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By John Hibdon

## El Paso to Ft. Worth Air-Line Highway

On Monday of this week F. W. Johnson, vice president of the El Paso to Fort Worth Highway, Judge Ben Randals, Secretary S. E. Eberstadt, of the commercial club, accompanied by Mr. E. J. Hernan, assistant director general of the United States Highway department of Washington, D. C., and Dr. T. P. Grant, a good roads enthusiast of Brady, Texas, went to Barstow where an enthusiastic good roads meeting was held. Mr. Hernan delivered a very interesting and instructive address, going into almost every detail regarding the El Paso to Fort Worth highway and explaining to the citizens of Ward county what was expected of them in the way of encouraging and cooperation, in order that it might pass through Ward county. Dr. Grant added much enthusiasm to the meeting and suggested that Ward county organize a good roads association. This suggestion was carried out by such an organization with Judge Burch Carson as president and C. E. Nichols secretary. A list was circulated and almost every one at the meeting signed up as members. A committee of three was appointed by the president to secure members from all parts of the county.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day the Pecos Commercial Club room was taxed to its capacity to accommodate the business and professional men of Pecos who are always interested and ready to push any good movement. Secretary Eberstadt called the meeting to order and introduced Mr. Hernan who began his address with complimenting Reeves county on having such a splendid system of good roads. He went into the subject of good roads from the early days to the present day and told how the United States government would assist the El Paso and Fort Worth Highway. His remarks, particularly in explaining the method that would be used in getting by the Monahans sand, was highly pleasing to his audience.

Dr. Grant explained how his home county put the different highways through, and his address was one of the best that has ever been made in Reeves county on the subject of highways.

A good roads association was organized to be known as the Reeves County Good Roads Association. F. W. Johnson was elected president, and S. E. Eberstadt secretary, both nominations being unanimous.

Something more than twenty names were placed on the membership rolls of this association at this meeting and President Johnson appointed a committee of three, consisting of Sol Mayer, M. W. Collie and J. W. Moore, to solicit members from all parts of the county.

President Johnson, Secretary Eberstadt and Superintendent of County Roads J. W. Brooks accompanied Mr. Hernan and Dr. Grant to Toyah, where at 8 p. m. of the same day another enthu-

siastic meeting was held, and although the meeting was only advertised a few hours, it was a fine meeting of representative men of that town. Secretary Eberstadt was requested to preside and explained the object of the meeting, after which Mr. Hernan delivered his third and best talk of the day. Dr. Grant was brimming full of good roads talk and his every word was right to the point. Here a good roads organization was formed, the association to be auxiliary to the Reeves County Association at Pecos. Of this association A. W. Hosie was made president and E. B. Daniel secretary.

## COLE BROS. WORLD-TOURED SHOWS

Two special trains of all steel cars, the only all steel show train in the world, will bring Cole Bros' World-Toured Shows and Trained Wild Animal Exhibition to Pecos on Friday, Nov. 10, for two performances, afternoon and night, rain or shine. This show is larger and greater than ever, with nothing old but everything new. The slogan of this mammoth organization is "Different, Up-to-Date and Ahead of That."

Cole Bros. are the most progressive and wide awake men in the show business; nothing escapes their eagle eye; their name stands for everything that is clean, wholesome, meritorious, glorious and unblemished. Merit and magnitude always considered, suggestiveness and vulgarity relegated—the comfort of women and children their first duty.

Hundreds of men and women performers and working men are carried with this show, also 300 horses and shetland ponies, droves of camels, herds of elephants, ten dens of open cages of man-eating lions, bengal tigers, leopards, panthers, tigers, pumas, grizzly and polar bears, hippopotamus, ostriches, monkeys, horned horse, sacred ox, jaguars, and many others, including Cole Bros' famous group of \$50,000 black maned, African bred performing lions. No show in the world has a finer traveling zoo than this show, the greatest performing savage wild beasts, the wonder and admiration of the 20th century.

The monster street parade is the talk of every town visited, it is unapproachable in wealth and gorgeous, glittering trappings, costly velvet costumes, sleek and shining Arabian horses, cutest shetland ponies, donkeys, goats, and strange wild animals, glistening gilded chariots, four brass bands, Egyptian carevans, camels, dromedaries and funny clowns galore, making a princely display of a magnificent pageant.

Harry Anderson and E. B. Kiser left in the latter's car the forepart of the week for the Guadalupe mountains in quest of big game. They were loaded to the brim with guns and ammunition, bedding and other necessities with the intention of remaining "until the spirit moved them" to return to their homes and families, and it is safe to surmise they will bring back the fresh meat. Albert Pask will have charge of the Groves Lumber Yard during the absence of Mr. Anderson.

## High School Report By Superintendent

To the Board of Education Pecos Independent School:

Gentlemen: I herewith submit you a brief summary of the progress of the schools for the month just closed.

Total enrollment for last month 361. Total enrollment for present month, boys, 171; girls, 198. Total 369. Total number of tardies for present month, 35.

Average per cent of attendance for entire school, last month, 97.6; this month, 96.

The general spirit and conduct of the work has been up to the high standard set by the first month. You will note, however, an increase in the number of cases of tardiness, especially in the high school section, and that the average daily attendance is not up to the standard of the first month.

### PUBLIC LECTURES

Realizing the necessity of our boys and girls keeping up with the great events in world history which are now transpiring, a "Keeping Up Club" has been organized in the high school. This club has already rendered one very interesting program and others equally interesting have been outlined.

The entire range of human activities has been sub-divided and a definite assignment made to each grade. As a part of this general plan of keeping up, several local speakers have been asked to make addresses on topics of public interest and in addition these Mr. H. D. Slater, editor of the El Paso Herald, will speak on the subject, "History in the Making," and Judge J. M. Goggin on the subject, "Our Public Schools as Training Grounds for Citizenship." These talks will be free and open to all the public. At these occasions pupils from the public speaking class will render selections and one class of the high school will act as host for that evening.

### MANUAL TRAINING AND DOMESTIC SCIENCE

I take it to be as much the duty of a superintendent to look and plan for the future as it is to perform the duties of the present. With this in view I am taking the liberty from time to time to suggest such changes or improvements as I deem would be best for the schools. These are to be regarded and treated merely as suggestions. If Pecos is to become the educational center it can and should be, two things, in my opinion, will be absolutely necessary another year. First, the installation of manual training and domestic science and, second, the erection of a separate building designed and equipped for high school work alone. By doing this the present building could be turned over entirely to the grammar grades and to the teaching of manual training and domestic science. I shall rejoice in the day when I see Pecos advertising her educational advantages as a commercial asset; but to do this we must keep abreast of the times in every needed material equipment. If you are looking for an investment which

will return you the largest dividend in actual money, I know of nothing that will surpass the investment of money in good schools. But there is a higher and much more weighty reason than this and it is that every boy and girl may get his or her birthright, and that in the fullest, the best preparation possible in the battle of life. I take it that it is none too early to begin the discussion of this subject. If you think this an extravagant program, remember I am not asking it for myself but for your children.

### ATHLETICS

Through the aid of the Parent-Teacher Association we now have placed on the ground twelve swings and a large sand box. It is our intention to have a full program of athletic events at the fair grounds on Thanksgiving afternoon. A number of the schools in the county will send contestants for the various events and a game of foot ball and basket ball has already been secured with Midland. I mention this at this time that we may pre-empt the day before something else is planned.

The following pupils have made the highest averages in their respective grades for the month just closed:

- Low First—Mary Snyder.
- High First—Wiley Sue Cole, Ruby Poer.
- Low Second—Josephine Rogers.
- High Second—Harry Ross, Mary Magee.
- Low Third—Josie Prewit.
- High Third—Willie Ruth Hines.
- Low Fourth—Ruth Proffitt.
- High Fourth—Mary Stine.
- Fifth Grade—Virginia Runnels.
- Sixth Grade—Moselle Bryan, Floena Vaughan.
- Seventh Grade—Leonard Lopes, Alice Morrison.
- First Year H. S.—Zora Sims.
- Second Year High School—Estelle Durdin.
- Third Year High School—Sibyl Bowie.
- Fourth Year High School—Hill Hudson.

A cordial invitation is extended to all patrons and friends to visit the school at all times.

Respectfully,  
THOS. J. YOE.

J. F. Grogan was in town for two or three days this week visiting his family and looking after business. He has just completed boring several wells for the T. & P. railway in close proximity to the noted soft water well of F. J. Billingslea near Toyah. This was done for the purpose of developing and testing the supply of water. He now has his rig further south where he will put down two or three wells on the VH ranch for W. D. Cowan in order to increase his supply of stock water.

Mrs. M. H. Schermerhorn left Monday for Fayette, Alabama, where she was called because of the serious illness of her father. A message to her husband, sent on her arrival there, states that her father was unconscious. Mr. and Mrs. Schermerhorn have the sympathy of the entire town.

## Lockett Adair Here Interest Increasing

Rev. Lockett Adair arrived on the late train Tuesday night and preached his first sermon in the tabernacle Wednesday night to a good sized audience. There also came with him his singer, stage manager, secretary and tabernacle keeper. He started on his work with a zest which means nothing short of success. His coworkers are well trained and know their parts probably as well as does Mr. Adair his part in the program. His first sermon was necessarily not very long from the fact that he had to first tell the audience enough of his own career and that of his coworkers that the curious might be satisfied and turn their attention to the work of saving souls instead of trying to find out the whys and wherefores of the party. Although this sermon was, as said before, not very long, it was to the point, logical and convincing and those who heard it were well repaid for their time. It was good for those who profess to be Christians as well as those who do not lay any claim to the faith.

The town has been segregated into prayermeeting districts and at 3 o'clock each afternoon in each of these districts is held a ladies' prayermeeting. These prayermeetings are interesting and well attended.

These sermons are well directed and take a bee line to the heart of every seeker after the truth and if you do not want to miss a good thing do not fail to attend these services. They will do you good.

## MRS. W. F. CHAMBERS

Mrs. John Hibdon has received the news of the death of her mother, Mrs. W. F. Chambers, which occurred at San Jose, California, on the 30th of last month. This sad intelligence was not entirely unexpected by Mrs. Hibdon, for her mother had been in failing health for some years, though in the last few months she seemed to be regaining in a slight measure her former health.

Mrs. Chambers was one of those beautiful characters who made the world better and brighter for her family and friends, by her having lived in it, and the example of her gentle Christian life is the great heritage she leaves to her sons and daughters, and they rest content, knowing where she "crossed the bar" she met her "Pilot face to face."

Mr. and Mrs. Hibdon have the deep sympathy of their many friends in the loss of their mother.

A FRIEND.

Mrs. J. W. Day and daughter, Ruth, autoed to Arno Friday to visit Miss Artie and her brother Ralph, and to attend Ralph's birthday party Friday night. Miss Artie and Ralph returned to Pecos Saturday morning with their mother. They were accompanied home by Miss Ruby Hanson of Arno. The young people returned to Arno Sunday afternoon.



## HELP FOR WORKING WOMEN

Some Have to Keep on Until They Almost Drop. How Mrs. Conley Got Help.

Here is a letter from a woman who had to work, but was too weak and suffered too much to continue. How she regained health:—

Frankfort, Ky.—“I suffered so much with female weakness that I could not do my own work, had to hire it done. I heard so much about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that I tried it. I took three bottles and I found it to be all you claim. Now I feel as well as ever I did and am able to do all my own work again. I recommend it to any woman suffering from female weakness. You may publish my letter if you wish.”—Mrs. JAMES CONLEY, 516 St. Clair St., Frankfort, Ky.



No woman suffering from any form of female troubles should lose hope until she has given Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial.

This famous remedy, the medicinal ingredients of which are derived from native roots and herbs, has for forty years proved to be a most valuable tonic and invigorator of the female organism.

All women are invited to write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for special advice,—it will be confidential.

In Norway there is being built a plant that will produce 4,000 tons of aluminum annually.

STOP THOSE SHARP SHOOTING PAINS “Femina” is the wonder worker for all female disorders. Price \$1.00 and 50c. Adv.

North and South America together produce at present about 78 per cent of the world's copper supply.

To Drive Out Malaria And Build Up The System Take the Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. You know what you are taking, as the formula is printed on every label, showing it is Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form. The Quinine drives out malaria, the Iron builds up the system. 50 cents.

Judge Steers of Brooklyn, N. Y., rules that a husband may legally spank a wife who refuses kisses.

WOMAN'S CROWNING GLORY is her hair. If yours is streaked with ugly, grizzly, gray hairs, use “La Creole” Hair Dressing and change it in the natural way. Price \$1.00.—Adv.

The first steel pens were sold for about forty cents each.

Canada has 35,582 miles of railway.

## Nerves All On Edge?

Just as nerve wear is a cause of kidney weakness, so is kidney trouble a cause of nervousness. Anyone who has backache, nervousness, “blues,” headaches, dizzy spells, urinary ills and a tired, worn feeling, would do well to try Doan's Kidney Pills. This safe, reliable remedy is recommended by thousands who have had relief from just such troubles.

### A Texas Case

Mrs. M. C. Gibson, 1118 Texas St., El Paso, Tex., says: “My kidneys became weak and disordered and I had spells of backache. My back grew so weak that I could hardly lift anything. I tried different medicines, but nothing helped me until I used Doan's Kidney Pills. They not only removed the pains and aches, but greatly strengthened my back and kidneys.”



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## USES FOR SKIM MILK

One of Best Feeds for Both Young and Old Chickens.

Also Considered Excellent for Pigs of All Ages—Valuable in Itself and Assist in Digesting the Other Foods.

Milk is one of the best foods for both young and old chickens. The casein, or curdy part of the milk, largely supplies the protein necessary for laying hens, while for table fowl there is nothing superior to milk for making white, juicy, delicious flesh.

The milk may be either sour or sweet, and may be given as a drink or mixed with the meal, or both. Sour skim milk or buttermilk fed to chickens confined to limited range keeps them in health. The acid of the milk supplies the lack of vegetable-aid they would obtain if running at large, and moreover it aids digestion.

Poultry farmers living near a creamery gladly pay for the skim and sour milk, which can be had at very reasonable rates.

Farm Dairying says: “Skim milk is considered one of the best of foods for pigs of all ages. It is not only valuable in itself, but it helps to digest other foods and so makes them more valuable. Milk makes a firm, excellent quality of pork.”

“About a gallon and a half a day for a 100-pound pig will bring economical results, or feeding at the ratio of three pounds of milk to one of meal.”

Mixed milk and wheat bran make the best ration for pigs and shoats in connection with clover and grass pasture.

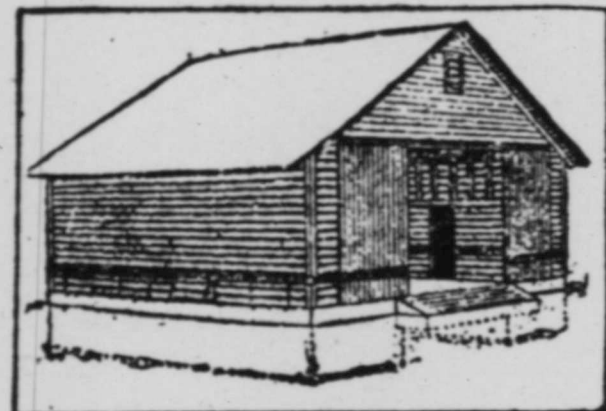
All animals like a variety of food. No one food, however good it may be, will answer. Give a variety and only what will be eaten with a relish. Keep the feed troughs and feeding yards clean and dry.

No rancid food should be fed. Hotel refuse is not a healthy food.

## RAT-PROOF CORN CRIB PLAN

Structure Will Aid Both in Drying of Crop and Protecting It From Rats and Mice.

The rural engineer bureau of the department of agriculture will be glad to tell you all about this crib that will aid both in the drying of corn and in protecting it from rats and mice. It is really a sort of double crib, separated by a driveway 12 feet wide and cov-



Rat-Proof Crib.

ered by a gable roof. The two cribs are each 8 by 32 feet and hold a thousand bushels apiece. As planned by the government engineers the concrete foundation is put in for all the walls. Complete plans may be had from the office of Public Roads and Rural Engineering, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

## GOOD RETURNS FROM MANURE

Average Return of \$4.69 a Ton Secured in Experiments Made at the Iowa Station.

Barnyard manure applied to clover sod to be turned under the following spring has yielded an average return of \$4.69 a ton in experiments at the Iowa experiment station. Applications on cover-mixed meadows left for hay have produced an annual return of \$3.76 a ton at the Iowa station.

## GOOD WAY TO MEASURE HAY

Four Hundred Cubic Feet Has Been Found to Be Fair Estimate for Ton—Weight Will Vary.

Sometimes hay is sold in the mow or the stack. When this is done it is necessary to estimate it.

It has been found that 400 cubic feet of hay will be a fair estimate for a ton. The actual weight of 400 cubic feet of hay, of course, will vary, as will the kind of hay, time of cutting, position of the mow, etc. But it will be a fair estimate to both buyer and seller to consider 400 cubic feet a ton.

When you are making an estimate multiply together the length, breadth and height of the mow or stack in feet and divide the product by 400. The quotient will be the number of tons.

### Sell Surplus Cockerels.

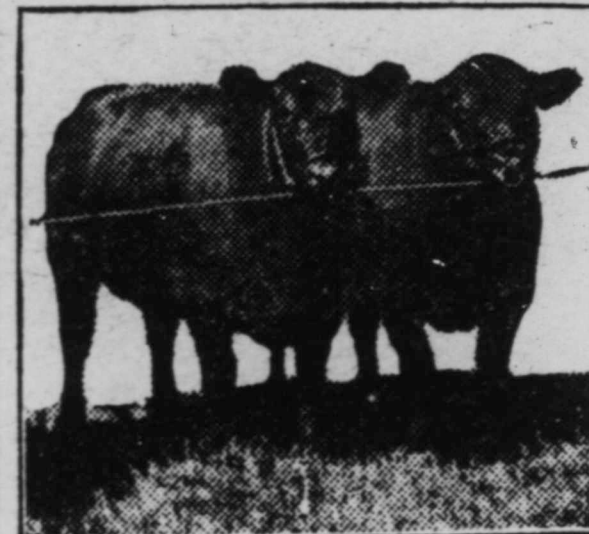
Send all cockerels not salable as breeders to market as soon as they are large enough. The price is rapidly dropping and will continue to do so, but even at a better price you could not afford to crowd your pullets.

## LIVE STOCK AIDS FERTILITY

Diversified Farming Calls for System of Rotation and is Best Insurance of an Income.

On farms where live stock is kept the land is more productive than on farms where exclusive grain farming is followed. Where the crops are sold on the market all of the plant food contained in those crops is lost to the soil. This practice will result without fail in impoverishment of the land.

Live-stock farming is diversified farming and calls for a system of crop rotation. It returns fertility to the soil. Adds interest to the work of the people living on the farms and finally is the best insurance of an income.



Splendid Beef Type.

Every farmer should make a business of growing his own beef and pork as well as his own vegetables. He should grow his own protein feed for his stock, and stop buying bran, cottonseed meal and other high-priced protein feeds.

## ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR HAY

Temporary Shelter May Be Obtained by Placing Prepared Roofing Materials on Poles.

When the rains make hay harvest so unfavorable, as was the case in 1915, it is important to provide suitable roofs under which the hay may be placed as rapidly as it can be cured sufficiently. While the substantial barn is always first to receive consideration it frequently happens that more or less additional storage is desirable.

In many cases this additional space for hay may be provided at small expense by planting telegraph poles suitable distances apart, connecting these with plates made of plank and on these plates placing roof materials. Such a structure may be built in short order and at small expense. Farm laborers may even do the building.

If a more durable and larger structure is desirable there is nothing superior to the plank frame hay racks.

## LATE FALL PLOWING EASIER

Cool and Stimulating Weather Makes Work Less Difficult for Horses—Keeps Them Strong.

Late fall plowing is much easier on the team than early spring plowing, as the weather is cooler and stimulating, and they can stand the work much better than they can next May. Besides, the work will keep their muscles and vital organs stronger and more vigorous, so that they will not become fatigued at the advent of warmer weather.

## EARNING CAPACITY OF LAND

Farm Will Pay Good Interest on Investment in Regular Process if It is Worth Anything.

The value of farm land can be arrived at by its earning capacity. If it is worth any price it will pay good interest on the investment in the regular farming process. We can add to its value by adding to its capacity to grow things and grow them a little better than any other farm in the neighborhood.

## FARM OF RIGHT PROPORTIONS

Records Show That Farmer Either Has Too Many Acres or Not Enough for Successful Work.

The size of business often has much to do toward making the farm profitable. Farm management records show that farms are often either too small or too large for the most successful farming.

There may be too few as well as too many acres. A man may not have enough land or he may be “land poor,” thereby rendering all his acres unprofitable.

## BUY MACHINERY OF QUALITY

Frightful Waste of Money to Put It Into Poorly Built Implements—Best is Cheapest.

Never buy a “cheap” machine. Quality is the first thing to be considered, because it is a frightful waste of money to put it into poorly built machinery, which has to stand the heavy wear and tear of farmwork.

## UGH! CALOMEL MAKES YOU SICK! CLEAN LIVER AND BOWELS MY WAY

Just Once! Try “Dodson's Liver Tone” When Bilious, Constipated, Headachy—Don't Lose a Day's Work.

Live up your sluggish liver! Feel fine and cheerful; make your work a pleasure; be vigorous and full of ambition. But take no nasty, dangerous calomel, because it makes you sick and you may lose a day's work. Calomel is mercury or quicksilver, which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel crashes into sour bile like dynamite, breaking it up. That's when you feel that awful nausea and cramping.

Listen to me! If you want to enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone. Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under my personal money-

back guarantee that each spoonful will clean your sluggish liver better than a dose of nasty calomel and that it won't make you sick.

Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning, because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working, your headache and dizziness gone, your stomach will be sweet and your bowels regular.

Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely vegetable, therefore harmless and cannot salivate. Give it to your children. Millions of people are using Dodson's Liver Tone instead of dangerous calomel now. Your druggist will tell you that the sale of calomel is almost stopped entirely here.—Adv.

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Ask your shoe dealer for W. L. Douglas shoes. If he cannot supply you with the kind you want, take no other make. Write for interesting booklet explaining how to get shoes of the highest standard of quality for the price, by return mail, postage free.

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No Light Matter.

Both Germany and Russia are hav-  
 ing serious difficulties in getting enough  
 matches "to go around." Germany  
 lacks the proper kind of wood, which  
 formerly was imported from Russia.  
 The czar's country, on the other hand,  
 is in want of the necessary chemicals  
 for match-making, which the Russians  
 used to get from Germany.

**STOP THAT HACKING COUGH.**  
 Mansfield (formerly Hungarian)  
 Cough Balsam heals the inflamed and  
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 infected portions. Invaluable for ba-  
 bies. Price 25c and 50c.—Adv.

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 Fresh—What brand is that cigar?  
 Soph—Brand new, child. Never been  
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 "Yes, and they all want the pieces."

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"Hunt's Cure" is guaranteed to  
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 A toilet preparation of merit.  
 Helps to eradicate dandruff.  
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**TEXAS NEWS BRIEFS**

Parties from Abilene are planning  
 to establish a candy factory at Snyder.

Waco had her first legal execution  
 in ten years last Friday when John  
 Williams, negro, was hanged in the  
 county jail for the murder of Allison  
 Criner, another negro.

Two young women were killed in  
 a fire which wrecked a factory in  
 East Houston street, New York,  
 causing property damage estimated  
 at about \$100,000.

The attorney general's department  
 has approved the following bond is-  
 sues: Anderson county common  
 school, \$1,800; Franklin county com-  
 mon school, \$800.

After being in session for 13 days  
 the McLennan county grand jury ad-  
 journed. Altogether 101 indictments  
 were returned, of which 99 charged  
 felonies and 2 misdemeanors.

A force of workmen is engaged  
 in rushing to completion the new  
 midget flour mill being installed at  
 Dublin. The mill will be of 50 bar-  
 rel per day capacity.

Between 25 and 50 bales of cotton  
 were destroyed by fire at Celeste  
 when the cotton house of the Celeste  
 Union Gin company was destroyed.  
 The loss is partly covered by in-  
 surance. This is the second cotton  
 fire in Celeste in the last month.

Resolutions asking more liberal  
 support for the state forestry de-  
 partment at the hands of the next  
 legislature were adopted at a meet-  
 ing of the Texas forestry association  
 at the state fair at Dallas last week.  
 Speakers estimated that \$20,000 is  
 the minimum on which the efficiency  
 of the department can be maintained.

"Statistics for the biennium end-  
 ing Sept. 1, 1916, show," according to  
 Superintendent W. F. Doughty, "that  
 bonds were issued by independent  
 and common school districts for the  
 purpose of repairing, erecting and  
 making addition to school buildings,  
 purchasing sites therefor and for  
 buying school equipment and furni-  
 ture to the amount of \$6,669,225.

Commodore S. W. S. Duncan, for  
 nearly a half century one of the  
 leading citizens of Dallas, and Texas,  
 died at his home there Thursday. He  
 had been confined to his home for  
 several months, but serious illness  
 did not result until a short time ago.  
 Commodore Duncan was 67 years  
 old and had been a resident of Dal-  
 las for more than 45 years.

The wool industry of this country  
 could be developed until America  
 would be regarded as the second  
 wool-producing nation. Professor W.  
 T. Ritch, Australian wool expert, said  
 in an address on "Wool" at the  
 state fair at Dallas last week. Mr.  
 Ritch scored the American wool pro-  
 ducers for not making a thorough  
 study of their business, but said no  
 one can beat the Americans at pre-  
 paring sheep for show purposes.

The board of directors of the A.  
 & M. College of Texas will ask the  
 Thirty-fifth legislature to appropri-  
 ate \$1,500,000 for the maintenance  
 of the institution during the next  
 two years, it was determined at a  
 meeting of the directors at Dallas.  
 This budget includes estimates pre-  
 pared by President W. B. Bizzell for  
 permanent improvements on the  
 campus totaling \$385,000. Among  
 other buildings to be asked are two  
 large dormitories considered neces-  
 sary because of the rapid increase  
 in attendance at the college.

The Wray sales and garage com-  
 pany has begun the erection of a  
 large service station and automobile  
 house. The building, equipped, will  
 cost about \$50,000.

The Waxahachie city council sold  
 \$120,000 worth of city bonds for a  
 bonus of \$6,657 and accrued interest.  
 There were three issues, \$90,000 for  
 a high school building, \$20,000 for  
 a sewage disposal plant and \$10,000  
 for street paving. The purchase was  
 made by a Chicago syndicate.

The Texas company has received  
 permission from the city council of  
 McAlester, Ok., to erect a branch  
 plant there. The plant will be mod-  
 ern and will cost about \$7,000.

Improvement bonds issued and  
 registered in Texas during the fiscal  
 year ending Aug. 31, last, aggregated  
 \$22,575,427, according to figures com-  
 piled by the state comptroller. This  
 is an increase of \$7,628,249 over the  
 previous year, or approximately 35  
 per cent.

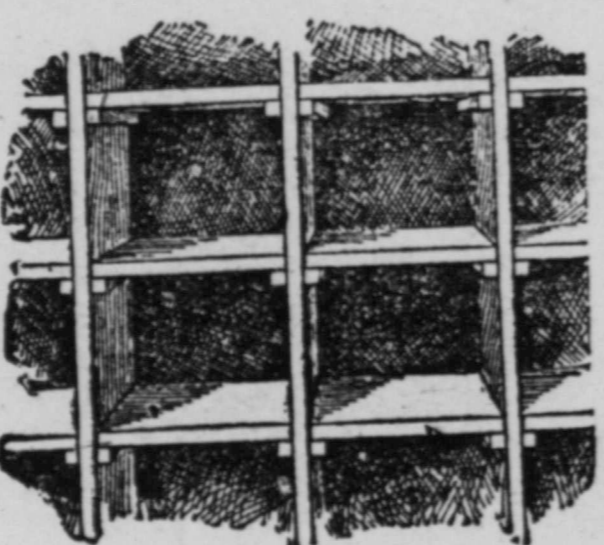


**FARM**  
**POULTRY**

**GOOD BUILDING FOR PIGEONS**  
 It Costs From \$1.25 to \$1.75 Per Pair  
 for Construction of Pen, Including  
 Fittings.

A gable roof building 10 to 15 feet  
 wide, 6 feet from the floor to the eaves,  
 and 8 to 9 feet to the ridge makes a  
 good pigeon house. A pen 8 by 9 feet  
 will accommodate 25 pairs of pigeons,  
 while 40 pairs may be kept in a pen  
 8 by 13 feet. The necessary floor space  
 to allow per pair varies from 2½ to 3  
 square feet, according to the size of the  
 pen, as a pair of birds requires less  
 floor space in large than in small pens.  
 From 20 to 75 pairs of pigeons may be  
 kept to advantage in each pen. It costs  
 from \$1.25 to \$1.75 a pair to construct  
 pigeon houses, including interior fit-  
 tings and a small outside pen or fly-  
 way.

Fittings should be as simple as pos-  
 sible and easy to clean. Two nest  
 boxes should be provided for each pair  
 of pigeons, and there should be some  
 extra nests. The nest boxes are usu-  
 ally about 12 inches square, yet some  
 breeders prefer this width and height



Arrangement of Nest Boxes.

with a depth of 15 to 18 inches. Egg  
 or orange crates may be used for nests,  
 but they are difficult to keep clean and  
 less desirable than nests made with  
 one-inch boards. A good method of  
 construction is to use lumber 12 inches  
 wide for the floor of the nests, arrang-  
 ing each floor so that it will slide on  
 cleats and can be easily removed and  
 cleaned. The nests are usually built in  
 tiers against the rear wall of the pen,  
 extending from the floor to 7 or 8 feet  
 high, but they may also be placed on  
 the side walls. All partitions should  
 be solid to the top of the nests, but it  
 is advisable to use wire netting above  
 the nests for ventilation.

**PRODUCING EGGS IN WINTER**

**First Essential Is Hen Bred for That  
 Particular Purpose—Proper Feed-  
 ing Is Important.**

"If you want winter eggs the first es-  
 sential is a hen that is bred for win-  
 ter laying. This character of winter  
 laying is inherited from the male bird.  
 The next essential is proper feeding  
 methods.

Many fowls take the feed given them  
 and convert it into fat, while those  
 with the born tendency to lay con-  
 vert the surplus above that needed for  
 body maintenance into eggs. Every  
 hen is born with a certain number of  
 small ova, which the hen will devel-  
 op if she is fed such feed as she needs  
 to nourish them.

**CHICKENS WITH WEAK LEGS**

**Trouble Caused by Feeding Young  
 Fowls Too Much Protein or by Too  
 Much Heat in Brooder.**

Leg weakness in chickens is caused  
 by feeding the young chicks too much  
 protein, or too much heat in the brood-  
 er. In case the brooder is overheated  
 reduce the temperature but not to a  
 degree that will make the chicks un-  
 comfortable. In case the difficulty is  
 caused through excess of protein, in-  
 crease the ash by feeding oyster shells.  
 Leg weakness generally is overcome  
 when conditions are changed by prop-  
 er feeding methods.

**SELL ALL NONLAYING FOWLS**

**Close Culling of Overfat and Deter-  
 mined Sitters Is Recommended—  
 Bringing High Price.**

Old hens are bringing an unusually  
 high price now and for this time of  
 year. A close culling of overfat and  
 determined sitters is recommended.

Sell those idle nonproducing hens; if  
 they won't lay in this kind of weather  
 it is a "cluck" that they won't do  
 much this winter.



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 tious to tread the boards, and when I  
 finally butted in among the stage  
 scenery, I felt that I was really due."  
 "Well, how about it?" queried the  
 great tragedian, Count DeTies.  
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 the near actor. "Before I had played  
 one consecutive night I discovered  
 that instead of being due I was a  
 frost."

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**Accounted For.**  
 "He's a breezy chap."  
 "Naturally, since he's just managed  
 to raise the wind."

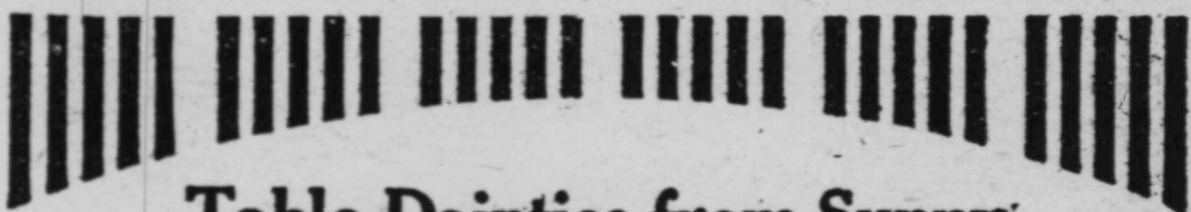
After extensive experimenting an  
 Englishman has perfected a steam-driven  
 motorcycle.

**A Solemn Warning.**  
 "Do you think our republic is in dan-  
 ger?"  
 "Certainly not," replied Senator Sor-  
 ghum. "It is reasonably safe now.  
 All I say is that I shudder to think  
 of what may befall it if I should hap-  
 pen not to be re-elected."

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 buildings valued at \$36,237,395.

Cuba annually imports about 600,  
 000,000 cubic feet of lumber.



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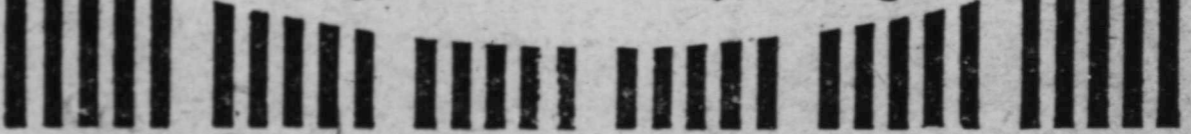


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Instruments filed for record in County Clerk's office, Reeves county, Texas:

Oct. 23 to 28, inclusive.

T. J. Sisk et ux to R. R. Youngblood, N. 1-2 and Sw. 1-4 sec. 192, blk 13, H & G N, \$19,000. Deed.

J. W. Parker to Minnie Vickers, sec. 1, blk 3, H & G N, \$627.47. Deed.

F. O. Pierce to W. M. Wright, 400 acres section 18, blk 72, P S, \$300. Deed.

Henry Lewis et ux to Sol Mayer, sec. N 3 4 32, W 1-233, N 3-4 40, and 635 acres 44, blk 56, tp 8, T & P, \$2231. Deed of trust.

P. A. Cooney et ux to Wm. H. Hatton, sec. 39, 33, 32, 29, 37, blk 2, sec. 3, 5, 7, blk 3, H & G N, \$10 etc. Deed.

H. M. Wilson to S. B. McDavid, N 1-2 sec. 14, blk 53, P S, \$1099. Deed.

C. A. Martin, sec. 18 and 29, T & P. Mineral application.

R. S. Johnson to Clay Cooke, sec. 1, block 3, H & G N, \$299.50. Deed.

A. W. Dunn to E. J. Bottis, lots 2 and 3, blk 79, Pecos, \$1 00 etc. Deed.

H. A. Erwin et ux to J. A. Willis, Sw 1 4 of Ne 1-4 sec. 6, blk 53, tp 4, T & P, \$1 etc. Deed.

J. W. Shaw, Bishop, to Rt. Rev. A. J. Schuler, all real estate. \$10 etc. Deed.

West Texas Sulphur Co to O. M. Haire, lots 11115 to 11119, sec 6, blk 59, P S, \$159. Deed.

West Texas Sulphur Co to B. F. Davis, lot 9839, sec 8, blk 59, P S, \$30. Deed.

Pony Andrews to Oliver King, sec 15, blk C21, P S, \$1500. Deed.

R. G. Hardgrave et al to J. D. Smith, 1-2 interest sec 27, blk 57, P S, 100 acres sec 181, blk 1, H & T C, 16 bulls \$1299. Deed of trust.

See if your creamery butter package contains 15 ounces or a full pound. Ask your grocer for Flowing Wells Creamery. These 96-3 rings.

Pecos, Friday, Nov. 10

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Superb Free Street Parade at 10 a. m.

PECOS ALL STARS vs HIGH SCHOOL

The following write-up of the foot ball game was handed in too late for publication but while it may appear a little odd it is nevertheless a well written and interesting account of a good game which will be relished by Enterprise readers:

The Pecos High School foot ball warriors definitely determined their superiority in handling the pigskin on the local grid-iron here last Monday when they overwhelmingly defeated the Pecos All Stars 18 to 6. A vast and enthusiastic audience gathered under a clear sky to witness the best exhibition of foot ball that has ever been staged in Pecos. The battle was hard fought and it was not until the latter half of the game that the keenest critic could have foretold the outcome of the game. It was something more than a foot ball game, it was a classic staged before wildly cheering, yelling, shouting students, frenzied partisans and others who had no personal interests in either side, but who were caught in the spirit of the tumult and trapped in the atmosphere of a school day.

The game was won on straight foot ball and splendid kicking. The veteran ends, Jones and Hefner, played a stellar game, often catching long forward passes. The seasoned back field men, Glover, Floyd, Wheeler and Prewitt, were bulwarks on defense and terrers when carrying

the ball. The Pecos High School team had the advantage in team work which they wielded with effect.

The long forward passes from Wheeler to Hayden and the meteor-like running of Greer were the sensational plays made by the All Stars. But the old seasoned foot ball heroes were forced to yield their supremacy to the more agile players of a younger generation.

The game stood by halves:

The High School won the toss, and chose to defend the north goal. Wheeler kicked off to Hudson, who made a brilliant open field run, and returned the ball 40 yards. By a series of line bucks the High School succeeded in making a touch down. Glover failed to kick goal.

Glover kicked off to Haygood who returned the pigskin 20 yards. Forward pass from Wheeler to Hayden netted twenty yards. Greer went around left end for a touch down. Failed to kick goal. The remainder of the half was played on the All Star territory.

The second half began by a kick-off from Jones to Wheeler, who returned 32 yards. The All Stars failed to make the down. The ball went over to the High School: The All Stars began to weaken. After a series of line bucks and forward passes the High School made its second touch down. Failed to kick goal.

The Enterprise \$1 per year.

Master Sidney Padgett, who has been out in this country for two months visiting his sisters, Mrs. Geo. K. Jackson and Miss Julia Padgett, and who spent a part of the time on the U ranch, left today for his home at Colorado.

The New South American Drink; that you'll like. Without objections. El Mate 5p. Pronounced El Ma-tay.

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Good for the Nerves,  
Good for the Stomach,  
That's El Mate, 5c.

CITATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

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

You are hereby commanded to summon J. T. Camp 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 Seventieth Judicial District, but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Seventieth 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 Third Monday in November A. D. 1916, the same being the 27th day of November A. D. 1916, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of September A. D. 1916, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1669, wherein C. L. Dodge is Plaintiff, and J. T. Camp is Defendant, and said petition alleging, That said suit is for debt on promissory vendor's lien note dated July 20, 1909, for \$75.00 payable two years after date, with interest at 10 per cent per annum from date until paid and unpaid interest at 10 per cent per annum from maturity until paid, interest payable annually, 10 per cent attorney fees and costs of suit; said note executed and delivered by E. G. Johnson to G. M. Dodge, since deceased, and thereafter duly sold and transferred to plaintiff, the present legal owner and holder thereof, and for foreclosure of vendor's lien on Lots 4, 5, and 6, Block No. 25, in the town of Toyah, Texas, as it existed on July 20, 1909, said land having thereafter been conveyed by mesne conveyances to the defendant, J. T. Camp, said lien having been retained in said note and in the deed conveying said land from the said C. M. Dodge to the said E. G. Johnson. 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 the same. Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this the 13th day of October, A. D. 1916.

WILLIE-DE WOODS, Clerk, District Court, Reeves Co. (L.S.) By Lila Williams, Deputy.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Reeves.

By Virtue of a certain Alias Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, on the 2nd day of October, 1916, by Miss Willie-de Woods, Clerk of said Court, against A. V. Stein, for the sum of Forty-three and 17-100 (\$43 17) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 166A in said

Court, styled The State of Texas versus A. V. Stein and placed in my hands for service, I, Tom Harrison, as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 2nd day of October, 1916, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Reeves County, described as follows, to-wit: West one-half (W 1-2) of Section No. 8, Block No. 3, N. H. Thorpe, Original Grantee, and levied upon as the property of said A. V. Stein. And on Tuesday, the 7th day of November, 1916, at the Court House door of Reeves County, in the town of Pecos, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I will sell said premises at public vendue, to cash, to the highest bidder, of the property of said A. V. Stein, by virtue of said levy and order of sale.

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

Witness my hand, this 4th day of October, 1916.

TOM HARRISON, Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Reeves.

By Virtue of a certain order issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, on the 2nd day of October, 1916, by Miss Willie-de Woods, Clerk of said Court, against J. L. Tyler, for the sum of two hundred and seventy-five and 100/100 (\$275.41) Dollars, and costs of suit, in cause No. 166A in said Court, styled Brooks versus J. L. Tyler and placed in my hands for service, I, Tom Harrison, as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 2nd day of October, 1916, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Reeves County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Undivided one-fourth interest in the southwest part of Section No. 8, Block 4, Cert. No. 8449, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey, in Reeves County, Texas, which part is more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the 11-2 galvanized pipe marked N. E. Kraus, in the south line of Section No. 8, 129.4 varas S. of the center of a 3x1 1-2 iron pipe marked B4, for the southeast corner of said survey—Thence south 1827.6 varas to a 3x1 1-2 iron pipe marked S. W. 66-B4, the northeast corner of Charles Schillings' Pre-emption, and the southwest corner of said survey—Thence north 348.8 varas pass a 3x4 galvanized pipe marked N. W. 66-B4, the northeast corner of said survey, and interior corner of the Charles Schillings' Pre-emption—Thence 580.45' east to 208 varas to the northeast corner of the Charles Schillings' Pre-emption 1827.6 varas in a point, the center of an irrigation ditch, the northeast corner of this survey—Thence south 320.17' 2, at the center of said ditch, pass a 3x4 galvanized pipe marked N. E. B. Kraus on the south line of said ditch 950 varas to the point of beginning—save and except portions of the above described land as have been heretofore sold under the orders of the District Court of Reeves County, by Ora E. Harrison, Receiver for the Southern Land Development Company. The parcel of land above described is 207.68 acres, is situated in the northern part of Reeves County, one-half mile north of the City of Pecos, and is known as the property of the Southern Land Development Company, and the City Addition to Pecos City, Texas, and the said undivided one-fourth interest therein is levied upon as the property of said defendant, J. L. Tyler, and on Tuesday, the 7th day of November, 1916, at the Court House door of Reeves County, in the town of Pecos, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I will sell said property at public vendue, to cash, to the highest bidder, of the property of said defendant, J. L. Tyler, by virtue of said levy and order of sale.

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Witness my hand, this 4th day of October, 1916.

TOM HARRISON, Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.



**The Cattlemen's Trust Company**  
OF FORT WORTH  
R. D. Gage, President  
Will Consider Applications for  
**Cattle Loans**  
and invites correspondence.  
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**Turkey Day Next Big Event--November 18**

Knowing the great possibilities of poultry raising in the Pecos Valley and wishing in every way to encourage and awaken the farmer to the fact that they heretofore have been overlooking a source of income that is one of the main reliances in other parts of Texas—a reliance which is proving to be one of the most important the farm affords, and one from which can always be drawn ready cash—the Pecos Valley Commercial Club has inaugurated this first great Turkey Day in Pecos on Saturday, November 18th, and on this day guarantees to have a buyer who will give the highest market price for every turkey brought to Pecos on that day. It matters not where you live, bring in your turkeys and get your cash.

The live and progressive business men of Pecos offer the following valuable prizes which will be given away at the fountain at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Turkey Day, November 18th:

Special offer: "I want to buy the biggest turkey brought to Pecos on Turkey Day and will pay Ten Dollars in cash for it."  
—W. E. Hamilton, road contractor.

**For the Party Bringing the Greatest Number of Turkeys—**

- L. E. Alexander, \$1.
- Pecos Valley State Bank, \$5.
- First National Bank, \$2.50.
- Pruett Lumber Co., \$2.50.
- Prewit & Wadley, 100 pounds of Prewit & Wadley's Special Hen Food.
- Pecos Dry Goods Co., \$2.50 in merchandise.
- Coon's Bakery, \$2.00 in m'dse.
- O. J. Green Grocery, \$2.50 in merchandise.
- Brady-Camp Jewelry Co., \$2.50 in merchandise.
- Pecos City Studio, \$2.50 trade.

Max Ritz Barber Shop, haircut, shave, shampoo, tonic, bath and shine.

City Pharmacy, \$3.50 pail International poultry powder.

**For the Party Cringing Turkeys the Longest Distance—**

- L. E. Alexander, fire insurance, \$1.00.
- Pecos Mercantile Co., \$5 m'dse.
- Vickers & Collings, \$2.50 in merchandise.
- Zimmer Hardware Co., \$2.50 in merchandise.
- John Lilley, grocer, \$2.50 m'dse.
- D. W. Bozeman, 75c box Rexall face powder.
- Orient Hotel, dinner for two.
- Pecos Times, 1 years subscription.

**For Party Bringing in Load of 35 Turkeys of Greatest Aggregate Weight—**

- L. E. Alexander, fire insurance, \$1.
- B. G. Smith, grocer, \$2.50 in merchandise.

**For Party Bringing in 20 Turkeys, this Year's Growth—**

- Stephens Barber Shop, haircut, shave, shampoo, tonic, bath and shine.
- S. B. Short, tinner and plumber, \$4.50 automatic feed or water trough.

**For Heaviest Gobbler—**

- Williamson & Dickie, \$4 Malloy cravanette hat.
- E. L. Collings, insurance, \$1.
- Times, years subscription.
- Pecos Hotel, meals for two.

**For Heaviest Hen—**

- W. T. Read Mercantile Co., \$2.50 in merchandise.
- Hubbs & Palmer, suit of clothes pressed.

**For Youngest Girl Bringing Turkeys—**

- D. W. Bozeman, \$2 bottle Rexall toilet water.
- M. H. Schermerhorn, \$1.

**For Oldest Person With Turkeys—**

- One year's subscription to The Enterprise.

**Best Hen and Gobbler (the pair)—**

- T. E. Brown, furniture store, a \$2.50 rocker.
- City Garage, \$1.

Ollie King is up from Midland for a few days.

O. H. Beauchamp made a business trip to Houston last week.

Seth Lewis spent the forepart of the week in town with his family.

Mrs. Ada Cochran spent Sunday with home folk at Ft. Stockton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Welborn were visitors in Pecos Friday of last week.

I. T. Kesler left the forepart of the week on a business trip to Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ad Owen attended the fair at San Angelo the early part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Jordan have returned from a visit to the State Fair at Dallas.

Mesdames Odell and Black of Saragosa, were in Pecos Sunday attending church.

Rev. Downing of Barstow, was in Pecos Thursday attending the Lockett Adair revival.

Sheriff Tom Harrison and family and Mrs. Winsauer and son spent Sunday at Porterville.

Mrs. Mary Owen has returned home from Llano where she has been visiting for two months.

Mrs. M. E. Ray has returned from Fort Worth where she had been visiting for a month.

Uncle Joe Seay was in from his Culberson county ranch yesterday shaking hands with Pecos friends.

E. F. Fuqua, that popular and prosperous Saragosa trader, was in the city Sunday shaking hands and attending church.

Miss Ruth Moore has returned to her home at Stamford after a pleasant visit to her brother, Dr. W. H. Moore and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Rogers and children came in last week from Batesville, Arkansas, and will reside at the Weid farm.

Mrs. F. P. Richburg returned Tuesday from a months visit to her son, J. H. Richburg and family, at Clovis, New Mexico.

Mrs. J. W. Moore has returned from an extended visit to relatives in Kentucky. She also visited in St. Louis and Kansas City.

Jno. B. Howard accompanied Dug Coalson of Toyah, on a bear hunt in the mountains of Culberson county last week. They report success.

Judge Ben Palmer has moved his law office from the Syndicate building and now occupies a suite of rooms at the head of the stairs over the First National Bank.

Mrs. T. B. Pruett and son, T. B., Jr., returned from Dallas Sunday where they had been in a sanitarium for some time. They are both reported as greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Pomeroy arrived home Tuesday from Independence, Kansas, where they were called some weeks ago on account of the death of Mr. Pomeroy's father.

Dr. and Mrs. H. N. Lusk arrived Saturday afternoon from Goldthwaite, driving through in their auto, and are at home to their many friends at the Woods place on Hickory street. Dr. and Mrs. Lusk need no introduction to the people here, having resided here and at Toyah for the past ten years, with the exception of their six months residence at Goldthwaite, and they are being heartily received and welcomed by the entire citizenship.

Mrs. Everett Johnson of Keechee, Louisiana, is here with her two beautiful children on a visit with her Parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Johnson. Mrs. Johnson will be better known in Pecos as "Miss Mary Johnson" who did not change her name when married to Everett Johnson. Mrs. Johnson was once a Pecos belle, bright, beautiful, amiable and popular. She has lost little, if any, of her beauty and lovable disposition, and her many Pecos friends will enjoy her month's visit here probably as much as will she and the babies.

Louis Scherts, the sage, bone and sinew of Brogado, and a real "good fellow well met" whose home is always welcome to his friends, was a visitor in the county capital Thursday. He looks as well fed, happy and jovial as ever.

**CITATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any constable of Reeves county—greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Emma White 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 third Monday in November 1916, the same being the 20th day of November 1916, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 7th day of July 1916, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1839 wherein Mitchell White is plaintiff, and Emma White is defendant, and said petition alleging that the defendant is an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and that he has resided in Reeves county for at least six months next preceding the filing of this suit, and that on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1907, plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant, that they continued to live together as husband and wife until about July 1st, 1913, when by reason of the cruel and harsh treatment, and improper conduct of defendant toward plaintiff, he was forced to permanently abandon her, and since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife. Plaintiff alleges that during the time he and defendant lived together as aforesaid, he was kind and affectionate to her, and always provided for her support and maintenance, but defendant, unmindful of the duties and obligations of her marital vows began a course of unkind, harsh, outrageous treatment toward plaintiff, which continued until plaintiff was forced and compelled to abandon her, as aforesaid. That defendant was insulting and violently abusive in her treatment toward plaintiff, and negligent of her marital duties in every respect, and did so without any cause or provocation on the part of plaintiff. The defendant became addicted to the immoderate use of intoxicating liquors, and became a drunkard, and also became a lewd woman, and lived for many months with other men, which men were drunkards and vagabonds and gamblers; and defendant was arrested, indicted and convicted in the District court of Lawrence, Massachusetts for the offense of lewdness and also for drunkenness and was sentenced to serve a term of three months imprisonment upon the State Farm of the said state of Massachusetts, and did serve same, all of which occurred after her marriage with plaintiff. That the defendant has not reformed, but is still living a life of shame

and disgrace. That such conduct upon the part of the defendant is unbearable to plaintiff, and renders their living together as husband and wife insupportable. Therefore plaintiff prays that the defendant be cited to appear and answer herein, and for judgment dissolving said marriage relations, and for costs of suit and all other and further relief, to which he may be entitled.

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

Witness Willie-de Woods clerk of the District court of Reeves county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this the 19th day of October, 1916.

WILLIE-DE WOODS,  
Clerk, District court, Reeves Co.  
(Seal) By Lila Williams, Deputy.

**CITATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

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

You are hereby commanded to summon Juan Franco 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 on the third Monday in November, 1916, the same being the 20th day of November 1916, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 9th day of October, 1916, in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said Court No. 1664 wherein Marie Franco is Plaintiff, and Juan Franco is Defendant, and said petition alleging; that the plaintiff is an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and has resided in said County of Reeves for at least six months next preceding the filing of this suit; that on or about the 1st day of January, A. D. 1903, plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant in Brewster County, Texas; plaintiff then being a single woman by the name of Marie Baldez; that they continued to live together as husband and wife until about the 1st day of November 1910, and during all the time they lived together as aforesaid, plaintiff was always kind and affectionate to her said husband and was ever mindful of her marital duties toward him, and did all in her power to make him a good and faithful wife, but the defendant unmindful of his duties and obligations towards plaintiff, and without any cause whatever, left her with the intention of abandonment, and did permanently abandon plaintiff, and their children; and left her to make a living for herself and children, and has not contributed anything to the support of plaintiff or her children for more than three years next preceding the filing of this suit. That said abandonment has been for a period of more than three years. That plaintiff does not know the whereabouts of defendant, and does not know his place of residence. Therefore plaintiff prays the Court that defendant be cited by publication to appear and answer herein, and for judgment dissolving said marriage relations, for costs of suit, etc.

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

Witness Willie-de Woods Clerk of the District Court of Reeves County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this the 9th day of October, 1916.

WILLIE-DE WOODS,  
Clerk District Court, Reeves Co.  
By Lila Williams, Deputy.

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"I'm glad my wife is in politics," remarked Mr. Growcher.

"Why?"

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A pear tree on the farm of J. S. Eagle in Shoemakersville, Pa., 163 years old, is bearing fruit.

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## BRITISH SHIP WITH 49 AMERICANS SUNK

THIRTY-FOUR OF CREW OF 104 OF MARINA LANDED AT CROOK HAVEN.

## THE ROWANMORE GOES DOWN

Latter Ship Had Seven Americans on Board, Including Five Filipinos, All Saved.

London.—The American embassy has received a report from Wealey Frost, American consul at Queens-town, that the British steamship Marina had been torpedoed without warning 100 miles west of Cape Clear on Oct. 28.

A report on the sinking on Oct. 26 of the British steamship Rowanmore also was made to the American embassy by Mr. Frost, who states that the vessel was torpedoed. Seven Americans, including five Filipinos, were on board the Rowanmore. Several of them have given Mr. Frost affidavits stating that a submarine shelled lifeboats while they were being lowered and they were clear of the ship, without causing loss of life.

A private telegram received at the American consulate from Crook Haven says a number of Americans were drowned when the British steamship Marina was sunk.

In reply to an inquiry from the American embassy the admiralty said that there were 49 Americans in the crew of the Marina.

No official information is available whether any Americans were drowned, although only 34 survivors of the crew of 104 have been landed at Crook Haven. The Marina, which was outward bound, was torpedoed twice and broke in two. It is reported that men were drowned while attempting to lower boats.

The admiralty says the Marina was not under government charter.

The Marina, which has been engaged in trans-Atlantic service, was a vessel of 5,204 tons gross, built in 1900.

## GERMANS RECAPTURE TRENCHES

Push French Out in Region of Blache and Capture 412 Frenchmen.

London.—In a vigorous counter-attack launched with huge effectiveness the Germans facing the French south of the Somme river in France have recaptured parts of their former trenches north of La Maisonette and in the region of Blaches. In addition 412 Frenchmen were made prisoners by the Germans. To the north of the river, however, both the French and the British succeeded in advancing their lines—the British between Les Boeufs and Morval and the French northwest of Sully-Sail-lisel. In the latter engagement 60 Germans were captured.

While in the Dobrudja region of Roumania the Teutonic allies are keeping up their advance, on the Transylvania front the Roumanians still are fighting hard in the Prahova valley and the Jiu valley, where fresh gains have been made by them. In the Rothenthurm pass region Berlin records a new success for the Austro-Germans, but admits that southwest of the Szurdok pass the Roumanians have forced the Austro-German columns to fall back.

### Road Building Increases.

Washington.—An enormous increase in the total expenditures for road building and bridge construction marked the development of highway work in the United States during the past 12 years. Statistics compiled by the office of public roads show that the expenditures for this work increased from approximately \$80,000,000 a year in 1904, to about \$282,000,000 in 1915, or more than 250 per cent.

### Famous German Aviator Killed.

Berlin.—Captain Boelke, the famous German aviator, collided with another aeroplane in the course of an aerial combat on Oct. 28, and on landing behind the German lines died as a result of his injuries. On Oct. 27, Captain Boelke had shot down his fortieth hostile aeroplane.

### Railroad Sold for \$12,000,000.

Cleveland, Ohio.—At a sale, conducted under the direction of the United States district court here, the Wheeling & Lake Erie railroad was sold to Blair & company, and Kuhn, Loeb & company, New York, for \$12,000,000.

### New Loan to Britain Arranged.

New York.—Official announcement was made by J. P. Morgan & Co. that a new British loan by American bankers aggregating \$300,000,000 had been arranged.

## AN EPITOME OF EVENTS

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN HAPPENINGS SERVED UP IN ATTRACTIVE STYLE.

## EUROPEAN WAR HAPPENINGS

Everything Important That Could Be Confined to a Small Space is Found Here.

Prince von Beulow, former German imperial chancellor, recently informed a neutral newspaper man that since the beginning of the war Germany had constructed 225 submarines, says a dispatch from Constantine.

Gold amounting to \$15,000,000 from Canada was deposited at the assay office by J. P. Morgan & Co., acting as fiscal and commercial agents of the British government. This makes a total of \$450,000,000 received thus far this year.

The Leyland line steamship Anglain arrived at Boston from London armed for the first time since she began trips to this port. The Anglain brought back 2,500 cases of cartridges manufactured in this country for the British government which were said to have failed to pass war office requirements.

The Vienna newspapers announce that Dr. von Koerber, former Austrian prime minister, has been appointed premier in succession to Count Karl Stergkh, says a dispatch from Amsterdam. He has undertaken the formation of a new cabinet.

Fifty-two acts of heroism were recognized by the Carnegie Hero Fund at its fall meeting in Pittsburgh last week. In six cases silver medals were awarded; in 46 bronze medals. Twelve of the heroes lost their lives, and to the dependents of six of these pensions, aggregating \$3,120 yearly, were granted.

The threatened paper famine, which months ago caused cries of distress among the German publishers, appears now to be a thing of the past, according to a dispatch from Berlin. The manufacturers already feel it necessary to take steps to encourage consumption.

Virtually the entire German manufacturing industry has been united in a single organization for the first time through the formation in Berlin of a so-called German industrial council to meet new conditions after the war and to co-operate in the recovery of German's lost foreign trade.

Ten German torpedo boat destroyers attempted to raid the British cross-channel transport service, but the attempt failed, says an official statement issued by the British admiralty. Two of the German destroyers were sunk and the others were driven off. One British torpedo boat destroyer is missing and another was disabled by a torpedo and ran aground. The German destroyers succeeded in sinking one empty transport.

A Thanksgiving appeal for funds to relieve suffering among the widows and orphans in Germany has been issued by the American relief commission, backed by the approval of James W. Gerard, United States ambassador to Germany, who expressed the belief that a liberal contribution would make good to make for a more friendly feeling between Germany and the United States.

Pope Benedict has sent to Cardinal Gibbons a contribution of 10,000 francs to head a list of contributions in the United States for the assistance of the children of Belgium.

Lloyd's Shipping agency reports that the steamer Rowanmore has been sunk. The Rowanmore was a ship of 10,340 tons gross register. Part of her cargo was 9,600 bales of cotton loaded at Baltimore Oct. 13. The cotton was valued at about \$780,000.

According to the biennial report of J. T. Robison, commissioner of the general land office, there remained unsold school land on Aug. 31, 1,065,874 acres. This is all that remains out of the vast domain that originally belonged to the school fund of Texas.

A rock crusher and an oil distributing machine has been bought by the city of San Antonio at a cost of \$5,000. This machinery will be used for keeping the city streets in repair.

Three men were probably mortally burned and four others less seriously injured by a powder "flare-up" at the Haskell plant of the E. L. Du Pont de Nemours Powder company

Wheat prices made a sensational jump upward of more than 5c a bushel. The December option reached \$1.75 7-8 and a May \$1.75 3-4. Prodigious buying accompanied the advance.

The cost of feeding a family in Chicago has increased just 54 1-2 per cent within the last year, according to figures compiled by a local newspaper. The greatest increase, according to these figures, is in the actual necessities of life—flour, potatoes, sugar, meat, butter and beans.

A sudden violent break in the price of cotton futures in New Orleans, accompanied by the wildest scenes witnessed on the local market for many years, sent prices down 72 to 74 points, or about \$3.50 a bale on the most active months, within a period of a few minutes.

Conditions in northern Mexico, revolving on the new ascendancy of Villa as a military leader are commanding more attention than at any time since the border raids which resulted in the dispatch of the American punitive expedition.

Both the department of justice and the department of labor are watching closely the migration of southern negroes to northern industrial centers. The legal officers hope to check possible election frauds while the labor authorities are interested primarily in preventing the federal employment service from being used to further their migration schemes.

St. Louis detectives recovered \$13,000 of the \$32,000 stolen from a paymaster of the Burroughs Adding Machine company in Detroit Aug. 4. The detectives recovered the money by opening two safety deposit boxes at the Mercantile Trust company. The keys to the boxes were received from Dallas, Texas, where James Walton of St. Louis, was arrested.

To ascertain the sentiment of the railroad men in this campaign John Grunau, former Progressive member of the legislature and general yardmaster on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, at Chicago, sent out 10,000 postal cards to the railroad men in the Twenty-first senatorial district. When 960 had been returned, the vote stood: Wilson 880, Hughes 80, Lowden 556, Dunne 304.

Forty-three gallons of milk, containing 26.62 pounds of butter, were produced on a very limited quantity of food by a cow owned by J. A. Bobbitt of Hillsboro, one of the three winners in the 12 day dairy test at the state fair at Dallas. In the 20 milkings she produced 346.75 pounds of milk, 6 per cent of which was butter fat. She consumed 145.38 feed units and won 365.12 points in the contest.

Upon application of B. F. Bush, receiver of the St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern railway company, following a failure of payment of a judgment exceeding \$400,000 rendered by Federal Judge Rufus E. Foster at Shreveport in a suit against the Texas & Pacific railway company, a receivership was ordered for the Texas & Pacific. Pearl Wight, a prominent New Orleans business man, and J. L. Lancaster, vice president and general manager of the Texas & Pacific, were appointed receivers by Judge Foster at Shreveport, La.

The Santa Fe railway in Guthrie, Okla., has put a large force of men at work enlarging its yards preparatory to putting in a twenty-stall roundhouse and putting in other improvements, to cost over \$250,000.

General Venustiano Carranza has formally announced his candidacy for the presidency of Mexico in response to a manifesto of the new constitutional-liberal party, which induced him to run and offered him its loyalty and support.

Charles A. R. Campbell of San Antonio, Texas, pleaded almost exclusively for the life of the bat at the closing session of the annual convention of the American Public Health association at Cincinnati, Ohio. He said it is known that the bat feeds almost exclusively on mosquitoes and for that reason should be protected as mosquitoes spread malaria. He advocated that laws be passed by the various states prohibiting the killing of bats.

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**SARDINIA'S SAINTS' DAYS**  
Each Village Has Its Annual Festival, When It Celebrates the Birthday of Its Patron.

Each "pease" or village of Sardinia has its annual festival to celebrate the birthday of its own particular saint or some other church feast. The most renowned of these is the "festa" of "Saint Elisid," the national feast of the island. The ceremony is in the form of a procession from Cagliari, the chief city of Sardinia, a village nine miles away, with the return to Cagliari. The saint was an official in the army of Diocletian, and for his conversion to Christianity was beheaded at Paphos. At midday on May 1 the procession leaves and returns on the evening of May 4. It is composed of a cavalcade of horsemen, all in the costume of the ancient Sardinian militia, escorting the image of the saint, which is preceded by musicians playing the launeddas, an instrument made of three or four reeds of different lengths and resembling the pipe of ancient times.

No Need to Say Anything.  
Pat—What did Polly say when Arthur proposed to her?  
Clare—Nothing; she accepted him.

The Locality.  
"Where is the principal fighting?"  
"I think it is Somme—where in France."

The Domestic View.  
Exe—I see bread has risen.  
Mrs. Exe—Well, we want our bread to rise, don't we?

**When The Doctor Says "Quit"**  
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# The LONE STAR RANGER

By ZANE GREY

A ROMANCE OF THE BORDER  
AUTHOR OF  
"THE LIGHT OF WESTERN STARS"  
"RIDERS OF THE PURPLE SAGE", ETC.



### SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I—In Wells, Texas, it becomes with Buckley Duane a case of fight or run from Cal Bain. Duane kills his man and becomes an outlaw.

CHAPTER II—He meets Luke Stevens, an outlaw.

CHAPTER III—Stevens goes into the town of Mercer to buy supplies and is shot by a rancher. Duane buries him.

CHAPTER IV—Duane goes to Bland's outlaw stronghold in the Rim Rock and after shooting Bosmer, who quarrels with him over Stevens' death, decides to stay there. Euchre takes Duane for a partner and tells him about Bland, the outlaw chief, and his band.

### CHAPTER V.

Duane looked around him for a book or a paper, anything to read; but all the printed matter he could find consisted of a few words on cartridge boxes and an advertisement on the back of a tobacco pouch. There seemed to be nothing for him to do. He had rested; he did not want to lie down any more. He began to walk to and fro, from one end of the room to the other. And as he walked he fell into the lately acquired habit of brooding over his misfortune.

The valley was an ideal retreat for an outlaw band operating on a big scale. Pursuit scarcely need be feared over the broken trails of the Rim Rock. And the open end of the valley could be defended against almost any number of men coming down the river.

Duane must have idled considerable time up on the hill, for when he returned to the shack Euchre was busily engaged around the camp-fire.

"Wal, glad to see you ain't so pale about the gills as you was," he said, by the way of greeting. "Pitch in an' we'll soon have grub ready. There's shore one consolin' fact round this here camp."

"What's that?" asked Duane.

"Plenty of good juicy beef to eat. An' it doesn't cost a short bit."

"But it costs hard rides and trouble, and conscience, and life, too, doesn't it?"

"I ain't shore about the bad conscience. Mine never bothered me none. An' as for life, why, that's cheap in Texas."

"Who is Bland?" asked Duane, quickly changing the subject. "What do you know about him?"

"We don't know who he is or where he hails from," replied Euchre. "That's always been somethin' to interest the gang. He must have been a young man when he struck Texas. Now he's middle-aged. I remember how years ago he was soft-spoken an' not rough an' talk or act like he is now. Bland ain't likely his right name. He knows a lot. He can doctor you, an' he's shore a knowin' feller with tools. He's the kind that rules men. Outlaws are always ridin' in here to join his gang, an' if it hadn't been for the gambler's an' gun-play he'd have a thousand men around him."

"How many in his gang now?"

"I reckon there's short of a hundred now. The number varies. Then Bland has several small camps up an' down the river. Also he has men back on the cattle-ranges."

"How does he control such a big force?" asked Duane. "Especially when his band's composed of bad men. Luke Stevens said he had no use for Bland. And I heard once somewhere that Bland was a devil."

"That's it. He is a devil. He's as hard as flint, violent in temper, never made any friends except his right-hand men, Dave Rugg an' Chess Alloway. Bland 'll shoot at a wink. He's killed a lot of fellers, an' some fer nothin'.

The reason that outlaws gather round him an' stick is because he's a safe refuge, an' then he's well heeled. Bland is rich. They say he has a hundred thousand pesos hid somewhere, an' lots of gold. But he's free with money. He gambles when he's not off with a shipment of cattle. He throws money around. An' the fact is there's always plenty of money where he is. That's what holds the gang. Dirty, bloody money!"

"It's a wonder he hasn't been killed. All these years on the border!" exclaimed Duane.

"Wal," replied Euchre, dryly, "he's been quicker on the draw than the other fellers who hankered to kill him, that's all."

Euchre's reply rather chilled Duane's interest for the moment. Such remarks always made his mind resolve round facts pertaining to himself.

"Wal," he resumed, presently, "that's your introduction to the border, Buck. An' your card was a high trump. You'll be let severely alone by real gun-fighters an' men like Bland, Alloway, Rugg, an' the bosses of the other gangs. After all, these real men are men, you know, an' unless you cross them they're no more likely to interfere with you than you are with them."

"The only feller who's goin' to put a close eye on you is Benson. He runs the store an' sells drinks. The gang calls him Jackrabbit Benson, because he's always got his eye peeled an' his ears cocked."

"Bland's not here tonight. He left to-day on one of his trips, takin' Alloway an' some others. But his other man, Rugg, he's here. Rugg's the little bow-legged man with half of his face shot off. He's one-eyed. But he can shore see out of the one he's got. An' there's Hardin. You know him? He's got an outlaw gang as big as Bland's."

Euchre went on calling Duane's attention to other men of the band. Any one of them would have been a marked man in a respectable crowd. Here each took his place with more or less distinction, according to the record of his past wild prowess and his present possibilities. Duane, realizing that he was tolerated there, received in careless spirit by this terrible class of outcasts, experienced a feeling of revulsion that amounted almost to horror. Was his being there not an ugly dream? What had he in common with such ruffians? Then in a flash of memory came the painful proof—he was a criminal in sight of Texas law; he, too, was an outcast.

### CHAPTER VI.

Next morning Duane found that a moody and despondent spell had fastened on him. Wishing to be alone, he went out and walked a trail leading round the river bluff. He thought and thought. After a while he made out that the trouble with him probably was that he could not resign himself to his fate. He cared vastly more, he discovered, for what he considered honor and integrity than he did for life. He saw that it was bad for him to be alone. But, it appeared, lonely months and perhaps years inevitably must be his.

Another thing puzzled him. In the bright light of day he could not recall the state of mind that was his at twilight or dusk or in the dark night. By day these visitations became to him what they really were—phantoms of his conscience. He could dismiss the thought of them then. He could scarcely remember or believe that this strange feat of fancy or imagination had troubled him, made him sleepless and sick.

At length he determined to create interest in all that he came across and so forget himself as much as possible. He had an opportunity now to see just what the outlaw's life really was. He meant to force himself to be curious, sympathetic, clear-sighted. And he would stay there in the valley until its possibilities had been exhausted or until circumstances sent him out upon his uncertain way.

When he returned to the shack Euchre was cooking dinner.

"Say, Buck, I've news for you," he said; and his tone conveyed either pride in his possession of such news or pride in Duane. "Feller named Bradley rode in this mornin'. He's heard some about you. Told about the ace of spades they put over the bullet-holes in that cowpuncher Bain you plugged. Then there was a rancher shot at a water-hole twenty miles south of Wellston. Reckon you didn't do it?"

"No, I certainly did not," replied Duane.

"Wal, you get the blame. It ain't nothing for a feller to be saddled with gun-plays he never made. An', Buck, if you ever get famous, as seems likely, you'll be blamed for many a crime. The border 'll make an outlaw an' murderer out of you. Wal, that's enough of that. I've more news. You're goin' to be popular."

"Popular? What do you mean?"

"I met Bland's wife this mornin'. She seen you the other day when you rode in. She shore wants to meet you, an' so do some of the other women in camp. They always want to meet the new fellers who've just come in. It's lonesome for women here, an' they like to hear news from the towns."

"Well, Euchre, I don't want to be impolite, but I'd rather not meet any women," rejoined Duane.

"I was afraid you wouldn't. Don't blame you much. Women are hell. I was hopin', though, you might talk a little to that poor lonesome kid."

"What kid?" inquired Duane, in surprise.

"Didn't I tell you about Jennie—the girl Bland's holdin' here?"

"No. Tell me now," replied Duane, abruptly.

"Wal, I got it this way. Mebbe it's straight, an' mebbe it ain't. Some years ago Benson made a trip over the river to buy mescal an' other drinks. An' he run across a gang of greasers with some gringo prisoners. I don't know, but I reckon there was some barterin', perhaps murderin'. Anyway, Benson fetched the girl back. She was starved an' scared half to death. She hadn't been harmed. I reckon she was then about fourteen years old. Bland seen the kid right off and took her—bought her from Benson. You can gamble Bland didn't do that from notions of chivalry. Kate Bland's been hard on Jennie, but she's kept Bland an' the other men from treating the kid shameful. Late Jennie has grown into an all-fired pretty girl, an' Kate is powerful jealous over her. I can see hell brewin' over there in Bland's cabin. That's why I wish you'd come over with me. You'd get to see Jennie, an' mebbe you could help her. I had a baby girl once, an' if she'd lived she'd be as big as Jennie now, an' I wouldn't want her here in Bland's camp."

"I'll go, Euchre. Take me over," replied Duane. He felt Euchre's eyes upon him. The old outlaw, however, had no more to say.

In the afternoon Euchre set off with Duane, and soon they reached Bland's cabin. Duane remembered it as the



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one where he had seen the pretty woman watching him ride by. Through the open door Duane caught a glimpse of bright Mexican blankets and rugs.

Euchre knocked upon the side of the door.

"Is that you, Euchre?" asked a girl's voice, low, hesitatingly. The tone of it, rather deep and with a note of fear, struck Duane.

"Yes, it's me, Jennie. Where's Mrs. Bland?" answered Euchre.

"She went over to Deger's. There's somebody sick," replied the girl.

Euchre turned and whispered something about luck. The snap of the outlaw's eyes was added significance to Duane.

"Jennie, come out or let us come in. Here's the young man I was tellin' you about," Euchre said. "Come out, Jennie, an' mebbe he'll—"

Euchre did not complete his sentence. But what he said was sufficient to bring the girl quickly. She appeared in the doorway with downcast eyes and a stain of red in her white cheek. She had a pretty, sad face and bright hair.

"Don't be bashful, Jennie," said Euchre. "You an' Duane have a chance to talk a little. Now I'll go fetch Mrs. Bland, but I won't be hurryin'."

With that Euchre went away through the cottonwoods.

"I'm glad to meet you, Miss—Miss Jennie," said Duane. "Euchre didn't mention your last name. He asked me to come over to—"

Duane's attempt at pleasantries halted short when Jennie lifted her lashes to look at him. Some kind of a shock went through Duane. Her gray eyes

were beautiful, but it was not been beauty that cut short his speech. He seemed to see a tragic struggle between hope and doubt that shone in her piercing gaze. She kept looking, and Duane could not break the silence. It was no ordinary moment.

"What did you come here for?" she asked, at last.

"Well—Euchre thought—he wanted me to talk to you, cheer you up a bit," replied Duane, somewhat lamely. The earnest eyes embarrassed him.

"Euchre's good. He's the only person in this awful place who's been good to me. But he's afraid of Bland. He said you were different. Who are you?"

Duane told her.

"You're not a robber or rustler or murderer or some bad man come here to hide?"

"No, I'm not," replied Duane, trying to smile. "I'm on the dodge. You know what that means. I got in a shooting-scrap at home and had to run off. When it blows over I hope to go back."

"Oh, I know what these outlaws are. Yes, you're different." She kept the strained gaze upon him, but hope was kindling, and the hard lines of her youthful face were softening.

Something sweet and warm stirred deep in Duane as he realized the unfortunate girl was experiencing a birth of trust in him. Then the glow began to fade; doubt once more assailed her.

"It can't be. You're only—after me, too, like Bland—like all of them."

Duane's long arms went out and his hands clasped her shoulders. He shook her.

"Look at me—straight in the eye. There are decent men. Haven't you a father—a brother?"

"They're dead—killed by raiders. We lived in Dimmit County. I was carried away," Jennie replied, hurriedly. She put up an appealing hand to him. "Forgive me. I believe—I know you're good. It was only—I live so much in fear—I'm half crazy—I've almost forgotten what good men are like. Mister Duane, you'll help me?"

"Yes, Jennie, I will. Tell me how. What must I do? Have you any plan?"

"Oh no. But take me away."

"I'll try," said Duane, simply. "That won't be easy, though. Are you watched—kept prisoner?"

"No. I could run off lots of times. But I was afraid. I'd only have fallen into worse hands. Euchre has told me that. Mrs. Bland beats me, half starves me, but she has kept me from her husband and those other dogs. She's been as good as that, and I'm grateful. She hasn't done it for love of me, though. She always hated me. And lately she's growing jealous. I hear her fighting with Bland about me. Then I've heard Chess Alloway try to persuade Bland to give me to him. Duane, you must be quick if you'd save me."

"I realize that," replied he, thoughtfully. "I think my difficulty will be to fool Mrs. Bland. If she suspected me she'd have the whole gang of outlaws on me at once."

"She would that. You've got to be careful—and quick."

"What kind of a woman is she?" inquired Duane.

"She's—she's brazen. I've heard her with her lovers. They get drunk sometimes when Bland's away. She's got a terrible temper. She's vain. She likes flattery. Oh, you could fool her easy enough if you'd lower yourself to—"

"To make love to her?" interrupted Duane.

Jennie bravely turned shamed eyes to meet his.

"My girl, I'd do worse than that to get you away from here," he said, bluntly.

"But—Duane," she faltered, and again she put out the appealing hand. "Bland will kill you."

Duane made no reply to this. He was trying to still a rising strange tumult in his breast. The old emotion—the rush of the instinct to kill! He turned cold all over.

"Chess Alloway will kill you if Bland doesn't," went on Jennie, with her tragic eyes on Duane's.

"Maybe he will," replied Duane. It was difficult for him to force a smile. But he achieved one.

"Oh, better take me off at once," she said. "Save me without risking so much—without making love to Mrs. Bland!"

"Surely, if I can. There! I see Euchre coming with a woman."

"That's her. Oh, she mustn't see me with you."

"Wait—a moment," whispered Duane, as Jennie slipped indoors. "We've settled it. Don't forget. I'll find some way to get word to you, perhaps through Euchre. Meanwhile keep up your courage. Remember I'll save you somehow. We'll try strategy first. Whatever you see or hear me do, don't think less of me—"

Jennie checked him with a gesture and a wonderful gray flash of eyes.

"I'll bless you with every drop of blood in my heart," she whispered, passionately.

It was only as she turned away into the room that Duane saw she was lame and that she wore Mexican sandals over bare feet.

He sat down upon a bench on the

porch and directed his attention to the approaching couple. The trees of the grove were thick enough for him to make reasonably sure that Mrs. Bland had not seen him talking to Jennie. When the outlaw's wife drew near, the situation took on a singular zest.

Euchre came up on the porch and awkwardly introduced Duane to Mrs. Bland. She was young, probably not over twenty-five, and not quite so prepossessing at close range. Her eyes were large, rather prominent, and brown in color. Her mouth, too, was large, with the lips full, and she had white teeth.

Duane took her proffered hand and remarked frankly that he was glad to meet her.

Mrs. Bland appeared pleased; and her laugh, which followed, was loud and rather musical.

"Mr. Duane—Buck Duane. Euchre said, didn't he?" she asked.

"Buckley," corrected Duane. "The nickname's not my choosin'."

"I'm certainly glad to meet you, Buckley Duane," she said, as she took the seat Duane offered her. "Sorry to have been out. Kid Fuller's lying over at Deger's. You know he was shot last night. He's got fever to-day. When Bland's away I have to nurse all these shot-up boys, and it sure takes my time. Have you been waiting here alone? Didn't see that slattern girl of mine?"

She gave him a sharp glance. The woman had an extraordinary play of feature, Duane thought, and unless she was smiling was not pretty at all.

"I've been alone," replied Duane. "Haven't seen anybody but a sick-looking girl with a buckle. And she ran when she saw me."

"That was Jen," said Mrs. Bland. "She's the kid we keep here, and she sure hardly pays her keep. Did Euchre tell you about her?"

"Now that I think of it, he did say something or other."

"What did he tell you about me?" bluntly asked Mrs. Bland.

"Wal, Kate," replied Euchre, speaking for himself, "you needn't worry none, for I told Buck nothin' but compliments."

Evidently the outlaw's wife liked Euchre, for her keen glance rested with amusement upon him.

"As for Jen, I'll tell you her story some day," went on the woman. "It's a common enough story along this river. Euchre here is a tender-hearted old fool, and Jen has taken him in."

"Wal, seein' as you've got me figured correct," replied Euchre, dryly, "I'll go in an' talk to Jennie, if I may."

"Certainly. Go ahead. Jen calls you her best friend," said Mrs. Bland, amiably. "You're always fetchin' some Mexican stuff, and that's why, I guess."

When Euchre had shuffled into the house Mrs. Bland turned to Duane with curiosity and interest in her gaze.

"Bland told me about you."

"What did he say?" queried Duane, in pretended alarm.

"Oh, you needn't think he's done you dirt. Bland's not that kind of a man. He said: 'Kate, there's a young fellow in camp—rode in here on the dodge. Slickest hand with a gun I've seen for many a day! Magnificent chap. Bigger than any man in the valley. Just a great blue-eyed, sun-burned boy!'"

"Humph!" exclaimed Duane. "I'm sorry he led you to expect somebody worth seeing."

"But I'm not disappointed," she returned, archly. "Duane, are you going to stay long here in camp?"

"Yes, till I run out of money and have to move. Why?"

Mrs. Bland's face underwent one of the singular changes. The smiles and flushes and glances, all that had been coquettish about her, had lent her a certain attractiveness, almost beauty and youth. But with some powerful emotion she changed and instantly became a woman of discontent, Duane imagined, of deep, violent nature.

"I'll tell you, Duane," she said, earnestly, "I'm sure glad if you mean to bide here awhile. I'm a miserable woman, Duane. I'm an outlaw's wife, and I hate him and the life I have to lead. I'm sick for somebody to talk to. I have no children, thank God! If I had I'd not stay here. I'm sick of this hole. I'm lonely—"

Genuine emotion checked, then halted the hurried speech. She broke down and cried. Duane believed and pitied her.

"I'm sorry for you," he said.

"Don't be sorry for me," she said. "That only makes me see the difference between you and me. And don't pay any attention to what these outlaws say about me. They're ignorant. They couldn't understand me. You'll hear that Bland killed men who can hear me. But that's a lie."

"Would Bland object if I called on you occasionally?" inquired Duane.

"No, he wouldn't. He likes me to have friends. Ask him yourself when he comes back. The trouble has been that two or three men of his fell in love with me, and when half drunk got to fighting. You're not going to do that."

"I'm not going to get half drunk, that's certain," replied Duane.

(To be Continued)



**TOYAH NEWS**

A. L. Fitzgerald of El Paso, is here tuning pianos.

Rev. R. L. Armor was a Pecos visitor Thursday.

Henry Lewis is a business visitor in Sweetwater this week.

Mrs. Wm. Garlick of Pecos, visited her aunt, Mrs. Pope, this week.

T. T. Downes has returned from a visit of several days at Big Springs.

George Hall of Baird, is back looking after the water works of the T. & P. Railway.

Ira Jackson of Van Horn, was a business visitor at the Sayles ranch last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pope and Mrs. Jennie Arrington were visitors in Pecos Sunday.

Miss Aileen O'Keefe is at home after a delightful visit to relatives at Big Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Scholz and children have returned from a visit to relatives at Big Springs.

Rev. B. G. Richburg will fill his regular appointment at Balmorhea Sunday.

Mrs. Phillips arrived this morning and will spend some time with her husband at the sulphur mines.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Davis have returned from a delightful visit of several days to relatives in Big Springs.

A. Snell came in from the sulphur mines Saturday and spent Sunday with his wife at the Youngblood.

Mr. and Mrs. Walford of Big Springs, are doing light house-keeping at the Pope residence. He takes Roy Wilkes' place at the shops.

The members of the Rook club were entertained by Mrs. Tom Duncan Thursday afternoon of last week at her delightful home. There were three tables of players and all seemed to enter into the games with unusual zest. A delightful two-course luncheon was served, the hostess being assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Albert Tinnin. The rooms were attractively decorated with beautiful cut flowers from Mrs. Duncan's own flower garden. As the guests departed each was presented with a beautiful flower as a souvenir of this delightful occasion.

The Enterprise has a Scholarship in Tyler Commercial College for sale. The Scholarship entitles the holder to a complete course of Bookkeeping, Shorthand or Stenypewriting or will apply as a \$50 payment on a complete course of Telegraphy or Business Administration and Finance. Call at office for particulars.

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Major Wilson and wife of Barstow, after a short visit here with Mrs. Tena Adams, left last week, accompanied by Mrs. Adams and son, for a month's visit with relatives and friends in Dallas and Austin.

Rev. B. G. Richburg, pastor of the Baptist churches at Toyah and Balmorhea, was in town on his way to Balmorhea from Toyah today, and made The Enterprise a very pleasant visit.

J. C. Hopkins was in town this week working in the interest of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. Mr. Hopkins is a newspaper man and but recently connected with the Sweetwater Journal.

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For the years 1911, 1912 and 1913 on sections Nos. 12 and 13, block No. 45, public school survey, which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amount: \$42.62 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 in Pecos, Texas, November 20th, 1916, the style of said suit being, The State of Texas vs. George Shumway, No. 310A, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot), 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 the 10th day of October, A. D. 1916.

Willie-de Woods, Clerk, District court, Reeves county, Texas. [SEAL]

By Lila Williams, Deputy.

**NOTICE BY PUBLICATION**

The State of Texas and County of Reeves.

To Frank Black 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 1915 on section No. 14, block No. 55, tsp. 4, T. & P. R'y Co. survey, Reeves county, which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amount: \$20.30 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 in Pecos, Texas, on November 20th, 1916, the style of the suit being The State of Texas vs. Frank Black, No. 225A, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot), 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 the 10th day of October, A. D. 1916.

Willie-de Woods, Clerk, District court, Reeves county, Texas. [Seal]

By Lila Williams, Deputy.

**Citation.**

The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon Martin Skove, J. R. Bruce and G. F. Ray 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, 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 Third Monday in November, 1916, the same being the 20th day of November 1916, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 24th day of August, 1916, in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said Court No. 1646 wherein E. B. Anderson, is Plaintiff, and Martin Skove, H. M. Carl, J. R. Bruce, G. F. Ray and A. C. Keinath are Defendants, and said petition alleging that on April 7th, 1911, defendant Martin Skove executed and delivered to defendants, H. M. Carl, G. F. Ray and J. R. Bruce, his ten promissory notes for the sum of \$185.00 each, numbered from one to ten inclusive, all bearing date April 7th, 1911, due in one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine and ten years from date respectively, payable to defendants, bearing 8 per cent interest from date, bearing 10 per cent attorney's fees, and providing that a failure to pay any one of said notes or any installment of interest thereon when due should mature all of said notes. That said notes were given for a part of the purchase money of the following described tract or parcel of land, situated in Reeves County, Texas, to-wit: All of Block No. Fifteen, in Section No. 267, of the Toyah Valley Grape and Alfalfa Company's Subdivision of Sections 207, 255, 265, 271, North 1-2 and S.W. 1-4 of 266, N. 1-2 of 270 and the East 280 acres of the S. 1-2 of 256, all in Block No. 13, of the H & G N R R. Company's survey, in said Reeves County, Texas. That said property was on said 7th day of April, 1911, conveyed to the defendant, Martin Skove by the defendants, Carl, Ray and Bruce, by their deed of said date, in consideration among other things of the ten notes herein described, and in said deed and in said notes a lien was reserved to secure the payment of said notes. That thereafter, for a valuable consideration and before the maturity of said notes, the defendants, Carl, Ray and Bruce, sold and transferred eight of said notes, being numbered from three to ten respectively, to Edward M. Holt, and that afterwards, Delia B. Holt, the widow and administrator of the estate of Edward B. Holt, deceased, sold and transferred said notes to the plaintiff, E. B. Anderson, who is now the owner and holder thereof. That two of said series of notes, to-wit, notes, Nos. three and four, are long past due and unpaid, and that no part of the interest of any of said series of notes has ever been paid, and the plaintiff has declared all eight of said notes due and payable, and has placed same in the hands of his attorney, J. A. Drane, Esq., and has contracted to pay said attorney the 10 per cent stipulated in said notes for bringing said suit. That defendants, H. M. Carl, G. F. Ray, J. R. Bruce and A. C. Keinath, are each and all claiming some interest in the property herein described, which interest plaintiff alleges is inferior to his vendor's lien and they are made parties hereto that said claim or interest may be barred. Plaintiff prays judgment for the amount of his debt, and for foreclosure of his lien on the above described property, and for judgment barring the interest or claim of the defendants, H. M. Carl, G. F. Ray, J. R. Bruce and A. C. Keinath, and for his costs of suit.

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

Witness Willie - de Woods Clerk of the District Court of Reeves County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this the 20th day of September, 1916.

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