassing of the well since a part of the obstruction has been removed, is a good sign and a feeling of entire satisfaction by those interested in the property, inspires the crew to greater efforts as bringing in of the well will make Pecos a field that will cause the oil fraternity to sit up and take notice.

Our best wishes are with the men in charge of the work who have so far overcome almost insurmountable obstacles, and who are most resourceful and untiring in their efforts to get the Pecos field a producing well.

### THE BELL WELL

For the past week the Bell well has been standing still waiting for a new five-thousand foot cable. The cable has arrived and the tools have been strung up and fishing for the drilling tools will begin at once. It is hoped that they will be recovered without difficulty and that the work of drilling out the balance of the plug may be completed before our next issue.

### FIRST NUMBER OF LYCEUM COURSE HELD TUESDAY

The first number of the Lyceum Course was given by the Theresa Sheehan Concert Company Tuesday night at the Rialto Theatre. Every number was splendid. Miss Sheehan, reader, Miss Tripper, soprano, and Miss Peck, violinist, rendered a well arranged program to an appreciative audience. Judging from this number, Pecos is to have a treat in high class entertainment this winter. The Parent-Teacher Association heartily endorses this Lyceum course and urge all to attend and help the Pecos Public School.

### HOME MAKERS CLUB MEETS

The Home Makers Club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Archie Ross as the charming hostess. After the preliminary of opening, and business was dispensed with, the efficient president, Mrs. Frank Cavett, read an interesting and instructive paper on the "Heart Hold of the Household." The hostess gave a practical demonstration of stuffed apples with meringue, which was very appetizing. Those present were: Mrs. R. B. Harlan, Mrs. Earl Easterbrook, Mrs. Roger White, Mrs. Roy Wilcox and Mrs. Frank Cavett.

### IS THERE ONE?

A Springfield, Mo., correspondent writes the ENTERPRISE as follows: "Send me your paper for six months. Send me a bill for the amount and I will pay six months in advance. Tell me what you know about the oil business in your state—any new strikes going on or any land exchanging hands. Give me the name of a first class real estate man in your town. Thanking you, etc."

The ENTERPRISE keeps its readers posted relative to oil development in this section of the state.

So far as this editor knows there is little exchange in real estate being made at this time. The last question regarding a first class real estate man is answered thus: From this editor's way of thinking there is none in Pecos. First class real estate men in any man's town do some advertising in this day and time, and since none here do that, it is questionable if there are any.

## AMARILLO JURY VOTES A TWO-YEAR TERM FOR MASKED KLUXER

Amarillo, Texas, Oct. 12.—T. W. Sanford, alleged Ku Klux Klansman, was found guilty in district court of a charge of white capping in connection with the recent flogging here of E. T. McDonald. He was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. Defense counsel immediately filed a motion for a new trial. The state charged that Sanford was the leader of a band of masked men who ordered McDonald to leave Amarillo before flogging him.

The verdict of guilty was based on the third count of the indictment against Sanford, the jury reported. The count involved the wearing of alleged Ku Klux Klan robes by the men, which the jury held constituted a threat in itself. The men wore Klan robes on the night they ordered him to leave the city, McDonald testified.

Judge Bishop had instructed the jury to return a verdict of guilty if, in their opinion, the wearing of such regalia constituted a threat.

Motion for a new trial was denied by District Judge Bishop and defense counsel gave notice of appeal. Four other men are awaiting trial on charges of assault with a prohibited weapon, and Sheriff Less Whitaker and County Attorney Henry Ford are under indictments for misuse of office.

### LEAVE FOR CALIFORNIA

W. C. Brown and family, who have been residents of Pecos for the past twenty years and who number their friends by their acquaintances, left this week for Monteca, California, where they expect to make their home. Mr. and Mrs. L. Q. Ross have recently moved there where he has a situation with a telephone company. Mr. Brown also has a situation with the same company which will pay him considerably more than he has been able to secure here in Pecos and the move will also enable them to be with their beloved and devoted daughter, Mrs. L. Q. Ross. Before leaving, Mr. Brown called at the ENTERPRISE office and stated that Mrs. Brown could not and would not leave without the old home paper, and paid in the cash which will place Reeves county's best paper in their new California home. They state that it is hard to give up their Pecos friends, but their finances compel them to do so and they go with many regrets in their hearts. The ENTERPRISE commends these good people to the best people of Monteca as entirely worthy of their confidence and respect.

Well, Governor Walton of Oklahoma tried heroic treatment—and now the Legislature threatens to throw him out of office, and ten to one they succeed. Like Governor Ferguson of Texas, six years ago, Governor Walton is convicted by the jury that will try him before court convenes.

There are some cases of mob law worked through the courts that are equally as dangerous as the liberties of the people as secret mobs, outside the courts, and the Ferguson case is one of them.

Another is the 8 to 7 Electoral Commission that seated a man for President in 1876—Hayes—who was defeated by the people.

So, when we throw rocks at mobs that take the law into their own hands, we must remember that even our courts and legal representatives of the people, in times past, have been guilty of mob action.

Ferguson was elected Governor of Texas twice and removed from office mainly by the people who failed to defeat him before the people. Governor Walton is going the same way unless all signs fail.

The Ku Klux Klan did not mob Tilden nor Ferguson, because there were no Ku Kluxers then. Mobs through the courts or outside the courts strike at the very foundation of our government and should be suppressed.—Baird Star.

## THEY CAME, THEY SAW, AND THEY WERE CONQUERED--- SEN. SHEPPARD VISITS PECOS

Senator Morris Sheppard and Congressman C. B. Hudspeth, accompanied by Richard F. Burges, attorney for the Pecos Valley Water Users' Association of Texas, and Vernon L. Sullivan, engineer for the aforesaid association, arrived from El Paso on the early morning train Monday and remained here until Tuesday afternoon.

Their visit to Pecos at this time was secured through the efforts of J. G. Love and C. K. McKnight and for the purpose of giving Senator Sheppard first hand information relative to the proposed Red Bluff reservoir, which is located up the Pecos river and just over the State line in New Mexico. This proposed dam will conserve flood waters which now are a menace to the lowlands along the river.

The heavy rains of the few days before their arrival had swollen the river until it was flooding the lowlands along its banks and made it impracticable to try to make the site via automobile, and after a hurried consultation with L. W. Anderson, superintendent of the Pecos Valley Southern Railway, and having obtained the consent of the Santa Fe officials to use their tracks, the motor car of the P. V. S. was brought into action and made the trip not only to the dam site but to Carlsbad as well. Besides Senator Sheppard, Congressman Hudspeth, Major Burges, Mr. Sullivan and O. B. Webb, there were some eighteen or twenty others who made the trip, among them J. G. Love, L. W. Anderson, C. K. McKnight, R. H. Gray, and others from Barstow and Grandfalls.

The occasion was propitious for such a visitation since the party was enabled to see the dam site, the immense body of flood waters not only being wasted but destroying the crops along the lowlands which were ready for the harvest. They saw the vast fields of cotton and alfalfa, some fields of which were producing a bale and a half per acre, while others, caused by lack of water, were producing practically nothing.

The visitors were shown that the construction of this reservoir would not only store plenty of water for the irrigation of the fifty thousand acres now under different projects, but would also furnish water for one hundred thousand additional acres equally as fertile and productive.

Under the direction of the Pecos Chamber of Commerce a feast of barbecued chevon and baby beef, with bread, pickles, potatoes, coffee and Budweiser, and other iced drinks topped off with a bountiful supply of ice cream and cake, had been prepared in honor of the senior senator from Texas, but on account of delays the party going to Carlsbad did not reach Pecos until the feast was over. However, the crowd remained at the Rialto until they did arrive—about 9 o'clock and were well repaid for their wait in the addresses to follow. Judge Jas. F. Ross in a few well chosen words introduced Congressman Hudspeth, who, after a short talk, introduced Senator Sheppard, who delivered the principal and masterly address of the evening. His address was largely a discussion of the economic problems which confront the United States and was pronounced by all who heard him a masterpiece of logic and oratory. He stated that the real frontiers had been occupied by settlers and that there was nothing left for us to do in order to bring back the good times we once enjoyed and stabilize the country but to create other frontiers by reclaiming the fertile, arid lands of the United States by the construction of reservoirs for impounding waters which would make them blossom as a rose and drain the swamp lands. It was pointed out that many of the projects under government control—

or constructed by the government

## ARMISTICE DAY CELEBRATION WILL BE HELD IN PECOS

Armistice Day will be celebrated this year in Pecos by the school children of the public schools of Reeves and Ward counties. The anniversary this year falls on Sunday and the celebration will be held in one of the large churches, not yet fully decided on. It will require a seating capacity for at least five hundred children besides the citizens of the above counties who will wish to attend the celebration.

The community orchestra, which will include Barstow, Pecos and Toyah will probably number sixty competent players besides the audience and singers. It will be held Sunday, November 11th, at 7:30 p. m., and if the weather is favorable, the largest number of people ever assembled in Pecos is expected to be in attendance.

The program consists of the singing of patriotic songs, which the school children of both counties have now in preparation. Arrangements are now being made for the comfortable transportation of the children from Toyah and Barstow and a large delegation from Balmorea, Saragosa and the valley are expected to be present.

The members of the committee of arrangements at Pecos for the entertainment of the visitors are: Messrs. J. W. Brooks, J. W. Moore, Lillian Butler, and Miss Irene Pr-wit. The ushers selected are Joe Brown, James Harrison, Jack Camp, James Caroline, and William Adams. The orator of the day will be Hon. J. A. Drane. Miss Ruth Gibson will read and there will be other entertaining features selected to make the celebration one long to be remembered in the annals of our community public schools. The committee will reserve seats for out of town visitors and everybody is invited. The program of patriotic songs to be rendered follows:

1. Overture, Patriotic.
2. Star Spangled Banner.
3. Faith of Our Fathers.
4. Prayer.
5. We Are Tenting Tonight.
6. America, the Beautiful.
7. Reading—Miss Ruth Gibson.
8. Keep the Home Fires Burning.
9. America Triumphant—Pecos High School Glee Club.
10. Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean.
11. Just Before the Battle, Mother.
12. Armistice Day Talk—Judge Drane.
13. America.
14. Closing Prayer.

A. J. Adcock was a pleasant visitor at the ENTERPRISE office Wednesday.

—had been practical failures, but that we had ample proof here that the Red Bluff proposition would be a financial success and pledged his unstinted support of the proposition and would do all in his power in an endeavor to get government aid for it.

On Tuesday the party visited Barstow with the intention of visiting the different projects on down the river but the roads were so bad it was considered not advisable to undertake the trip, and after visiting some of the farms north of Barstow, the senator addressed the pupils and patrons of the school there, and all returned to Pecos and spent the remainder of the day until the west-bound train arrived, in shaking hands with Pecos people and those who had come in from the country. They returned on the afternoon train to El Paso Tuesday, very much enthused with our people and our country.

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**HAIL DOES BIG DAMAGE  
TO COTTON IN THE  
MALAGA DISTRICT**

(Carlsbad Argus)  
The farming country of the Carls-  
bad Project has been dealt many  
staggering blows by the elements in  
years gone by, but with the exception  
of the loss of the dam at Avalon  
none were greater than that of  
last Tuesday afternoon, when, in the  
short space of thirty minutes, ap-  
proximately four thousand acres of  
fine cotton was laid waste by the big  
hail storm which visited the Malaga  
farming district. The storm came up  
with astounding suddenness, but be-  
cause of the unsettled condition of  
the weather nothing but a big rain  
was anticipated. The approaching  
storm was seen off in the northwest,  
along Black river, traveling south-  
east, and with a deluge of water, hail  
stones and chunks of ice as big as  
hen's eggs struck with a fury never  
before witnessed in the Pecos Valley.  
In the twinkling of an eye cot-  
ton stalks were stripped of their foli-  
age, limbs of the plants snapped  
and with them the millions of opened  
and unopened bolls were buried in  
the mud.

The fury of the storm seemed to  
be confined to a strip of country  
four miles wide, on either side of  
Black river, taking in the lower end  
of the big Lane farm across the Pe-  
cos river, where it is estimated over  
a thousand acres, in what is known  
as "Dog Town Flat" were devastated  
and some damage done to the fields  
further north and east.

On the Harkey farm, not under the  
project proper but containing a  
thousand acres or more, nine hundred  
acres were laid waste, but about  
sixty or seventy acres not in the storm  
limits were not badly damaged. These  
were the two biggest individual  
losses, but both are not in the Project.  
In the Project proper, close to  
the town of Malaga and south and  
east, about 2250 acres were laid low,  
some growers considering their sal-  
vage as high as ten per cent, while  
others do not believe it worthy try-  
ing to save.

Damage to the cotton was not the  
only loss, as business buildings and  
homes were wrecked, or nearly so,  
great holes being made in the roofs  
and in many homes every window  
light smashed, while a few experi-  
enced only the loss of window glass.  
Live stock was stunned by the force  
of the hail stones, the skins of the  
animals being laid open in many  
places.

It is hard to give individual losses,  
but following are a few as gathered  
from reliable sources:

Harroun farm, outside the Project,  
1000 acres; Harkey, outside the  
Project, 900 acres; John Queen, out-  
side the Project, 200 acres; in the  
Project and in the Malaga district,  
L. B. James, 225 acres; L. N. Hoag,  
40 acres; Mortizky, 40 acres; Wood-  
ley, 200 acres; J. L. Williams, 40  
acres; John Plowman, 150 acres; C.  
P. Pardue, 350 acres; C. W. Beeman,  
640 acres; J. R. Ogden, 120 acres;  
Gosset, 40 acres; J. H. Reed, 75  
acres; A. H. Dahlman, 20 acres; W.  
A. Moore, 40 acres; Jess Plowman,  
40 acres. The figures are not given  
as absolutely correct, but will be  
found approximately so. The total is  
4120 acres.

This loss of two thousand bales  
and three hundred thousand dollars,  
will reduce the number of bales es-  
timated to eight thousand and the es-  
timated value to about a million dol-  
lars in round figures, for the 1923  
crop.

**THE STORM LOST  
ITSELF ON THE RANGE**

The big hail storm which wrought  
such destruction along Black river,  
Tuesday afternoon, lost itself on the  
range, cattlemen coming to the city  
since telling of the big hail which  
fell on their ranches the same after-  
noon, said. On the George Williams  
ranch, northeast of Carlsbad, and in  
the neighborhood of the mill at  
Globe, the rain and hail came down  
for about half an hour in a perfect  
deluge, the hail being piled on the  
range after the rain to a depth of  
three or four inches. It is very for-  
tunate that the cloud passed to the  
northeast, instead of due north, as  
it would have covered the entire pro-  
ject had it followed the Pecos river  
instead of passing to the east.

**MAGNETIC MABEL'S MAIL**  
If you don't know what you want,  
ask Mabel.

Dear Mabel: In my country a  
lady would not think of showing  
her face in public. This is good.  
My father, a just and good man,  
has many wives. Here you lock  
a man up for protecting many  
fair women. This is bad. What  
is GOOD and what is BAD?  
ABOU MAHOMET.

Dear, Dear Abou: I, too, have  
wondered why a man should be  
considered a criminal for housing and  
feeding a couple dozen hapless fe-  
males. Seems to me he should be  
decorated for conspicuous bravery.  
For myself, I've never been able  
to get any kind of succor without either  
paying a commission or a retainer's  
fee. I cannot scream any admiration  
for your modesty a la veiled face,  
but I do bare my head in deepest  
admiration for your women in their  
cleverness to getting one man to  
support them by the gross, whereas  
it takes a gross of us over here to  
support one man. 'Tain't right. Ah,  
'tain't right.—MABEL.

**EASY COME—EASY GO**

They were driving along in their  
car. The old fashioned mother and  
the modern flapper daughter.  
"Betty, dear," asked the mother,  
"is that man on the corner throwing  
you a kiss?"  
"Yes, mother," said the m. f. d.,  
"but I'm throwing it back."

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**THIS WEEK**

By ARTHUR BRISBANE  
Rev. Percy Stickney Grant mourns  
as follows:  
"If 85 per cent of young men  
enter college believing in Chris-  
tianity and nearly all of them  
have lost their faith on leaving  
college, we are teaching Chris-  
tianity in the wrong way."

Very likely hard facts of science  
are taught in a way that crowds out  
belief in miracles. It must be re-  
membered, however, that boys in  
their teens do not exactly believe  
anything. They only take for grant-  
ed what has been told them.

It takes long mental medicine to  
plant religious belief in a young  
mind beyond all possibility of up-  
rooting. A man, known all over the  
country, said at the recent Lloyd  
George luncheon in New York:

"Only the Catholic Church  
stands between property and red  
radical confiscation. The Prot-  
estant church lost its power  
when it stopped teaching that  
there is an actual blazing hell.  
Men need to be frightened."

The gentleman is a good Prot-  
estant and goes through all the usual  
motions, but he is discouraged. If  
it's true that fear of hell fire alone  
will keep men honest, that's sad.  
But is it so? The American Federa-  
tion of Labor, which is non-sectarian,  
comes out strongly and officially  
against Communism, confiscation of  
property and other extreme radical-  
ism. High wages enable men to ac-  
quire property. And when a man  
owns something, he at once objects  
to any plan for dividing evenly.  
Capital will learn, perhaps, that its  
safety lies in making the little man  
a little property owner. A house  
paid for and a savings bank account  
will inspire more conservatism than  
any fear of hell.

"Harvard will teach freshmen to  
think." Perhaps it can be done. But  
it recalls the old saying about lead-  
ing a horse to water.

"I write, not that you may read,  
but that you may think." Montes-  
quieu put that in his "Spirit of  
Laws" long ago. Socrates showed  
where true thinking begins when he  
said he supposed he was called the  
wisest of the Greeks because he knew  
that he knew nothing.

Thinking cannot be taught, exact-  
ly. But it can be stimulated. When  
the apple fell, that started important  
thought in Newton. When Columbus  
made the egg stand up, that probably  
made the spectators think for a few  
seconds.

But how can you teach or provoke  
PROLONGED concentrated think-  
ing? Select your subject, "matter  
unlimited in infinite space," or "time  
without beginning or end," or "the  
logical probability of personal im-  
mortality." The average mind will  
find it hard to stick to one thought  
for three minutes.

For seven marriages in the United  
States there is one divorce. For seven  
people of middle age one is sure to  
die of cancer.

Some call the divorce cancer  
worse than any other malignant tum-  
or. If we understood cancer and di-  
vorce we might find them not so far  
apart. Both come from ignorance, both  
could be prevented.

The voters of Oklahoma seem to  
have decided against Governor Wal-  
ton, in favor of the Ku Klux by an  
overwhelming majority. Governor  
Walton secures an injunction to pre-  
vent an election that would impeach  
and put him out.

If it be true that the Ku Klux  
completely control a great state, that  
interests all other states. It may be  
that Oklahoma voted not so much  
in favor of the Ku Klux as against  
Governor Walton's use of militia to  
prevent voting.

Statistics put the wealth of the  
United States, everything included,  
at three hundred thousand million  
dollars.

Taxation assessment on New York  
City's real estate is increased, this  
year, more than one thousand mil-  
lions. The total assessed value of  
New York is eleven billion and a  
quarter. It would be impossible to  
guess the total wealth of the United

States, with several cities that will  
soon be bigger than New York is  
now.—Chicago, Los Angeles, Seattle,  
Detroit, among others.

When old Germany finishes build-  
ing the big Zeppelin ordered by this  
country, the great Zeppelin plant  
must be dismantled and destroyed.  
Such are the orders of France. A  
plant that the world needs for its  
progress to be made a junk pile be-  
cause it might make machines for  
war. It's natural for France to main-  
tain her dictatorship in Europe and  
protect herself against numbers,  
while she can. But could not France  
herself run that factory, or sell the  
plant to be transported to this coun-  
try? All nations share the burden  
of such wilful waste.

**WILLIE A REAL FRIEND**

Mother: "Henry! Henry! Henry!  
What am I to do with you? You've  
been fighting again and lost all your  
teeth."

Henry: "Nope, mom; I didn't lose  
'em. Willie Brown picked 'em all  
up and saved them for me."

**A WONDERFUL HUSBAND**

Liza says her husband is a wonder-  
ful provider—providin' he had it,  
and he always had it providin' he'd  
work, and he always worked provid-  
in' he got up in time. "Oh, yes,  
ma'am," says Liza, "Joe is sure a  
wonderful provider!"

Classified ads are inexpensive re-  
sult-getters.

**SUFFERED MANY YEARS  
WITH FEMALE TROUBLE**

**PE-RU-NA  
LIKE A GIFT FROM HEAVEN**



Mrs. Katie Scheffel,  
R. F. D. No. 5, Lowell, Ohio

"I have been suffering for years  
with female trouble. Was operated  
on five years ago. It relieved me  
some but I did not regain my  
strength. Two years later was  
taken sick and bedfast several  
months. I treated a long while  
without much relief. I was dis-  
couraged, my mind affected, so  
nervous I could neither eat or  
sleep and unable to do anything."

We tried several doctors but  
one after another gave up my case  
as hopeless. Finally a good friend  
advised me to try Pe-ru-na. I did.  
It relieved me almost immediately.  
Your medical department said I  
was suffering from chronic catarrh  
of the system. I began taking your  
medicine in March, 1914, and con-  
tinued until August. I took ten  
bottles of Pe-ru-na and three bot-  
tles of Man-a-lin and felt like a  
new person. Your medicine seemed  
like a gift from Heaven. It was  
like coming from darkness into  
light.

We have used your medicine  
since for coughs, colds and grip  
with good results. We will always  
keep it on hand. I weigh twenty-  
five pounds more than I ever did,  
eat and sleep well and can do a  
good day's work. Everybody says  
I look fine. Even the doctors are  
surprised. I cannot thank you  
enough and will always recommend  
Pe-ru-na to sufferers from  
catarrh."

**MRS. KATIE SCHEFFEL,  
R. F. D. No. 5, Lowell, O.**

Mrs. Scheffel is only one of  
many thousand women in the  
world, who owe their present health  
to Pe-ru-na. The record of this  
medicine is a proud one as Pe-ru-  
na has held the confidence of both  
sexes for fifty years or more.

If your trouble is due to a  
catarrhal inflammation in any or-  
gan or part of the body, do like  
Mrs. Scheffel. Try Pe-ru-na. Insist  
upon having the original and re-  
liable remedy for catarrhal condi-  
tions. You won't be sorry.

**Ask Your Dealer About This  
Old-Time Tried Remedy**

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

**WHAT MAKES A TOWN?**

What makes a town, anyway? It  
is the wealth evidenced by the homes  
and splendid store buildings. These  
may attest the stability and thrift  
of certain people, but they offer no  
great inducements to commercial and  
moral progress. It is the spirit of  
good order and law observance.  
That is a factor only. The sleepest  
old hamlets that dot the map have  
this spirit in rank abundance. Is  
it the schools and churches? May  
their number ever increase, but they  
don't make a town—they only culti-  
vate it. Is it the geographical loca-  
tion, the character of the country sur-  
rounding, the shipping facilities, the  
natural advantages?

None of these are essentials.  
Well, what is it that makes a town,  
anyway?

Just one thing—the unity of the  
people, the existence of a common  
bond, which causes business and so-  
cial enemies to put aside all differ-  
ences when it comes to boosting the  
town. No town ever made real pro-  
gress in the way to substantial suc-  
cess without the get-together spirit  
unanimously adopted. It has rejuven-  
ated old hulks of towns that were  
yawning their way into endless sleep.  
It has infused new life blood into  
the heart of commercial life and  
made thriving cities out of paralytic  
villages.

Natural advantages count for much  
and prosperity can not be built up  
on shifting sand, but any town with  
half a chance can be made to grow  
and expand and thrive when its citi-  
zens join with one accord in the  
boosting program.—Santa Anna  
News.

You can tell ENTERPRISE printing.  
It's just a little better than the rest.

**NOTICE OF SALE**

The State of Texas, County of Reeves:  
Whereas I, Roy I. Biggs, am vested  
with authority as mortgagee in a certain  
mortgage, filed for registration October  
6, 1921, and registered in Volume 7, page  
560, of the Mortgage Records of said  
Reeves County, Texas, executed and deli-  
vered to me on September 7, 1921, by  
the Sunshine Oil Corporation, to secure  
the payment of one certain promissory  
note of \$1125.00, executed by said Sun-  
shine Oil Corporation, payable to the  
order of Roy I. Biggs at Pecos, Texas, due  
October 20, 1921, bearing 8 per cent in-  
terest annually from date until paid; and  
said mortgage constituting a lien upon  
the personal property hereinafter described;  
And whereas the said Roy I. Biggs is  
the holder and owner of said note—and  
said Sunshine Oil Corporation has made  
default in the payment of said \$1125.00  
note, together with interest, making a  
total sum now due and unpaid of \$1240.00,  
same now being past due and wholly un-  
paid. And whereas under the terms of  
said mortgage on default in the payment  
of said note, mortgagee is authorized to  
take possession of said property and sell  
same at public auction for cash at the  
court house door of Reeves County, Tex-  
as, with or without having said property  
actually present at the place of sale; and  
mortgagee has elected to so sell said  
property;

Now therefore, I, Roy I. Biggs, the said  
mortgagee, will offer for sale and proceed  
to sell, between the hours of 10 o'clock  
A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on October  
23rd, 1923, at public auction to the high-  
est bidder for cash, at the court house  
door in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, the  
following described personal property, to-  
wit: One three room cook house; one bunk  
house; one tool house; one large boiler  
house; and one four room bungalow. All  
of said property being located on Section  
17, Block 4, H. & G. N. RR Co. Survey,  
Reeves County, Texas, near the Laura well.  
Witness my hand this 12th day of  
October, A. D. 1923.

ROY I. BIGGS, Mortgagee.

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

The State of Texas, County of Reeves:  
By virtue of a certain Alias Order of  
Sale and Execution issued out of the Hon-  
orable Justice Court of Precinct No. 7,  
Dallas County, on the 9th day of August,  
1923, by A. C. Florey, Justice of the Peace  
of said Court, against H. C. Roberson, for  
the sum of One Hundred Eight and 25/100  
(\$108.25) Dollars and costs of suit, in  
cause No. 13986 in said Court, styled Sears  
Roebuck and Company versus H. C. Roberson,  
and placed in my hands for service,  
I, E. B. Kiser, as Sheriff of Reeves Coun-  
ty, Texas, did, on the 8th day of October,  
1923, levy on certain Personal Property,  
situated in Reeves County, described as  
follows, to-wit: One Economy Gasoline  
Engine, five horse power; and levied up-  
on as the property of said H. C. Roberson.  
And on Tuesday, the 6th day of No-  
vember, 1923, at the Court House door  
of Reeves County, in the town of Pecos, Tex-  
as, between the hours of ten A. M. and  
four P. M. I will sell said Property at  
public vantage, for cash, to the highest  
bidder, as the property of said H. C.  
Roberson by virtue of said levy and said  
alias order of sale and execution.

And in compliance with law, I give this  
notice by publication, in the English lan-  
guage, once a week for three consecutive  
weeks immediately preceding said day of  
sale, in the Pecos Enterprise, a newspaper  
published in Reeves County.  
Witness my hand, this 8th day of Octo-  
ber, 1923.

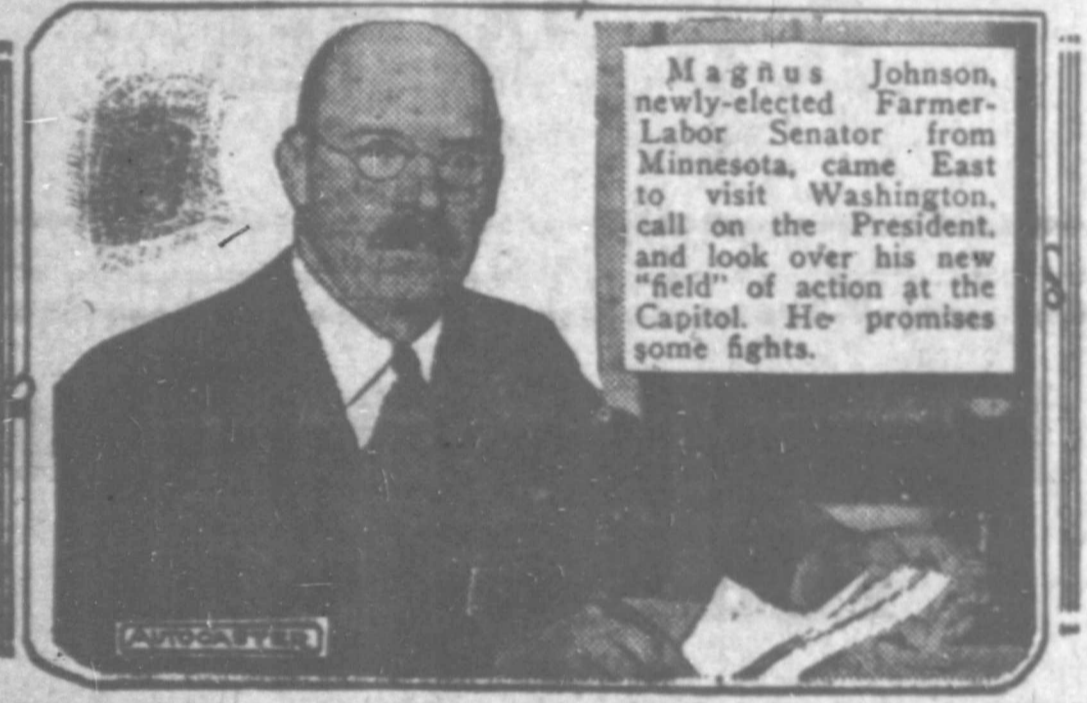
E. B. KISER,  
Sheriff, Reeves County, Texas.

Lloyd George and "Pal" See America



David Lloyd George, England's War Premier and the strong man of that great conflict, sailed into New York Harbor on his first trip here to be accorded a welcome which left the little Scotchman breathless. With his wife and daughter he is now in Canada prior to a tour of the United States, when great demonstrations will be featured at every stop. Shown with him here is his daughter, Megan, his "pal" and constant companion.

Magnus Dressed-up and in Senate Office



Magnus Johnson, newly-elected Farmer-Labor Senator from Minnesota, came East to visit Washington, call on the President, and look over his new "field" of action at the Capitol. He promises some fights.

SUBSTITUTES FOR COAL

Newspaper dispatches from all parts of the country show increasing use of fuel oil in homes, apartment houses, factories and public buildings instead of coal.

For several years the public has been subjected to a periodical strike with resulting hardships from lack of fuel and unreasonable prices. The public interest in the coal industry has apparently been lost sight of by both the operators and the miners.

The day when lack of coal can cripple a whole nation is drawing to a close. The public is sick and tired of the annual outrage.

Electricity, fuel oil and gas are the coming substitutes for coal in the average home and factory.

Public utility plants operated by coal, will use oil or operate their

own mines to the great advantage of the public.

Coal mining will get the same lesson that is eventually meted out to any industry that in its operation loses sight of the public interest. A substitute that gives better service will take its place.

Orient Hotel serves meals for 50c. Family style. 6-ft

MARVELOUS!

Oscar (reading): "Three thousand four hundred and twenty-six elephants were needed last year to make billiard balls."

Ollie: "Isn't it perfectly wonderful that such great beasts can be taught to do such delicate work!"

50 cent meals at the Orient. 6-ft

For window glass see W. A. HENDRICKS. 6-5t\*if

GLASSES GROUND WHILE YOU WAIT

MONROE SLACK OPTOMETRIST

REGISTERED AND LICENSED BY THE STATE OF TEXAS

EYES EXAMINED FOR GLASSES

ONE DAY SERVICE ON WATCH WORK. WORK RETURNED PROMPTLY.

OFFICE OVER POSTOFFICE PECOS TEXAS

THE DALLAS NEWS

THE NEWBIE, THE BEST, THE MOST RELIABLE—THAT'S ALL

TOM McCLURE CIRCULATOR AT PECOS, TEXAS

If It's Lost a Classified Ad Will Find It.

RADIO COLUMN

All communications concerning radio should be addressed to The Radio Editor, Pecos Enterprise, Pecos, Texas.

RADIO PROGRAM OF WBAP, THE FORT WORTH STAR-TELEGRAM Daily Features

9 a. m.—Opening and present quotations on cotton and grain, on the New York, New Orleans and Chicago markets.

10 a. m.—Late cotton and grain and cottonseed oil quotations.

10:57 a. m.—U. S. time ticks.

11 a. m.—Late cotton and grain quotations; late flashes from the Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City markets by Department of Agriculture leased wire. Fruits and vegetables division quotations. U. S. weather forecast and Cotton Region bulletin report.

12 noon—Late market quotations. Close on grain.

1:20 p. m.—Close on cotton.

2 p. m.—Fort Worth cattle market; Fort Worth cash grain markets.

3 p. m.—Fort Worth produce markets. Bradstreet's special telegraphic review of the Nation's business for the week, on Saturday only.

4 p. m.—Financial review. Dunn's special telegraphic review of the Nation's business pulse, on Saturday only.

5 p. m.—Major league baseball scores.

6:30 p. m.—Final sport review; Southwest road report prepared by the Automotive Bureau of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce.

7:30 p. m.—Regular nightly concert, excepting Sundays. Concert at 9:30 p. m. daily except Saturday and Sunday.

Tune to 476 meters. All time is Central Standard.

PROGRAM OF WHB—THE SWEENEY SCHOOL, K. C.

12:30 to 1 p. m.—Concert.

2 to 2:55 p. m.—Ladies' Hour Concert.

7 to 7:30 p. m.—Children's Program.

8 to 10 p. m.—Tuesday and Thursday.—Regular concerts.

Sunday

2 to 3 p. m.—Concerts.

8 to 10 p. m.—Religious services.

PROGRAM OF WOC—DAVENPORT, IOWA

12 noon—Chimes concert.

5:45 p. m.—Chimes concert.

7:00 p. m.—Regular concert.

Sunday

9:00 p. m.—Chimes concert.

1:00 p. m.—Sacred and popular music program.

6:00 p. m.—Organ concert.

7:15 p. m.—Church services.

PROGRAM OF KSD—THE ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

9:40 a. m.—Markets.

4:00 p. m.—News, markets.

8 p. m.—Regular concerts.

"Station KFJZ"

This is the call letter assigned to the new broadcaster of the Headquarters Troop, One Hundred and Twelfth Cavalry, Texas National Guard at Camp Bowie, according to a communication from Washington.

The new station, which has tested out recently, is to be on a wave length of 254 meters. It will broadcast concerts on Wednesday and Sunday nights of each week at 8:15 o'clock.

Pecos fans who hear this new station, and also the new Willard Battery station, are requested to drop a line to this editor.

CROWDED BOTTLES

Lady: "Look here, Mr. Milkman. There never is any cream on the milk you sell me."

Milkman: "Listen, lady. I want to give you full measure and I guess I fill them bottles so full there ain't no room for the cream."

READ FAST—AND REPEAT

News Item—A New York candy manufacturer is now marketing a new product, called "Snow Bananas."

Customer: "Have you any of that new candy?"

Candy Man (Now Read Fast): "Yes, we have snow bananas."

Pretty good, eh!

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. 5c.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

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

A moderate increase in the production of automobiles for August as compared to July is indicated by statistics compiled by the United States Census Bureau in co-operation with the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce. According to the official announcement the figures for August were obtained from 181 manufacturers, whereas for July the figures were obtained from 170 manufacturers. For practical purposes, however, the figures are sufficiently accurate in making comparisons between August figures and those of the preceding months.

Passenger cars produced during August totaled 305,010 or 6,906 cars more than the July output. It is to be observed, however, that the August production is considerably less than that of the months from March to June, being 13 per cent less than the record production of 350,180 cars for May.

The production of trucks for August likewise showed a slight increase over the preceding month; truck manufacturers turned out 30,251 trucks, an increase of 253 over July, however, the rate of production was 29 per cent under the high mark reached in May of this year.

According to the figures reported to the Census Bureau, the production of passenger cars for the first eight months of this year has reached 2,630,905 cars, an increase of 74 per cent over the corresponding period of last year. The production of 257,279 trucks for the same period is a 60 per cent increase over 1922 figures.

WHAT IS WRONG WITH THIS SENTENCE?

"Oh, yes," said the man of the house, smirking joyously, "I am glad to see winter coming again. I just LOVE to shovel snow."

FINICKY MAN

Diner: "Waiter, there is a hair in this honey—at least, I've found the COMB; and this ice cream has been frozen with SHAVED ice; while this apple-sauce is impossible—made from BALD-wins, you know."

KNEW ALL ABOUT THEM

Old Stage Hand (boastingly): "Yeh, I've seen a lotta good actors in my day. Once I knew an actor who could read a restaurant menu card and make his audience weep."

Young Comedian: "Oh, I know how he did it. He didn't read anything but the prices."

It was by our efforts your rates were reduced and refund on premiums. We ask for more of your insurance.—E. L. COLLINGS INSURANCE CO. 6-ft

Queer Feelings

"Some time ago, I was very irregular," writes Mrs. Cora Robie, of Pikeville, Ky. "I suffered a great deal, and knew I must do something for this condition. I suffered mostly with my back and a weakness in my limbs. I would have dreadful headaches. I had hot flashes and very queer feelings, and oh, how my head hurt! I read of

CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

and of others, who seemed to have the same troubles I had, being benefited, so I began to use it. I found it most beneficial. I took several bottles . . . and was made so much better I didn't have any more trouble of this kind. It regulated me." Cardui has been found very helpful in the correction of many cases of painful female disorders, such as Mrs. Robie mentions above. If you suffer as she did, take Cardui—a purely vegetable, medicinal tonic, in use for more than 40 years. It should help you. Sold Everywhere.

DEATH-BED PHILOSOPHY

People are not always as good as they think and are not always as sick as they feel.

When my father was a young minister there was an eccentric old man in his church who was very fond of him and who took a great deal of interest in him. He was constantly giving him much advice, and my father, appreciating the good intent and valuing the old man's intellectual qualifications, accepted this advice in the spirit in which it was given.

One day my father was sent for in haste. The old man was dying. It was a hot day and as my father entered the chamber of death he perceived the old man, who was six feet long and as gaunt as a rail, lying in the bed with only a sheet over him. His pale blue eyes had a far-away look. His hands were clasped on his breast. He addressed my father in a sepulchral voice.

"I am going to die," he said, "and I have already made my peace with God. I am ready to go. I have sent for you not because I need you, but because I want to hear how you would talk to a dying man. I have my doubts about your ability to handle a death-bed scene. Now, go ahead, and let me see what you can do." The old man relaxed and closed his eyes.

My father said he felt for the moment that had he possessed the tongues of men and angels they would have availed him nought. But it was only for a moment that he was speechless. Then his ready wit came to his rescue and he rose to the occasion. Addressing the old man, he said:

"You say you have made your peace with God and are ready to go. I doubt it. Ever since I have known you I have been impressed with your irascible disposition. I have noticed that, through yielding to your irascible tendencies, you have given your wife and children many unhappy hours. Now, before your tongue stills in death, send for your wife and your children and ask them to forgive you for the many unkindnesses you have inflicted on them."

The old man opened his eyes, rolled them around at my father, and essayed to speak.

"One more thing," said my father, raising his hand. "The members of your church feel that you have not carried your share of the burden there. They feel that you have been stingy in your financial relations with the church. They resent this, and quite properly. Now, before your fingers stiffen in death, take your pen and write a generous check in favor of this church toward which you have been so illiberal."

The old man suddenly developed a good deal of energy for a dying man. He raised himself on one elbow and shook his fist at my father. "Get out of this room, you impudent young scamp," he wheezed. "Get out of this room, or I'll throw you out!"

From that moment the old man's resuscitation began. In a few days he was out of bed and in a few days more, having a keen sense of humor, he was telling the story all over town as a huge joke on himself.

"When the time comes for me to die," he said to my father, "I want you to preach my funeral sermon. You are the only man that ever did really understand me."—By Wickes Wamboldt.

HITTING THE NAIL

Rastus (chronic ailer): "Man, I sure is a sick black man. Don't blame me fo' wailing. I've had troubles and troubles and now it is ma eyes. Honest, Rastus, unless I squints ma eyes just so, ah can't see nothin' at all—I se going blind, and it's awful. Why, Rufus—"

Rufus: "Wal, I do declare, you-all is in a bad way. You oughter go hunt up an optimist right away."

EASY ONE, NEXT!

Teacher: "What is an engineer?" Willie: "Man who runs an engine."

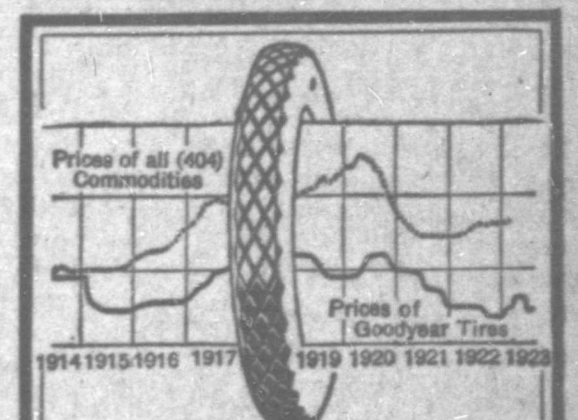
Teacher: "Correct. And what is a pioneer?" Willie: "Man that tunes a piano."

IF IT'S WORTH SELLING, IT'S WORTH ADVERTISING.

Tutt's Pills

The first dose stimulates the invalid, giving immediate relief, regulating bowels and digestive organs, inducing

GOOD DIGESTION



FOR many years now, Goodyear Tire prices have been kept consistently lower than the average price level for all commodities, as you see from the above chart. At the same time, Goodyear quality has been consistently bettered. Today, Goodyear Tire prices are lower than in 1914, and Goodyear quality is the highest ever. This is a good time to buy Goodyears. As Goodyear Service Station Dealers sell and recommend the new Goodyear Cords with the beveled All-Weather Tread and back them up with standard Goodyear Service PECOS AUTO COMPANY

GOOD YEAR "Western Made for Western Trade"

After Every Meal, A universal custom that benefits everybody. Aids digestion, cleanses the teeth, soothes the throat. WRIGLEYS a good thing to remember. Sealed in its Purify Package. THE FLAVOR LASTS

ASPIRIN Say "Bayer" and Insist!



Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer product prescribed by physicians over twenty-two years and proved safe by millions for Colds, Headache, Toptache, Lumbago, Earache, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Pain, Pain. Accept "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" only. Each unbroken package contains proper directions. Handy boxes of twelve tablets cost few cents. Druggists also sell bottles of 24 and 100. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.

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-Teste 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 5c. Just ask your druggist for HAYES' HEALING HONEY.

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. 5c.

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Every day in every way it appears that the Red Bluff reservoir project is becoming more nearly a reality. Its construction, and consequent storage of water and plenty of it for the irrigation of one hundred and fifty thousand acres of rich Pecos Valley lands, which will be settled, much of it, by truck farmers, will make this section the peer of any other section of Texas. We have the soil. We have the climate. We have the water ready to be harnessed for our own benefit and use. We will some day have it impounded in Red Bluff reservoir and then thousands of happy, prosperous and contented farmers will occupy it. Let's pray for the hastening of the day.

The visitation at this time of Sen. Sheppard, Congressman Hudspeth and other distinguished guests, was opportune. They were enabled to see with their own eyes the flood waters of the Pecos river pass on down past the Red Bluff dam site and besides being wasted, was destroying crops on the lowlands which were ready for the harvest. They saw the acres of crops of cotton and alfalfa which, with the shortage of water during the summer, threaten us with an absolute failure, producing heavy crops, and some of them surpassing in production other sections of the country regarded as the very best of cotton. They saw our needs with their own eyes and also noted the fact that these rich and fertile valleys would in a few years perforce have to be abandoned as farms unless even more water than we now have can be secured. They were shown that the water was year by year becoming scarcer and scarcer. All visitors, after making a careful investigation promised their unstinted support of the proposition.

## A HIGH COMPLIMENT TO TOYAH AND BARSTOW

The Etude, the most widely circulated and largest musical publication in the world, published by Theo. Presser at Philadelphia, Pa., issued a special anniversary number this month in commemoration of its fortieth year in the interest of good music. After devoting several pages illustrating its various departments in which there are 342 employees, prominently and conspicuously, on the editorial page, it reproduces a fine half-tone of the Toyah-Barstow orchestra, published in the ENTERPRISE some time ago by the courtesy of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram.  
The Etude has a circulation of a quarter of million copies, is known to every musician of note in the world and has every music teacher of prominence in the United States on its subscription galley.  
It could not have made a better selection to illustrate the progress in music than a reproduction of this photograph. The organization was evolved from erudite material and hidden talent, and after two years of instruction and practice can render programs which would be a credit to most professional orchestras.  
Under the picture is published in large type the following:

### "UNDREAMPT OF FORTY YEARS AGO."

"Orchestra in the city of Toyah, Texas (population 1000) symbolizing the enormous spread of musical interest in comparison with the wilderness of the 'Wild West' of half a century ago. Similar orchestras are being created everywhere in America."

In referring to the picture editorially the Etude sums up its long comment on the progress of music as follows:  
"There is hardly a better way in which to close this long editorial than to call the reader's attention to the picture on page 659. It shows an orchestra organized by a ranchman and his wife in Toyah, Texas. FORTY years ago the Indians listened to the wail of the coyote on the very site where the fine public school building shown in this picture now stands. Today in a town of 1,000 there is a capable orchestra of sixty-five men, women and children. It is not the Philadelphia Orchestra, not the Boston Symphony, not the New York Philharmonic; but these people, in their own orchestra, are making their own music in their own way; and we shall not say that movements of this kind are not of almost equal importance with those of the metropolis. The real musical spirit of our land is not in Carnegie Hall nor in the Auditorium, but in Toyah, Texas, and in scores of similar centers from Bangor to San Diego, and Seattle to Key West."

The ranchman and his wife of Toyah, referred to in the above editorial, are Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harp.

### WIFE BEATING DISCOURAGED

Judge P. A. Martin of the 89th district court in session at Wichita Falls recently has set a precedent which will make wife-beating less popular if other jurists will follow his lead.  
"The State has some rights in this matter as well as yourself," Judge Martin told Mrs. Clarine Rhyne, who was suing her husband for divorce in Judge Martin's court, "and I will grant the divorce only on the condition that you immediately file complaint against the defendant for aggravated assault. This wife-beating habit has gone out of practice many, many years ago, and the State demands its right to prosecute this man."

Mrs. Rhyne had testified that her husband had beaten her on several occasions. She immediately appeared before the county attorney and made the complaint. The divorce was granted.

The time is ripe for the enforcement of our laws no matter what they may be. When our people in the jury box begin to mete out justice to the offenders of the law there will be fewer crimes committed. After all, the populace is responsible for the greater number of infractions of our laws for the reason that they fail and refuse to punish when it is clearly proven that the laws have been broken. Enforce the laws and place upon the heads of the offenders heavy penalties and the safety of our people is assured.

The ruling of the Attorney General that it is lawful to pay taxes on any one tract of land or town lot without paying on all owned by one person or persons will relieve the situation in a material way for many of our people. Heretofore, when taxes were due on a group of separate tracts or lots all of said taxes had to be paid at the same time and in case of a sale of one tract out of the lot the taxes on the one lot stood for all parcels of lands owned by the party and was held as a lien, and therefore was a cloud upon the title. Within the past year or two several deals have been broken on that account. Another ruling which is of interest to the general public is that county boards of equalization have no authority to add personal property to lists prepared by tax assessors or to tax rolls, the attorney general advised State Comptroller Smith. The ruling further held that board of equalization has no power to summon persons before it or to consider evidence for investigating whether or not personal property has been rendered for taxation. The opinion was delivered in connection with inquiries from county tax assessors. They are both good rulings which will benefit all who owe taxes.

They certainly have a beautiful political mess up in Oklahoma. Governor Walton started out to enforce the law against floggings that have been going on in that State for two years.

Naturally he got into a row with the Ku Klux Klan, as he charged that order with the responsibility. Things got warm and the Governor declared martial law in a few places where he claimed that the local officers, as members of the Klan, had failed to prosecute. Some convictions were had, and the Klan rallied solidly against the Governor and the Governor put the entire State under martial law.

The Klan members of the Legislature called a session of the Legislature to impeach the Governor. Walton responded by calling a special session of the Legislature, to meet on the 11th of October, six days ahead of the other call, to pass laws prohibiting masked parades, mobs, etc.  
At this distance it looks like the Klan has the power to put the Governor out of office. If things turn out that way, no Governor will hereafter likely try to enforce the law against mobs, and the Invisible Empire will have triumphed over the Visible Republic in a Sovereign State. That is the way unprejudiced outsiders are liable to view the Oklahoma situation.—Baird Star.

### WALTON SKYROCKETING AGAIN

Gov. Jack Walton of Oklahoma received an unmistakable mandate from the people of that State last week when at a special election an initiative constitutional amendment empowering the legislature to convene itself in extraordinary session was overwhelmingly adopted.

Immediately upon the result of the election's being known, unofficially, the Governor asked for an injunction seeking to prevent the election board from counting the vote and announcing the results. And also immediately the legislature was summoned by a member to convene. Governor Walton followed by a call of the legislature to meet two weeks earlier than the solons had arranged for, and announced as the subject of special legislation the enactment of a law to control mob violence and the undoing of the Ku Klux Klan in that state. It is understood that he will submit the mass of testimony gathered by the military courts of inquiry which is alleged to contain evidence of the flogging of 121 citizens by masked parties.

The Governor's program will get nowhere. Whether he has been guilty of impeachable offenses does not matter; he will be impeached at once, and tried by the Senate. The Klan character of the lower house and the temper of the lawmakers make his impeachment a certainty. Ultimate conviction does not appear so certain.

The trouble with Gov. Walton in his fight was his lack of poise and judgment. Placing all Oklahoma under martial law seems to have been done in anger and petulance. He substituted martial law for civil government. Had he been less vehement and unreasonable, the public might have joined him at Tulsa as the citizens of Mexia, Texas, joined Gov. Neff and ended martial law by cleaning up the conditions complained of, as pointed out by the Williamson County Sun last week. But he interfered with the freedom of the press; suspended the writ of habeas corpus; attempted to prevent a state election legally called and lost every vantage point he held at the beginning of his unfortunate skyrocketing.

Gov. Walton has lost; not so much because his fight was not just as because his head was not level. To quote a distinguished Texan, "Walton was euchered out of position."  
—Alpine Avalanche.

The Catholic ladies will hold a bazaar in the Oil King Grill October 26 and 27. They will have many useful articles for Halloween parties and Christmas gifts. Come and look them over on that date. 2t

Fresh Pyrene Fluid at COLLINGS INSURANCE CO. for refilling. Better to be safe than sorry.

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**FOR SALE.**  
FOR SALE—Make me an offer on ten-acre lease about five-eighths of a mile north of the Toyah-Bell well. Also 160 acres near Flood well in East Calumet county.—C. E. STURDEVANT, 200 West First Street, Burkburaett, Texas. 8-3t

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**FOR SALE.**—Section 65, Block 1, Loving County, Texas, near Toyah Bell well. I am offering this section of land at \$25 per acre—top and bottom. Title is perfect. No indebtedness of any kind.—J. J. WHEAT, Pecos, Texas. 10-1f

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WANTED—Fat Poultry; cull out the boarders and sell for a good price. Shipping days up to and including Thursday of each week. Free delivery within city when enough for a shipment.—E. F. Fuqua, Phone 110. 27-4f

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FOR RENT—7 room house, partly furnished, suitable for two light housekeeping apartments. Will rent the entire house or separate apartments. See CHAS. A. YOUNG, First National Bank, Pecos. 9f

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The surveys in these blocks are situated from 3 to 8 miles from Pecos City, in the arid lands of the Pecos River country and will be sold only in whole sections.  
Also, surveys Nos. 49 in block 6 and Nos. 5, 13, and 15 in block 7.  
Also surveys Nos. 1, 3, and 5, fronting on the Pecos River, in Reeves county, and Nos. 19 in Block 1 survey) Pecos county.  
Also 12 surveys in Block 11 and 8 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 made subject to such lease.  
J. G. LOVE of Pecos is agent for the sale of all these lands situated in Reeves County and applications should be made to 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.  
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EDITORIAL

In its editorial column the Industrial Index notes that "road building has developed into a great—a really tremendous—industry in America. It is an industry with many ramifications—the mining or manufacturing road-bridge materials; the transportation of these bulky commodities; the distribution of these materials by agents and jobbers; the professional energy of the many engineers who have made a special study of this branch of construction; the activities of thousands upon thousands of road and bridge contractors; the armies of workmen who are out on the firing line of these innumerable projects. The investment in road building, when considered in its various aspects, is enormous. And it will grow heavier with each passing year."

It will, indeed, grow heavier. Road building is shortly to be the premier industry (not considering farming) of the United States. It will be as much greater than is automobile making, in the men and money required, as that industry, now the first in this country, is greater than railroading, which for so many years held premier place.

And as yet we have scarce begun to build roads! In all our years of national existence we have succeeded in building less than three hundred thousand miles of improved roads, although we have almost three million miles to improve! Of course, the need of roads was not felt until the automobile demonstrated the economy of a new transportation, but the automobile is already old; men and women now in college do not remember when there were no automobiles!

It is not enough that this country build roads; it must build roads which connect with each other, thus securing the maximum use of each mile, and it must build roads which last. As the several States have found that only a central State Highway Commission can lay out and construct a State highway system to which counties and towns can build their feeder roads, so must the nation come to realize that only a Central National Highways Commission can lay out and build (and forever maintain) a national system of roads, to which States can build, as a part of their own systems, those roads which will make the national system serve all the people.

Ten years ago any sort of Federal participation in road building was looked upon as a chimerical idea. Since 1916 we have spent hundreds of millions of dollars of Federal money for Federal aid roads. In another ten or twenty years we will spend not hundreds of millions, but a billion or more, for a national highways system, which will, indeed, lift America from the mud.

ROADS SHOW DEGREE OF CIVILIZATION  
Gibbon, famous historian, wrote "The character and civilization of any community can be properly judged by the class of roads it has."

The community which can afford a good road and is content to wallow in mud, is, by this standard, not thoroughly civilized. This may not be agreeable reading to those contented with bad roads, yet these very people will judge their neighbors by standards no more exacting. The man who can afford an automobile, a telephone, a lighting system, a warm house, and good clothes, and who walks, borrows his neighbor's phone, reads by candles, has a cold house and wears rags, is not called civilized by his neighbors.

near good roads get to town, see pictures, mix with their fellows, enjoy a rich social life, visit each other, buy and sell quickly and easily, are in touch with the world. Those who live on bad roads cannot even depend upon the R. F. D. if rain or snow lays its prohibition upon the carrier.

This great country is away down the list among the literate nations; one of the reasons is the difficulty of educating either child or adult where mud prevents attendance at school. Gibbons' measuring rod may not be comfortable, but the facts seem to show it is accurate.

TEXAS MARKET NEWS GIVEN BY RADIO

Austin, Texas, Oct. 19.—The weekly market news summary of Texas Radio Market News Service of co-operating state and federal departments follows:

**FRUITS and VEGETABLES**—Easier trading and slightly lower price levels featured fruit and vegetable markets the past week, and early sales for the present week indicate but little upward revision from the price plane established last week. Brokers are disposing of carlots of Texas and Louisiana Porto Rican sweet potatoes in 50-lb. crates for \$1.25-1.50 and wholesalers are unloading the smaller vegetables to the retail trade at approximately the following price ranges: Green beans, per pound, 8-10c, compared with 10-15c a week ago; Black Eyed Peas 3-6c or unchanged with last week; Okra 8-10c, peppers mostly 10c; Egg plant 4-5c; Squash 4-5c; Cucumbers 8-10c; green onions 50c per dozen bunches; beets 50-75c per dozen bunches and mustard 40-50c per doz. bunches. In fruit sales to the retail trade, Texas Kieffer pears brought \$1.25-1.50 per bushel basket and Texas and New Mexico apples in bulk \$1.00-1.25 per bushel. Pecans of the new crop wholesaled in State markets for 15-25c per pound according to size.

**POULTRY and EGGS**—Fluctuations in the poultry trade have been more the result of varying quality and size than the usual market factors of supply and demand and prices are but little changed. Eggs, however, are on the upgrade and a firm optimistic tone predominates trading at most points. A price range of 15-18c per pound ruled the market for hens and fryers, with two-pound fryers topping at 20c. Canned eggs are bringing farmers \$9.00-9.50 per case of 30 dozen. Supplies are coming forward moderately. Case eggs in cold storage October 1st this year totalled 8,718,000 cases, an increase from the comparative figures for last year of 794,000 cases, but a decrease from holdings on September 1st this year of 1,165,000 cases.

**HAY**—Southeast Texas markets on alfalfa have shown but little price fluctuations and trading has been featureless. Choice No. 1 is in good demand from \$32.50-33.00 per ton and standard \$30-31.50. There is little outside demand in this section for Johnson Grass and Prairie Hay due to local cuttings and prices are for the most part nominal. Best quality Prairie Hay is quoted at \$9.50 per ton fob nearby points, with but little trading.

**LIVE STOCK**—Hogs, the past week, although featured by daily price fluctuations showed but little average change for that period as compared with the preceding seven days. The present week opens with an optimistic tone and an advance of 10-15c in most lines. The average cost of hogs in Fort Worth last week was \$7.49. The bulk of sales Monday of this week were consummated between \$7.75 and \$8.10, with the latter figure the top for the day.

Unlike hogs, the cattle division at Fort Worth opened the week with decided price reductions and easy trading. Good heavy weight steers brought \$7.00-8.25, compared with last week's average of \$7.00-8.50, good and choice 850-lb. heifers \$4.75-6.50. Good and choice cows \$4.00-5.25 and similar quality bulls \$3.50-5.00.

A steady tone predominates sheep sales and this week's opening brought a top of \$7.00 for choice shorn wethers. Medium to prime slaughter lambs brought \$10.75-12.00, yearling wethers \$7.00-9.75, ewes \$3.00-6.00, and feeding lambs \$7.50-9.50.

ORCHESTRA CHORDS AND DIS-CHORDS

This part of the ENTERPRISE is given to the orchestras of this community—the Toyah, Barstow, and Pecos Orchestras. It is to be used for the furtherance of good music in this section of the country; to give expression to the praise and glorification of the old masters; to attempt in a small way to give the news of the members of these organizations. And to this end the conceivers and writers of this column most respectfully dedicate it to that couple—whose genius, whose ability, whose love for good music, and whose love for the young people, and the old, have made these three great organizations possible.—Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harp.

The third rehearsal of the Pecos Orchestra was held last night. A smaller number than before was present, but enthusiasm was not lacking. Time was practiced in unison, and an improvement could be noted over the preceding rehearsals. The advanced pupils practiced the Armistice Day songs after regular rehearsal.

Mr. E. L. Harp, violin, Mrs. Jimmy Crawford, violin, and Mrs. E. L. Harp, piano, have been practicing the "Queen of Autumn" overture before regular rehearsals, and are doing exceptionally well through the difficult passages of this beautiful overture. We might call these three the super-advanced class, as they are the only ones in the Pecos Orchestra who are able, at this time, to execute this difficult piece of music. It is refreshing just to listen to them.

Next Thursday the advanced class of the Pecos Orchestra meets at 7 p. m., and the beginners at 7:45. The advanced class will take up "Melody in F," "Melody of Love," "Priest's March," etc. The beginners will continue in their study of time.

Miss Beverly Vaughan, violinist, is one whose name goes on the honor roll of the Pecos orchestra this week. Miss Vaughan has had but about four months' experience on this instrument, and played so well last night that there is no doubt in our minds but that she meets with the advanced class hereafter.

One whose playing, although not exceptional, but who has had one very bad fault to overcome, shows up well, is Horace Jester. This young lad played by ear when he first took up the study of violin, and his time was, frankly, rotten. After a couple of months' of hard work on his part under competent instruction, Horace has shown astounding improvement, both in his manner of delivery, and his time, and now he plays entirely by note, as he should.

Miss Thelma Dodson of Barstow will preside over the drums and traps section of the Barstow orchestra. Miss Dodson has had considerable experience in music, and as the drums and traps require an experienced musician for their proper manipulation, Miss Dodson is looked upon as fitting in nicely with the instrumentation.

There were fifteen at the Pecos orchestra practice Thursday night at the school auditorium. Thirteen violins, one clarinet and one cornet. Some of the pupils who have enrolled as members were absent. Mr. and Mrs. Harp are well pleased with the progress made by the students.

Mrs. Lucy Mitchell has about concluded to take up the violoncello and join in the ensemble playing. Mrs. Mitchell is an accomplished player and reader of piano scores and would soon master the fingering and bowing of the instrument.

The Pecos and Barstow orchestras have the unanimous endorsement of the Parent-Teacher associations, the school faculties, the school trustees and the best citizens of their towns. If there are any dissenters in Toyah who claim to be good citizens, and would perniciously clog the progress of the Toyah orchestra, they should read what the Etude says about Toyah on page four of this week's ENTERPRISE and forever after hold their peace. Toyah publicity will travel this month to every civilized country on earth and the Toyah orchestra is responsible for it.

Josephine Grisham and Helen Butrum of Toyah, eight-year-old prodigies, who have been playing lead violin parts at the song service meetings, are very considerably in the spotlight with the people who attend these services. Everyone wonders at the marvelous playing of the children, their correct bowing, and their seeming delight in being competent to materially assist with the services. It is seldom that girls so young take such an interest in the refined art of orchestra playing.

The Pecos Orchestra held no rehearsal last Thursday week, because of the revival at the Baptist church. Director and Mrs. E. L. Harp have made it a rule that no rehearsal shall ever interfere with any church organization meeting. This is a most commendable spirit and the orchestra is behind them in that respect.

Mr. J. O. Crow of Toyah, known to everybody as "Joe," made a flying trip to Pecos Tuesday. Joe has graduated from the wind section of the Toyah Orchestra and is now wrestling with the bass viol. Joe is a good musician and will be a welcome adjunct to the string section.

The Barstow Orchestra is divided into two sections—advanced players and beginners. The beginners rehearse in ensemble playing every Wednesday at 4 p. m., and the advanced players every Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

Members of the advanced Barstow section play every Monday and Wednesday at 8:45 a. m. at the public school for chapel service. A spirited march is played for the students to march into the chapel. The orchestra accompanies all songs and play for the students to march to their respective class rooms.

There are twenty active members in the advanced Barstow class and fourteen in the beginners' class.

There are also two orchestras at Toyah, divided the same as at Barstow. The advanced class rehearse every Friday at 7:30 p. m. and the beginners every Saturday at 7:30 p. m.

Toyah has two bass violins and three violoncellos. Barstow has one bass violin and four violoncellos. It is to be hoped that Pecos will arrange to have a string bass section equal to either of these.

Here is a real family quartette, all members of the Toyah orchestra, who find time to play a good grade of chamber music at home. Mr. L. Harkness, violin; Miss Esther Harkness, violin; Miss Hannah Harkness, violoncello; and Miss Dora Belle Harkness, piano. This combination was unthought of before the organization of the orchestra.

The Etude, a musical magazine with the largest circulation of any similar periodical in the world, publishes this month its fortieth anniversary edition. What should make this interesting to Reeves county is the reproduction of the photograph taken at Toyah of the two orchestras. Its editorial gives all the credit to Toyah. This is a mistake for which the Etude is hardly responsible. The picture was probably handed to them as an example of musical progress and the entire group credited to Toyah, notwithstanding the fact that a good portion of the picture included the Barstow orchestra, of which fact the Etude was not informed. It is a fine picture of the group and the editorial comment of the Etude will be found on page four of this issue of the ENTERPRISE.

Miss Grace Sweat of the Barstow orchestra, is in line to become an artist on the violoncello. Her remarkable progress reflects her love for the instrument, the tones of which resemble the human voice more than any other of the instruments, with possibly the exception of the viola.

Masters Edgar Ingerson, of Barstow, and Tootsie Seay, of Toyah, are young artists for their age. Both are excellent sight readers, their bowing is correct and their execution of the difficult passages in the positions required in the scores of the standard overtures by Rossini, Verdi and other masters is remarkable.

THE CHURCHES

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Church of Christ meet every Lord's Day at eleven o'clock, Barstow, Texas.

BAPTIST CHURCH

We have just closed a very gracious meeting. Dr. Porter and Mr. Helm have gone to other points for meetings. Our local folks are happy in their work. Eleven candidates are to be baptized Sunday night. There are others who will probably come in Sunday morning and be baptized with the others. Let's make Sunday a big day for the glory of God. Sunday school begins promptly at ten o'clock. Come to all of the services.—J. W. GARNER.

METHODIST CHURCH

Despite the weather the world moves on, and duties continue to call. Happy the person who fills each day with some worthy deed in the name of the Master.

It is a solid comfort to minister to the discouraged and the sick and the shut-in. And the privilege of so doing is not limited to an officially appointed group. The heart that is sympathetic and the hand that is willing, whether old or young, obscure or prominent, will find a hearty welcome in any unselfish effort to help the world along.

The Lord assisting, I shall preach next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., and request the presence of the meek and the broken-hearted. Others will probably come to little profit, but they are more than welcome. Under the hope that a proper frame may be produced.

Morning subject "The World's Need of Jesus." Evening subject "Everybody At It."

Come to Sunday school and the Leagues. They are standardized and need no explanations. Come.—L. L. THURSTON, Pastor.

When tornadoes come, your property goes. See E. L. COLLINGS for protection. 6-4

Champion Farm Girl of U. S.



Peggy Keith, of Warrenton, Va., 16 years old, is "America's Most Distinguished Farm Girl." She was selected by the U. S. Department of Agriculture from 600,000 contestants representing every state. With all expenses paid by the Department, she exhibited her livestock and judging farm products and canning; poultry and collie puppies in the Eastern States Exposition in Massachusetts this month. She is the champion all-around farm girl of the nation.

All great tragedies or catastrophes are attended, more or less, by humorous incidents, and the great loss to Malaga farmers this week by the hail storm is no exception to the rule. The humorous incident alluded to was itself attended by some loss to the owners of two automobiles belonging to Dever Phillips and How-are Prater, the tops of both autos being riddled and torn by hail, while the hood of the Phillips car was dented as if some one had used a hammer in making the indentations. The rims around the lights were also dented but the glass of the lights were not broken; the sunshades of both cars looked as if some one had taken a knife and slashed them, the hail stones making a tear like the cut of a knife. Judge Phillips and Mr. Prater were acting as hosts to District Attorney Dillard Wyatt on a fishing trip to Willow Lake, and the party provided itself with the services of Jim Reynolds, a colored gentleman formerly of Paris, Texas, to take care of the fishing tackle, cook the fish caught, etc. Jim claims he saw the storm coming and warned the white folks they "better had make tracks for the city," but his warning was not taken seriously, and pretty soon the storm struck the party and things began to happen. Rain came down in buckets full, hail and chunks of ice as big as the proverbial hen's egg soon were playing a merry tattoo on the metal and glass parts of the cars, and Jim got scared; he began to pray and during an exceedingly heavy pelting of hail made an effort to leave the car, the seat of his pants becoming entangled with some of the paraphernalia on the front of the dash, tearing a rent like those in the tops of the automobiles. Jim got too scared to leave the car, and declares he knows he is several shades lighter in color now than he was at the beginning of the trip. The fishing party was rudely broken up and made its way with difficulty back to the city. The hail falling in the lake was so big that it made splashes like some one was throwing big rocks into the water.—Carlsbad Argus.

MR. EDITOR

Please allow us to adopt this method of thanking those ladies and friends who so kindly remembered us on our forty-fifth marriage anniversary. We shall not soon forget this friendly courtesy. We now cordially invite every one of you to attend our golden wedding five years hence, if we live.—MR. and MRS. C. S. McCARVER.

The lower the rates the less money you pay for premiums. We ask more of your insurance for our services.—E. L. COLLINGS INSURANCE CO. 6-4

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**WORLD SERIOUS**  
"Batter Up!" The words rang clear Upon the Autumn air—; The waffle cook had used up all—The batter he had there.

**A HAPPY ENDING**  
Sunday School Teacher: "Now, Willie, what was your 'good' act for the week? Who did you make happy?"  
Willie: "My Aunt Carrie. I went to see her and she was happy when I left."

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

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**John Hurt**  
AT HARDY'S GARAGE

# News Notes of the Pecos Schools

Compiled by the Students of the Pecos Public School.

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## CHATTER

The "estudiantes" continue their recitation work, and song practice. They have three standard works to their credit thus far, which they recite when any occasion presents itself. These are "The Recessional," "Crossing the Bar," and "Out Where the West Begins." They sing-song the latter, too. It has a beautiful air and all the students are quickly becoming enchanted with it. Under the able leadership of Mr. Harp and Mrs. Brooks the progress made each week is readily seen, and Mr. Norman forms the finest example possible for the recitation.

Mustn't take advantage of the fact that you are not watched constantly and leave the school is the verdict of today. Too much of it has been going on. A-hem, must be stopped, so don't do it. Statistics show that not more than 99 leave in a day and therefore we can't go above. Must stay in school. Don't be brave, now, and go away without permission after this warning; the consequences are not given but, a-hem, don't do it.

Whatever you do, be sure and bring your waste paper every Monday. Be sure and ask your friends and parents what they can contribute to the playground equipment. It's all in the way of helping your own interests, and however small your work, it will help absolutely. That's about all.

Latin I most certainly has a ripping time with them perfect tenses. Some time they have been pronouncing "pugnaveritis" (or whatever it is). The silly Fish and the Bright Sophs and Juniors are all in the same hole. When can the light be seen. Only when they look into Caesar's Gallic Wars! A-hem!

Strangest thing, says Miss Corley, why the masculine sex of this place up here go around like 1850 and the girls like 1940. Most certainly is strange. 'Sall right anyway. We like it that way so we can't possibly worry. This is Pecos and we have reasons for anything and everything.

Students can go right up into the study hall now and fill their finger-bowls at dinner time. You may have to use a washtub to catch all the water that creeps into the place, though. If you are absent and don't come to water for three days you will find a swimming pool simmering down by your desk when you come back the next Monday morning. But don't complain; you can always depend on Tullus' feet floating and you can cling to them in case of disaster.

The decoration of the English room by the Junior class progresses. A bookcase adorns the place and pictures on the wall. New window curtains, short but sweet, add color. When they are through you won't recognize the room but for the old-time cleanliness of the wall, the untarnished newness of the desks, and the piece of old-time statuary above the board. Yes, it's that changed. The picture of Stratford-on-Avon has changed face, even, and smiles like wintertime. The color on the window panes has brightened like as if that newest scientific discovery had been applied. Everything has changed but the chewing gum on the desks, and the lost handkerchiefs that still stick around.

## THE TYPEWRITING CLASS

The typewriting class this term is smaller than that of last term. Mrs. Petty states however, that they are getting down to business and doing better than probably any other class she has ever had. In all there is 11 in the class. There are seven typewriters used to accommodate them. They make a merry clanking every evening and testify to the fact that lots of work is being done. Some of last year's students are taking again this year to get extra credits in the course.

## PECOS HI BEATS BARSTOW TO THE TUNE OF 6 TO 0

The Pecos Hi gridders put it over Barstow Hi team Friday with a score of 6 to 0. It was their first game with Pecos. The two teams fought hard with the ball in Barstow territory for the greater part of the game. Bad luck and fumbles were all that prevented the Pecos men from turning in a more decisive score. Pecos was able to gain almost at will never failing to make first down but once, while Barstow was forced to punt whenever they were in possession of the ball. They never made a first down. Costly fumbles featured the play of both teams. Straight football was used by Pecos, and Barstow did the same, throwing few passes and completing only one. Pecos did not complete a pass. The whole Pecos backfield and line played well, for the practice, but the bucking of half back Moorhead and Cowan, and the running of Brown featured. Stan, at quarter, directed good ball. Coach Norman used substitutes in the last half to give the men practice. The game started at 4:30.

Barstow kicked off to Pecos. The ball went across Pecos goal line and Cowan covered it. Touchback, and ball was put in play on Pecos' 20-yard line. There followed successive bucks by Moorhead and Cowan, with end runs by Brown which carried the ball rapidly toward Barstow goal. When the quarter ended the ball was well within Barstow territory. In the second quarter Cowan crossed the goal line from ten yards for a touchdown. Pecos failed in try for point. Score 6 to 0 in favor of Pecos. Pecos kicked to Barstow but Barstow lost ball on an end run. The half ended with score still in favor of Pecos.

In the last half Pecos kicked. Barstow returned ten yards, but failed to gain in the successive plays. Both teams played erratic ball after this. Fumbles by Pecos would give the ball to Barstow. Barstow would be held for downs. Once in the last quarter Barstow threatened Pecos goal line when a completed pass, the only one of the game, netted ten yards. But an incomplete pass from the ten yard line failed to get the desired score. The game ended with the ball in Pecos' possession on her own thirty-five yard line.

The game was cleanly played, a fact to which members of both teams testify. The same good fellowship that has always existed between the two schools prevailed. The Barstow team brought out some weaknesses in the Pecos line-up. For one thing they showed up badly in the passing game. Another on end runs; more speed should be shown. And as a whole, general lack of enough experience, a thing that confronts every team that has so many players that have never been in a real line-up before. All these can be ironed out, and must be if the team intends to continue with a slate of victories. The game left Barstow with a row of defeats to her credit.

## SUL ROSS TO PLAY PECOS SATURDAY

The Sul Ross football team will be in Pecos Saturday. A good game it will be, everyone. The team beat Marfa 9 to 0 in a game last week, but lay a five dollar bill on the table that they won't do any such thing to Pecos Hi. As a way of comparison, we can say that Pecos literally swamped Marfa last year. 99 to 0 was the score, and if they haven't verily swept away all records and come to the front strong only on two years' football experience, the fact that Sul Ross got the best of them is not very convincing. However, the team is touted as strong and Pecos is doing all in the way of preparation that can possibly be done. You will get your money's worth if you see the game. It will probably be at 3:00 o'clock, so come.

It was a blush as red as any rose that Mr. Dean showed when he held that lost vanity case up before the study hall the other day to ask whose it was. We only wonder why the laughter was deafening.

## CHAUCER

Chaucer, that literary genius of England, the beginner of English speech, practically the first poet known. He's who is being studied by the English III class this week. A thorough thing Mrs. Brooks is making of him, too. Canterbury Tales, the masterpiece of this genius, is the main heading for the whole section devoted to his poetry. If he could only have lived in a more modern day when he would have written in an understandable language! That is the sigh of the poor students. They catch a glimpse of his greatness of that time, but they would be much more able to find him if the modern language were used in his works. His unique phrases, his quaint spelling, and all the cultured crudeness of his works written in the English of that time only go to help him along in our study of him, though. The Prologue to his Canterbury Tales and one of his tales is all that will be taken up by the English class but such an insight is gained in the perusing of these good examples of the other works, that one is well repaid for what study he puts on them. He is the first contemporary of Shakespeare, or perhaps the only one, and it is a valuable lesson all students gain from studying about the "Miller, big of braun and eek of bone," of the "Knight," who was well distinguished in his "Lord's werre," of the "Nonne," who told us the charming tale of Chanticleer and the Fox, and all the other true-to-life characters of this great writer.

Little is known of the life of Chaucer. He was probably born in 1340 and died in 1400. The Canterbury Tales were written toward the latter part of his life. He intended telling a total of 128 tales, four by each member of the party taking a pilgrimage to the shrine of Thomas a Becket at Canterbury Cathedral, but he never completed the work, and as a consequence there is only twenty tales. They give, however, such an insight into English life at that time that they are practically invaluable to history and more so to literature.

In 1920-21 Pecos High School published her first annual, "The Tarantula." Since then it has been discontinued owing to the financial conditions that have existed, and now it is our duty to revive the old.

Of course the annual was a new thing in High School and still is. And the inexperience of the students **caused it to be an expensive undertaking.** But that was not the only reason that they had confronting them. In the year of 1919, or the second year that the Whirlwind had been published, it went into debt some \$150.00; so with the \$450.00 that the Senior Class of 1920-21 had secured for the "Tarantula" had to go to pay off this debt of \$150.00, which left the annual fund in a bad condition to start to produce an annual that would really merit any school. Another great reason was, that the publishers did not get the annual off the press until school was ready to begin the next term. Statistics show that annuals sell about 25 per cent better before the school term ends. With good business management this difficulty can be waived.

Still there will be some who will say "it can't be done," but there are pessimists everywhere you go, and there are some who are doing everything in their power to knock the school activities. If the student body cooperate with each other, and each does his or her part towards subscribing for the annual and boosting it, it will make this the biggest and best annual ever published by any High School.

"If at first you don't succeed, try again."—A SENIOR.

The Senior class wishes, that is, most of them, to put out an annual this year. Heavens, what won't that Senior class do? With \$40.00 coats, millionaire's rings, and other paraphernalia, they should step over everything that has crossed the senior gate. That's a high stepping class, now. I'm not kidding you.

## PECOS FOOTBALL TEAM PLAYS AT SUL ROSS SATURDAY

The Pecos Hi gridders journey to Alpine next Saturday for a game of football. At first it was thought that the game would be in Pecos, but as they are able to offer more for the team to go there than Pecos could offer for them to play here, it was decided that the wiser course would be to play the game at Alpine. This is Sul Ross' first football year. They beat the Marfa team nine to nothing a few days ago, and this is but Marfa's second year of football. If Marfa has not literally swept away all records by coming to the front on two year's experience, the fact that Sul Ross put it over them is not very convincing. Pecos Hi swamped them last year with a score of 99 to 0. Hope goes with the boys, and we all think that they will bring back victory.

## MR. NORMAN RECEIVES PRICES ON WASTE PAPER

Mr. Norman announced before the study hall Monday that the prices on waste paper would not come as high as he expected but that we should get a very good recompense from the work caused by gathering it. The price on common letters is \$3.00 a ton, on waste newspapers \$9.00, on glazed magazines \$15.00 and on old rags \$12.50. It will not take long for the students to gather up a great deal of this class of waste. Just bring it right along, and help the school all you can. In most cases it is a good riddance of bad rubbish.

## STUDENTS HEAR DR. PORTER AGAIN

Dr. Porter and his revivalist singer presented themselves again before the study hall Thursday afternoon upon the invitation of Mr. Norman. The talk that Dr. Porter gave us was so beneficial that the substance of it will be given here for others to admire and analyze.

For a nucleus he quoted from Henry Van Dyck, "Think Clearly Without Confusion," and broadened on the subject and talked of the margins of life, the value of filling them and the need of clean thinking and living. "School," he said, "presents the opportunity to fill in around your life so that you may think clearly and without confusion." On the margins of life he gave as a clear example the painting of Michael Angelo "The Holy Family." In the picture the margins are not filled with the main subject, the main figures, of the picture, but with little figures entirely foreign to the theme and which destroys the otherwise harmonious scene. What connection is there between the nude figures and the members of the Holy Family? None. So we must do better than Michael Angelo and fill in our margins of life with things that fit into the general scheme, things that are a part of our life work; make our lives rounded out and whole. Character, reputation, destiny, are largely marked by the things we do outside of what we have to do. Fill up the margins of time. Do something good that fits in with what you have to do. Maintain unity in desires so that Life shall be a work of art, of beauty, a thing of lovely form and finish. Learn to "Think Clearly and Without Confusion" by filling up the margins. He ended by saying "life shall be beautiful and a finished product, if we do much for others in our idle time. The future does most for the man who does most for other people. Think good, do good, for others."

After the talk, Mr. Helm sang the beautiful selection "Others" which harmonized well with the address of the speaker.

## FOOTBALL PLAYERS RECEIVE NEW SUITS

All the football players were presented with new socks, and football pants, last Friday before the game with Barstow. They all feel more like playing now that they have a semblance to something new. So long, old stuff, you have saved me from a hard knockout. You have done your work well, but I must leave you now.

## MR. HARP WANTS CO-OPERATION OF SCHOOL IN NOVEMBER PROGRAM

When Mr. E. L. Harp came to the study hall Thursday of last week he told the students of his plan to hold a program, of general patriotic interests, at the Baptist Church, November 11, and in which he expected the school students and the Pecos, Toyah and Barstow orchestras to participate. The boys, not necessarily school boys, will be grouped on one side of the house, and the girls on the other, and they will take turns rendering stanzas of patriotic songs. Everyone that can sing please be present, is the request of Mr. Harp. There will be ten numbers given, which will be ample for the time. Mr. Harp expects visitors from all the neighboring towns to be there, and therefore the program will be given that much better as a means of entertaining them. The high school students are in charge of providing orchestra seats and other incidentals, and in fact it is their program, as Mr. Harp puts it.

It's no wonder all of the comers and goers of the Pecos Public School are so good, have such high aims, and do such good work. Just gaze at the mottoes on the wall around us. "I believe in working; not weeping; in boosting, not knocking; and in the pleasure of my work. I believe no one is down and out until he has lost faith in himself." That's one.

"Any dead fish can float downstream, but it takes a live one to swim upstream." That's another.

"Some time you will understand." (Found over a girl's typewriter on the hutch, in the typewriting room). Very good.

"Push this button for lights." Still better.

"This is Sam Jones, '19. Senior." (Found under a piece of art in the Spanish room).

"This foot belongs to me." (Under a diagram of a graceful foot in the Math room).

"There are two great classes of promoters of social happiness. Cheerful people and people who have some reticence."

"There is no choice to genius. A great man does not wake up on some fine morning, and say, 'I am full of life. I will go to sea and find an Antarctic continent.'"

"The atmosphere of moral sentiment is a region of grandeur which reduces all material magnificence to toys, yet opens to every wretch that has reason the doors of the universe."

"You just mean about three."

"This guy's a fool."

And so on.

All very good and you can see them at will and be benefitted by them.

## MARFA TO BE INCLUDED IN SCHEDULE FOR FOOTBALL BOYS ON TRIP TO ALPINE

The Pecos team, instead of only playing Sul Ross on their trip toward the border, will take in Marfa also. They leave Thursday, play Marfa Friday evening, and travel to Alpine and play Sul Ross Saturday. They are confident of two killings. The whole school is confident of it, in fact, and there is no other way to be when they go against such as the two above.

## THE GRAMMAR GRADES

The floor contest continues to help the condition of the floor in this department. The percentage of each room is 100 almost every day. The pupils are progressing further with their yearly work, and daily go home with something accomplished. The ticket sale for the show Tuesday night caused some rivalry, and a great deal of tickets were sold. At the time this is written the greatest number has not been announced.

By the way, this year the Grammar school are furnishing some football players, and the team cannot be said to represent the high school only. The Moorhead twins, and the Hendricks brothers are some of the best material on the team.

You can tell ENTERPRISE printing. It's just a little better than the rest.

## HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL RESULTS OVER THE STATE

Interscholastic League Football results as announced by Roy B. Henderson of the University of Texas, Saturday, show that the old favorites continue to be strong in their respective sections. The following have a percentage of .500 or over.

Section 1.—Amarillo, Canadian, Canyon, Clarendon, Farwell.

Section 2.—Floydada, Lamesa, Littlefield, Lockney, Lubbock.

Section 3.—Abilene, Big Spring, Breckenridge, Cisco, Comanche.

Section 4.—Burkburnett, Cleburne, Fort Worth Central, Electric.

Section 5.—Commerce, Dallas Forest Avenue, Dallas, Oak Cliff, Denison.

Section 6.—Athens, Atlanta, Tyler, Mineola, Marshall, Longview.

Section 7.—PECOS, Midland, Ft. Stockton.

Section 8.—Brownwood, Burnett, San Angelo, Llano, Mason.

Section 9.—Bartlett, Belton, Corsicana, Dawson, Ennis, Waco.

Section 10.—Crockett, Lufkin, Nacogdoches.

Section 11.—Del Rio, Eagle Pass, Laredo, Pearsburg, Devine.

Section 12.—Austin, Flatonia, San Marcos, Taylor, Granger.

Section 13.—Caldwell, Calvert, Hearne, Huntsville.

Section 14.—Alvin, Beaumont, Galveston, Houston Central, Port Arthur.

Section 15.—Beville, Kennedy, San Antonio Brackenridge, Victoria.

Section 16.—Corpus Christi, Edinburg, Kingsville, Mercedes.

The above is only a partial list taken from the Fort Worth Star-Telegram and perhaps does not include all those that have 1.000. The past week has witnessed a number of pretty exhibitions in the League Race, and all hope points to a hot run for the championship. Notice, please, that Pecos is counted as a favorite of this section.

## LYCEUM COURSE TO BE BENEFICIAL TO SCHOOL

The school is to receive some profits from the concerts to be given during the winter by various players at the Rialto Theatre. The profit to them may not be much but it will help some. The first number was good, the crowd was good, and all say that they got their money's worth. The other numbers will probably be better even than the first one, and will cost less toward the last. The school children of the grades have been selling tickets.

Miss Slaton: "Milford, what battle was it in which Wolfe said 'Assured of victory and die happy'?"

Milford: "A-hem! I think it was his last."

Mr. Norman bursted into the Math III class Wednesday and found two of the girls measuring themselves to see which was the tallest with Little Charlie as judge. What is the world coming to?

When Mrs. Anderson asked when it was that the Declaration of Independence was signed there were only two hands. The others didn't know.

Judge: "Are you big enough fool to say?"

Laughy: "Yes."

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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 Honorable County Court of Presidio County, on the 20th day of September, 1923, by the Clerk of said Court against Kenneth Slack and B. Ramsey for the sum of Five Hundred Six and 44-100 (\$506.44) Dollars, and costs of suit in cause No. 350 in said Court, styled N. L. Casner, J. E. Casner, S. W. Casner, and R. S. Casner versus Kenneth Slack and B. Ramsey and placed in my hands for service, I, E. B. Kiser, as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 2nd day of October, 1923, levy on certain Personal Property situated in Loving County, Loving County being attached to Reeves County for judicial purposes, described as follows, to-wit: One Buick Roadster, Automobile, engine No. 787315 now in the possession of defendant, B. Ramsey, in Loving County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said Kenneth Slack and B. Ramsey.

And on Tuesday, the 6th day of November, 1923, 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 Personal Property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Kenneth Slack and B. Ramsey 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 Pecos Enterprise, a newspaper published in Reeves County.

Witness my hand this 2nd day of October, 1923.

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

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon A. W. Byrnes, J. O. Childers, Geo. A. Rutherford, Paul C. Krawak, W. C. Best, R. E. Alton, Geo. E. Wainwright, Antonio De Pasquale, Trustee, Mexico Texas Land Company, Edmond F. Ducommun, Lyle G. Ducommun, W. N. Meek, Howard L. Beaber, E. B. King, F. E. Dohp, Everett Swetzer, Federal Service Development Systems, a corporation, Federal Service Systems, a trust estate and A. W. Byrnes, F. M. Rutzen, Henry Deutsch, W. E. Heller, and H. B. Baillie, its trustee, S. E. Day, H. W. Westwood, W. T. Stevenson, Hogan and Mallon, a partnership, James C. Peaslee, G. F. Savage, Albert Byrnes, Lucas, McMahon, Schlick, Beakle, Slater, McKay, Johnson, Taylor and Traylor, a partnership, E. G. Baremore, R. E. Ward, Zane Oil Company, a joint stock association, Leach, W. Patton, and Patton, Gertrude Leonarda, George Thomas, Wm. R. Lockett, Tyree A. Richardson, Floyd C. Harris, Skene Locke, and Leach, E. F. Nixon, W. B. Gray, Joseph P. Hart, Roy Thiff, C. W. Johnson, Galad Thomas, Carl H. Reeves, M. Hetherington, E. G. Hulse, Mrs. R. Staffin, and—Suiffon, Juan Aguirre, S. F. Spencer, F. G. Spencer, A. G. Remondier, by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to be and appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof in Pecos, Texas, on the third (3rd) Monday in November, 1923, the same being the 13th day of November, 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 1st day of October, 1923, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court, No. 2368, wherein Frant Lumber Company, plaintiff, and Sunshine Oil Corporation and each and all of the herein above named parties herein summoned are defendants, said petition alleging in substance as follows: That plaintiff was on the 1st day of June, 1922, and is now, the owner of the following described lands in Reeves County, Texas, to-wit:

170 acres in Section 43, Block 4, H. & G. N. R. Co. survey, being the NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of said section; 200 acres in Section 44, Block 4, H. & G. N. R. Co. survey, being the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of said section; 200 acres in Section 44, Block 4, H. & G. N. R. Co. survey, being the SE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of said section; 40 acres in Section 34, Block 4, H. & G. N. R. Co. survey, being the NE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of said section; and 160 acres out of same. That on June 1st, 1922, plaintiff and B. T. Biggs and Alfred Thilly entered into a contract for the purpose of prospecting the above described lands for oil and gas by the terms of which said Biggs and Thilly as lessees or their assigns, would commence an oil and gas well on said land within one year from said date, or to pay to the lessor or to deposit to his credit in the Pecos Valley State Bank at Pecos, Texas, the sum of ten cents per acre which would act as consideration of the time within which the drilling must commence for the first one year and as an additional agreement which might act as a substitute or in place of paying said ten cents per acre or of drilling and parties agree to commence an oil and gas well on a tract of land in the same general locality within one year from said date and to prosecute the same diligently to completion; that said lease could not be maintained by said rental payments for longer than three years.

That on May 7th, 1922, T. B. Pruitt owned the South 1/2 of Section 12, and all of Section 10, except 50 acres thereof, all in Block C-9, Public School Surveys, in Reeves County, Texas; that on said May 7th, 1922, he entered into a certain lease contract with T. B. Pruitt for the prospecting of said lands for oil and gas; that said contract contained the same terms, conditions and stipulations as the contract made by plaintiff and said Biggs and Thilly above described, which said lease contract is of record in Reeves County, Texas; that said T. B. Pruitt thereafter conveyed the said land to Frant Lumber Company, plaintiff. That all of said lease were afterwards assigned to the defendant, Sunshine Oil Corporation. That said defendants have failed to comply with any of the terms of said contract; that they have never drilled a well on any of said lands nor in the general locality thereof as provided in said leases; that they have never paid the ten cents per acre rental, and that said contracts have been breached and forfeited. Plaintiff prays for a cancellation of said lease and demand removal from the title of said land.

Herein fall 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 my office in Pecos, Texas, this 15th day of October, A. D. 1923.

S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk  
District Court, Reeves County, Texas.

Number 2368. In the District Court, Reeves County, Texas, Reeves County Water Improvement District No. One vs. W. W. Byrnes. Citation by Publication. Issued this 15th day of October, A. D. 1923.

S. C. VAUGHAN, District Clerk  
By VANNIE INGLE, Deputy.

furnishing water to the lands of the defendant and other land owners in said district, that it has issued bonds and notes under the provision of the laws of Texas, which are sold and outstanding to the amount of \$260,000, which bear interest of 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually. That the taxes herein alleged to be due were legally levied and assessed against said property for the purpose of meeting the obligations on said bonds, that said taxes were levied and assessed as provided by law, that same became delinquent, were placed upon the delinquent rolls and were advertised as provided by law. That the defendant has failed and refused to pay same, and plaintiff district has employed an attorney to file this suit and enforce the collection of same.

Description of property owned by defendant on which taxes were assessed as herein alleged: A certain tract of land consisting of 222 1/2 acres in Section 38, Block 13, H. & G. N. Ry. Co. Survey in Reeves County, Texas. Said sub-block number being according to plat of Swenson Land Company subdivision recorded in office of the County Clerk of Reeves County, Texas.

Year Delinquent Valuation of Tax Rate Amount

Year	Property	Rate	Amount
1920	\$2,100.00	1.75	\$36.75
1921	2,200.00	1.75	38.50
1922	2,200.00	1.60	35.20

Total amount of taxes, \$110.45, 10 per cent penalty \$11.04, and 10 per cent attorney's fees \$11.04. The said several amounts bear interest as provided by law at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from August 1st, next after the same became delinquent. Interest is due thereon as follows: On 1920 taxes from Aug. 1st, 1921; on 1921 taxes from Aug. 1st, 1922 and on 1922 taxes from Aug. 1st, 1923.

Plaintiff prays that judgment for the full amount of the taxes due, the penalty, interest, attorney's fees and costs accruing thereon, and costs of suit, and for foreclosure of the lien on said land.

Herein fall 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 my office in Pecos, Texas, this 15th day of October, A. D. 1923.

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You are hereby commanded to summon W. W. Briggs 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 held at the Court House thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the 19th day of November, A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 13th day of October, 1923, in suit No. 2368, wherein Reeves County Water Improvement District No. 1 is Plaintiff and W. W. Briggs is Defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is a water improvement district organized under the laws of the State of Texas, and that it has constructed and maintains an irrigation and reservoir system for furnishing water to the lands of the defendant and other land owners in said district, that it has issued bonds and notes under the provision of the laws of Texas, which are sold and outstanding to the amount of \$260,000, which bear interest of 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually. That the taxes herein alleged to be due were legally levied and assessed against said property for the purpose of meeting the obligations on said bonds, that said taxes were levied and assessed as provided by law, that same became delinquent, were placed upon the delinquent rolls and were advertised as provided by law. That the defendant has failed and refused to pay same, and plaintiff district has employed an attorney to file this suit and enforce the collection of same.

Description of property owned by defendant on which taxes were assessed as herein alleged: A certain tract of land consisting of 10.2 1/2 acres in Section 116, Block 13, H. & G. N. Ry. Co. Survey in Reeves County, Texas, containing four acres.

Year Delinquent Valuation of Tax Rate Amount

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1916	1,200.00	1.78	21.36
1917	1,200.00	1.60	19.20
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1919	1,100.00	1.60	17.60
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1921	1,150.00	1.75	20.13
1922	1,150.00	1.60	18.40

Total amount of taxes, \$156.74, 10 per cent penalty \$15.67, and 10 per cent attorney's fees, \$15.67. The said several amounts bear interest as provided by law at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from August 1st next after the same became delinquent. Interest is due thereon as follows: On 1915 taxes from Aug. 1st, 1916; on 1916 taxes from Aug. 1st, 1917; on 1917 taxes from Aug. 1st, 1918; on 1918 taxes from Aug. 1st, 1919; on 1919 taxes from Aug. 1st, 1920; on 1920 taxes from Aug. 1st, 1921; on 1921 taxes from Aug. 1st, 1922; on 1922 taxes from Aug. 1st, 1923.

Plaintiff prays that judgment for the full amount of the taxes due, the penalty, interest, attorney's fees and costs accruing thereon, and costs of suit, and for foreclosure of the lien on said land.

Herein fall 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 my office in Pecos, Texas, this 15th day of October, A. D. 1923.

S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk  
District Court, Reeves County, Texas.

Number 2366. In the District Court, Reeves County, Texas, Reeves County Water Improvement District No. 1 vs. Allen Finch. Citation by Publication. Issued this 15th day of October, A. D. 1923.

S. C. VAUGHAN, District Clerk  
By VANNIE INGLE, Deputy.

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Description of property owned by defendant on which taxes were assessed as herein alleged: Sixty-five acres in the northeast part of Section 93, Block 13, H. & G. N. Ry. Co. Survey in Reeves County, Texas, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of 140 acres of land deeded to R. M. Wynne, Jr., by Joseph Hoban and F. A. Beasler; Thence South along the West boundary of said 140 acres 327 1/2 feet to the center of the Murphy ditch; thence East along the center of said ditch 1566 feet to the corner of M. T. Levell's home place; Thence North 780 feet to a corner; Thence West 655 feet to a corner; Thence North 1995 feet along an irrigation ditch to the North boundary line of said 140 acres, and the North boundary line of Section 93 Thence West 707 feet to place of beginning.

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On the 1920 taxes there was paid on June 5th, 1923, the sum of \$77.60.

Total amount of taxes, \$353.96

Less amount paid 77.60

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Plaintiff prays that judgment for the full amount of the taxes due, the penalty, interest, attorney's fees and costs accruing thereon, and costs of suit, and for foreclosure of the lien on said land.

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S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk  
District Court, Reeves County, Texas.

Number 2365. In the District Court, Reeves County, Texas, Reeves County Water Improvement District No. One vs. J. H. Wynne. Citation by Publication. Issued this 15th day of October, A. D. 1923.

S. C. VAUGHAN, District Clerk  
By VANNIE INGLE, Deputy.

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon M. M. Munson 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 held at the Court House thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the 19th day of November, A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 13th day of October, 1923, in suit No. 2367, wherein Reeves County Water Improvement District No. 1 is Plaintiff, and M. M. Munson is Defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is a water improvement district organized under the laws of the State of Texas, and that it has constructed and maintains an irrigation and reservoir system for

furnishing water to the lands of the defendant and other land owners in said district, that it has issued bonds and notes under the provision of the laws of Texas, which are sold and outstanding to the amount of \$260,000, which bear interest of 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually. That the taxes herein alleged to be due were legally levied and assessed against said property for the purpose of meeting the obligations on said bonds, that said taxes were levied and assessed as provided by law, that same became delinquent, were placed upon the delinquent rolls and were advertised as provided by law. That the defendant has failed and refused to pay same, and plaintiff district has employed an attorney to file this suit and enforce the collection of same.

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1919	\$1,000.00	1.60	\$16.00
1920	1,050.00	1.75	18.38
1921	1,100.00	1.75	19.25
1922	1,100.00	1.60	17.60

Total amount of taxes, \$71.23, 10 per cent penalty \$7.12, and 10 per cent attorney's fees, \$7.12. The said several amounts bear interest as provided by law at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from August 1st next after the same became delinquent. Interest is due thereon as follows: On 1919 taxes from Aug. 1st, 1920; on 1920 taxes from Aug. 1st, 1921; on 1921 taxes from Aug. 1st, 1922; on 1922 taxes from Aug. 1st, 1923.

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District Court, Reeves County, Texas.

Number 2364. In the District Court, Reeves County, Texas, Reeves County Water Improvement District No. 1 vs. Philip Claudy. Citation by Publication. Issued this 15th day of October, A. D. 1923.

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Description of property owned by defendant on which taxes were assessed as herein alleged: The West one-half of Sub-block 33 of Section 258, in E. B. B. & C. R. R. Co. Survey in Reeves County, Texas. Said Sub-block number being accordance with plat filed for record and known as Swenson Land Company Subdivision plat. Said tract of land containing 10.2 1/2 acres.

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**PERSONAL**

W. W. Courtney and family were in from the ranch shopping on Wednesday.

Bob Reid, manager of the U ranch, was a business visitor in Pecos Wednesday.

B. P. Van Horn, a prominent citizen of Toyah, was visiting friends and transacting business in Pecos Tuesday.

Valentine Zuber and son, Otto, were in from their ranch near Saragosa Wednesday. "Mighty wet in our neighborhood," says Otto, "but we like it that way."

H. N. McKellar left Tuesday afternoon for a week's visit in Fort Worth and Dallas. Besides looking after business matters he will visit the Dallas Fair.

Mrs. W. D. Cowan has been seriously ill for the past few days which necessitated the removal of her son, Marvin, and his family into her home that they might look after her comforts.

Miss Marie Wilson, of Balmorhea, was the guest of Miss Kate Darby, several days this week. Miss Wilson was enroute home from an extended visit with relatives in Alabama.—Baird Star.

Miss Lela Virge Jackson made a mistake last week when attempting to apply an eye lotion and used a carbolic acid solution instead. She was painfully though happily not seriously burned.—Avalanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Palmer are the happy parents of a seven-pound daughter, born to them Tuesday, Oct. 16th. Mr. and Mrs. Palmer recently moved to Pecos from Big Spring and have made many friends here who will join the ENTERPRISE in congratulations as well as in the hope that the young lady will ever be a blessing in the now happy home.

Miss Ora Pruett left Sunday for El Paso where she has accepted a position as stenographer with a prominent law firm of that city. Miss Ora was one of the leaders of the older set of Pecos young ladies and her going is deeply regretted by her many friends who wish her much happiness combined with a liberal amount of prosperity in her new home.

C. M. Alexander and family of Dublin, Texas, were this week visiting his mother, Mrs. J. C. Alexander. Mr. Alexander has been an employee of Hixzinbotham Company of Dublin for the past ten years, and is quitting that job and on his way to Taft, Cal., where he has a sister and where he expects to locate. He is a fine young man and will be an asset to any town. The ENTERPRISE will follow him in his new home. He was a pleasant visitor at this office Wednesday.

READ THE WANT ADS TODAY  
You can tell ENTERPRISE printing.

Oscar Cain, prominent Fort Stockton ranchman, registered at the Orient Hotel Sunday.

Mrs. Ira Bell returned Saturday from a visit of several weeks' with home folks in Chicago.

Mrs. Oscar Warren will leave this afternoon for a visit with her mother and other relatives at Loraine.

Berry Huse and wife of Midland were registered at the Orient Tuesday. He is a prominent stockman of his section.

Mrs. M. C. Glover is visiting friends and relatives in Commerce, Texas, and other points in that part of the state.

Jno. N. Spark, prominent in banking circles in Fort Worth, was a Pecos visitor Friday of last week and registered at the Orient.

E. G. Reynolds of the Lake ranch is suffering from a badly sprained foot, the result of a horse falling on him at the ranch yesterday.

John Miller of Grandfalls was among others from that community to come over and meet Senator Sheppard and Congressman Hudspeth.

Mrs. W. H. Drummond is at home from an extended visit to her daughter, Mrs. B. V. Rogers, and family at Plainview. She left Mrs. Rogers, the twin baby daughters, and other members of the family, doing fine.

Judge J. E. Starley was in Reeves county last week looking after legal matters. He called on the ENTERPRISE Saturday and set his subscription dates ahead. Judge Starley is now located in Dallas and has a good practice.

Toto Drummond, who works for the Studebaker Auto Company, El Paso, and his friend, Dick Reynolds, are in Pecos for a two weeks' vacation visiting Toto's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Drummond. Toto was hurt in an accident in the auto shops in the summer but has practically recovered, weighing 140 pounds.

M. N. Erlenbach left Monday afternoon for Miami, Arizona, where he expects to make his home. He has not lost interest in Pecos and her people, however, and states that he will always have a kindly feeling for both, and will be back "as soon as you bring in an oil well." In order that he might keep posted and reliably informed on the news of Pecos and Reeves county, he deposited a couple of dollars with the editor of the ENTERPRISE before leaving with the request that he not miss an issue of the paper. Mr. Erlenbach was connected with the Pecos Power and Ice Company, and later opened the "Togger," but failed to see the importance of carrying an ad in the ENTERPRISE and therefore failed to make it a paying proposition. He has many friends in Pecos who will wish him well wherever he may cast his lot.

Our hobby. Fire protection and more insurance. Our motto—If you lose we pay.—E. L. COLLINGS INSURANCE CO. 6-tf

Willard Keen, Santa Fe roadmaster, was here the fore part of the week to hobnob with Senator Sheppard and Congressman Hudspeth. He registered at the Orient.

Mrs. J. B. Howard and daughter, Miss Margaret Howard, and little son, J. B. Howard, Jr., are in Dallas this week in attendance upon the State Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Palmer and little son, Ben, Jr., returned Tuesday from El Paso where they spent a few days visiting with his brother and family (Kenneth) and attending to business matters.

R. H. Gray and son of Fort Stockton were over to meet and connive with the Senator and Congressman, as well as others in the high-up circle to visit Pecos the fore part of the week.

Theo Andrews, T. & P. roadmaster, was over for a day or two this week watching the flood waters of the Pecos pass by and seeing to it that the road and bridges were kept in good order.

Frank Divers and wife of Excelsior Springs, Mo., were in Pecos Tuesday. Mr. Divers is an old West Texas stockman who yet has many friends in this country. They registered at the Orient Hotel.

Mrs. I. E. Smith and little grandson, Walter Carl Smith, Jr., left Thursday for Shreveport, La. Mrs. Smith will spend a month with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith, there and leave the baby to spend the winter with his parents.

J. H. Yates, from the D ranch, was in town Tuesday on his way south of town to receive a herd of cattle which he will take to the D ranch. These are steers recently purchased which they will hold for their growth. He was registered at the Orient.

"Bud" Thompson left yesterday afternoon for Brownwood and after consulting with his brother, who is a physician, expects to go to Marlin where he will spend a month taking the baths and drinking Marlin water for rheumatism, from which he has been troubled for some time.

Edwin Vickers will leave Sunday for El Paso to accept a position with the Federal Reserve Bank of that place. This is a promotion for Edwin, and his friends rejoice at his good fortune. Since his graduation from school he has been connected with the Pecos Valley State Bank and has made good, being always courteous and obliging. He has made many friends for himself and the bank.

Rev. and Mrs. H. M. Bandy, enroute home at Fabens from Lubbock where they had been visiting, stopped over in Pecos this week for a few days' visit with old friends, and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vickers and family. Rev. Mr. Bandy was the first resident pastor of the Christian church in Pecos some twenty years ago, and to him and his wife is largely due, because of their zeal for, and faithfulness to, the principles of Christ, as is characteristic of all our pioneer preachers, the credit of the splendid church of that denomination that has been built here.

**RODDY-HAYGOOD NUPTIALS**  
Richard Roddy, only son of Mrs. Lee Roddy, and Mrs. Ethel Haygood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Zimmer, stole a march on their friends Friday of last week by driving over to Fort Stockton and getting married. The ceremony was performed in the parlors of the Presbyterian manse. The Rev. J. F. Lloyd officiated. These splendid young people both grew to maturity in Pecos where their friends are legion. Mr. Roddy is associated with Mr. Zimmer in the hardware business. They are at home to their many friends in the cottage west of the Krauskopf home. The ENTERPRISE extends congratulations and wishes for them much happiness and prosperity.

**GETS SCHOOL CONTRACT**  
Contractor W. A. Oatman was awarded the contract last week for the building of a \$5,250-High school auditorium at Saragosa. He expects to begin work within ten days.—Alpine Avalanche.

Sell it with a classified ad.

**BRIDGE CLUB**

An especially delightful session of the bridge club was that at which Mrs. W. W. Dean was hostess at her home on Thursday. The usual five games were played at which Mrs. H. C. Prickett won high score. At the conclusion of the games a delicious luncheon was served.

Club members present were: Mrs. Max Krauskopf, Mrs. Chas. Young, Mrs. Hugh Roberson, Mrs. Mabel Beauchamp, Mrs. Birge Holt, Mrs. Marian Snow Hudson, Mrs. J. A. Drane, Mrs. Henry Russell, Mrs. J. W. Moore, Mrs. Ira Bell, Mrs. Ralph Williams, Mrs. Walter Browning, Mrs. Chas. Manahan, Mrs. H. C. Prickett. The guests were: Mrs. Dean Wolff, Mrs. H. C. Ferris, Mrs. Ralph Sparks, Mrs. Ed Doty, Mrs. Harry Anderson and Mrs. Woolfolk of Saragosa.

Pyrene fluid for refilling your Fyre Fyghter at E. L. COLLINGS INSURANCE CO.

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