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PECOS VALLEY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Meets With the First Baptist Church. Large Attendance

The rains having prevented the meeting of the Baptist Association at Fort Stockton, it was decided to hold the meeting at Pecos beginning the 23rd of September.

Messengers to the number of fifty came from the different churches in the territory of the association.

This was the first regular meeting of the new body. Its territory reaches from Midland to Van Horn and from Orla to Fort Stockton and comprises fifteen churches with a combined membership of about twelve hundred.

The organization was effected by the election of the following officers: Rev. L. E. Finney, Moderator; Rev. J. B. Cole, Clerk; Rev. N. Wilson, Corresponding Secretary; and F. W. Johnson, Treasurer.

Good reports were read from all the churches, and all the departments of church activity were discussed. The missionary work of the body was given special attention. There have been six missionary pastors at work over the field, thus providing preaching for almost every settlement.

It was decided to push the work next year by providing a general missionary and colporteur to travel and work in all parts of the Association.

The churches had provided well for the work and all debts had been paid. In addition to this, a great balance remained in the treasury. Balmorhea reported its church building free from debt. Midland reported improvements on its property, and the entire field full of good progress.

Several of the churches have just secured new pastors, and revival meetings are to begin at once in five or six places. There were many good talks and sermons given during the two days session, and a hearty Christian fellowship prevailed. The messengers were loud in their praise of Pecos and of the sustaining church.

The executive board of the Association is located at Pecos, and its work is directed. The meeting next year will be held at Fort Stockton. This decision having been arrived at after the association had received and considered the hearty invitation of the good people of the Pecos County capital, where the meeting would have been held this year had it not been for a rainstorm that prevented the attendance of the messengers from so many of the "Inland" churches.

An Impressive Service

Last Sunday night at the Methodist church, the young people, with the aid of the pastor held an unique and impressive service. The young people, ranging from 12 to 16, had been organized into a Junior Chorus and furnished the music for the evening.

After a brief session of song and prayer, the secretary elect for the Elworth League called the roll, and the officers of that organization came forward with their Bibles in their hands. The pastor made inquiries into the duties and responsibilities of their respective offices, and each officer responded with appropriate scripture selections. This was followed by a prayer of consecration and a sacred solo "Nearer Home" by Mr. McChesney.

The pastor then addressed the young people on The Call to Service and announcement was made that next Sunday afternoon there would be a rally meeting of the Leaguers to plan work for the winter. The secretary reported that 46 names had been given for membership in the organization.

THIS MEANS YOU! BE SURE TO READ IT

Are You a Stock Holder in The Reeves County Fair Association?

If not, why not? Have you thought of this matter and do you not think you owe something to your county? Too many men say the Fair will continue even though I have no stock in it. They look and think of the Fair as a few individuals banded together for the set purpose of building up the interests of those individuals, and they never look close enough to see that the Fair is for every man and family in Reeves County. A great many men look at the Fair as a builder of Pecos and her merchants. That point should never be thought of by a citizen of Reeves County. No matter where you reside the Reeves County Fair is not to build Pecos any more than to build all of Reeves County.

When you look up the money paid out in Premiums you will find that 85 per cent of it outside of the Art Department, was paid to the farmers and stock raisers of Reeves and adjoining counties. When you take the race Premiums \$70.00 out of every \$100.00 purse put up by the Fair Association went to citizens of Big Springs, Barstow, Toyah, Grandfalls and other towns; not 10 per cent of the Race purses was left in Pecos. So your argument that the Fair is run for Pecos is all full of "holes" Can you say anything against the Fair? Won't you have to admit that Reeves County as a whole gets the benefit of the money spent by our citizens in making this Fair a success? Everyone who has a good animal of any kind was invited to exhibit it and all that did come, took some of the blue ribbons and money. Now are you doing your duty in hanging back and not buying some stock in the Fair Association?

For your benefit I wish to state that the Fair is incorporated, with a capital of \$6000.00, and has the charter from the State. We now have \$100.00 stock for sale in shares of \$25.00 each. Can you afford to hold back and let a few men carry the load? Get busy and buy a share or two of this stock. It is non-assessable and you only pay once. If every good farmer and stock grower had one share of stock in the Reeves County Fair, they would take more interest and would be proud of the work going on in this country.

Could you spend \$25.00 more profitably in the way of advertising your county? The products shown at this Fair have shown all the visitors that Reeves County can grow anything. The land owner is also benefited by the Fair. In fact can any of you good Reeves County citizens show any cause why you should not be a stockholder with us. We want to pay out the Fair Grounds and fix for the Fair in 1914, so commence now and send us your check for one or more shares of stock. Get in line and help boost the best proposition ever organized in your County. I want this to be read by every man, woman and child in Reeves and adjoining Counties. Let me hear from you either in person or by mail. We need you and you need us. More than all we need your money to help build this great Institution to what it should be.

R. M. HARKEY, Secretary.
Reeves County Fair Association.

W. T. AND E. N. M. PRESS AND COMMERCIAL CLUB ASSOCIATION

To meet in Artesia, N. M., Oct. 14, 15, and 16.

Below we are giving the public the program of the Association during this meet, and we would like very much to have as many of the citizens of Pecos and the surrounding country to go as possible.

The citizens of Artesia, in connection with their Chamber of Commerce are going to entertain the visitors in great style. They are having their annual Alfalfa festival during the three days of this convention and we will give you a great time if you will only leave off your worries and go along with us on this trip. If present arrangements are carried through there will be an extra sleeper attached to the train on the night of the 13th, which will be open to the people of Pecos and West Texas citizens after 8 o'clock. Many good things are going to be done for the entertainment of all those who go.

Automobile trips through the valley as far north as Roswell and all kinds of entertainment, including 150 Apache Indians who will give their snake dance, war dances, etc., will be given for the visitors. I would like very much indeed, to have as many people from Pecos to go as possible, as Artesia, N. M., is ready and willing to entertain us with something new and unique. Write me for reservation tickets.

R. M. HARKEY, Secretary,
W. T. & E. N. M. P. & C. C. Ass'n.

TUESDAY

- 10:00 a. m. Welcome Address Wm. Crandall, Mayor
- Welcome Address W. J. Rand, Pres. Artesia Com. Club
- Response Dr. R. M. Harkey, Secy. Association also Secy. Pecos Com. Club
- 10:45 to 11:00 Reading Minutes of Previous Meeting
- 11:00 to 11:20 "Get Together" Gayle Talbot
- 11:10 to 12:00 Discussion, led by Geo. S. Sparenburg, Secy. Big Springs Com. Club.
- 12:00 to 2:00 p. m. Lunch--Get Acquainted Talk by C. A. Dinsmore, Artesia
- 2:00 to 2:20 Paper, "Alfalfa, Does It Pay?" G. R. Brainard
- 2:20 to 2:40 Discussion Walton A. Hyatt
- 2:40 to 3:00 "Fruit Growing" J. B. Cecil
- 3:00 to 3:20 Discussion Mr. Tracy, Carlsbad
- 3:20 to 4:00 "The Newspaper" W. H. Mullane, Carlsbad
- 4:00 to 4:20 Discussion Frank Newkirk, W. P. Head
- 4:20 to 5:00 "The Government vs. The Farmer" H. B. Murray, Post City Post
- 5:00 to 5:30 "The Dairy, How to Make it Pay" J. S. Carle
- 5:30 to 5:45 Discussion
- 5:45 Adjournment

WEDNESDAY

Entertainment of All Visitors by C. A. Dinsmore and Citizens of Artesia

THURSDAY

- 9:30 to 10:00 a. m. "The Commercial Club" Dr. I. E. Smith, Pres. Big Springs Com. Club
- 10:00 to 10:20 "The Auto Highway" E. A. Graham, Secy. Midland Com. Club
- 10:20 to 10:40 "Electric Pumping Plants" Albert Keys
- 10:40 to 11:00 "Railroads, Rates, Etc." J. B. Kemp
- 11:00 to 11:20 "The Pecos Valley Oil Field" J. R. Troxel
- 11:20 to 11:40 "Mining at Van Horn" Sam White
- 11:40 to 12:00 Round Table Talks
- 12:00 to 2:00 p. m. Lunch--Talk by S. S. Toms, Secy. Roswell Com. Club
- 2:00 to 2:30 Paper, "Agriculture vs. Factory for the Small City" Dr. R. M. Harkey
- 2:30 to 3:00 Three Minute Talks
- 3:00 to 3:30 "Good Roads" Homer D. Wade, Stamford
- 3:30 to 5:00 Business--Adopting Constitution, Collection of Dues and Final Adjournment Let Every Newspaper and Commercial Club be Represented at this Meeting. Something Doing Every Minute

J. R. JORDAN, President
Big Springs, Texas

Dr. R. M. HARKEY, Secretary,
Pecos, Texas

DOES IT PAY TO RAISE GOOD STOCK

Have You Farmers and Cattlemen Asked Yourself this Question.

Some days before the Reeves County Fair opened a gentleman visited Pecos from a small town east of us and called on the Directors for space to exhibit some good cattle. Of course we were all glad to give him the space for his stock. No one thought much of this as we were prepared for the stock show in the Fair.

On the morning of the 16th this individual unloaded his nine (9) head of show cattle from a local freight car and lead them to our Fair Grounds. As these cattle passed through our business streets they did not attract any great amount of attention, as the average citizen is so busy that he only casts a glance at anything of this kind; but after these prize cattle were placed in their pens at the Fair Grounds and the people began to look them over many words of praise were spoken in behalf of the owner for his untiring efforts in the work of raising good grade stock. Also many men said they only wished they owned them.

Through the four days of the Fair the beauties were admired by all who saw them, and when the blue ribbons were given them by the judges everyone said they were good enough to be placed in any show in the United States. This was a great compliment to our little Fair just started on its way in Reeves County. Was it the prize money that brought the show cattle to our Fair? No, but it was the feature of advertising that the owner wanted, as he said "Pecos is in the center of the greatest cattle country in all the great State of Texas, and I thought I might be able to interest some good cattleman in buying one or more of these fine Herefords".

What was the result of all this work of the owner? Answer--He sold to local cattlemen of Reeves County \$4200.00 worth of this fine stock, and shipped one back to Midland for \$150.00, giving him \$4350.00 cash out of his sales while on the show pens at the Reeves County Fair. Now the gentleman is glad that he came to our Fair this year and says he will be back in 1914 with another good bunch of show cattle.

\$700.00 is a good price for one animal, but this gentleman sold one for that to a Toyah cattleman. The enterprising man bringing these cattle was Mr. C. M. Stoger of Stanton, Texas and he will be glad to confirm this story and show more good stock.

Another sale was a fine mare that Mr. F. J. Billingslea had on exhibit, a party from Barstow bought her, giving a fancy price. Does it pay to raise good stock, and advertise at the Reeves County Fair? The answer is "Yes."

Now that these gentlemen have made a great success in 1913, why not every farmer and cattleman in Reeves County start now to get in shape for the 1914 Fair. You are standing in your own light. If you never show other people what you have, no one will ever buy it. Get busy and go to work in earnest to prepare something for the 1914 Fair.

R. M. HARKEY,
Secretary.

"The Times" columns for results.

THE AGRICULTURAL PREMIUMS

Below We Give the List of Premiums Awarded at the Reeves Co. Fair

- Best Farm display, A. J. Curtis, 1st, \$10; T. Collier 2nd, \$5.
- Best Wheat display, W. W. Stewart Balmorhea, 1st \$2; 2nd, \$1.
- Best corn in the ear, J. W. Wilson, Saragosa, 1st and second \$2 and \$1.
- Best 12 Stalks of corn, J. N. Wilson, Saragosa 1st, \$2; Jno. J. Bush Hoban 2nd, \$1.
- Best display of oats and barley, W. W. Stewart, Balmorhea, 1st in each \$2 each; 2nd in barley, \$1.
- Best yellow corn, A. J. Curtis, \$2.
- Best alfalfa 3 bales A. J. Curtis, 1st, \$3; D. T. McKee 2nd, \$2.
- Best display grasses all kinds, A. J. Curtis, 1st, \$3; D. T. McKee, 2nd \$2.
- Best oats in sheaf, A. J. Curtis, \$1.
- Best barley in sheaf A. J. Curtis, 1st, \$1.
- Best 3 kershaws, T. N. Wilson 1st \$1.50.
- Best Hubbard squash, C. M. Buchanan, \$1.50.
- Best disulay pumpkins, C. M. Buchanan 1st, \$1.50; T. N. Wilson 2nd, 75c.
- Heaviest watermelon, Chris Ritz, 1st and second, \$1, and 50c.
- Best display of watermelons, Chris Ritz 1st \$1; D. T. McKee, 2nd, 50c.
- Best display of products counties outside of Reeves County, Ward County, \$25.
- Best apple display, N. Huelster, 2nd, Sol Mayer; Best pears, N. Huelster; best peaches, N. Huelster; best display fruit of all kinds, N. Huelster, 1st, W. D. Casey 2nd.
- Best display of maize, T. Wilson, 1st, \$1.50; C. M. Buchanan 2nd, 75c.
- Best display kaffir corn John J. Bush 1st, \$1.50; D. T. McKee, 2nd, 75c.
- Best display sorghum, T. N. Wilson, 1st, \$1.50; F. J. Billingslea 2nd, 75c.
- Best display cucumbers, A. J. Curtis \$1.
- Best peck Irish potatoes, A. J. Curtis 1st and 2nd, \$1 and 50c.
- Best display tomatoes, Chris Ritz, 1st, \$1; A. J. Curtis, 2nd, 50c.
- Best red onions, Chris Ritz, \$1.
- Best white onions, A. J. Curtis 1st \$1; H. T. Collier 2nd, 50c.
- Best display of beets, A. J. Curtis, 1st \$1; W. W. Stewart 2nd, 50c.
- Best turnip display A. J. Curtis \$1.
- Best display pepper, H. T. Collier, 1st \$1; W. W. Stewart 2nd, 50c.
- Best display cantaloupes, D. T. McKee, 1st, \$1; A. J. Curtis 2nd, 50c.
- Best display of garden vegetables, A. J. Curtis, \$5.
- Best display of beans, N. Huelster 1st, \$1; Mrs. E. C. Canon 2nd, 50c.
- Best stalk cotton H. T. Collier 1st, \$1; D. T. McKee 2nd, 50c.
- Best display melons of all kinds, D. T. McKee, 1st \$2; Jno. J. Bush 2nd \$1.
- Best home-made wine, Paul Benz \$3.

Checks have been mailed for all the above, having gone forward by mail on the 24th.

All parties not having cashed their checks will kindly do so at once as it is desired to make a complete report as soon as possible.

R. M. HARKEY, Sec'y.

"You look forlorn, old fellow. Where's your wife all these long months?"

"Telling how to make the home happy on the lecture platform."—Washington Herald.

"The Times" columns for results.

COLOMEL IS UNSAFE.

Local Druggist Who Sells Dodson's Liver Tonic Guarantees It to Take the Place of Colomel.

If your liver is not working just right you do not need to take a chance on getting knocked all out by a dose of colomel. Go to the Pecos Drug Co. who sell Dodson's Liver Tonic, and pay 50 cents for a large bottle. You will get a harmless vegetable remedy that will start your liver without violence, and if it does not give complete satisfaction the druggist will refund your money with a smile.

If you buy a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic for yourself or your children, you have insured your family relief from attacks of constipation, biliousness, lazy liver and headache. It is as beneficial and safe for children as for adults. A bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic is something every man or woman should keep in the house. Your money is safe because you can return the bottle if it fails to satisfy.

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas and County of Reeves.
To George Kinnear and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves for taxes, to wit:
For the year 1912 upon Section No. 31, Block No. 59, Tsp. 2, T. & P. Ry. Company's survey, Reeves County, Texas.

Which said land is delinquent for the following amounts: \$11.79 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the November term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be held on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, the number of said suit being No. 1240, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1913.
WILLIE DE WOODS
Clerk, District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 6631

Meals & Rooms

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Mrs. S. A. Shellenberger

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Capital \$ 110,000.00
Surplus 55,000.00

We Want Your Business

IF

You contemplate building in the near future, remember that the Groves Lumber Company can fill your bill as cheap as anybody, and in addition to this, can give you material that will more than please you. For instance, we handle nothing but the very best grade of Red Cedar Shingles, White Pine Moulding, Sanitary two-panel White Pine Veneered Doors, Long Leaf Yellow Pine Lumber, Ginger Face Brick, Fire Brick, Lone Star Portland Cement, Etc.

We handle a soft White Pine Screen Door that will not warp, at the same price that you have been paying for the other kind. Hydrated Lime for disinfecting purposes in 40-pound bags, 50 cents delivered. When you need a piece of Oak or Hickory lumber, remember that we have it at all times.

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Fair Prices Good Stock

BECAME MRS. WAYNE

"The Age of Chivalry" and "The Age of Fable" Hand in Hand.

By JEAN DICKERSON.

When her duties as visiting secretary brought Anne Blair to fill a new engagement in Gregory Wayne's big house, she smiled delightedly at the task allotted to her.

Mr. Wayne's lawyer, Amos Smyth, had hired Anne through the recommendation of a mutual friend, and now he stood in the great Wayne library looking down his long nose at little dark-eyed Anne.

"Well, Miss Blair," he said kindly, "you'll find a lot to do here, and if you need an assistant in the work, I leave it to you to select one. Whatever you do will be satisfactory to me. Mr. Wayne is bringing home a lot of new books—you understand he is a collector? He has sent me a list compiled from his catalogue, and the books mentioned in this list are to be removed from the shelves and placed in the small study upstairs. You are to recatalogue the shelves in this room and rearrange the books according to the plan he has sent for the purpose."

Mr. Smyth laid a bundle of papers on the table and ran his fingers through his silvery hair.

"Quite a job, eh?" he smiled down at her.

"I love work like that," said Anne enthusiastically. "Just think of spending days and days with these books! It's a privilege!"

"Then you'll be quite contented here alone? I have instructed Mrs. Babb, the bookkeeper, to prepare luncheon for you every day and a cup of tea if you care for it in the afternoon. Sarah, one of the housemaids, will carry books to and fro for you—she is stout and strong. Any other help you may need is at your disposal."

"Thank you, Mr. Smyth, I shall get along splendidly. When did you say Mr. Wayne would be here?"

"In about six weeks' time—he is stopping in Paris at present."

"I shall be finished long before his return," said Anne, pulling off her gloves. "I'm going to start right in."

"Good," commended the lawyer, and after shaking hands with Anne he went away.

One rainy afternoon three weeks later Anne was perched on the top of a tall step-ladder in the Wayne library, her sunny head bent over a great crimson leather bound volume in her lap. It was a copy of Bulfinch's "Age of Fable," and in the charm of its vellum pages Anne quite forgot that she was alone in the big house.

Mrs. Babb and Sarah had gone to a funeral, and the other servants would not return until their master made his

appearance. Outside on the avenue there was the smooth rumble of wheels on the wet asphalt and the occasional clip-clop of horse's hoofs. Except for these sounds there was dead silence in the great stone mansion.

Below her the long room lay in rich light and shadow. A small fire flickered on the marble hearth. At the top of the ladder Anne's blue gown made a bright splash of color, and the crimson bow at her throat and the volume in her lap with its gold-embossed pages, made it gay up there near the ceiling.

As the afternoon passed the light waned and Anne had stretched out her hand to the electric chandelier close by when she was conscious of a sound in the room.

Her heart beat a little faster as she looked down at the room which should have been empty. Of course it might be Mrs. Babb or Sarah, but these two servants would have knocked for admittance. A vague of terror took possession of her and held her speechless for a few moments.

Peering down, she made out a man's dark shape standing near the fire. His back was toward her.

Anne could make out that the intruder wore a dark mackintosh and a small darp cap.

There was only one explanation of his appearance. Some thief, learning of Mr. Wayne's early return home, had resolved to help himself to some of the millionaire-collector's treasure. Why such a valuable collection of books, pictures and porcelains should be left unprotected, might be answered by the fact that Gregory Wayne was entirely impractical and had unbounded faith in his fellowmen.

The room darkened until the only visible light was that made by the fire against which the man's still form was silhouetted dimly.

Anne's cramped limbs grew numb and cold and she wished heartily that she had not agreed to stay alone. As Mr. Wayne's employe it was her duty to protect his interests, and she looked about her for some weapon of defense if she should be driven to extremity. There was nothing save the heavy volumes of Bulfinch—one in her lap and the other on the shelves with smaller books.

She would, be in dire straits before she could gain courage to hurl those treasured volumes at a marauder.

There was a sound below her in the room. It sounded like the swishing noise made in removing a wet mackintosh. Silence again, and then a voice came up to her out of the darkness.

"Well?" it asked rather roughly.

Anne was silent, but the ladder swayed under her shaking limbs. She grasped the big volume tightly.

"Keep away," she warned as he approached. "You must understand that I am Mr. Wayne's librarian, and I am responsible for the contents of this room. If you dare touch a thing here—I'll throw this book down at you."

"What is that?" asked the voice quickly, and with a note of alarm.

"Age of Fable—it's a perfectly dear book—and I know Mr. Wayne will rage if it's thrown about or torn. Please go away—there's isn't anything here in this room that's worth taking," she pleaded.

He laughed grimly. "I'm sorry to hear that."

"I suppose so," retorted Anne drily, "but really, Mr.—er—Raffles, it's hardly worth your while to stay here—all the valuables are put away."

The man below laughed at that. Laughed a great hearty rich laugh that echoed through the room. Anne stretched forward a hand to the nearest chandelier chain which swung close to the ladder. In an instant the room was bathed in soft light.

As she regained her seat on the top of the ladder the man on the floor looked up and saw Anne for the first time. If he had expected to see a desperate woman burglar he was entirely surprised by the vision in blue and crimson with tossed, fair hair. She clasped the "Age of Fable" to her breast and leaned forward to fix his handsome features in her memory, for it was quite possible she might be required to identify his picture in the rogue's gallery.

But the treacherous wheeled ladder suddenly moved noiselessly under Anne's shifting weight; she lost her balance, gasped, and fell to the parquet floor.

The stranger had her in his arms almost instantly. He murmured pitying words as he carried her to a great leather couch and pressed an electric button with surprising familiarity with the premises.

Mrs. Babb came hurrying in uttering shrill bleats of alarm at sight of Anne's white stunned face.

"Oh, Mr. Wayne, has she fell? Dear me, Miss Blair, how did you ever manage to break your neck tonight with Mr. Wayne just home unexpected, and me with so much to do!" fussed the woman, as she ran to and fro excitedly.

"Mrs. Babb, send Sarah here. Please telephone for Dr. Hanford. Send me some cold water—and er—camphor if you have it."

Perhaps falling down a stepladder into the arms of a millionaire may be an extraordinary method of beginning an acquaintance, but when one clasps to her breast "The Age of Fable" and "The Age of Chivalry" tumbles after, romance must step in somewhere, for all these things go hand in hand.

Anne became Mrs. Wayne, and while she no longer was compelled to be her husband's librarian she chose to do it through love of him and his work; and Mrs. Babb declares that she suspected it from the beginning—even before Mr. Wayne came home.

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NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas and County of Reeves.
To H. A. Birkhead and all persons owning or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves, for taxes, to wit:
For the year 1912, upon Section No. 1, Block No. 56, Tsp. 7, T. & P. Ry. Company's survey, Reeves County, Texas.

Which said land is delinquent for the following amounts: \$11.96 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the November term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be held on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, the number of said suit being No. 1237, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1913.
WILLIE DE WOODS
Clerk, District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 6631

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas and County of Reeves.
To John Wells and all persons owning or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves, for taxes, to wit:
For the year 1912 upon Section No. 31, Block No. 71, E. J. Billingslea, original grantee, Reeves County, Texas.

Which said land is delinquent for the following amounts: \$12.24 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the November term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be held on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, the number of said suit being No. 1232, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1913.
WILLIE DE WOODS
Clerk, District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 6631

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas and County of Reeves.
To John C. Swan, and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves for taxes, to wit:
For the year 1912, upon Section No. 3, Block No. 56, Tsp. 7, T. & P. Ry. Company's survey, in Reeves County, Texas.

Which said land is delinquent for the following amounts: \$10.92 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the November term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be held on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, the number of said suit being No. 1227, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1913.
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The State of Texas and County of Reeves.
To J. H. Smith and Paul Boykin, and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves for taxes, to wit:
For the year 1912 upon Section No. 17, Block No. 58, Tsp. 6, T. & P. Ry. Company's survey, in Reeves County, Texas.

Which said land is delinquent for the following amounts: \$14.15 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the November term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be held on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, the number of said suit being No. 1229, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1913.
WILLIE DE WOODS
Clerk, District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 6631

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas and County of Reeves.
To Keys & McGrath, and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves for taxes, to wit:
For the year 1912 upon Section No. 163, Block No. 13, H. & G. N. Railway Company's survey, Reeves County, Texas.

Which said land is delinquent for the following amounts: \$29.45 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the November term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be held on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, the number of said

suit being No. 1233, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1913.
WILLIE DE WOODS
Clerk, District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 6631

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas and County of Reeves.
To R. Henderson, Jr. and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves for taxes, to wit:
For the year 1912 upon Sections Nos. 16 and 2 in Block No. 70, T. T. Downes original grantee, in Reeves County, Texas.

Which said land is delinquent for the following amounts: \$24.84 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the November term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be held on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, the number of said suit being No. 1242, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1913.
WILLIE DE WOODS
Clerk, District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 6631

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas and County of Reeves.
To S. W. Pratt and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves for taxes, to wit:
For the year 1912 upon Section No. 9, Block No. 58, J. Bell Jr., original grantee, in Reeves County, Texas.

Which said land is delinquent for the following amounts: \$12.24 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the November term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be held on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, the number of said suit being No. 1241, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1913.
WILLIE DE WOODS
Clerk, District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 6631

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas and County of Reeves.
To W. E. Bennett and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves for taxes, to wit:
For the year 1912 upon Sections Nos. 2 and 6, in Block No. 59, Tsp. 8, B. J. Bateman original grantee.

Which said land is delinquent for the following amounts: \$25.58 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the November term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be held on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, the number of said suit being No. 1239, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1913.
WILLIE DE WOODS
Clerk, District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 6631

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas and County of Reeves.
To R. G. Werner and Dandridge & Pugh, and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves for taxes, to wit:
For the year 1912 upon Section No. 7, Block No. 3, H. & G. N. Ry. Company's survey in Reeves County, Texas.

Which said land is delinquent for the following amounts: \$29.15 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the November term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be held on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, the number of said suit being No. 1243, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1913.
WILLIE DE WOODS
Clerk, District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 6631

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas and County of Reeves.
To Annie L. Thomas and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves for taxes, to wit:
For the year 1912 upon Section No. 23, Block No. 7, H. & G. N. Ry. Com-

pany's survey, Reeves County, Texas. Which said land is delinquent for the following amounts: \$18.14 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the November term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be held on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, the number of said suit being No. 1236, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1913.
WILLIE DE WOODS
Clerk, District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 6631

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas and County of Reeves.
To R. E. Pettit and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves for taxes, to wit:
For the year 1912 upon Section No. 283, Block No. 12, H. & G. N. Ry. Company's survey, in Reeves County, Texas.

Which said land is delinquent for the following amounts: \$11.14 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the November term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be held on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, the number of said suit being No. 1235, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1913.
WILLIE DE WOODS
Clerk, District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 6631

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas and County of Reeves.
To C. B. Harbert and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves for taxes, to wit:
For the year 1912 upon Section No. 4, Block No. 4, H. & G. N. Ry. Company's survey, in Reeves County, Texas.

Which said land is delinquent for the following amounts: \$19.99 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the November term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be held on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, the number of said suit being No. 1244, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1913.
WILLIE DE WOODS
Clerk, District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 6631

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas and County of Reeves.
To C. B. Harbert and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves for taxes, to wit:
For the year 1912 upon Section No. 45, Block No. 4, H. & G. N. Ry. Company's survey, in Reeves County, Texas.

Which said land is delinquent for the following amounts: \$19.99 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the November term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be held on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, the number of said suit being No. 1244, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1913.
WILLIE DE WOODS
Clerk, District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 6631

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas and County of Reeves.
To Mrs. A. W. [Name] and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves for taxes, to wit:
For the year 1912 upon Section No. 47, Block No. 6, H. & G. N. Ry. Company's survey, in Reeves County, Texas.

Which said land is delinquent for the following amounts: \$11.14 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the November term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be held on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, the number of said suit being No. 1230, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1913.
WILLIE DE WOODS
Clerk, District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 6631

Some Farm Facts

By PETER RADFORD.

We grow by what we feed on both bodily and mentally.

The credit merchant is the pawnbroker of agriculture.

No field is well plowed until all the soil is upturned.

The man of sense and culture alone understands farming.

Home, in one form or another, is the great object in life.

There is no waste so great as feeding scrub stock for the market.

The greatest truths are the simplest, and so are the greatest farmers.

The architect is as necessary to the life of the nation as a detective.

The agricultural exhibits should be made the leading feature of the fair.

The fate of a nation depends on how it is fed. The farm is a nation's commissary.

No farmer can afford to buy a thing he can raise. No matter how cheap it is offered.

Let us "get back to the soil" with legislation and rest all on the bedrock of agriculture.

The farmer must depend upon mercy rather than on justice to fix the price of his products.

Credit is the gateway to opportunity, and opportunity is the everlasting hope of the world.

Any farmer can spend money—some can make it—but he who can make it and keep it—succeeds. Folly and becomes wise.

The dream of the theorist should be mixed with the horse-sense of the builder to the extent that efficiency may be attained and service performed.

Whatever stimulates agricultural development at once reacts upon general business to the advantage of bankers, merchants and manufacturers alike.

Presbyterian Church

Sabbath School, 10 a. m.
 Junior Missionary Band, 3 p. m.
 Prayer service, Wednesday, at 8 p. m.
 Services every first and third Sabbath of the month, 11 a. m., and 8 p. m.
 Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

CHAS. B. BOYLES.

—Wanted to sell or trade for farm land in West Texas (Reeves Co. preferred) or N. W. Arkansas, my beautiful eight room residence in Conway, Ark.
 Address W. H. Cox, Box 513, Pecos, Texas

Revival at the Baptist Church

A letter from Brother Truett states that he will be with us in our meeting. The services will begin October 5, and will continue for two weeks.

It is deeply desired by the church and pastor, that all of our people cooperate with the meeting. Let no one have a left out feeling. Come and be at home. The services are for you, and you are heartily requested to put yourself in closest touch with every service. Talk, sing, read, pray and rejoice in every possible way.

If you are non-christian the meeting is most especially for you. Come and get all the good you can and do all he good you can. Let prayer be made for the Master's greatest blessing upon all our people.

Caught With a Bad Cold.
 "Last winter my son caught a very bad cold and the way he coughed was something dreadful," writes Mrs. Sarah E. Duncan, of Tipton, Iowa. "We thought sure he was going into consumption. We bought just one bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and that one bottle stopped his cough and cured his cold completely." For sale by all druggists.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE 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, on the 1st day of May, 1913, by the clerk of said Court for the sum of Four Thousand, Four Hundred Forty-nine and 1/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of Ira M. Cobe in a certain cause in said court, No. 754 and styled Ira M. Cobe vs. Elizabeth Ruth et al., has been placed in my hands for service, I, Tom Harrison, Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, do, on the 10th day of September, 1913, levy on certain real estate situated in Reeves County, Texas, described as follows, to wit:

Sub-block 15, in section or survey No. 38, block No. 13, H & G N R R Co survey, in said County of Reeves and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the East line of Survey No. 257, B B B & C Ry Co, from which an iron pipe 3" x 2 1/2" in the South corner of survey No. 258, B B B & C Ry Co, and exterior corner of survey No. 38, block 13, H & G N R R Co survey bears N. 56 degrees 55' W. 1321 feet; thence N. 39 degrees 05' East 1875 4/10 feet to a point, thence S. 50 degrees 55' E. 1237 feet to a point, thence S. 39 degrees 05' W. 1875 4/10 feet to a point in the East line of survey No. 257, thence N. 56 degrees 55' W. 1235 feet to place of beginning, and containing 53.17 acres more or less.

And levied upon as the property of Elizabeth Ruth and E. H. Ruth, and that on the first Tuesday in October, 1913, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the courthouse door of Reeves County, in the town 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 Elizabeth Ruth and E. H. Ruth.

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 Times, a newspaper published in Reeves County.

Witness my hand this 10th day of September, 1913.

TOM HARRISON,
 5631 Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
 The State of Texas and County of Reeves.
 To L. C. McBride and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves for taxes, to wit:
 Sections Nos. 16, 19, 42 and 38, in Block No. 55, Tsp. 4, original grantee J. A. Brown, situated in Reeves County, Texas.

Which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: \$59.58 for State taxes and for County taxes, including interest and penalty, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the November term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, the style of said suit being the State of Texas vs. L. C. McBride, No. 1221, on the Civil Docket of said Court, and will be heard on the 17th day of November, 1913, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1913.

WILLIE DE WOODS,
 Clerk District Court, Reeves County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the heirs of W. H. Berglan, deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, to be holden at the courthouse thereof, in the town of Pecos, on the third Monday in November, A. D. 1913, the same being the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 4th day of September, A. D. 1913, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1218, wherein J. N. Newell is plaintiff, and Bert Barnard, et al., including the unknown heirs of W. H. Berglan, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging:

That W. H. Berglan died in March, 1912, survived by Jodie Berglan, his widow, and other heirs unknown to plaintiff, and plaintiff has been unable to ascertain their names. On September 29, 1911, W. R. Newell sold and transferred to Leonard Vanderhoofven two sections of land described as follows: Sections Nos. 30 and 34, in block No. 50, Tsp. 7, T. & P. Ry. Co. surveys, in Reeves County, Texas, and as part of the consideration therefor retained a vendor's lien, to secure the payment of two notes of \$225.00 each, dated September 29, 1911, payable January 21, 1913, and 1914, respectively, bearing interest at the rate of six and one half per cent per annum, payable annually, providing that a failure to pay either note or interest thereon matured all said notes at election of holder, and providing for 10 per cent interest on all past due interest, and providing for 10 per cent attorney's fees. W. R. Newell thereafter sold said notes to plaintiff before maturity for a valuable consideration. Defendants failed and refused to pay said notes, and plaintiff has declared both of them due and placed them in the hands of Buck & Starley, attorneys, for collection. Said lands are public school lands on which there is interest due the State of Texas on November 1st, of each year. Defendants failed and refused to pay such interest for the years 1911 and 1912, and plaintiff was forced to pay same, amounting in the aggregate to \$131.04, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from February 17, 1913, the date of such payment, and which the plaintiff alleges to be a lien on said land.

Plaintiff alleges that Bert Barnard, John J. Samuel, Leonard Vanderhoofven, C. E. Harbert, and his wife, Lena Harbert, and W. H. Berglan each in succession bought interests in said land and secured deeds of conveyance thereto holding subsequent to the said conveyance from W. R. Newell to said Leonard Vanderhoofven and that each of them had notice of said deed from Newell to Vanderhoofven and of the vendor's lien retained to secure the payment of the vendor's lien notes, above described. Plaintiff alleges that the heirs of W. H. Berglan, now deceased are unknown to him, and that the property hereinabove described was granted or accrued to the said heirs, as such, of said W. H. Berglan, deceased, and that the plaintiff has a claim against them relative to said property, as above set out, and he brings action against them, their heirs or legal representatives, as the heirs of W. H. Berglan, deceased, and in accordance with Art. 1875 Rev. C. Stat. of the State of Texas, makes and files oath that the names of such heirs are unknown to plaintiff, and asks that the clerk issue a citation for such heirs as provided by law.

Plaintiff prays for judgment for his debt upon said notes, interest and attorney's fees, and also for the sum of \$131.04, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from February 13, 1913; for a foreclosure of his vendor's lien and his lien securing said last named sum and for order of sale, and for decree barring all claims of all said defendants including the heirs of W. H. Berglan, deceased, and for general and equitable relief, for costs of suit.

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

Given under my hand and the Seal of said court at office in Pecos, Texas this 4th day of September A. D. 1913.

(Seal) WILLIE DE WOODS,
 Clerk District Court, Reeves County, Texas.
 By H. B. Link Deputy. 6581

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FOR SALE

H. & G. N. Ry. Lands in Reeves County

Surveys Nos. 47, 65, 61, 63, in Block 4.
 Nos. 43, 45 and three-fourths of 47, in Block 8.
 The surveys in these blocks are situated from 5 to 8 miles from Pecos City, in the arid belt of the Pecos River Country, and will be sold as a whole or in quarter sections.
 Also surveys Nos. 13 and 48, in Block 6, and Survey Nos. 13 and 16 in Block 7.
 Also Surveys Nos. 31 and 35, fronting on the Pecos River in Block 8 and Nos. 11 and 15, adjacent thereto, in Block 2, in the vicinity of the mouth of the Pecos River Railway.
 Also surveys Nos. 1, 3, 5, and 19, fronting on the Pecos River in Block 8, in the extreme northern portion of Pecos County, and partly in Reeves County.
 Also 16 surveys in Block 10; 16 surveys in Block 11, and 3 surveys in Block 12; none of these river lands.
 No local agents for these lands, which are handled direct by the Agent and Attorney in Fact for the owner, Thomas R. White, Jr., of New York.

FOR PRICES AND TERMS, ADDRESS:
Ira H. Evans
 AGENT AND ATTORNEY IN FACT
 AUSTIN, TEXAS

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Bazaar! Bazaar! Bazaar!

The ladies of the Christian Church are preparing for a Bazaar in December. Date to be announced later.

Mother of Eighteen Children.
 "I am the mother of eighteen children and I have the praise of doing more work than any young woman in my town," writes Mrs. C. J. Martin, Boone Mill, Va. "I suffered for five years with stomach trouble and could not eat as much as a biscuit without suffering. I have taken three bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets and am now a well woman and weigh 168 pounds. I can eat anything I want to and as much as I want and feel better than I have at any time in ten years. I refer to any one in Boone Mill or vicinity and they will vouch for what I say." Chamberlain's Tablets for sale by all

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SECOND SPECIAL NOTICE

Our Linotype "went to the bad" again and we tried to get our typesetting done at Carlsbad, but the Delaware river bridge washed out and we had to send the same to Colorado City and so we are late again this week and are doing considerable hand composition, so that we are unable to make many corrections that should be made, so please overlook all errors which you may discover in spelling, etc.

STATEMENT

of the ownership, management, circulation, etc., of The Pecos Times, required by the Act of August 24, 1912.

Editor, Business Manager and Publisher—B. J. Strickland, Pecos, Texas.

Owner—B. J. Strickland, Pecos Texas

Known bondholders, mortgages and other security holders, holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities—Pecos Valley State Bank \$1000.00, Pecos Texas

B. J. STRICKLAND.
Sworn to and Subscribed before me this 3rd day of Oct. 1913.

C. L. HEATH
Notary Public, Reeves County, Texas.

C. S. Bailey, who was on trial for the murder of F. W. Evans in Andrews county—said killing took place, March 19, last—and was moved to Midland on change of venue, resulted last week in a mistrial. The jury stood six for conviction and six for acquittal. This was a very hard fought case, consuming about eight days of the courts time.

HOW CAN YOU BEAT IT?

Mr. Earl Ijgon, of Welcome, Reeves county, one of Reeves Counties most prosperous farmers, brought to town yesterday a Poland China Sow with ten pigs about two months old and sold them to Kent Harrison for \$56. This country is fast becoming a hog and fine stock country. There is nothing that will build and develop a country like raising alfalfa, fine hogs, cows and mule colts, of which the Pecos Valley and Reeves County in particular is the leader of them all.

WORDS OF COMMENDATION

My Dear Friend B. J.:—Enclosed find check for \$2.35, the price of my cards, which I truly thank you for printing so nice and such good quality for an office of that size in a town no larger than Pecos. May you always be able to turn out a class of work like this to men who will appreciate it as much as I do myself.

Again thanking you and with best wishes and regards,
I am your friend,

—We print the above to show how people for whom we do job work appreciate our efforts to do good work and please our customers.

Pretty Wedding

A pretty wedding in which many Cleburne friends of the bride will be interested, occurred at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning, when Miss Ada Marguerite Butler, of Denton, and Mr. E. V. Sweatt, of Grandfalls, were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Eder and Mrs. F. L. Young, and the home was prettily decorated with goldenrod and ferns. Miss Vera Young sang "Oh, Promise Me" then the couple en-

GOOD ROAD FROM MONAHANS TO GRANDFALLS.

Grandfalls, Tex. Sept. 29 1913. To every land owner and resident: It is imperative that a suitable roadway between Grandfalls, and the railroad at Monahans be made now. This necessity is urged not only for the tenant and farmer, but as well for the non-resident owner who holds lands for investment or expects to sell to prospective investors.

The need especially confronts the farmer at this time. He must haul his supplies in and his crop for market, out, and over a road of 18 miles with 2 1-2 miles of bad road, one-half of which lies in our road precinct and one half in that of Monahans. It now costs him 25c per cwt. and is almost prohibitive.

When the non resident land owner sends down a prospective buyer, he comes in over this dreary drive which takes nearly four hours, and frequently returns disgusted and refuses to become interested in the district irrigated lands. The reduction of cost of transportation is thus of vital interest to the non resident. A good road can be built for about \$4200. This means such a road as will probably reduce the freighting cost ten cents per cwt. and more if auto trucks are used which could make the trip in less than an hour.

Gravel and gyp binder will make a fine roadway through this sand. The County Road Fund has been expended; Monahans has already raised her one-half. It is now up to Grandfalls to do hers, and we must not fail.

The farmers, water users and Commercial Association of Grandfalls have voted an assessment of ten cents per acre to raise this amount. We need and expect every one to respond. Arrangements are being made to put auto lines in operation between Monahans, Grandfalls, Buenavista and Fort Stockton immediately on completion. Contracts will be let only to best and responsible bidder and the fund will be expended under the direction of the Executive Committee of the Association in conjunction with County Officials.

Please enclose your check with subscription, payable to the Farmers, Water Users & Commercial Association of Grandfalls.

We publish the above by request, and are always glad to publish articles where they are for the betterment of the country.

Items From Grandfalls.

(Last week's letter)
We visited the Pecos Fair and we unhesitatingly say: The Fair management deserve great credit for their effort and judging from the daily and nightly attendance it passed into history as a success. Dr. Moore, Mr. Diggs and Steve Ward deserve special mention for courtesy, promptness and I might say omnipresence, for they seemed to be, at all times, in the right place at the right time and in the right humor.

Mrs. Jno. H. Boogher, wife of President Boogher of Grandfalls Water and Development Co, spent Sunday in Grandfalls, with her husband and returned to St. Louis Monday.

Mrs. N. A. White of El Paso is visiting W. A. and will remain for some time.

Mr. W. W. Murray of Panama, has leased the hotel from Mr. Jno. Carter and is now in possession. Mr. Murray brought his family here to reap the benefit of our excellent school, for his children.

Mr. Jno. Carter formerly proprietor of the hotel has taken charge of the barber shop and clothes cleaning and dyeing establishment.

Mr. J. B. Beate, has sold his home north of town to Mr. E. H. Clements and has moved his family to Arizona where, we understand he will engage in stock raising with his brother, a many years resident of Arizona.

Mrs. J. B. Smith, wife of our townsmen, manager of the Pruitt Lumber Co. has been quite ill but at this writing she is on the rapid road to recovery as the result of the skill of the doctors and close and careful nursing. Her many friends will rejoice at her recovery.

Best wagons, like the famed "dollar" has returned after several years wandering in search of the "better land" but failing to find it he returned to his first love and is now foreman on Mr. M. T. Eudaly's farm. They will come back.

Mr. Hunt a blacksmith, from Fort Stockton came over Tuesday, rented a house and Grandfalls will now have two blacksmith shops.

Miss Edna Bacon Ward, county treasurer is in town from Barstow on business bent.

Mr. E. V. Sweatt, Grandfalls last bachelor has flown to the east where, we are told, he today Sept. 24 led Miss Ada Butler of Denton, Texas to Hymen's altar where the words were spoken, making two hearts to beat as one, after which a trip to Galveston then a return to a home that will welcome them with open hearts and outstretched hands. May their fondest hopes be sweet realities.

Both gins are running to their capacity; cotton coming in fast, bringing a good price and farmers happy.

Judge Hudson was down on business looking to the future development of Grandfalls. He returned to Pecos Wednesday.

John Shipman, the "lightman" of Barstow and Mrs. Shipman were visitors to the Falls this week John to do some scientific mechanical work and Mrs. John to visit with friends of whom they have many.

A system of development is under consideration for Grandfalls which will eclipse in development, anything that has been undertaken, in this valley in many years. We hope to be able to give to the readers of this and other papers at an early date reliable data. It may be that we will yet come into the heritage that this choice, but unfortunate section, richly deserves.

We have no sickness of any kind at Grandfalls at this time. One case of typhoid for the year 1913 is our record.

The Baptists of this community called Rev. Adams of Barstow to serve one Sunday in each month.

Business is becoming much more active, owing to the cotton coming in.

Lem Wadsworth, Chief clerk for the J. G. Lane Dry Goods Co. went to El Paso on a business trip for his Company and returned on Wednesday's stage. It's mighty lonesome about the store when Lem is gone.

"NIX"

BROWNWOOD FRIENDS PLEASSED BY DECISION.

Brownwood, Sept. 27—When word was received here today that tomorrow state papers would carry the formal announcement of Hon. Will H. Mayes, now lieutenant governor, as a candidate for the office of governor of Texas, his many friends here rejoiced. Brownwood being Mr. Mayes' home. His host of friends here await his statement of policies under which he will make the race. Tomorrow's papers announcing his position will be eagerly sought. For some time it has been known by Mr. Mayes' most personal friends he was seriously considering entering the race but not until yesterday was his decision fully made.

"Well did you discover anything in Stump's past life that we can use against him?"

Detective—"Not a thing. All he ever did before he came here was sell awnings."

Election Agent—"Why that's exactly what we want. We'll say he was mixed up with some decidedly shady transactions.—London Titr-Bits.

MAYES THROWS OFF HIS VEIL; FORMALLY ENTERS STATE RACE.

AUSTIN, Sept. 27. —Lieutenant Governor Mayes, now acting governor in the absence of Governor Colquitt, tonight announced his candidacy for governor on a local option state wide prohibition platform. He says.

"Complying with numerous solicitations from all sections of the state, and conforming to my own laudable ambition to hold the highest and most responsible position within the gift of the people of Texas, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor of Texas.

"It is, in my opinion, entirely too early to begin a campaign for the office and I would not make this announcement now, but for the fact that my friends everywhere, knowing that I have had the matter under advisement for some time, are urging me to make known my intentions. It is not my desire to do anything to bring about premature political agitation and therefore, I shall withhold an announcement of my views upon matters of vital interest to the state until later, giving the voters ample time to know what they may expect me to endeavor to do when elected their governor.

Cites his Administration.

Suffice it to say now that I have given to the state a thorough business administration, looking to the economic handling of every department of the state government, while carefully protecting and building up our educational and eleemosynary institutions, including our public schools, improving our penal system and encouraging in every way the highest development of every resource of this great state.

"As the public appears anxious to know, simultaneously with an announcement for state office, a candidate's views on prohibition, I will merely state now that I am and have always been, a local optionist and statewide prohibitionist. While I cannot hope to impress my views on this subject upon all the people, I do hope to unite all loyal Texans in other matters wherein the welfare of the state is vitally concerned and I shall strive earnestly to that end, having uppermost in mind, the good of the entire citizenship of the state.

Wants no Contributions.

"I will not accept any campaign contributions from any source whatever, and will conduct a modest and dignified campaign, demonstrating that the people of Texas don't judge a man's merits or ability by the noise he makes nor the amount of money he spends. When elected I shall not be under personal obligations to any man or set of men, but will owe a debt of gratitude to every citizen of the state and will satisfy that obligation by an earnest honest effort to give Texas the best state administration within my power.

"This announcement is made in response to what appears to me to be an insistent demand from every section of the state, and is based on the deliberate conviction that a majority of the people of Texas desire my election as governor. I ask the active support of those who would like such an administration as they believe I would give the state and assure them that, having given mature consideration to conditions, I shall remain in the race.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM H. MAYES.

State of Ohio, city of Toledo, } ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, Lucas County, Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.
FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1913.
(Seal)
A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Texas, County of Reeves. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Execution for costs against the Honorable District Court of Reeves County on the 25th day of September 1913, by the Clerk of said court for the sum of Seventy and 29-100 Dollars costs of suit, certain cause in said Court No. 10, and styled M. J. Delaney vs. I. Tom Buck has been placed in my hands for service. I Tom Harrison as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did on the day of September 1913, levy on the Real Estate, situated in Reeves County, Texas, described as follows: Section No. 10, in Block 64, containing Acres out of the S. W. 1/4 of Section 10, conveyed to County of Reeves county, Texas, by deed of And the South 1/2 of Section No. 10, conveyed to County of Reeves county, Texas, by deed of levied upon as the property of M. J. Delaney and that on the 11th day of said month of September 1913, I Tom Harrison, Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did on the 4th day of said month of September 1913, levy on the House door of Reeves County, Texas, Town of Pecos, Texas, containing an acre of land, more or less, being the property of said M. J. Delaney, and in compliance with this notice by publishing in the English language, and in consecutive weeks, for three consecutive weeks, ending said day of September 1913, in the Pecos Times, a newspaper published in Reeves County, Texas, the following: Witness my hand and seal of office, this 6th day of September 1913.
TOM HARRISON,
Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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We don't know if the fellow who sold them to us STOLE them but here they are, and the are yours at the following low prices:

- Good hollow gorund razor only..... 75c
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- A Fine razor one..... 35c
- A Big Lot of Levison's Back and Red Ink—2 Bottles for..... 5c

We have just bought out a complete Chinese Laundry, Mangle, Sad Irons, Larg Copper Boiler, Clothes Baskets, and offer the whole Lot Very Low.

It would be difficult to describe and price all the things that we have, for we are in the second-hand business and buy ANYTHING and are right there with the goods at any and all times, and are always glad to have you call and see us. We repair all kinds of gasoline, oil, cook and heating stoves, and Guarantee the Work. Come and See Us.

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West bound, No. 2..... 2:50 a. m.

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East bound, No. 4..... 2:50 a. m.

East bound, No. 6..... 3:51 p. m.

Pecos Valley Southern.

South bound leaves..... 8:15 a. m.

North bound arrives..... 3:15 p. m.

Daily, except Sunday.

Santa Fe Route.

South bound arrives..... 11:35 p. m.

North bound leaves..... 12:25 a. m.

Daily, except Sunday.

PERSONAL MENTION

—We Have Them! Choice, Fresh Fish and Oysters and at reasonable prices at Ed Otto's Meal Market

—Poultrysupplies. Prewit & Wadley. 674

W J Hiles has taken a position with the Pecos oil refinery.

—Rooms for rent. Enquire of A. E. Wilcox, second door North of Baptist Church. 6644

Mrs. M E Ray left last Sunday for a month's visit with her children in Fort Worth.

—Cotton Seed Meal—Fine for milk Cows. Prewit & Wadley. 674

W D Hudson received a new Ford auto this week, but will not run it until the mud subsides.

—John Breat has taken charge of the Joe Breedlove barber shop as manager, and says that he is here to stay and wants your business. 654

Mrs. V E Pruett, of Balmorhea, passed through this week, visiting relatives in Pecos and Barstow.

—Hens quit laying? Try Prewit & Wadley's Special Hen Food. 674

Mrs. S J Shellenberger of Hoban, Texas, returned home Tuesday morning, after several days' visit in Pecos.

Private Board and Rooms at J. H. Wilhite's. Phone 81. 464

J A rockwell, of El Paso, representing the Scottish Rite Lodge of Masonry, spent several days in the town on business this week.

—Grain headquarters. Prewit & Wadley. 674

The second floor of the Methodist church building has been completed, and is now ready for the pews and other furniture which are expected in a few days.

—Try some of our honey. It is extra nice and put up clean. On sale at your grocers. Write us for special prices on 60-pound cans, delivered. J. E. IRVINE & SON, 684

Oscar Bucholz has quit chasing the festive steer and has gone to carving him instead. His ever smiling face will be found hereafter, behind the meat block in his father's market.

ARRESTED. Further arrests are being made daily—not of persons, but of pain. Its Hunt's Lightning Oil that so many people are talking about because it arrests and stops pain, and affords almost instant relief in cases of Neuralgia, Rheumatism Headaches, Burns, etc. Just try it if you want pain to quit quick.

—Wheat—Fine for laying hens. 674 PREWIT & WADLEY.

V E Pruett, of Balmorhea, arrived Friday to take the place of bookkeeper in the Pruett Lumber Co., during the absence of David Alas, who will make an extended visit with relatives in the East.

Diarrhoea Quickly Cured. "I was taken with diarrhoea and Mr. Yeoks, the merchant here, persuaded me to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. After taking one dose of it I was cured. It also cured others I gave it to," writes M. E. Gobhart, Oriole, Pa. That is not at all unusual. An ordinary attack of diarrhoea can almost invariably be cured by one or two doses of this remedy. For sale by all druggists.

For Sale We have iron beds and mattresses for sale at the Orient Hotel. 664

List of Ranches Wanted Have customers for ranches from ten to two thousand acres. I want to list from owners only. Do not sell on 5 per cent commission, but get my commission above what you ask for your land. If this does not suit, don't write. RICHARD H. MCCARTHY, Aspermont, Texas.

Scholarship Awarded.

The Texas Woman's Federation of Clubs recently awarded a three years scholarship to Miss Sadie Collings, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Collings at Baylor University.

We feel certain that this is a much deserved reward and Miss Sadie will make good in all departments which she may enter.

New Office Deputy

J. N. Heard can now be seen each day wending his way to the Court House, where he is working, having accepted a position as an office deputy, in Sheriff Harrison's department of the county's work.

Mr. Heard is a faithful, qualified business man and all wish him success.

Special on Santa Fe

Last week, Wednesday, there was a special train on the Santa Fe. Among those aboard were: J. E. McMahon, Superintendent; G. C. Starkweather, General Superintendent; J. A. Klosner, Superintendent of Bridges and Buildings and W. A. King, Roadmaster. They were on an inspection trip over their lines.

Friday, Messrs. Avery Turner, Vice President and J. N. Freeman Secretary and Treasurer, were here looking after their roads interests.

Causes Further Talk. Because so many people are telling their experience with Hunt's Lightning Oil for Headaches, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, etc., others are lead to give it a trial, and are convinced immediately of its merits as a pain killer. Are you yet to be convinced. Ask the Druggist.

Fine Navajo Blanket

Last week, Thursday, the Pecos Mercantile Co. received a large shipment of Navajo blankets from Allentown, Arizona. On Saturday, Mr. Collins of the Furniture Department made a sale of the largest one, which was 10.3 Ft. x 12.8 Ft., to Kent Harrison for \$125.00.

This blanket was made by Mrs. Dog Bitten and she whs one year weaving it. It is one of the finest ever sold in Pecos and one of the finest ever made by these Indians.

Roy Biggs Made Good

Prof. G. C. Jones, Superintendent of the Pecos Public Schools, received word from Austin this week that Roy Biggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Biggs of Pecos, passed the University entrance examination and is now a Freshman in the University of Texas.

There were thirty applicants who took this examination and only two passed. This speaks well for the work the Pecos School is doing; two of her graduates are in the State University this year with twelve and one-half credits in their favor.

Still Killing. It still keeps on killing pain, does Hunt's Lightning Oil For many years it has been used with wonderful success for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cuts, Burns and other hurts. All Druggists sell it in 25c and 50c bottles.

LIST OF JURORS

- For the First Week of County Court October Term 1913
- Ed Loper
 - Belton Short
 - M. E. Adeock
 - C. B. Jordan
 - R. E. Johnson
 - A. E. Norman
 - F. J. Kraus
 - J. B. Bowie
 - R. F. Kelton
 - K. C. Tucker
 - R. E. Lunsford
 - Ira Jackson
 - Ed Vickers
 - J. W. Lytle
 - T. Y. Casey
 - Chas. Morgan
- Second Week.
- H. H. Johnson
 - C. Brown
 - W. H. Browning
 - R. P. Verhalen
 - Frank Joplin
 - Sid Kyle
 - W. C. Marshall
 - Sid Cowan
 - P. E. Bowie
 - Ed Otto
 - Geo. D. Coon
 - T. E. Brown
 - E. W. Clayton
 - C. L. Morris
 - Hessup, Kopp
 - Ben Kraus

For Sale Or Trade.

80 acres sandy land farm for sale or trade 2 1-2 miles of Swan, 50 acres cultivated balance in timber pasture. good spring water fine well, 8 room dwelling, barn and other buildings, plenty fruit, abstract title. No encumbrance close to school and church, on public road, telephone connection, price \$5,000.00, would exchange for improved irrigated land and would give or take difference, prefer small farm. B. F. PRA-SIER, Swan, Smith County, Texas 694.

Bought Some Fine Yearlings

W. L. Ross, one of our most progressive ranchmen, purchased 35 head of blooded yearlings from Mr. toeger, of Stanton, during the Fair. Some of the choice Herefords that Mr. toeger had on exhibition during the fair, cost him the sum of \$3500.00. Mr. Ross intends to improve his herd of cattle as fast as he can. next year he will have some fine stock at the fair.

Join "The Times" Family.

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NOTICE!

Bring in your watches and Jewelry and have them repaired before the holiday rush.

We are prepared at this time to fill your orders for wedding or birth gifts in silverware or Cut Glass, also have a nice line of Comb and Brush Sets in Ivory goods.

Let us have your order early on the latter goods so we can have them engraved for you by the holidays.

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FELT HE HAD KICK COMING

Village Grocery Man Really Should Find a Way to Keep His Business Interests Separate.

At a recent social session in Mount Holly, Surrogate Joseph Huff, of that place, told of an incident which convincingly demonstrates that some kicks are eminently justified.

In a certain section of Jersey, so ran the story of the surrogate, there is a village grocery store, where, besides salt and prunes, everything may be purchased from a collar for a pet rhinoceros to a sprocket wheel for a pinola. Together with this the grocery store is the local post office.

A few days ago a farmer entered the store with something on his mind, and after taking a fresh chew of tobacco to fortify himself, he leisurely approached the counter.

"Look here, David," he complainingly remarked, addressing the proprietor, "I ain't kickin' none, but hain't there some way that ye kin kind o' sepparate yer grocery bizness an' yer post office bizness so that they won't mix quite so much?"

"There you go complainin' ag'in, Joshua!" responded the grocery man. "What's achin' you this time?" "No hard feelin', but t'other day I got some postage stamps here jes' arter Jake Smith got two gallons o' ole, an' every derned one o' them tasted o' kerosene."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

ECLIPSED



"Brown certainly loves his wife. He actually wears the neckties she makes him."

"Yes; but Jones goes that one better."

"Yes?"

"I should say so. I've seen him wear the red mittens his wife knitted."

ERECTED BY DEVOUT INDIANS

Statue in Village of Jamay, Mexico, Unique Among the Monuments of the World.

In the heart of the main plaza of the little Indian village of Jamay, on the shore of Lake Chapala, in the state of Jalisco, Mex., stands a remarkable monument. The pedestal is built of brick and concrete, while the statue of Pope Plus IX., which crowns it, is made of concrete. There are two noticeable features about this monument. Firstly, the pope faces in two directions, having no back to his figure; and secondly, the monument, costing something like 15,000 pesos, was erected in fulfillment of a vow made by certain devout Indians of Jamay some 50 years ago, when a terrific pestilence, probably smallpox, carried off more than half the inhabitants of the village. The survivors prayed to the saints to avert the pestilence, but apparently without result. They then prayed to the pope at Rome, vowing to build the monument should the curse of the plague be removed. The pestilence disappeared soon after, and the monument, the result of the contribution of some article of jewelry or a day's labor of every Indian left alive in Jamay, was promptly erected.—Wide World Magazine.

Particular Customer.

"You are very young to be a body with the massive jaw. I wish the proprietor to wait on me and not any young clerk."

"Where is your prescription?" inquired the proprietor, coming forward. "I have no prescription. What I want is five 2-cent postage stamps."

CRAWL STROKE POPULAR.

It is just a decade since the first description of the crawl swimming stroke came to us from Australia and caused our racing men to take up its study, but the ten short years have completely revolutionized the art of natation in this country. A striking illustration of what the crawl has done for us may be found in the comparison of our national records, as they were before its advent, and as they now stand.

It may be added, too, that we have only begun to appreciate the full possibilities of the new stroke. The attitude of many experts toward it, who maintained in the past, and still maintain, that it is too punishing on the muscular system to be used over long courses, has deterred a number of the leading distance swimmers from adopting it. But of late a few bold spirits have tackled tests of endurance with it and done so well that it seems only a question of time before it finds universal favor for all around work.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE 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, Texas, on the 8th day of September, 1913, by Willie de Woods, Clerk of said court, for the sum of Twenty-five Thousand, Two Hundred and Forty-six and 22-100 Dollars and interest on said amount from Nov. 29, 1912, at 7 per cent per annum, and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of P. Albert Cooney, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 781 and styled P. Albert Cooney vs. E. Leslie Cole, et al., and placed in my hands for service, I, Tom Harrison, as sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 8th day of September, 1913, levy on certain real estate, situated in Reeves County, Texas, described as follows, to wit:

Sections numbered Twenty-one (21) Twenty-three (23), Twenty-five (25), Twenty-seven (27), Twenty-nine (29), Thirty-two (32), Thirty-three (33), Thirty-five (35), Thirty-nine (39), all of said sections of land being in Block No. Two (2), Houston & Great Northern Railway Company survey, and sections numbered Three (3), Five (5), and Seven (7), all of said sections of land being in Block No. Three (3), Houston & Great Northern Railway Company survey, and levied upon as the property of E. Leslie Cole, and John B. Dandridge and Spencer B. Pugh, and that on the first Tuesday in October, 1913, the same at the courthouse door said month, County, in the town 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 E. Leslie Cole, and John B. Dandridge and Spencer B. Pugh.

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 Times, a newspaper published in Reeves County, Texas.

Witness my hand, this 8th day of September 1913.

TOM HARRISON, Sheriff, Reeves County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

You are hereby commanded to summon W J Williams, E S Massingill, N A Lefevre, Miss N E Rhodes, E E Griggs, J A Gamble, J E Bullion, R L Bullion, Lauree C McCoy, C J Meyers, Mrs E M Fetter, Nannie Seales, Mrs M M Gee, Mrs Nancy Sanford, Mrs Lena Newton, Odie Sullivan, J N Martin, Henry Anderson, M M Washington, W T Green, J F Johnson, W C Hoffman, L B Fletcher, W E Priddy, Ben Green, James A Hamlin, T D Hamlin, L E Matlock, J W Hunter, Howard Day, P C Puckett, H A Server, Miss Rose Smith, Mrs Janie Taylor, Rev. W M Washington, W A Soule, Mrs R C Stanfield, Ida Taylor, Laura Williams, C S Mudd, Dr L D Johnson, Hattie Calico, Mary Mackey, Paralee Taylor, Robert Carruth, Mamie Carruth, Charlie Anglin, Rev. J B Padon, Bart Moore, and J N Wright are defendants, and said petition alleging that on April 4th, 1911, defendants E S Massingill and W J Williams executed to plaintiff two vendor lien notes, one for \$500 due 90 days after date, and one for \$750 due twelve months after date, each bearing eight per cent interest per annum from date and providing for ten per cent attorney's fees; that said notes were given to plaintiff for the purchase price of section eighteen (18) in block fifty-five (55), Township 7, T & P Ry survey, Reeves County, Texas containing 680 acres of land, and that in addition to said notes in the deed given by plaintiff to said defendants they expressly assumed and agreed to pay two other notes for \$500 each, dated March 4th, 1911, due March 4th, 1912 and 1913 respectively, bearing eight per cent interest and providing for ten per cent attorney's fees; that plaintiff is the owner and holder of all of said above notes and has brought suit to collect same; that said W J Williams and E S Massingill owe and are indebted to plaintiff for the full amount of said notes, principal, interest and attorney's fees, that plaintiff has a valid lien against said land to secure him in the full payment of all said notes; that the other defendants mentioned claim some right, title or interest in said land or portions of same. Plaintiff prays that all defendants be cited to answer said petition; that he have judgment for his debt as against defendants W J Williams and E S Massingill and for foreclosure of his lien as against all defendants; and he prays for general and special relief. Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return there-

some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published there in, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 70th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 70th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, to be holden at the courthouse thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the third Monday in November, A. D. 1913, the same being the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, then and there to answer the petition filed in said court on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1913, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1185, wherein W. E. Neill is plaintiff, and W. J. Williams, E. S. Massingill, N. A. Lefevre, Miss N. E. Rhodes, E. E. Griggs, J. A. Gamble, J. E. Bullion, R. L. Bullion, Lauree C. McCoy, C. J. Meyers, Mrs. E. M. Fetter, Nannie Seales, Mrs. M. M. Gee, Mrs. Nancy Sanford, Mrs. Lena Newton, Odie Sullivan, J. N. Martin, Henry Anderson, M. M. Washington, W. T. Green, J. F. Johnson, W. C. Hoffman, L. B. Fletcher, W. E. Priddy, Ben Green, James A. Hamlin, T. D. Hamlin, L. E. Matlock, J. W. Hunter, Howard Day, P. C. Puckett, H. A. Server, Miss Rose Smith, Mrs. Janie Taylor, Rev. W. M. Washington, W. A. Soule, Mrs. R. C. Stanfield, Ida Taylor, Laura Williams, C. S. Mudd, Dr. L. D. Johnson, Hattie Calico, Mary Mackey, Paralee Taylor, Robert Carruth, Mamie Carruth, Charlie Anglin, Rev. J. B. Padon, Bart Moore, and J. N. Wright are defendants, and said petition alleging that on April 4th, 1911, defendants E. S. Massingill and W. J. Williams executed to plaintiff two vendor lien notes, one for \$500 due 90 days after date, and one for \$750 due twelve months after date, each bearing eight per cent interest per annum from date and providing for ten per cent attorney's fees; that said notes were given to plaintiff for the purchase price of section eighteen (18) in block fifty-five (55), Township 7, T & P Ry survey, Reeves County, Texas containing 680 acres of land, and that in addition to said notes in the deed given by plaintiff to said defendants they expressly assumed and agreed to pay two other notes for \$500 each, dated March 4th, 1911, due March 4th, 1912 and 1913 respectively, bearing eight per cent interest and providing for ten per cent attorney's fees; that plaintiff is the owner and holder of all of said above notes and has brought suit to collect same; that said W. J. Williams and E. S. Massingill owe and are indebted to plaintiff for the full amount of said notes, principal, interest and attorney's fees, that plaintiff has a valid lien against said land to secure him in the full payment of all said notes; that the other defendants mentioned claim some right, title or interest in said land or portions of same. Plaintiff prays that all defendants be cited to answer said petition; that he have judgment for his debt as against defendants W. J. Williams and E. S. Massingill and for foreclosure of his lien as against all defendants; and he prays for general and special relief. Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return there-

on, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 5th day of September, A. D. 1913.
(Seal) WILLIE DE WOODS, Clerk District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 6641

He—Do you believe in love at first sight?

She (thirty-eight)—I believe in any kind of love.—Boston Transcript.

C. F. Manahan

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General Merchants,
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(Copy) December 11th, 1912
The Victoria Safe and Lock Co.,
Victoria, Texas.

Gentlemen: We wish to advise you that on the night of December 11th, 1912, our General Merchandise Store, situated on the San Antonio River, three miles west of Goliad, was entirely destroyed by fire. We are gratified to say that the safe bought of you last September, passed through the fire in good shape, and has just been passed upon by Mr. Roberts, of the State Adjustment Company, of Dallas, Texas, as representing the London, Liverpool & Globe Insurance Company, who states that after a thorough examination the contents were in good condition, and, with a few minor repairs and repainting, the safe will safely stand another fire.

Yours very truly,
(Signed)
(Copy) L. SEELIGSON & COMPANY

For Prices and other information See or Write the

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In order to clear up our Subscription List and to increase the Circulation we have Decided to Give the Readers of THE PECOS TIMES the Benefit of a "Hard Times" Price for the next THIRTY DAYS,

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To all Cash Subscribers, both Old and New. The Price of the PECOS TIMES will be ONE DOLLAR a Year, SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS for Six Months. INVARIABLY CASH IN ADVANCE.

City Building Notes

By L. M. WARD.

Advertising is the art of persuasion. The wolf won't linger long in a live city. Capital cuts capers where co-operation convenes. To the progressive belong the spoils of development. Growing pains in city building is sweet misery indeed. Compatibility is as necessary in the city as in the home. Transportation is a forerunner of civilization and population. The sands of time will reflect the footprints of the progressive. Attractive show windows are necessary adjuncts to successful merchandising. An over abundance of literary effort is detrimental to city building. More literal effort should be attempted. Sitting still in the boat upon the high seas is good advice, but it doesn't apply when one is riding the ship of progress. To the person with an artistic temperament, background is the principal thing. Shade tree and shrubbery are the background of a city. The leaves of discontent and desension scatter faster in a community where the people are striving for commercial supremacy and in doing so ignore civic development. Make your city a place where sunshine predominates. Not only the sunlight that guides our daily journey but the sunlight in the smile, the handshake, and in the eye of the people.

"What does autosuggestion mean?" asked Binks. "That's when your wife begins to figure out how much you would save machine," replied Jinks.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Dependancy Is often caused by indigestion and constipation, and quickly disappears when Chamberlain's Tablets are taken. For sale by all druggists.

Midland College

Re-organized upon a substantial business basis with able and experienced faculty: sixteen years of thorough Preparatory and College work; noted specialists in Art, Music, Oratory, Business and Teachers' Training. Splendid new building, clean athletics, unexcelled climate. Address F. G. JONES, President. 663t

Notice.

By order of the Board of Directors of the Pecos River Railroad Company notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders has been called to meet at the principal office of the company in the City of Pecos, Pecos County, Texas, on the 4th day of November 1913, at the hour of 9:00 A. M., for the purpose of considering and voting on a proposition to lease the railroad and all other property of this company to The Southern Kansas Railway Company, of Texas, on such terms and conditions as the stockholders may determine.

J. G. LOVE, Secretary, The Pecos River Railroad Company. 587t

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon J. L. Flanigan and L. C. Ridgeway, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four

successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 70th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 70th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the 3rd Monday in November A. D. 1913 then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 10th day of July; A. D. 1913 in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1186, wherein Charles J. Canda, Simeon J. Drake and Alphonse Kloth are plaintiffs; and J. F. Battle, L. E. Battle, J. T. H. Lipscomb, W. L. Smallwood, Otho S. Houston, H. A. Stegall, J. D. Bingham, Lucy Bingham, S. C. Findley, M. S. Findley, J. W. Webb, Kate Webb, C. S. Bell, Johnnie Bell, J. C. C. Martin, J. L. Flanigan, L. C. Ridgeway, J. E. Greathouse, J. M. Osborn, and Geo. F. Osborn, are Defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiffs are the owners and holders of six vendor's lien notes; all dated Nov. 8, 1906; for the sum of \$19200 each, and due Nov. 8, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, and 1914, respectively all drawing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from date; all payable to the order of Charles J. Canda, Simeon J. Drake, and Sigmund Neustadt; but it is alleged that the plaintiffs are now the joint owners of all said notes; all said notes retaining a vendor's lien against Sec 21, Tsp. 7, Blk. 59, Cert. 4666, situated in Reeves County, Texas; same containing 549 acres; said suit being to foreclose said lien against said land. Petition alleges that said notes provide for attorney's fee of 10 per cent upon the amount of said notes, and that plaintiffs have promised to pay said amount for attorney's services in suing upon same. Petition alleges that all of said notes provide that a failure to pay any one of same when due, shall mature all of same at the election of the holder,

and ask for judgment upon the amount of all of same, together with 10 per cent attorney's fee. It being alleged in said petition that all of the above named defendants are claiming some interest in and to the above said land, or a part of same, but that their claims are subordinate to the lien of plaintiffs. HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have before said Court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 24th day of September, A. D. 1913. WILLIE-DE WOODS, Clerk, District Court, Reeves County. (SEAL)

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon G. C. Alexander, M. F. Bomar, T. B. Bomar, Dallas-Reeves County Development Company, Edward Davis Gaillard, John T. Lowery, W. W. Brown, and J. V. Hardy by making publication of this Citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 70th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 70th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the 3rd Monday in November, A. D. 1913, the same being the 17th day of November, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 14th day of July, A. D. 1913, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1193, wherein Charles J. Canda, Simeon J.

Drake and Alphonse Kloth are plaintiffs, and J. N. Whisenant, G. C. Alexander, M. F. Bomar, T. B. Bomar, J. H. Overton, E. S. Royal, J. J. Connor, J. A. Fisher, R. M. Barnes, Dallas-Reeves County Development Co., R. O. Frost, Lee Hagood, R. G. Flowers, Adrian Bronquist, William A. Link, Alphonse Bremer, Edward Davis Gaillard, John T. Lowery, W. W. Brown, J. V. Hardy, San Antonio Drug Co., Texas Nursery Co., John Orr, Nelson Davis & Co., McKean, Ellers & Co., are Defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiffs are the owners and holders of seven vendor's lien notes, all dated May 19, 1908, each for the sum of \$256, due on May 19, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, and 1915, respectively; all of said notes drawing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from date; all alleged to provide for 10 per cent attorney's fee, if sued upon for collection; and all alleged to provide that a failure to pay any one of same when due matures all of them; plaintiffs declare that several of them are past due, and that they elect to declare all of same due. Plaintiffs allege that said notes were given as a part of the purchase money for Sec No. 33, Tsp. 1, in Blk. 57, in Reeves County, Texas; and that said notes expressly retain a vendor's lien against said land. Plaintiffs sue for the amount of said notes including interest and attorney's fee. It being alleged in said petition that all of the above said named defendants are claiming some interest in or to a part of same, but that their claims are subordinate to the lien of plaintiffs. HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have before said Court at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 24th day of September, A. D. 1913. WILLIE-DE WOODS, Clerk, District Court, Reeves County. (SEAL)

FREE!

The Greatest Gift in the World FREE TO YOU! "The Gift of God is Eternal Life"

The Meetings at the Baptist Church are for You Services Morning and Evening Every Day Beginning Sunday, October 5 Rev. George W. Truett Will Assist in the Meeting Yours heartily, J. B. COLE

"Another glass, please" White Swan Tea. It is so delicious! Nobody can resist "just one more" when it is ice tea made with White Swan Tea. Nothing could be more refreshingly welcome to the chance guest; no meal-time drink could be more cooling. No tannin taste to White Swan Tea—just the real tea taste with a palatable smoothness and refinement of flavor that belongs peculiarly to White Swan Tea. Better than the law requires. Your grocer will be glad to recommend it because he knows that you'll come back for more. Waples-Platter Grocer Co. Texas

REMINGTON UMC ARROW SHOT SHELLS. SPEED—SPEED—and again, SPEED. YOUR object in shooting is to get your bird with the center of your load. Of course! Then shoot these Steel Lined Speed Shells. They are the fastest shells in the market. Their speed is demonstrated beyond question by the one sure test in all ballistic matters—the Electric Chronograph. Then, too, there is the experience of thousands of seasoned gunners who have been shooting the Remington-UMC Steel Lined Shells ever since they came out. The steel lining is the thing. It grips the powder—holds it in compression—puts all the drive of the explosion behind the shot. Your load travels quicker—you shorten up your lead. You cut down the guess work on lead and angles—you get more birds. Your dealer carries these speed shells. Get them. Use them. Find the Red Ball mark on every box of shells and metallics you buy. Remington-Union Metallic Cartridge Co. 299 Broadway New York

PERSONAL MENTION

—Wanted: Rentor for small farm, 2 1-2 miles from Pecos, reasonable rent. Address P. O. Box 448. 663t

Mack Camp left yesterday on a business trip to El Paso

Judge Starley returned Monday evening from a business trip to Barstow

—New Coat Suits from \$5 to \$37.50 They are up-to-now.

Pecos Dry Goods Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kyle left Tuesday for a visit with relatives and friends at Kyle

—Wanted—Help in the Kitchen and Dining Room, etc 69t J. H. Wilhite, Phone 81

Mrs. James A. Miller returned home Sunday after a three month's visit with friends in Arkansas

—FOR RENT—Nice front room, close n. Mrs. Sam Prewitt

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Anderson and Master Wallace left Sunday for a few days' visit in Fort Worth

—Just received! A fresh car of new wheat flour and fresh meal at Vickers & Collings.

Miss Stallings of Teague, left this morning for Saragosa, where she has been engaged to teach the school

—SACKS—We want to buy 500 grain sacks. Prewitt & Wadley.

Mrs. J. L. Nichols left Sunday for her home at Stanton, after a two week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. R. E. L. Kite of Pecos City

TO EXCHANGE—For Pecos City residence property—640 acres of land on South Plains. Every foot the best agricultural land. Address Lock Box 111, Deming, N. M. 672t*

G. W. Stancliff was in Pecos Tuesday and reports that everything in his neighborhood was in fine shape, except that it was a little too damp to bale alfalfa

Oysters! Oysters! Oysters!!! Now on sale at Ed Otto's

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Perry of Carlsbad spent Sunday and Monday in Pecos. Mr. Perry is the linotype man on the Carlsbad Current and came down to "doctor" four machines

W. D. Cowan President and L. W. Anderson Superintendent of the Pecos Valley Southern Railway returned from a business trip to Dallas and Fort Worth Wednesday

—Get our prices on Flour, Meal and Chops before making your purchase. We will save you money. Vickers & Collings.

Jess Woods went out to Saragosa Wednesday to "hold down" the "agent ship" at the Pecos Valley Southern depot in that city, as Mr. E. R. Cox, agent had been granted a three weeks "lay off"

FOR SALE—Good young fresh jersey cow. W. P. Gray 68tff.

Kyle Hartson, live stock dealer, was in the forepart of the week from his ranch near Porterville, visiting his uncle, Sid Kyle and family. Mr. Hartson reports that the range in his part of the country is in fine shape and cattle are fat. He is contemplating moving to Pecos

A. B. Bryan came very near having a serious accident last Monday. He fell from his wagon and struck the double tree sustaining an injury under the right shoulder blade and has been unable to be out with his team, but at this writing is getting some better

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Mullane of Van Horn passed through Pecos City Wednesday on their way home from Carlsbad, New Mexico, where they were visiting relatives and friends for a few days. Mr. Mullane is editor of the Van Horn Advocate and one of West Texas' live and wide awake editors. Mr. and Mrs. Mullane gave The Times office a very pleasant call while in the city.

Have Your Eyes Tested By an Expert

Dr. Aronson, the well known optician, will arrive here October 2nd, and will remain here 6 days. Those testing his services can find him at the Orient and City Pharmacy. 25 years experience.

Good, large work horses for sale at a bargain if taken at once. Phone No. 37. 64tff

Bring your cotton to Pecos if you are in a hurry to have it ginned.

W. D. Cowan left last Sunday for a few days' business visit at Fort Worth and Dallas

—Come see our new coats. The price is right. Pecos Dry Goods Co.

Judge Jas F. Ross left Tuesday on a business trip to Chicago, Illinois and Racine, Wisconsin

—We wish to buy good light wagon 69t Prewitt & Wadley

Mrs. Joe Camp left Tuesday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Howard Collier near Hoban

It is no strange sight to see wagons loaded with bales of cotton on the streets of Pecos these days.

—The Ladies Aid Society served our coffee during the Fair. If you liked it try a can. Always in Stock at Vickers & Collings.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Johnson left Tuesday on an extended visit to relatives and friends in Indiana and Louisiana

—WANTED—Good milk cow for feed. Call at Times Office.

Mrs. R. R. Smothers and daughter, Miss Nell left today for a month's visit with her father and mother Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Churchill, at Big Springs

Judge W. P. Brady, District Attorney, returned home Wednesday from Odessa where he had been attending District Court

—Come to our store to do your Fall trading. We save you money. Pecos Dry Goods Co.

W. L. Ross came in Tuesday from his New Mexico ranch and left on No. Six Thursday for a visit with his family at Abilene

FOR RENT—Four room cottage in Alberta Heights. Inquire at this office. 69t2

Mrs. W. H. Browning Jr. returned home today from a visit with the home folks, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Means and family at their ranch in the Davis mountains

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson of Texarkana, who had been visiting their nephew, L. W. Anderson and his family in Pecos City for several days, left for their home last Sunday

—Fresh, Choice Fish just received at Ed Otto's

Mrs. M. E. Mayes of LaDue, Missouri, and Mrs. Nic Duto of Brownsville, mother and sister of Mrs. W. H. Benway, arrived Wednesday for an extended visit with she and her family

—Now is the time to buy your coat suit. They are new and stylish. We make the price right. Pecos Dry Goods Co.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Cole left Tuesday evening for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Means at the W ranch headquarters in Loving county. Messrs. Cole and Means will spend a few days hunting

T. B. Pruett informed a Times reporter that he made a business trip all the way to Barstow yesterday afternoon all the way by himself. T. B. you should be more careful in the future and not venture too far east of the Pecos all by your lonesome

—If you want some Nice, Fresh Fish or Oysters you can get them at Otto's

Mr. Ben Thorpe, who is representing the Arthur S. Bent Construction Company, manufacturers of concrete pipe lines is here and expects to establish a branch office for Texas and New Mexico. He will oversee the putting in of a system at the Experimental Farm. See their ad elsewhere in this issue

Messrs. Sullivan & Couch, the gin men of Pecos have their gin in the best fix it has ever been in since it was built. They have two good gin stands and a self-packer press. The gin has been running on full time and making as fine a sample of the fleecy staple as has ever been put up in this western country

V. C. Swigart, having closed out all his holdings in Reeves county and traded for a farm in Fanning county, took the train Monday evening for Bonham in order to look after his interests in that part of Texas. His many friends will regret to learn of Mr. Swigart's leaving and whenever he gets ready to come back we will all give him a glad hand and welcome his return

Lost During the Fair
A Baby's Embroidered Wool Sack, lost during the Fair. A liberal reward will be given for the return of same to Mrs. W. H. Moore.

Rally Day at the Methodist Church

Next Sunday will be rally day at the Methodist Church. An effort is being made to have every member of the church and Sunday-school present. Those having in charge the Cradle Roll and the Home Department, expect to have as many of the members of their department present as possible. A review of the year's work will be taken, and plans for another year announced.

At 11 a.m. the pastor will preach on "What I Would if I Were a Layman," and at 7:30 p. m. four laymen of the church will respond, telling what they would do if they were preachers. Special music will be provided by the choir and all will be given a cordial welcome.

At 3:00 p. m. the Juniors will have their usual service, and work. At 4:00 p. m. the Senior Leaguers plans for another year. All officers and members of the church and its various organizations are urged to be present. Everybody will be welcome. J F HEDGPETH, Pastor.

Program for Opening Exercises

Program for the opening exercises of the Pecos Public Schools, Monday, October 6, 1913.

- "On the Heath" Gustav Lange Thelma Frame
- "Dreams" Behr Vivian Grissom
- "Fantasia" Alard Miss Gertrude Davis
- "Hilarity Rondo" Heinrich Lichner Vannie Lange
- "Nocturno" Jungman Marie Grafius
- "Till the Sands of the Desert Grow Cold" Ernest Ball Miss Lillian Pruett
- Talk Rev. C. B. Boyles

Weather Forecast.
Colder with rains causing rheumatic pains. Hunts Lightning Oil stops all aches and pains whether from rheumatism, neuralgia, cuts, burns or bruises. The quickest Liniment known. 25c and 50c bottles. All Druggists.

Baptist Church

The splendid new side walks make it easy for folks to get to church and Sunday school. Our services were all well attended last Sunday.

Now that the time has arrived for our meeting let us all lay ourselves out to the farthest limit.

We want all the people of Pecos and all the surrounding county to get the benefit of these meetings.

Our brethren of other churches are requested to co-operate fully with the meeting and reap of its blessings.

Remember, the regular services begin next Sunday morning. Do not wait to start in late in the revival but come at the beginning and continue to the last service.

Bro. Hedgpeth will preach Monday night and Tuesday night brother Terrell will be here.

Sunday morning and night the pastor will preach.

We beg that prayer will be made in all our churches Sunday for the blessing of God on the meeting.

Praying for great blessings upon every one in our midst, I am your,

BROTHER J. B. COLE.

Christian Endeavor

Topic for Oct. 5th. "The Ideal Christian. His co-operation with others". Leader—Mrs. R. N. Couch. Scripture Lesson—Col. 4: 1-18. Scripture References.

Talk—"How does the spirit of Christ help along co-operation"—Miss Vera Heath.

Clippings. Talk—"How does the C. E. teach us to co-operate with other people." Mrs. Magee.

Business. Benediction.

The Heaviest Rain

For several years fell last night (Friday) about 12 o'clock was accompanied by a heavy wind storm, sharp lightning and deep rolling thunder.

The water stood 7 1-2 inches deep in the basement of the Carnegie Library and the streets were flooded from side to side and run over the side walks

Come a number of shade trees were blown down and hundreds of lbs torn from the trees.

Sweaters and Jerseys For Men, Women, Boys and Girls



Men Who Appreciate Class Select Any Bradley Coat

Compare It's Features, It's Well Fitting Shoulders, It's Elastic Knitted Pockets, It's Carefully Reinforced Button Holes, Fashioned Arms and Cuffs. Compare the General Looks the Fit and Feel of the Serviceable Yarns. Then you will Know Why Most Men Prefer a Bradley Coat. We Have Them From

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In Oxford, Cardinal, Maroon and Navy

See Our Women's Knitted Auto Hoods

Let your Children be free to enjoy themselves, but be sure of their Comfort and Protection. Buy them a Bradley Garment and give them freedom, fresh air, and out door life. We have some good ones for the Children and they can be had at Reasonable Cost. Provide Now

Clever, Stylish Effects

Here are Garments of Real Class. Soft, Lustrous Yarns, Carefully Knitted and Fashioned to meet the Requirements of

"The Woman Who Knows"

Cardinal, White, White and Navy and White and Cardinal Combinations. All Wool from

\$2.00 TO \$7.50



Pecos Mercantile Co.

Adjudged Insane

Judge H. N. McKeller appointed Drs. Bathena Coone, Jim Camp, W. H. Benway, O. J. Bryan, Wm. H. Moore and W. W. Rublen as a Commission of Insanity for the examination as to the sanity of Mrs. Ida Mendenhall and after a thorough examination the Commissioners adjudged her insane. As soon as arrangements can be made she will be carried to one of the Asylums.

Hoban Items

Mr. and Mrs. Gibson of Pecos, accompanied their niece, Miss Sharpeless, of Uvalde, to Hoban Monday. Miss Sharpeless opened school at Hoban that day.

Mrs. Howard Collier came out from Pecos first of the week.

The Lumber for the new School house here arrived Thursday. The carpenters are at work and will soon have it finished.

Mr. and Mrs. Welborn were Hoban visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Shellenberger went to Pecos Monday on business, returning Tuesday.

Mrs. Joe Camp is visiting her sister Mrs. Collier this week.

Notice of First Meeting of Creditors of Oscar Marion Henderson, a Bankrupt.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Texas.

In the matter of Oscar Marion Henderson, Bankrupt, No. 1 in Bankruptcy To the creditors of Oscar Marion Henderson, of Pecos, in the County of Reeves, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1913, the said Oscar Marion Henderson was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, at the office of Ben Palmer, on the 20 day of October, A. D. 1913, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

BEN PALMER, Referee in Bankruptcy 69t3 September 29th, 1913.

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