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## GENTRY TELLS OF WORK

### Reeves County Representative Talks of Good Laws for West Texas.

#### Believes That Irrigation, Mining and Other Legislation Will Soon Result in Benefits.

With a broad smile and a vice-like handshake, Judge J. N. Gentry, Representative for this district in the State Legislature, returned home last week and greeted his many friends. To each of them he gave an account of his work at Austin in behalf of measures for the benefit of this section of the State. Some of them are now laws and others are floating on the turbulent current of Salt river, to the place where defeated office seekers are supposed to go.

Judge Gentry is especially proud of his efforts in behalf of laws for the regulation and promotion of irrigation in this district and he believes that the next meeting of the state law-making body will pass bills even more favorable to the ranch and farm owners. Here is his account of West Texas legislation:

"There were two important irrigation bills effecting West Texas before the last legislature," said the Judge. "One was what is known as the General, or Glascock-Burgess bill. It authorizes the building of canals and defines the rights of riparian and non-riparian owners. This law will result in better and more co-operation and will, I think, prove one of the best irrigation bills that has ever passed the state body.

"The District, or Paddock-Gentry bill, provides that land owners can form districts and issue bonds to build reservoirs and construct ditches. It will prove of great benefit to the people of Reeves county, and was one of my pet measures.

"The Burgess-Harris-Gentry law, or general mineral law, was passed. It provides for the manner of prospecting minerals on state and school lands and the leasing of lands. It also regulates the royalties to be paid to the state.

"Owners of school lands bought after January 1st, 1907 and prior to January 1st, 1913, shall have the right to repurchase after cancellation for non-payment of interest, under the so-called Relief law. I labored hard for this measure, because I believed it would be of great benefit to many people in this district, both now and in the future. And in this connection, I wish to warn such re-purchasers against land agents who represent that they can influence the Board of Appraisers to value lands for less money than ordinarily would be done. In fact, I believe that such efforts on the part of land agents would prove only offensive.

"Governor Colquett saw fit to veto my bill authorizing the sale and patenting of school sections in forty acres, or parts thereof. It would have meant, practically, the repeal of the law of 1907, which prohibited this boon to the people. In my humble opinion it would have done more good than any law that was passed for the interests of this part of the state.

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preventing the running of stock at large."

Judge Gentry was active in his support of many other laws for the benefit of the people of Reeves county and West Texas, but the above were the most important. He was told of the prophesy made here, by a citizen, during the meeting of the Press and Commercial Club Association, that Texas would be divided, in the future, into four states, and immediately took a firm stand against even the mention of what he strongly intimated he believed was little short of disloyalty to the best interests of the people at large.

"The statement that East Texas is always discriminating against West Texas is not a fact," said the Judge. "We have never had a bill for the benefit of West Texas opposed solidly by East Texas. In fact the representatives from that part of the state seem more than anxious to do all they can to aid us in upbuilding this part of the Commonwealth."

The bill guaranteeing to married women more rights, an outline of which was given in a late issue of the Record Times, had the hearty support of Judge Gentry, who also believes that "civilization has advanced far enough for men to realize the narrowness of the spirit that would force women to live under laws in the making of which they have no part. I am for anything the ladies want," declared Judge Gentry, and I would vote for a women's suffrage bill."

Representative Gentry was informed of the statement of Louis J. Wortham, made in a speech here some weeks ago, that he would work for a \$7,500 appropriation for the Pecos Experimental Farm, and he declared:

"Of course it is unnecessary for me to state that Mr. Wortham will have my enthusiastic support and I am glad that a man so strong in the legislature should take the stand he has. It would certainly be a great thing for this country, which is badly in need of a larger station."

### Another Operation Necessary.

Developments in the illness of Mrs. C. C. Steed have caused physicians to send her to a sanitarium in El Paso. In company with Dr. Camp she left Wednesday morning. The name of the institution where the patient, it is said, will undergo a second operation, on account of the injuries she received while nursing her husband on his dying bed, was not made public.

Mrs. Steed is reported to be suffering great pain and there are those among her sympathizers, who fear that she may not recover.

### LIBRARY MEETING OFF.

On account of a misunderstanding on the part of several interested parties, the meeting scheduled last week for the purpose of forming a library association was abandoned after representatives of the four women's clubs had met. As the crowd that was expected did not materialize, it was decided to postpone the meeting until a later date, to be named probably by Mayor Gibson.

While the ladies who have been enthusiastically forwarding the movement to stock the Carnegie Library were disappointed, they declare that the next meeting will be a success and the proposed association made a reality. In the meantime, they are still receiving contributions of books for the library.

W. Ruth returned to Balmorhea, Sunday, after a few days in

## DAVIS IS SHOT BY DELANEY

### Pecos Men Principals in Shooting Affray at Fort Worth.

#### Business Affairs Cause Serious Fracas, But Victim Said to be on Road to Rapid Recovery.

Incensed at what he considered unfair treatment in a business affair, M. J. Delaney shot and badly wounded E. H. Davis in front of a restaurant in Fort Worth Sunday. Both are residents of Pecos, where the victim of the bullet has children. Latest reports are favorable to his rapid recovery.

The cause of the shooting is given in the following account taken from the Fort Worth Record:

Self-defense will be the plea of M. J. Delaney, Pecos stockman, who shot E. H. Davis, another Pecos stockman, in front of the Quick Service restaurant, 107 West Ninth street, Sunday, according to McLean Scott, McLean & Bradley, Delaney's lawyers. Delaney claims Davis threatened him Saturday night and the threat was communicated to him.

Delaney's bank account at the First National bank, said to be \$1,800, has been tied up since May 19 by garnishment proceedings instituted by Davis. Delaney owes Davis and W. O. S. Pawkett, Davis' partner, \$429.50, according to a suit filed against Delaney in county civil court May 19, and Delaney had refused to pay them.

According to Delaney's lawyers, Davis said to an acquaintance Saturday night that he had tried to settle his affairs with Delaney and had failed and that he had decided to settle them with a six-shooter.

Delaney had seen his wife on a Texas and Pacific train bound for Pecos early Sunday morning. He was walking by the Quick Service restaurant, when Davis eating his breakfast there, called to him. When Davis emerged from the door Delaney says he thought he saw him make a move toward his hip-pocket and Delaney called to him to stop and then fired. The bullet entered Davis' neck. He is at the Medical College hospital and his condition was reported improved Monday.

Patrolmen Boyd and Langdon arrested Delaney and police Captain Clark filed a complaint against him charging assault to murder in Justice Mabens' court. He waived preliminary examination and was then bound over to the grand jury under \$5,000 bond.

In the suit against Delaney, Davis and Pawkett claim that Delaney agreed to pay Pawkett ten percent on the sale of the Tioga Bottling works, the commission of which amounted to \$80, and agreed to pay the costs and expenses on the sale of the Culberson County land, which amounted to \$106.50.

They claimed in their suit that they officed with Delaney at Pecos and that he failed to carry out the agreement to pay one-third of the office rent, his share amounting to \$18.

They allege they carried out their part of the verbal contracts but Delaney refused to pay them.

The garnishment suit is set for hearing July 7th.

J. B. and Mrs. Head are here for a short visit.

## SEWER BIDS LET TUESDAY

### Muller, of Dallas, Gets Contract For Sum of \$24,916.88.

#### Must Complete Work In 175 Days Under \$15,000 Bond to be Filed Within Ten Days.

After wrestling for two days with the problem of letting the bid for the construction of the new sewer system for Pecos, the City Council gave the work to A. T. Muller of Dallas, at its final meeting Tuesday afternoon. Muller's bid of \$24,916.88 was not only the lowest of the seven bids submitted, but it was stated by those in position to know, that he is one of the best men in the state to do the work in the rapid and thorough manner that will be required. Within ten days from last Tuesday he must file a bond for \$15,000, under which he is bound to complete the new sanitary system in 175 days from the date of securing the contract. Work is expected to begin in about two weeks.

The Muller bid was considerably over \$3,000 less than that of E. M. Ebby of Wichita, Kas., who bid \$28,782.91, and leaves intact over \$10,000 of the sewer bond issue of \$35,000. Besides the Muller and Ebby bids, there were the following: General Construction Co., Fort Worth, \$28,464.42; Trueheart & Jackson, San Antonio, \$28,134.40; Hamilton Bros., Chicago, \$24,966; John Striffler, Wichita, Kas., \$27,636.33 and Sargeant & Co., San Bonito, \$25,033.14.

It will be seen that under the agreement with Mr. Muller, it will be about six months before the Pecos sewer system will be open, if the contractor makes full use of his allotted time to complete the work. However, city officials are said to have impressed upon Mr. Muller the great necessity for rapid construction, so it is possible that the system may be in before the winter months set in.

Mayor Gibson went into the subject of labor for construction work in a conference with Contractor Muller and learned that the latter was more than willing to employ local men to do the work, so far as that will be practicable. However, it is believed that it will be well nigh impossible to obtain laborers enough in Pecos, but a good part of the money paid out in wages will necessarily be spent here, thus stimulating local trade. But, while scores of men will be engaged in the work, machinery will do the major part of the construction.

There will be about ten miles of pipe laid in the principal parts of the city, the ditches ranging from three to ten feet in depth and the pipes from four to twelve inches.

One of the most important features of letting the contract to Contractor Muller is the saving to the city of upwards of \$10,000—a fact that is causing much jubilation among city officials who have been beset with questions as to how the sewers would be flushed in case the water pressure furnished by the local wells proved insufficient for the purpose. It was pointed out by Mayor Gibson that this surplus can be used for the purpose of installing a pumping plant.

In an interview with a Record Times reporter he said:

"I have been asked many times how the sewers are to be flushed

in case the wells here show that they are not powerful enough to do the work. These questions are answered in the figures between the bid accepted and the amount of the bond issue. The money remaining out of that fund can be used for the construction of a pumping or other sewer flushing system. It may need a small addition, but a progressive town like Pecos can easily make up the necessary amount.

The first of the materials for the sewers are expected to arrive in Pecos the latter part of next week.

### ARTESIA WANTS MEETING.

#### Dinsmore Promises Great Time For Press-Commercial Club Assn.

Artesia has entered the lists for the next meeting of the West Texas and Eastern New Mexico Press and Commercial Clubs Association, to be held in September, and Chas. A. Dinsmore, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of that place, has written Secretary Harkey promising a lively time if Artesia is chosen. Mr. Dinsmore says in his letter:

"I am informed that the next meeting of the new Association is to be held in September; and also that you desire this meeting in Artesia, but of the latter I have had no intimation.

"WE WANT that meeting—want it to be a big one, a live one, one that will do wonderful good for the whole section which the Association represents. We are prepared to handle such a convention handsomely; and shall do so. Whatever arrangements is best to make, will be made, and whatever programme might be suggested will be acted on to the best of our ability.

"It might be a good plan for you to visit Artesia personally, and we can talk the matter over, so that there shall be at this meeting not only a large number of persons, but the finest meeting ever held. We are with you, hand and glove.

"Kindly give these matters your consideration and favor me with immediate reply. Sincerely,  
CHAS. A. DINSMORE,  
Secretary.

### Veterans Enjoy Trip.

Among the Pecos Veterans who attended the great reunion of the Confederate Veterans Association at Chattanooga this week were T. A. Randall, Capt. Aleck Hines and Judge E. S. Alley. It is reported that they have been enjoying themselves to the full during their stay in the Tennessee city, where 100,000 veterans and their friends assembled for one of the greatest reunions of its kind in the history of the South.

### Patridge-Barnett Marriage.

Miss Caralee Barnett, daughter of G. W. Barnett of Sargent, and Albert Patridge, a prominent cattle man of this county, were married at 10:30 o'clock Wednesday morning at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. J. B. Cole, pastor of the Pecos Baptist church, performed the pretty ceremony in the presence of a large number of guests. At 11 o'clock a delicious wedding dinner was served and in the afternoon the bride and groom left for a trip to El Paso and other points west.

Mrs. Patridge taught school at New Hope and was a leader in her set, attaining an enviable popularity. Mr. Patridge is one of the best known young cattle men in the county.

The Record Times joins with their many friends in wishing them a happy and prosperous wedded life.

## COURT WEEK A BUSY ONE

### Hiles Denied a New Trial—Wright Gets Change of Venue.

#### Youth Acquitted of Burglary, Charge—Bootlegger Gets Two Years in Prison

W. J. Hiles, of Pecos, convicted and sentenced last week to State's prison for a term of two years, for killing Tom Tucker on the latter's farm last December, was refused a new trial last Tuesday by Judge S. J. Issacks. Immediate notice of an appeal of the case was given and Hiles' bond was fixed at \$5000.

Just when the appeal will be taken was not made public, but it is stated that attorneys for the defendant will push the matter at the earliest possible day.

### CHANGE OF VENUE GRANTED IN WRIGHT CASE

After the examination of one hundred and sixty veniremen, gathered from every part of Reeves County, only eight jurors were selected for the trial of J. L. Wright who, in this city, last fall, shot C. C. Steed in the presence of the latter's wife and while he had his baby clutched to his breast. As the result of what attorneys for the defence considered a dangerous situation for Wright, and believing that there is a prejudice in Reeves County against the man, a change of venue was asked by Attorney J. F. Ross and granted Tuesday by Judge Issacks.

The place where the trial of the slayer will take place was not made public at a late hour Thursday afternoon, but opinions among the lawyers are that Ward County will be chosen, because of the comparatively light docket there.

### TWO YEARS FOR "DRUGGER"

Two years in State's prison for selling whiskey to a negro woman who, on the witness stand acknowledged that she was drunk at that time, was the penalty assessed Thomas Veherana, a Mexican. The jury deliberated on the case from five o'clock Tuesday afternoon until three Wednesday. The defendant claimed he only acted as messenger for the negro and made no profit on the whiskey brought her.

The case created considerable interest because of the rarity of bootleggers and bootleg cases in and around Pecos.

### ACQUITTED OF BURGLARY.

Carl Norrell, the young man who has been in jail for several months, charged with burglarizing the store of A. J. Hart of Toyah, was acquitted Wednesday afternoon. He is being held awaiting the arrival of an officer from Stanton, where it is said, he is wanted on a serious charge.

A feature of the trial of Norrell that attracted more attention than the case itself, was the voluntary conduct of Attorney J. A. Buck, who came forward in defence of the youth, when he heard that the young man was without friends or funds.

Rev. T. L. Lallance of Roswell, passed through Monday night on his way to El Paso and was the guest for the night of Rev. J. F. Hedgpeth.

**A Rare Treat.**

It was the writer's privilege to accept an invitation to spend the week-end at the hospitable ranch home of our fellow-townsmen, Chris Ritz and his estimable wife. The ranch is situated about twelve miles south of Pecos.

New Chris didn't issue the invitation and then leave it to our ability as a stratigist to figure out how to get out there; no sir. He hooked up one of his best teams, which the writer believes to be more dependable than many makes of automobiles now in use in this city, and sent his son Nick along as pilot.

On account of a very late start, the party reached the ranch at about two a. m., Sunday morning. Everything, even at that late hour, was in readiness for our comfort, and about five minutes after our reaching there we were wrapped in the arms of Morpheus.

Next morning the party was reinforced by the arrival of Geo. Nold and his four daughters, and all proceeded to the river where a real, old-time camping party was indulged in. It is needless to say that well filled hamper were tucked, in the wagons as precaution against the lean wolf, but to enumerate the different items that composed the menu is beyond our feeble power. However the experts in the party added a fine string of fish to these and the dinner that those women spread was one that happens but few times in the natural lifetime of a human. Like one of the party remarked: "the Germans for cooking every time."

The country between here and the Ritz place is no different than any of the land that is classified at Austin under the head of "dry grazing." The same kind that some are wont to say "you couldn't raise a row on." But here is where we received the surprise of the whole trip. Mr. Ritz's land at first sight seems to be this kind, but the results he is obtaining on his farm will convince the sceptical that his land is of the finest. About twelve acres of as fine truck as one could wish to see greeted our eyes when we visited this farm. There were bermuda onions, which he estimates will yield 5000 lbs., tomatoes, English and black eyed peas, snap and frijola beans, pumpkins, watermelons, cantaloupes, roasting ears, etc. There were enough of these to supply the households of Pecos the entire season. In addition he raises all his stock food, such as alfalfa, maize and corn.

The farm is watered in a most novel way: one engine is pumping the water from three wells at the same time. Mr. Ritz explained that he thought this problem out while he lay in bed, and after seeing the rig in operation, one must admit that he is of an inventive turn of mind. A jack is over the middle well, and has two fly-wheels to which are attached uprights, which tie on to each end of walking beams, the other ends being attached to rods in the wells on either side. The down stroke of the center well is the up stroke of the outer wells, and away it goes, day in and day out pumping the softest water, yes sir, we said SOFT, the kind that when you work up a nice, foamy lather, gives one the sensation of caressing a piece of the finest of imported silk. All the wells supply more than enough to irrigate the farm.

The day was, to us, one of education as well as entertainment and one we will long remember. The invitation to come back was extended, and you may be sure that, at as early a date as will be consistent with good etiquette, we will take advantage of it. "Pat."

C. L. Wood came in from Saragosa for a few days visit the past week.

Ray Arnold arrived from Saragosa Monday, having been summoned as a venireman in the Wright case.

J. B. Ray is back in Saragosa after a pleasant visit in Pecos.

**Diamond Dust Dopings**

We cannot to save our life figure out the baseball dope on the local situation, that is we cannot get it in a shape to deliver to the public. We hear a rumor to this effect, and by the time we get to the office to reduce it to writing, it turns out that there is nothing in it. We are getting hungry for a glimpse of the diamond, and we are sure that most of the business men of the town would encourage an organization. One or two claim that they can take the situation in hand and save the day, and not only promise to pull off the rescue stunt, but to put the organization on a paying basis. It strikes us that it has always been on a paying basis as the treasury seems to be empty at the close of every season. The trouble was that the paying always went the other way.

The following communication has been handed us the past week so that it might be put before the people for consideration:

"As the season is well under way, with no prospects for a local team so far, Mr. Hail offers to take hold of the club, to run June, July and August, with a liberal monthly subscription from the citizens in Pecos, also to pay off all or part of last year's indebtedness, also to pay as he goes for balls, bats, etc., leaving no bills unpaid at any time." At present there are no grounds available, that itself would mean the outlay of some money to begin with, but with the good will and liberal donations, also good attendance at games, could be able to operate a club here that would be a credit to any town this size."

We hardly think that, at this time, any comment is necessary on the above. The proposition may or may not meet the approval of the general public, that remains to be seen. It strikes us that with attendance like the game enjoyed in the past, the team should thrive even without a subscription list. We realize that to have a real winning team, one that the writer of the above has in mind, players must be hired, and a subscription list would be imperative. But what is the matter with a home team? We would like to hear some real reason why we can't have a club composed of home boys, the material is here.

Toyah claims that it has a well organized team this year as well as a winning one. They are now planning a road trip which will last about ten days. Whether they have a winning team or not is non-essential compared to the spirit of progressiveness they and the town have displayed in providing the means for having a team at all. We, at least, hope they will give a good account of themselves on the trip.

Barstow has a ball team, and we understand that the first game on the road trip of the Toyah team will be with the Cantaloupe Pickers at that place. Pecos has only a scant prospect for a team, so scant that Toyah will not even stop here on their way east.

The National game is as popular now as it ever was, and if we were to amend the remark, we would say it was even more so. The people, however, never would stand for too much of a good thing. This is brought out very forcibly by their attitude toward the foundation of a third big league on several occasions. This year another attempt to start a third league was made, and another failure was registered against it. Some claim that they never played a game, but the records state that they pulled off just six before the hook was given.

Big Springs are organized, and we have reports that they have one of the strongest teams in the history of the town.

The thorn in McGraw's side is that the despised Dodgers on the other side of the bridge in Manhattan have passed him in the race. After a while Mac will change his argument that there is no such a thing as luck in baseball.

Zimmerman of the Chicago Cubs, does not seem to get along very well with his manager, Johnny Evers. The other day "Zim" said he was feeling bad and did not want to play. Evers' come-back was to the effect that if he did not play he would be fined \$50. Of course he played, that is until he got a shot to dispute a decision of the umpire. The umpire promptly benched him, which was just what he wanted, and the foxy Dutchman gave Evers the merry ha ha.

According to the Sporting News which is deemed sufficient authority for any statement made regarding baseball, we learn that Walter Johnson, the speed merchant of the Senators, holds the world's record for pitching consecutive-runless innings 56 in number. The former mark was 53 and a fraction. The St. Louis team, in a recent game, pulled Sir Walter's play house down.

The attitude of Chas. W. Murphy towards Frank Chance, his former manager, but who is now leading the Yanks in the American, is furnishing lots of food for the fans. C. W. and the "Peerless Leader" were very bitter towards each other at the beginning of the season. Now that Chance is at the bottom of the drive, it was thought that Murphy would be on hand with a bunch of "I told you so's." But up to date he hasn't peeped. It may be that on account of the trouble he is having in his own camp he hasn't had time to notice the plight of Frank.

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A. McKinney of Saragosa arrived here Monday to attend court, remaining three days.

Charles Donaho, of Saragosa, one of the special veniremen in the case of Wright, returned home Monday morning.

Stump Robbins, the father of the Saragosa country spent several days in Pecos the past week.

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**NOTICE OF MEETING.**

Notice is hereby given that the ninth annual meeting of the stockholders of Pecos Mercantile Company will be held at the company's general office at 2 o'clock p. m., on June 9th, 1913. All stockholders are requested to be present.

A. G. Taggart  
Secretary.

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Do you remember me when I am Leona? Tell me!" The tone was

trifling.

"I don't speak that way. When you

cut me like a knife," and his other

hand half-unconsciously upon the

hunting knife in his belt.

"How dare you? You know, Jean

is, I have never told any man

I love him."

"I don't speak louder than words,"

he returned coldly. "Those

eyes of yours say yes, when

lips form no. You have listened

to words of love and never turned

away."

"They interested me as long as they

were different," the girl returned, mad-

ly.

"When you have something new to

expect me to remember you; but

then I do not care to even

remember," and the trapper was left alone

in his rage and love. Until his de-

parture on the following day the spot-

light beauty kept out of his way, and

he had disappeared, she drew a

long sigh of relief.

"I'm smiling a little to herself, and yet

pondering if he would study something

to say to her when he emerged

from the dangers of the unbroken path

of the wilderness, she hummed a

song he favored, and was so wrapped

in her own thoughts she did not

notice the stealthy step of a man who

came upon her. Small wonder that

she did not, for he was skilled in

tracking down the wildest kind of

game, and hiding his presence from

the keen-scented wild things of the

explored north. The first that she

realized that she was not alone was

when Leona felt a man's arms about

her, and a man's mouth pressed to

hers; and frightened almost to death

she looked up into Jean's dark, flash-

ing eyes.

"You told me to make love differ-

ently. All her proud, young cour-

age was gone. She shunned the trap-

pers who flocked to her father's store,

and spent her time out in the woods

where Jean had kissed her maiden

lips and held her in his strong arms.

Into this retreat no one dared pen-

etrate, not even Long John Hathers.

He would not give up the secret hope

in his heart, and tried to court her,

although he said but little. His eyes

glowed a red fire that nothing exting-

uished. Leona at first scarcely no-

ted him, then hated him for the love

she saw he bore her, and prevented

him from speaking of it until one day

when the sun was beginning to feel

warm, and she was once more in the

List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31, 1913.

For the Taxes of 1912 Only, in Pecos City, Reeves County, Reported Under the Provisions of Section 10, Chapter 103, Laws of 1897.

STATE OF TEXAS )

PECOS CITY, )

I, T. Y. Moorhead, Tax Collector of said Pecos City, do hereby certify that the within lands and town

lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of said Pecos City for the year 1912, are delin-

quent for the taxes of 1912 only, and that I am entitled to credit for the taxes as shown thereon.

T. Y. MOORHEAD, Tax Collector.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 21st day of April, 1913. (L. S.) J. B. GIBSON, Mayor Pecos City.

Austin & Marr, lots 4 and 5, block 31, \$2.14.

Agular, Silbera, lot 8, block 28, \$2.14.

Buchanon, M. C., lot 1, block 45, \$5.36.

Boyd, J. A., lots 23 and 24, block 44, \$1.96.

Bruce, Edwin, lot 22, block 65, 71c.

Capps, B. F., 10 acres, all of block 48, West Park, \$15.40.

Carlisle, J. H., lot 6 and S. 1-2 of 5, block 35, West Park, W. 1-2 block 36, College addition, \$12.15.

Davis, E. H., lots 2 and 3, block 5, College addition, \$8.25.

Day, Mrs. Emma, N. 1-2 of lot 1, block 61, West Park, \$5.89.

Eustis, W. G., lots 4 and 5, block 5, Pecos, lot 1, block 31, Pecos, lot 15, block 44, Pecos, lots 5 and 6, block 4, West Park, \$7.68.

Espinosa, Mare, lot 43, block 24, Pecos, \$1.43.

Flores, Casimero, lot 8, block 46, Pecos, \$2.46.

Flores, Prudencio, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 47, Pecos, \$1.60.

Flores, Felipe, lot 27, block 24, Pecos, \$1.81.

Gessler, Mrs. M., all of block 60, West Park, lot 21, block 16, Pecos, \$19.66.

Gessler, E. C., lot 8, block 29, Pecos, \$1.81.

Gibson, J. B., lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, blk. 1, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 11 and 12, blk. 2, all of blocks 3, 4 and 6, Gibson Addition, \$82.19.

Grafius, Lulu E., lots 5, 6, 7 and S. 37 feet lot 4, block 106, Pecos, S. 1-2 lot 8, block 106, \$19.33.

Havis, V. D., all block 5, Gibson Addition, \$15.79.

Henderson, O. M., lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 11 and 12, block 19, West Park, \$21.45.

Kraus, F. J., lots 7 and 8, block 1, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 11 and 12, block 19, lot 1, block 16, Pecos, \$16.94.

Krauskopf, Max, lots 11 and 12, block 8, lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 9, block 11, Pecos, all block 22, West Park, \$50.19.

Kraus, Ben, 6 acres, West Park, lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 2, Pecos, \$5.36.

Krauskopf, Mrs. Max, lot 7, block 5, Alberta Heights, 54c.

Lewis, Seth, lots 1, 2, 3, 10, 11 and 12, block 28, West Park, \$14.29.

Leeman, J. A., lot 1, block 74, lot 1, block 3, Pecos, \$18.52.

Mansfield, G. T., 16 acres West Park, \$18.61.

Mesa, Calas, all of block 51, Pecos, \$3.06.

Madaris, R. C., all of block 114, Pecos, \$12.68.

Meek, J. P., lot 2, block 32, lot 5, block 13, Pecos, \$59.19.

McAdams, J. D., lots 3 and 4, block 29, West Park, E. 1-2 of block 116, \$7.17.

Nott, F. J., lot 6, block 45, Pecos, \$7.17.

Navereta, Juan, lot 12, block 47, Pecos, \$2.53.

Ornales, Juan, lots 23 and 24 block 24, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 50, Pecos, \$1.78.

Parker, J. W., lot 1, block 38, lot 7, block 7, lot 4, block 29, lot 4, block 105, Pecos, \$17.51.

Randolph, A. M., lot 1, block 70, lot 1 block 32, Pecos, \$19.66.

Ross, James F., lots 7, 8 and 9, block 33, Pecos, all of block 17, West Park, \$35.64.

Rios, Pablo, lot 30, block 24, Pecos, 71c.

Smith, W. F., lots 5 and 6, block 37, West Park, \$5.00.

Somes, M., all of block 53, West Park, \$15.40.

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## WE ARE HANDED A BOQUET.

"Everybody's Doin' It." The Pecos Record Times is the latest newspaper to join the ranks of the double column editorial adherents. Its adoption is a noticeable improvement. Also, there is an apparent improvement in the general tone of the department toward the brighter and better."—Van Horn Advocate.

The editor of the Advocate has "scooped" us. He has put one over on us. We had in mind to remark, in this very issue, that the aforesaid editor is a brilliant and handsome young man, whose publication is a top-notch on our exchange list. But, seriously, and with no intention of editorial reciprocity, we can truthfully say that the Advocate is doing a world of good for its territory, the only single agency approaching it within a mile as a booster being County Attorney White.

## THE FORT WORTH RECORD REMARKS:

"There are some things Fort Worth folks don't know. One of them is sidewalk navigation!"

We hadn't wanted to be discourteous enough to give Ft. Worth away to the outside world, but since one of its own papers has let the feline meander out of the sack, we suggest that the Record start a campaign in favor of soft drinks. Seriously, however, the Record is doing a service by calling attention to the fact that people there invariably take the left side of the walks, or spread out over them. Ft. Worth has more people than Pecos. We wouldn't acknowledge it, but the census has us in a vice.

But there is a difference between metropolitan and population. When the big packing house town takes on some of the city airs possessed by Pecos, her population will begin to walk on the right side of pavements

## INVITING NATIONAL DISASTER.

Japan has given orders for three new dreadnaughts. Last session of the American Congress only one was authorized, and only one is suggested for the coming session. All the Democrats need do to drive from their ranks every patriotic and thinking American, is to keep up that policy of "little Americanism."

In time of war, a citizen who attempts to undermine the strength of his country is called a traitor. What is the difference in time of peace, when we should be preparing for wars that every statesman of note has declared this country must inevitably face? But we believe that President Wilson has too much of the fighting spirit of Roosevelt in him to stand for tinkering with the navy.

The El Paso Times declares that there is a "big lamb crop in New Mexico." Yes, but there is a short one in Wall street this Democratic year, 1913.

The Baird Star has the temerity to raise the old question: "What is a Democrat?" Now, stop right this minute! Why start trouble when everything is peaceful.

"Just Why Apples Are High" is a headline in the magazine "Country Gentleman." Why write a whole page about it? The answer is simple. It's because they grow on trees.

When a newspaper calls the attention of certain classes of citizens to their dereliction of civic duty, they get mad and just won't turn a new leaf, because they were told to do so.

Fort Stockton has organized a commercial club. If it patterns after the Pecos Commercial Club its success is as certain as the rising of the sun. Here is success to its efforts and more prosperity to Fort Stockton.

"If the party who swiped our office six-shooter will be so kind as to return it, we will ask no questions," says the editor of the Barstow West Texas Journal.

Seriously, we hope he will not get that gun back. Any editor who is prosperous enough to own a six-shooter is approaching the plutocratic class, and we are agin' 'im.

Wonder what would happen to a certain Boston "society" man if he should come to Pecos and advocate some of his ideas concerning man's dress? He says he sees "no reason why men should not wear corsets. They impart such grace to the form, you know."

Oh, mercy, Percy, how short your shirt is!

Guthrie, Okla., is building a new municipal bath house at a cost of \$100,000. Terrible! Terrible! American cities are beginning to absolutely ignore precedent and are spending some of the money collected in taxes for the benefit of their citizens, instead of giving it to favored political grafters. This thing will never do! We must not ignore precedent! At least, that is the way the "conservatives" argue.

We have had an unusual amount of ready prepared "dope," sent out by various "syndicates," "news bureaux," etc., during the past few weeks in fact, more than for years. The greater part of the matter is of no importance to the general public, in fact it shows very clearly that it is

gotten up for the purpose of advertising some town or place and they have the unmitigated gall to ask the various papers over the country to publish it gratis. If there was anything in the "stuff" to benefit the public it might be different, but, some papers use it anyway.

We assert right here, without fear of contradiction, that Reeves county is the superb alfalfa kid of all West Texas.

The brilliant headliner of the El Paso Times (scat) captioned an article, "Pecos Valley Oil Is Looking Better." Tell us, please, what has been ailing it?

## AT THE CHURCHES

### At the Methodist Church.

All of the usual services of the church next Sunday in the Sunday school room of the new Church. Next Sunday evening the pastor will preach the second of his series on young people of the Bible, his theme being "Ruth, the Devoted Young Woman." The high standard in special music and popular congregational singing will be maintained. Joel F. Hedgpeth.

### At the Christian Church.

Subject for morning service: The Biography of a Biographer. As Sunday is set apart on our Church Calendar as Sunday School Day, Sunday night at 8:30 the Sunday School forces will render a Mission Program, which promises to be very interesting. Every one is invited to attend. Detailed announcements of the program appear elsewhere in the paper. Robt. J. Cantrell.

### At the Baptist Church.

Rev. Ford Cotton, the successful young pastor of the Baptist church at Odessa, will preach at both the morning and evening services, Sunday, June 1st. Everybody cordially invited to attend these services. J. B. COLE, Pastor.

### Daniel the Determined.

By request of the Record Times Rev. Joel Frank Hedgpeth of the Pecos Methodist church, has submitted for publication a sermon that was delivered before the graduating class of the Barstow High school, the subject being "Daniel, the Determined." The text was:

"But Daniel purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself." Daniel, 1:16. The sermon in full follows:

"Man is the noblest study of man. God had made him the chief object of His compassion and concern. The greatest scientists have been those who have studied the problems most nearly affecting the welfare of mankind. The most skilled artists have been those who could best portray the "form and face divine." They have been the most perfect poets who have sung, best the songs of sorrow and of service found in human wills and affections.

"The training you have received at the hand of competent instructors and that which you shall acquire in days to come, will be of real and lasting value, only as it shall be applied to the relief of human needs, the enlightenment of human ignorance and the development and perfection of human ideals and conditions. It follows, therefore, that a wise and reverent study of biography ought to be full of sublime interest and of lasting value.

"Bright and undimmed in the shining galaxy of saints and sages, gleams the name of the modest and manly Daniel. His was a success unmarred by meanness, littleness or bigotry. His was an achievement that was based on service, rather than selfishness. Compared with the standards of success too prevalent today, the success of Daniel looks like the contrast between the flower of chivalry and the corrupted and vulgar fame of the prize-ring and the bull fight. Too much of the advice given the young is unworthy of the highest ideals and the purest conceptions. Daniel's goal was not the favor of a drunken king, nor the high office of vice-president in a mighty empire, but it was the

strength of manhood that made him able to resist the lustful and sensuous idolatry of his age. The consumption of your worthiest and most exalted ambitions shall not be in the wealth that breeds abuse, nor in the ease that genders vice, but your real crown of life shall be found in that self-forgetful service for God and the race.

"What was the elements of real victory and worth in the life of Daniel that we may well consider and emulate?"

"He was greater than the circumstances of his day and time. He was the captive of a despised and subdued race. He lived in an age of gross superstition and dense spiritual darkness. His own people were largely given over to the disgusting vices of their captors. But, like all truly great men, his strength and determination was not a matter of favorable environment but his choice of the highest and holiest. Your surroundings are happy and helpful, indeed. In your veins there flows the healthy and heroic blood of pioneer forefathers and saintly sires of long ago. You live in an age of gigantic endeavor and undertaking

"You have a chance to develop a civilization free from abuses and encumbrances of older civilizations at home and abroad. You are the heirs of all that is best in other days. You are the sons and scions of all that was noblest in those who have passed beyond the Great Divide. Yours are the undeveloped resources of the coming empire of the southwest. Like Cecil Rhodes, you are the empire builders of a new, a larger and a brighter day. What will you do with your heritage? How will you spend your legacy? I cannot answer. I can only pray that you may use your priceless and blood-bought heritage for the uplift and redemption of your age and race.

"Daniel was greater than the crass and sensual appetites of the body. His was a life of simplicity and sobriety. He honored the body given him as the Temple of the Living God. One of the greatest dangers of this age, in spite of its boasted advancement, is its immoderate and unbridled intemperance in all things. We eat too much, work too incessantly, indulge in amusements good, bad and indifferent, with an extreme abandonment that means a depraved taste and a perverted good.

"Daniel was not a food crank, but he understood that moderation and self-restraint was absolutely necessary to the highest good. Now you will have greater problems to solve than ever confronted your sires. Many of the greatest and gravest questions of Christian civilization are yet unsolved. The forces of many ages and peoples are being focused in your life. The dangers and demands of unnumbered races are beating like untamed sea-waves around your life. There are fierce fights for health, happiness, holiness, cleanliness and decency that will engross you. There are wars to be waged, not by gleaming sword nor belching gun, but by patient prayer and heroic service. To meet the multiple duties and demands of this age you will require a clear eye, an unruffled nerve, the optimism of good digestion and the cool calculations of an unclouded brain. Sobriety, simplicity and self-restraint will pay unheard-of dividends in efficiency as well as in contentment.

"Daniel was faithful and loyal to the highest ideals that were his.

## PECOS COMMERCIAL CLUB NOTES

R. M. HARKEY, SECRETARY



Anything that is not worth fighting for is not worth having.

All things may come to him who waits, but he MUST NOT WAIT TOO LONG.

Life is one constant battle both for individuals and for communities.

The town that wins is the town that fights Every Day for Bigger Business.

Trade at Home Stores.  
Make the Home Dollar Circulate.  
Make Good Use of the Parcel Post.  
Get New Enterprises to Locate Here.

## Fight For Business and Progress

### THE FLY CATECHISM.

The following rhythmical set of questions and answers—summer creed of Indianapolis for a year. The World's it as a worthy summer creed for every man, woman and child, village and community in our land.

1. Where is the fly born? In the manure and dirt.
2. Where does the fly live? In every kind of filth.
3. Is anything too filthy for the fly to eat? No.
4. (a) Where does he go when he leaves the vault and pile and the spittoon? Into the kitchen and dining room. Does he do there? He walks on the bread, fruit and vegetables, wipes his feet on the butter and bathes in the buttermilk.
5. Does the fly visit the patient sick with consumption, fever and cholera infantum? He does—and may kill you.

### MAN'S WORST PEST

6. Is the fly dangerous? He is man's worst pest and more dangerous than wild beasts or rattlesnakes.
7. What diseases does the fly carry? He carries tuberculosis and summer complaint. How? On his wings and feet. What is his correct name? Typhoid Fly.
8. How shall we kill the fly? (a) Destroy all the filth in the house and yard; (b) Pour lime into the vault and on the floor; (c) Kill the fly with a screen wire paddle, or sticky paper, or a fly trap.
9. Kill the fly in any way, but kill the fly.

He was not a cranky, grouchy, hobby-rider nor a fanatic nor anarchist. He was a loyal and patriotic citizen of that heathen empire. The moral revolution that he wrought in the stubborn king was by quiet, unobtrusive fidelity to the right, as he knew it. The world is not in need of blood-spattered heroes and self-advised reformers, one half as much as it is in need of strong, sturdy, unobtrusive loyalty to kindness, goodness and unselfishness in the every-day walks of life.

"Daniel kept an open mind and heart. The world where you live is just as pregnant with heroism and prophetic insight as that far away land and time, where Daniel moved like an undimmed star in the darkness.

"There are tangled lives to be straightened, by contact with the Divine," as Daniel unraveled the mysteries of human hearts and declining dynasties. Wherever relevant and devout science has uncovered one of the hidden potencies of Mother Nature, there blazes the bush unburned, and there may we stand with bowed head and unswayed feet to hear God's call to service, as Moses heard it in the Syrian desert long ago. Wherever there shines in human hearts the patient tried by pulsing pain, or the joy born of self-surrender, there gleams the Shekinah, more glorious than that which lit the ancient Ark of Eastern lands. But today

the Covenant... "I wish to see the needs of the world... unity and responsibility... you a voice that... its music and... call Divine... and soul open... of God's life... pour their gifts... thought and affection... be the motto... of Gallileo... listened unto... to give my life...

### The Black Book

The Black Book... feet of the sermon... troll, minister of... Church of Pecos... May 25th...

Black... body begins... comes the dark... impure, in other... black...

He made a... of the physical... Bible deals... is of... the... He was the... women to... in the presence of... that all prevails in... Eastern lands. But today



"Yes, our new wagon's a Studebaker — the only kind we KNOW"

"The Studebaker idea has been in our family for sixty years. We have never thought of buying any other kind of a wagon."

"It's true, we're continually being offered other wagons costing a little less, with lots of promises as to what they will do. But we know in our family what a Studebaker will do. A few dollars difference in price doesn't mean much. It's the service a wagon gives that we consider most."

"Long service for a fair price means more every time than short service for a few dollars less."

"That's why we stick to Studebaker—and 'Stick to Studebaker' is a pretty good motto for a man who uses wagons."

"Studebaker wagons are built of good stuff. They're made right by people who've had years and years of experience in making them right—people who are trusted the world over."

"Studebaker wagons last, because they're made to last."

"Look out for the dealer who tells you his wagon is just as good as a Studebaker. That's my advice after a good deal of experience—and the experience of all of my people. You get a Studebaker and you've got a safe investment."

See our Dealer or write us.

STUDEBAKER South Bend, Ind. NEW YORK CHICAGO DALLAS KANSAS CITY DENVER MINNEAPOLIS SALT LAKE CITY SAN FRANCISCO PORTLAND, ORE.

PECOS VALLEY State Bank

Capital \$ 110,000.00 Surplus 55,000.00

We Want Your Business

Lightened lands, woman has come to her rights. Why should we hide our faces, created in the likeness of God? Perhaps the most beautiful thing that man can behold upon earth is the countenance of another man.

Christ lived in an age of the culture of the physical. The Greek cultivation of the body was at its height. In that time, Christ lived, and while he warned the people against giving their attention solely to the cultivation of the physical, yet in no instance did He discourage it. If the physical is strong, the mental and moral will be strong, and on the other hand, if the physical is weak it cannot help in the building of the mental and spiritual. It is as much a sin for man to wrongly treat the physical as the spiritual man. The sins that damn people can be traced to physical defects, and physical weaknesses. Then we should give heed to the physical, that we may have strong foundations on which to build. The greatest reformers that have ever lived have been, not necessarily robust, but strong and normal. In the case of Martin Luther and Alexander Campbell.

All the weaknesses that come into this world today, all the sickness and decay, that are due to sin in the beginning. When I suffer I do so, taking the rebuke of nature for some law of health violated. Bear me witness that every ill that comes to an individual is due to some sin committed by himself or his parents, sins of omission or commission. The relation is so close between sickness, death and sin, that they cannot be separated.

We boast of our civilization, of its advancement, and how proud we are to hold it up before the world. On

the other hand, there are many defects arising on account of our civilization. In more primitive ages, man's occupation demanded more muscular exertion than it does now. A man or a woman in that time thought nothing of a walk of four or five miles. In this day, to a number of people, as many blocks is too far to walk to church. Many times we meet people driving in fine carriages, and the thought comes, how much more beautiful is the horse that draws them than the people within the carriage! The horse gets the exercise that brings out his beauty, the exercise that people need and will not take. Our primitive ancestors lived more out of doors and breathed God's air, and their bodies were built up thereby. Their food was plain and they lived close to nature. Many evils begin in the home, and reform should start there. One way to build strong bodies is by thinking pure thoughts. When the mind is pure, the soul tends toward purity. The body is the fenement in which the spirit of God dwells. His holy temple. "Ye are not your own, but ye are bought with a price, glorify God, therefore, with your body."

M. H.

The Wisdom That Wins.

The above subject was used, Sunday, 25th, by Rev. J. B. Cole at the First Baptist church for his sermon, taking as his text, Daniel 12:3:

"And they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament; and they that turn many to righteousness, as the stars forever and ever.

To be a true preacher one must indeed be a prophet and have visions

that reach far into the future and disclose in detail the events that will transpire. The people must know of the results that are to follow their conduct and need a faithful prophet. Few men would fail if they sought out a true prophet of God and asked advice as to their way in life. Daniel tells how to make our lives count now and forever. His instruction is plain and the way is open to every man who wishes to live a worthy life. None of us wish to be forgotten, and this Scripture teaches us how to attain eternal remembrance.

Our subject is intensely interesting because it treats of a means of accomplishing the highest good both for ourselves and others, and that such good is to be of eternal consequence.

In all the Bible the contrast between right and wrong is likened to the difference between light and the darkness. Christians are the light of the world: "Children of light," as "Walking in the light," also as "Loving the Light."

This text teaches:

1. That it is the highest wisdom to be on the side of right—in other words to be a Christian. We are taught that the fear of the Lord is the very beginning of wisdom. This suggests that it is the very essence of folly and unwisdom to neglect or refuse to be a Christian. We harm ourselves, our fellows and the people of all time as well as defy God while we refuse to seek salvation of the Lord. Such a course is too fearful to need a word of caution and should strike alarm to the very soul of any man.

Who can fight against God and come off conqueror or who has defied him and lived. Wisdom calls loudly for peace between God and every man. Are you at peace my reader? Do you wish to make the most of life and to send the fact and force of your life as a shining light to all the generations of time? Then come to the "Light of the World and be saved and be wise."

2. This text guarantees to the Christian success in life. Who among us is willing to fail in life—to march to certain and eternal defeat? How can men deliberately commit suicide of character and happiness? It is clear that the converse of the text is true—they, who do not serve God faithfully, shall not shine—indeed we have another word that says: "The path of the just is a shining light that shineth brighter and brighter unto the perfect day but the way of the wicked is as darkness and he knoweth not at what he stumbleth."

Sin is a losing game and no man has ever rose and commanded the lasting love of men while living in the services and dominion of sin. "The name of the wicked shall rot," is as true as God. God never lets a faithful man lose out. Think of the way of Joseph. How God did vindicate his Christian character and to this day his name shines and is the light that guides the student of the history of Egypt. Millions today study and admire his wonderful success in life.

3. God's wisdom and strength is added to the strength and wisdom of every loyal, faithful, serving Christian. Paul said, "I can do all things through Christ who strengtheneth me." Paul "Took up arms against a sea of troubles" and gloriously won out. His name is at the top of the honorables at this hour and he shines with increasing glory as a tall son of righteousness all around this habitable earth. His name will charm yet uncharm millions of men. Tear from the world today the light of this luminous life and you make thick darkness. God vouches for Paul and he carried the world on his shoulders and this hour his soul goes marching on with increasing light and glory. With God on his side he made the nations hear his story and the proud civilizations of Greece and Rome to surrender at his feet.

4. This text teaches that the Christian man's work is immortal and that all right doing is eternal. There is nothing that can perish. God has promised to "Bottle the tears of his saints." All who serve the Lord build better than they know. It is promised that a cup of water given in the name of Jesus shall not lose its reward.

5. Here we learn that all Christians will win everlasting fame. In this army every soldier is to be decorated with the badge of high, stainless honor. Who that does not wish to live and attain the love and

such complimented by receiving invitation from the National Association of Musical Clubs to federation to send a delegate to the convention to be held in Chicago April. Mrs. Smith, the local agent, received this letter a few days ago. Mrs. Smith will soon visit Mrs. Smith of Memphis, Tenn. a friend of the Chairman of Federation of the National Federation of Musical Clubs, also Vice-President of National Federation of Musical Clubs. Mrs. Smith being acquainted with these people can be of help to the local social club.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Christian Church, Sunday School, Normal

- Piano, Voluntary. Summer School of Simmons' College. Song, "Be a little Sun" For nineteenth Annual Session. Scripture Reading For JUNE 9-31. Prayer. Strongest Normal of the Century. The Decisive Hour. Recitation "The Brave Little Soldier" Recitation "Go or Stay" Little I raduates. "CRY OF THE HEATHEN" work and College credits. By the Junior credits in Simmons' College Love give you a first grade certificate First Mission Worker at examination. Second Mission Worker. Jege equipments and surrounding. Third Mission Worker. Rightful location for pleasant work. Fourth Mission Worker. er work. First Heathen. ard in College dormitories for Second Heathen. month. Third Heathen. ition for eight weeks, \$10.00 Fourth Heathen. u cannot afford to waste your Fifth Heathen. and spend your money at a Sixth Heathen. d rate normal.

Song. "Rejoice Ye Nations." further information address Recitation "A Cry From" resident J. D. Sandifer Drill and Song "Line Up" Abilene, Texas.

Recitation. "The Heathen" Song. "If I were Big" Recitation. "A Cry From" Song. "The Fight it be cured by Hall's Catarrh

Quartette "Far Across the Sea," From the Senior Class G. L. Wharton and India. Selected Quartette. "India's Famine Cry." From the Senior Class Unveiling of Wharton's Portrait. From the Senior Class Quartette. "Our Sunset Song." From the Senior Class Benediction. No Admission Charged

Everybody Invited. No Admission Charged

Prizes Offered Reeves County School Children for Best Merry Jingle

Prizes Offered Reeves School Children For Best Merry Jingles!

Here is a fine chance for school children of Reeves county to earn some pin money and at the same time amuse themselves and their friends. The Record Times will pay THREE DOLLARS in prizes for the best merry jingles written by pupils of the public schools. Do you know what a jingle is? Here is an example. It was written by President Woodrow Wilson, about his own face! You know our President is overflowing with wit and humor:

For beauty I'm not a star! There're others more handsome by far. But my face, I don't mind it, Because I'm behind it— It's others in front that I jar!

In writing these jingles you must be sure that they rhyme exactly. Here is another example we wrote in less than two minutes:

There was once a young fellow named Jake, Who walked down the road with a rake. He fell in the way of a very large dray, And now they're holding his wake!

Now, boys and girls, ALL OF THE JINGLES SHOULD DEAL WITH LOCAL SUBJECTS, IF POSSIBLE, THUS:

There was a jack rabbit quite sweet, Who loved to roam 'round on Plum street, But a bulldog named Spot Ran him into a lot,

And he and his friends had a treat! Silly? Yes, and that is just what is wanted—something light and FUNNY!

Now, here is the way the prizes will be distributed: ONE DOLLAR FOR THE BEST JINGLE. FIFTY CENTS EACH for the TWO NEXT BEST Jingles.

You see that even winners of the four last prizes will get FIVE CENTS A LINE, which is the rate that some of the noted magazines pay some of their well known writers.

The first jingles will appear in NEXT SATURDAY'S RECORD TIMES, so get busy, turn in as many as you want, but mark what you think is your BEST.

The names of the judges of the contest will be published later and the announcement of the winners will be made public in one month after the jingles begin to appear. Yours for some fun.

Address "JINGLE EDITOR," THE RECORD TIMES.

Jingle Contest Ended.

Winners of the Record Times Prize Offer Will be Announced in Next Week's Paper.

Winners of the Record Times Jingle contest will be announced next week and the award of \$3.00 will be made immediately thereafter. It therefore behooves those who would be successful in the contest to get their jingles into this office as early as possible.

Remember the conditions are one dollar for the best jingle, fifty cents each for the two next best jingles and twenty-five cents each or five cents a line, for the four-next best jingles.

Following are some of the verses turned in during the past week:

A bachelor maid from Sedan, Ran after a fellow named Jan. She lost all her breath, And sank unto death Because she could not catch a man.

Now Jan will have the sympathy of many mere men, for most of them are always on the run, either from or after bachelor girls, but mainly after them. Here is another:

There's a sweet little fellow named Charlie, Who loved a dear girl he called Mollie.

But she threw her beau, Who for her was too slow, Then she winked and said "Now ain't I jolly!"

A friend of the writer of the following suggested that it be published in leaflet form and distributed throughout town as a germ killer:

There was a sweet maiden named Flute, Whose fellow was John M. McGlute. A subpoena she served, Which John well deserved, And now he is fighting her suit!

If "Tommy," in the following verse, lives in Pecos, it is respectfully suggested that he be sent to the reformatory:

Tommy is a gentle child; His manners they are very mild. Every time his sister cries, He throws pepper in her eyes— It's thought that Tommy's getting wild.

Indeed, it might be inferred that Tommy is developing a regular Sunday comic supplement sense of humor.

Several other jingles were sub-

mitted but lack of space prevents their publication in this issue. If any of them are among the prize winners, they will, of course, be published next week. Thursday of next week will be the last day that jingles will be received in the contest.

ATTENTION FIREMEN!

A meeting of the Pecos Fire Boys is hereby called for Friday evening, May 30th, at 8:30 o'clock, at the office of Will P. Brady. It is very important that we have a full attendance so do not fail to be present. Will P. Brady, President. By F. F. Calvert, Sec.

Hogs and Sheep Shipped.

Two carloads of sheep and one of hogs were shipped from Saragosa Monday to El Paso. The sheep, numbering a hundred and forty-four were sent to J. C. Peyton by Chas. Weinacht, of Toyahvale, while the hogs numbering about a hundred, were shipped to the same party by Van Deren and Honaker.

Three of the hogs were so affected by the heat that they died in the pens before they could be loaded.

Just received car of corn chops, bran, corn, oats and seeds. Get my price. O. J. Green.



EXCURSION RATES

Pecos to Oklahoma City, Okla. and return

20.75

Account

National Convention

Brotherhood of American Yoeman

Tickets on sale June 7, 8 and 9th, limited to June 17th.

Commencing June 1st, very low excursion rates to all principal resorts North and East, also Colorado and California.

For full information as to route, limits etc., phone or call on, O. M. WILSON, Agent.

Pecos People Eat Over 20,000 Lbs. Meat Each Month.

How many pounds of meat are consumed each month by the people in and adjacent to Pecos?

In these days of the high cost of living, to which the price of meat so largely contributes, the answer to such a question and a few side lights on the subject, will be of interest, and the answer is, briefly, over twenty thousand pounds! Or, at least, that is what is sold by the two butcher shops in the city.

At this period of the year there are, of course, fewer pounds of meat of any kind sold than when the weather is cool, and this applies especially to fresh pork. It seems that people here eat very little "salt" meat, such as bacon and ham, although there is a good market for canned meats.

During the Record Times' investigation of the amount of meat consumed here, a startling and very significant fact was brought to light. One of the local butchers estimated that seven years ago there were about one-fifth the number of people in Pecos and its trading territory, as at the present time.

This situation is undoubtedly due to a large extent to the fact that the prices of it have soared to a point where only the prosperous can afford it as a steady diet.

There must also be taken into consideration the nation-wide campaign in the past few years waged against the eating of meats of any kind. Vegetarian "literature" has gone into almost every home in the nation. Then, too, another fact is the increasing substitution of cereals and fruits for ham or bacon and eggs and other former universally favorite breakfast dishes.

However, the butchers of Pecos have no fear of losing all of their trade, so long as the strain of the meat eating Anglo-Saxon remains in the veins of the people, for Americans and Britishers are found throughout the world for their consumption of beef, pork and mutton, although, so far as Pecos is concerned, very little of the latter is sold.

Nacoma, Texas, May 19, 1913. Record Times Co., Pecos, Texas. Gentlemen:

I have placed my entire property in your city and vicinity, on sale, at very reasonable prices and have constituted Goedeke & Brock my agents for its sale. Very respectfully, GEO. A. KNIGHT, 50-31\*

Seek Better Hay Prices.

According to an official of the Pecos Valley Southern, a hundred and eighty wagon loads of alfalfa were brought to the Toyah Valley company's warehouse during one day last week, and stored for higher prices.

It is said that farmers are determined to force a higher and fairer price for hay than is now prevalent, and that the outlook at the present time is considered favorable for a much better market in the near future.

Notice.

I am agent for the Big Springs Laundry. All those desiring anything in this line can have prompt service. Will collect and deliver clothes. I will endeavor to be appreciated. Call No. 72. A. O. Anderson, Agent.

RAILROAD TIME CARD.

Texas & Pacific. East bound, No. 4.....2:50 a. m. East bound, No. 6.....3:23 p. m. West bound, No. 3.....2:50 a. m. West bound, No. 5.....2:45 p. m. Pecos Valley Southern. South bound leaves.....8:15 a. m. North bound arrives.....3:15 p. m. Dally, except Sunday. Santa Fe Route. South bound arrives.....11:35 p. m. North bound leaves.....12:25 a. m. Dally, except Sunday.

Bargains every day at the Racket Store.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Texas, County of Reeves. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, of the 9th day of May, 1913, by Wille-de Woods, Clerk of said Court for the sum of Nine Thousand Eight hundred seven and 35-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of E. B. Kiser in a certain cause in said Court, No. 1075 and styled E. B. Kiser vs. John G. Willis, et al and placed in my hands for service, I, Tom Harrison as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 9th day of May, 1913, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Reeves County, Texas, as described as follows, to-wit: All of sections Nos. 170 and 232, containing 640 acres each, the East one-half of section No. 166, and the West one-half of section No. 234, containing 320 acres each. Also 346 acres, being the S. E. Part of section 168, all being in Block No. 13, H. & G. N. Ry. Co. Surveys, and all being situated in Reeves County, Texas.

And said judgment barring all the rights, title and interest of W. J. Davis, one of the defendants in and to said above described property, and levied upon as the property of John G. Willis et al, and that on the first Tuesday in June 1913, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door of Reeves County, in the City of Pecos, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said John G. Willis, et al. 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 Record Times, a newspaper published in Reeves County.

Witness my hand, this 9th day of May, 1913.

TOM HARRISON, Sheriff, Reeves County, Texas. By S. C. VAUGHAN, Deputy.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Texas, County of Reeves. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, of the 19th day of November, 1912, by Wille-de Woods, clerk of said court, for the sum of Two Hundred Fifty-Five and 11-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of S. F. Redding, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 1104 and styled S. F. Redding vs. D. L. McDaniel, E. B. Kiser, J. W. Parker and Pecos Valley State Bank, placed in my hands for service, I, Tom Harrison, as sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 5th day of May, 1913, levy on certain Real Estate situated in Reeves County, Texas, more particularly described as follows: to-wit: Blocks 11 and 12 of Shannon's subdivision of section No. 67, Block No. 4 H. and G. N. Ry. Co. survey, Reeves county, Texas, and levied upon as the property of D. L. McDaniel, E. B. Kiser, J. W. Parker and Pecos Valley State Bank, and that on the first Tuesday in June, 1913, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door of Reeves county, in the city of Pecos, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said D. L. McDaniel, E. B. Kiser, J. W. Parker and Pecos Valley State Bank.

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 Weekly Record Times, a newspaper published in Reeves county. Witness my hand this 5th day of May, 1913.

TOM HARRISON, Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.

Rheumatism Quickly Cured.

"My sister's husband had an attack of rheumatism in his arm," writes a well known resident of Newton, Iowa. "I gave him a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment which he applied to his arm and on the next morning the rheumatism was gone." For chronic muscular rheumatism you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. Sold by all dealers.

Farmers Institute to be Held at College Station.

Reeves County farmers are this year taking added interest in the work of the Farmers' Institute, and for that reason the following from an exchange is timely:

"The next meeting of the Texas State Farmers' Institute will be held at College Station, Tex., July 31 and August 1. The Texas Farmers' Congress will hold its session at the college July 28, 29 and 30. Judge Ed R. Kone, Commissioner of Education and President of the institute, has issued an announcement in which he says the railroads have agreed to issue transportation in behalf of the delegates to those meetings on the basis prescribed in the constitution and by-laws of the Texas State Farmers' Institute, as follows, to-wit: One delegate at large and one for every 25 members of the local or county institute or majority fraction thereof, providing of course, such delegate or delegates do not come within any of the classes prohibited by the provisions of the amended anti-pass law.

"Judge Kone expresses the conviction that the meeting will be the greatest in the history of the institute and probably the greatest meeting of farmers ever held in the state. The program is now being arranged.

"The amended anti-pass law, among other things, provides that no person who holds any office in this State shall at any time during the term of office be entitled to any pass or transportation privileges or any franks or substitute for fare or charges over any of the railroads of this State.

Not Fit for Ladies.

Public sentiment should be against it, and we believe it is; there can be no reason why ladies should have to suffer with headaches and neuralgia, especially when Hunt's Lightning Oil gives such prompt relief. It is simply a question of getting the ladies to try it. All druggists sell Hunt's Lightning Oil in 25c and 50c bottles.

THIS IS THE YEAR FOR YOU

To Purchase You a Farm in Toyah Valley.

Land proven out will never be Cheaper, Terms never Easier. On whatever amount of money you may have, a farm can be found to suit you.

ALFALFA

Now being harvested and bringing returns that will make good payment on the investment and five more crops to harvest. Barley, oats and wheat making big yields. Grown in the winter; harvest in May and June. Cantaloupes make \$100.00 per acre, ninety days from seed to harvest time. Garden truck grown in winter brings big profits.

THE GREAT COMBINATION. Good Soil. Fine Climate. Plenty of Water, and something to harvest and sell every month in the year, makes income insurance.

Splendid business opportunities open in many towns in the Toyah Valley, along the Pecos Valley Southern.

Write today asking for literature and our special proposition to the man who will come and settle on his land.

E. D. BALCOM, Genl. Immigration Agent, Pecos Valley Southern Ry., Pecos, Texas. 50-4t-Adv.

Tom Wheat, of Saragosa, was in on business this week.

W. Leflingwell came to Pecos from Saragosa this week and remained a couple of days.

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Health a Factor in Success.

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Young People's United Mission Study Club.

On last Friday night, at the Public Library the Young People's United Mission Study Club met for its first session since its organization, just two weeks previous. Ten earnest young people, representing the various churches of the town, were present and the meeting was interesting and profitable. At present the club is studying the life of John G. Paton, the great missionary to the New Hebrides, who, with the help of God, converted those South Sea Island cannibals into Christians.

The program for our last meeting was as follows:

- Prayer. Rev. Boyles. Scripture reading. "John G. Paton as I saw and heard him." Rev. Boyles. "Earlier Days of John G. Paton." Mrs. Cantrell. "Twenty-third Psalm." Rev. Cantrell. "Countries yet Unknown to Christianity." Miss Wilson. "Our Responsibilities as Christians to the Mission Spirit." Mr. Link Benediction.

The next meeting will be held on Friday night, June 6th, at the people who are interested or wish a broader vision in the mission work are requested to be present. The program for that meeting is as follows:

- Leader—Mrs. Cantrell. Prayer—Rev. Boyles. Scripture Lesson—Mrs. Douglas. "John G. Paton at School."—Mrs. Boyles. "John G. Paton at College"—Mrs. "John G. Paton at College"—Miss Wilhite.

Song. "Our Brothers, Who Are They?"—Rev. Cantrell. "Greatest Needs in the U. S. for Mission Work"—Rev. J. B. Cole. "Possibilities of Our New Club"—Benediction.

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**MENTING ON PECOS.**

Still Continue Their Praise, Showing How Editors Were Impressed by Their Visit

Reeves and Pecos counties are still receiving compliments from many editors in the state, showing how they were impressed when they were here recently for the purpose of organizing the Press and Commercial Club Association. Following is part of what W. H. Mulvaney has to say in his excellent publication the Carlsbad Current:

"The past six years the patriotic newspaper men of the Pecos have tried hard to organize a press association, on account of the fact that one would participate the benevolence were small and at last the press people have given up the task of keeping alive the asso-

ciation about abandoned the idea to sustain their own association. The new departure to affiliate the commercial clubs and farmlands will be taken as it should be when unable to accomplish the purpose alone cooperation with the only successful manner is any such thing as success in line of exploiting the resource section of country which has things in common and nothing around which all cannot rally. Texas is a stock country, so is New Mexico and the same can be said of irrigation farming, alfalfa, dairying, and hog raising, as well as poultry. Both sections in the semi-arid belt and must sink or swim together. Need capital and good farmers to develop the country and an organization that can command the respect of the prospective settler, such as the affiliated commercial organizations, the farmers' union and institutes backed by a unit, appeals to us as the most logical proposition yet conceived. A proof that this plan is practical the meeting referred to may be.

At this meeting the Texas Association of Commercial Clubs was represented as well as the great State papers in the city of which were the Dallas News and the Star-Telegram of Fort Worth. That the El Paso papers were not represented only that they cannot appreciate the thing when they see it and a movement to better improve territory and bring in people and capital has been overlooked. One can rest assured that the next thing will be larger and as timely on the benefits to be derived from the general public from the organization will become very plain.

The Stanton Reporter says: "From reading the Pecos Record Times it would seem that they had a great time out at Pecos at the organization of the West Texas New Mexico Press and Commercial Club Association. We also notice that our esteemed friend, T. E. Jordan, of the Big Spring Herald was elected president. Mr. Jordan, is an A-1 booster, and we commend the organization on the selection of its president. We wish the new organization success, and from the tone of the speakers who were present, they are a determined set of boosters, and this is a class of citizens it will be impossible to down."

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Three years ago I had a very bad spell of neuralgia which caused my eyes to become sunken and bloodshot with pain. Hunt's Lightning Oil was recommended and after using the pain left and has not returned; says A. M. Coffey, 316 Van Buren street Letchfield, Ill. This wonderful medicine is sold by all druggists everywhere.

**Delicious Ice Tea.** Better than Soda water. Try it Sunday. Busy Bee Cafe and Bakery. Latham Brothers, props., opp. Postoffice.

H. Crenshaw returned to Saragosa Monday after spending several days in Pecos.

K. C. and H. E. Tucker came from Toyah Monday.

to raise crops despite the fact that they have neither shallow wells or streams from which to irrigate, all combine to instill in the Pecos Valley citizen a healthy pride in this favored country where the plains present opportunities for pumping irrigation, the valleys better chances to acquire land irrigated from ditches and the mountains and hills good opportunity for stock raising in all lines.

"The hospitality of the Pecos people is proverbial for ever since the first trip we made there on July 4, 1893, when the barbecue and dinner given three hundred Carlsbad people was not only appreciated but showed what Pecos does when she tries to entertain a neighboring town—there never was a doubt about the quality of her hospitality. This time the Pecos Commercial Club took the visitors for a ride of forty-five miles on the new railroad to the Toyah Valley and gave them a chicken dinner. After dinner they were taken in surries and shown 11,000 acres of alfalfa watered to Toyah creek fed by the big spring at its head."

The Enterprise, of Toyah, this county, has the following to say: "The meeting at Pecos this week of which an account is given in the insert of this issue, was a good one and fraught with good feeling and an air of enthusiasm throughout. It was a coming together of business men with a purpose and that purpose to advance thoughts which will ultimately settle this western country with farmers and business men who will use energy and brains in the development of the very best and only undeveloped part of the United States. The tide is coming, gentlemen, and now is the time to secure a home and heritage in the land of sunshine. Tomorrow it will be too late for the man with limited capital."

"Secretary Harkey of Pecos Commercial Club treated the members of the new association of newspaper men and commercial club secretaries to a trip over the Pecos Valley Southern to the end of that road Wednesday, the last day of the meet. They were shown the famous Giffin orchard and the wavy alfalfa farms along Toyah Creek. The dinner at Banorhea, furnished by the Commercial Club of that place, was sumptuous and well prepared. Those fortunate enough to make the trip will always have a warm place in their hearts for the entertainers, a good word for the people and country and give them in return for their courtesies thousands of dollars' worth of good, clean boosting that can be depended upon as reliable and not overdrawn."

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Facts Show That Out of Town People Are One of Pecos' Assets.

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At these three hotels, namely the Orient, Pecos and Central, there were registered during May a total of exactly one thousand persons, not including local people who only dined. Added to this number is an estimate, agreed upon by several persons in a position to know, that there are at least five hundred more visitors who come here during the month, and stayed at private boarding houses, or with friends. This brings the total up to fifteen hundred visitors.

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**Names of Local People Represent Many Things.**

Peculiar names of human beings have long been an interesting study and especially is it so when localized. This applies to Pecos and the surrounding towns where, with the exception of slight changes in the spelling, there are people whose names represent many things from a means of transportation to a geographical direction.

However, in writing this story, it is perhaps best to warn anyone who may read it not to turn green with envy if not fortunate enough to possess a name entitling them to mention.

A good Walker can ward off such a feeling by taking a stroll in the Woods or Groves. Then coming to a Lake, one can Camp all Day on a Couch, until in a Frame of mind less Moody.

But, it will be agreed, that Well-born people never get envious. People who do, usually have More-head than common sense. Still, there are good people, whether they have Means, or wear Jeans, who never begrudge an honor to others, but Love to Link their lives with some great work of unselfishness and Goode to their fellows. Such persons are usually very Meek and like Pease. Yet, there are Pitts that almost every woman will fall into, for there are few on record who do not envy a good Cooke.

In each of the Holmes of the country there is needed a Young person with a happy Hart to keep alive the Sparks of joy. Such abodes can be found in every part of Reeves county north, south, west and East. Of course things are bound to occasionally look Black when one is ambitious and apparently cannot rise in life, but just remember that if one cannot be the Dean in his or her trade or profession, there are other callings in which one may finally rise, even if it is necessary to start by being conductor on a Carr. This may Sapp the ambition for a while, but do not get foolish and try to drown your sorrows in a Stine. Go out and Buck the game, even if there is no Cole in the cellar, or bread in the cupboard. We have all heard that such a person always Capps the pinnacle of fame amid applause that sounds like the roar of a Canon.

Don't live in a Brown study all the time. Get up, grease your Hubbs and break the speed limit, even if you are an Elder in a church! Moore luck to your efforts.

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The Euterpean Club.

The Euterpean Club has been very much complimented by receiving an invitation from the National Federation of Musical Clubs to federate and to send a delegate to the Federation to be held in Chicago next April. Mrs. Smith, the local president, received this letter a few days ago.

Mrs. Smith will soon visit Mrs. Giffull of Memphis, Tenn. a friend who is Chairman of Federation Committee of the National Federation of Musical clubs, also Vice-Pres., of National Federation of Women's Clubs. Mrs. Smith being in touch with these people can be of great help to the local social club.

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**PERSONAL MENTION**

**S. F. Wells and his pretty and vivacious daughter, Miss Lottie, came here from Dallas Saturday.** Mr. Wells has accepted a place on the Lake Ranch, to which place he went Wednesday.

**W. H. Browning Jr., Walter Browning, Hugh Roberson and Phil Lynch left yesterday morning for Douglas, Arizona, where they will attend the Tennis Tournament.** While, of course, they don't expect to do any great things they hope to let the world know that Pecos is on the map of tennis players as well as of a number of other things. We are sure that they will do themselves credit.

**Miss Julia Davis is expecting her mother and sister from Brownwood, Texas, to arrive June first, and they will spend the summer in Pecos.**

**Mrs. A. E. Wilcox will leave soon for Memphis, Tenn., where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Smith.**

**Mrs. T. L. Lallance and daughter Miss Agnes are the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Hedgpeth.** Their home is in Roswell, N. M.

**Miss Carrie Keasler, daughter of T. B. Keasler and formerly of Pecos, was married to Guy Carter of Van Horn, at Mineral Wells last week.** Both Mr. and Mrs. Carter are well and favorably known to a number of our citizens who join the Record Times in wishing them a long, prosperous and happy union.

**Mrs. Ben Farber, wife of the well known head of the El Paso Store, is the mother of an eleven pound girl baby, born about six o'clock Saturday.** The weight of the little one, as officially given out, does not tell the story of how it ways with its father, who is about the proudest man in Pecos. The baby's name is Sadie.

**Mrs. Massey of Odessa, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hez Kountz of Balmorhea for the past two months, came in Monday and took the T. & P. for her home.** Mrs. Kountz accompanied her as far as this place and will visit with friends for a few days.

**Mr. and Mrs. James Frame and Mrs. E. A. Wilcox made a flying visit to Balmorhea last Sunday on the special.**

**Rook Club Meeting.**

Eight guests were present at the regular meeting of the Rook Club, at the home of Mrs. C. F. Manahan last week, in addition to the limited membership of thirteen. Ice cream and cake were served during the meeting, which was an especially enjoyable gathering.

The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. J. W. Moore, June 5th.

(We were unable to obtain the list of members and guests present and are therefore forced to omit them. We would be pleased to have the hostesses arrange for reports of the meetings of their clubs, as it is impossible for us to secure the data without the assistance of the clubs, and where it is not furnished we will take it for granted that publicity is not wanted.)

**Against Race Suicide.**

If all Reeves County pullets follow the example of "Little Jane" on the poultry farm of D. T. McKee, in McKee Heights, they will win fame along with the human mothers who have been praised by Colonel Roosevelt for their material opposition to race suicide. "Little Jane" is a Barred Plymouth Rock, and on the 5th of last March she laid her first egg when she was exactly four months and four days old. Mr. McKee is authority for the statement that chickens usually begin to lay between the ages of five and seven months, and that "Little Jane's" feat is a record as far as he knows.

It is evident that the energetic little pullet comes of a prolific family, for her brother "Jack" showed maturity at only twelve weeks, which is "going some," as chickens would say, if they could.

**Baptist Ladies' Aid.**  
The Baptist Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the residence of Rev. and Mrs. Y. D. Cole Monday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. Mrs. Cole will be assisted in entertaining the ladies by Mesdames Lillie Cole, W. D. Camp and B. F. Capps. A large attendance is looked for.

**Methodist Missionary Society.**  
The Methodist Missionary Society will give their monthly Musical at the parsonage, Thursday night, June 4th. Admission 25 cents, children 15 cents. Following is the program:  
Violin—Mrs. Wied.  
Piano—Mrs. Cantrell.  
Vocal—Mrs. Starley.  
Reading—Miss Johnson.  
Violin—Miss Davis.  
Piano—Miss Pruett.  
Vocal Duet—  
Reading—Miss Johnson.  
Chorus—Methodist Choir.

**Catholic Childrens' Party.**  
The children of the Pecos Catholic Sunday school were entertained with a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Drummond, on Third street, Tuesday night from 7:30 to 11 o'clock, the affair being given under the chaperonage of Mesdames Drummond and John Hudson. Other adults present were Mesdames Geo. Mann, Will Prewit and Bowles, Messrs. Hudson, Drummond, Mann and Prewit. There were about fifty present during the evening, which was spent in enjoying childrens' games on the lawn. Cherries, cake and lemonade were served the guests. The party was the result of a promise made the children some time ago and was a success from every viewpoint.

**NOTICE**

I wish to announce that during the summer months I will discontinue to deliver any goods from the City Market, neither will there be any books kept during this time. About the 1st of September delivery will again be made.

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**Stockholders Meeting.**

The Stockholders in the Reeves County Fair Association will meet at the Commercial Club rooms, at 4 p. m., Friday, June 6th, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and for any other business that may properly come up.

W. A. Brady, Pres.

A. Mitchell also joined the Toyah colony here for business before the court.

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**FOR SALE—Nice new four-room house, West Pecos. Small cash payment. Balance payable monthly. Address "W," care Record-Times.**

**FOR SALE—Irrigated farm 2 1/2 miles north of Pecos, plenty water, must be sold at a sacrifice, make me an offer. Address P. O. Box 448, Pecos, Texas. 51-5t**

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