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# THE PECOS TIMES.

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## PROTECTION

When you loan money to a party you first look to see what protection he offers you. When you leave your funds with a bank it is nothing but a loan, with the promise to pay back upon demand.

Here are some of the protections we offer our customers:

Examined every ninety days by expert State Bank examiners.

All of our officers are under heavy bond in a good bonding company.

Directors are compelled by the State Banking Law to meet once a month and go over the business of the bank.

It is a penitentiary offense for any officer of this bank to borrow any amount without first having the written consent of its Board of Directors filed in the Bank.

We have liquid resources of over a half million dollars, consisting of cash and good notes.

Experienced Officers and Directors that direct the affairs of this Bank.

In addition to the above this Bank is a State Guaranty Fund Bank, which means that all the non-interest and unsecured deposits are PROTECTED BY THE STATE BANK GUARANTY FUND, OF THE STATE OF TEXAS.

Our deposits are over \$400,000.00 and we need your account to help us make them a half million.

ARE YOUR FUNDS PROTECTED?

**The Pecos Valley State Bank**  
PECOS, TEXAS

## About You and Your Friends.

Local Items of the Comings and Goings of Friends and Strangers.

T. H. Beauchamp left Wednesday on a business trip to Dallas.

Attorney Clay Cooke went to El Paso yesterday on No. 6 to look after some of his clients' interests in the Federal Court.

Mrs. W. L. Ross returned to Pecos Monday from the ranch, where she had been to see how everything was getting along.

Woody Browning, I. J. Sims and Ralph Williams were received as Knights of Pythias at the regular weekly meeting of the lodge Monday night.

County Surveyor A. M. Randolph returned home Saturday from the Toyah Creek country where he had been surveying and leveling for Mayer & Rosenbaum the past two weeks.

G. B. Gunn manager of the Pecos Hide & Produce Co. was a visitor to both Toyah and Barstow the past week and reports doing a good business at both places.

Rev. J. H. Walker left Monday for Dallas as a delegate of the New Mexico Conference to the meeting of the Educational Committee of the Methodist Church South in the interest of the Southern Methodist University. He returned home yesterday evening.

Judge Gentry returned home Sunday from his trip to Mineral Wells, but is not improved to the extent anticipated. Mrs. Gentry came home with him, and remained to nurse him. We are pleased to state that there is some improvement which is good news to his friends.

George Landrum pleasantly surprised his numerous friends in Pecos this week by dropping in on them for a few days stay. George is sure looking and feeling fine, and all his friends congratulating him upon this fact. He returned to his home at El Paso yesterday evening.

S. J. Verhalen who had been out to Verhalen to visit his son, R. P., and family for the past week left Tuesday for his home at Marshall. Mr. Verhalen is in the rose growing business at that place and reported that he had already shipped out this season about a quarter of a million rose bushes.

S. W. Mott who had been out to the Chas. Goedeke home-stand the past three weeks was in Pecos yesterday while on his way home to El Paso. He reports that the trip benefitted him wonderfully, and that he now feels fifty per cent better than when he came out. He visited a short time here with his daughter, Mrs. Winsauer. Mr. Mott is working in an El Paso foundry and has charge of the laying out of all their sheet metal work.

Mrs. Tom Brigrance left yesterday afternoon for her home at Fort Worth, after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Minnie Buckles and other relatives.

D. Wood Bozeman, proprietor of the Pecos Drug Co.—the Rexall Store in Pecos—left Sunday for Dallas to be in attendance upon the Texas-Louisiana State Conventions of the Rexall Stores. He expects to arrive home today.

L. S. Acree, who for the past three years has been making Pecos his home, left Saturday for Alamogordo, N. M., where he has secured a position as truck gardener and forester. He made many friends here who will miss his genial smile. The Times joins in wishing him the greatest of success and of prosperity.

"Dad" Baker returned home Monday afternoon via the Pecos Valley Southern from Sargossa, where he visited with his son, Bob Baker, and family. He attended the Quarterly Conference meeting picnic dinner on the grounds Sunday and says that they had a fine meeting and a splendid dinner, and if "Dad" says so, its that way, for he is a good judge along the "eatables" line.

### To All Persons Interested

You are requested to be present at a meeting of the Pecos Valley Farm Loan Association at the Commercial Club rooms, at Pecos, Texas, Saturday, April 7th, at 7:30 p. m.

J. G. WENDT,  
J. G. LOVE,  
L. W. ANDERSON,  
GEO. F. WILLIAMS,  
R. N. COUCH, Directors.

### A Very Sad Trip

Miss Edna Germany received a message last Thursday calling her to the bedside of her sister, Miss Florine, who was very low. She took the first train for Greenville, but her sister passed away before Miss Edna arrived.

This certainly was a sad trip for Miss Edna. She and the other relatives have the deepest sympathy of our entire community in this sad hour.

### To Patrons of City Pharmacy

In taking over the business we purchased the accounts also, and we want to especially thank the good people who responded so nicely and quickly to our call for settlement, and we earnestly ask the continuance of your business and also ask those who have not been a customer of this house to call and see our stock and give us some of your trade.

A. D. LINTON & SON

## THE RALLY FOR THE BOND ISSUE TO SPEAK IN PECOS APRIL 13TH

Large Enthusiastic Crowd At Fountain Heard the Matter Discussed.

There was quite a large crowd of our citizens gathered at the Fountain Monday evening to hear what was to be said in regard to the proposed bond issue of \$13,000 for the purpose of remodeling and rearranging the school building, so that it will be more commodious, better arranged as to seating the pupils, and making it more sanitary, and arrange for a proper heating of the building when necessary.

Dr. Jim Camp called the gathering to order and during his remarks told about some of the deficiencies of the present building, especially calling attention to the unsanitary condition of the building and the unsatisfactory method of heating the rooms, especially those located in the basement.

He was followed by Judge W. A. Hudson who, in a very practical manner, which showed he had spent much time in a study of the proposition, told about the financial end of the work, the expenses of this issue, the amounts of moneys to be raised, and how they were to be applied so that the work could be carried to a successful completion, and also how the school can be carried the full term of nine months, and how the additional \$5000 in bonds which the issue implies, can be taken care of.

Mr. Hudson had all the figures carefully compiled which showed that this issue of \$13,000 would care fully for all the above items and leave a balance in the treasury. He assured the people that if the work could be done for a less figure than that upon which they have advice, he and the Board of Trustees would do all in their power to have it done for the least amount possible.

Judge Jas. F. Ross spoke principally upon the advantages which would be given our children in their school work and the extra conveniences and better conditions in all respects.

At the conclusion of Judge Ross' talk, an invitation was given to anyone who desired to speak either for or against the bond issue, to take the stand, but no one else volunteered, so the gathering was dismissed.

For our part we cannot see why there should be any opposition to the issue, for the tax payer cannot be compelled to pay a higher rate of interest than he is now paying—50 cents on the \$100 valuation. This is the statutory limit.

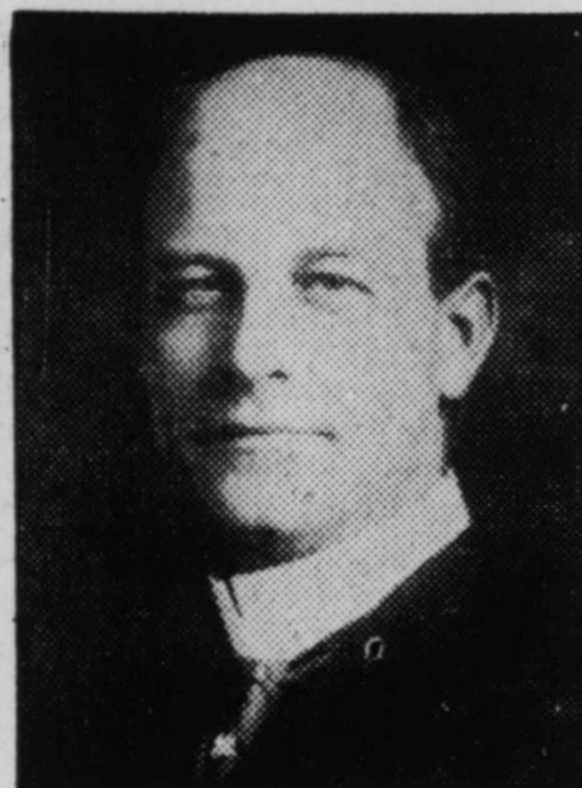
Everybody should get behind the move and make it unanimous. For our part we have been paying taxes for about twelve years and this is the first year that we have received any direct benefit from the schooling of our children, but we have always been in favor of these taxes and would gladly do our share at an even higher rate.

### Al Popham Passed Away

E. P. Stuckler received a telegram Saturday that Mr. Popham had died that morning in a sanitarium at Kansas City, and that the remains would be interred in the cemetery at Minneapolis, Kansas, his old home.

Mr. Popham was 62 years of age at the time of his death and was the owner of the U ranch near Sargossa. He was most favorably known by nearly everyone in this section of the country. The Times joins in extending sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

W. C. T. U. meets on Third Friday in each month at three o'clock p. m. at the home of Mrs. R. N. Couch, president.



Capt. R. P. Hobson

It is announced in connection with the great campaign that is being conducted by the Anti-Saloon League of Texas, going to the four corners of the State, carrying the story of prohibition to approximately 400 towns and cities, that we will have as one of the speakers Capt. R. P. Hobson, known as the "Hero of the Merrimac" and a man who has sacrificed his life in the interest of prohibition, who presented a resolution in Congress asking for Nationwide Prohibition. Capt. Hobson will address the citizens of Pecos, Friday April 13, at 8 p. m. at the Baptist church.

The name of Capt. Hobson is known to every school boy and girl in our country, and those of us who are older remember the thrill that was sent through the Nation when Capt. Hobson, then a lieutenant in the navy, with a few like minded comrades, sank the "Merrimac" in the face of lead vomiting guns from both the Spanish fort and fleet. Capt. Hobson is a man who dares to do things, and for that reason he has become the idol of the American people. He is one of the great foes of the liquor traffic.

There will undoubtedly be a great crowd to hear Capt. Hobson on this date.

### Christian Endeavorers

All of the Young People's societies will have a union meeting at the Presbyterian Church Sunday, April 8. This shall be an Easter service. The following program will be rendered:

Song, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name."  
Scripture reading, 1 Cor., 15:12-22—Miss Lloyd.  
Prayer, Mr. Breen.  
Duett, Mr. Ralph Williams and Mrs. Woody Browning.  
Talk, Mr. Hayden.  
Quartette, Misses Collings and McCarver.  
Talk, Mr. Moran.  
Solo, Miss Buchholz.  
General discussion.  
Song and Benediction.  
Miss Lloyd will be the leader next Sunday. Every one is cordially invited.

### Having Splendid Closing Sale.

T. E. Brown, the furniture man, who is closing out his entire stock, tells us that he is having a splendid trade at his sale and is well pleased so far. He is offering some remarkable bargains and you will miss it if you do not take advantage of the low prices.

We are sorry that he has decided to close out and leave Pecos, and trust that he may change his mind and remain here, but should he leave, may he be successful in whatever he may launch out in.

### Annual Garment Sale.

The ladies of the Christian church will hold their annual Easter Garment Sale next Friday and Saturday, April 6 and 7, at the Pecos Dry Goods Company's store, and promise to have many useful articles of wear both for the children and the grown-ups.

## Tax Suits

Suits are being filed by the City to Enforce the Payment of Taxes Past Due. These suits must all be filed at once in order to have them tried at the next term of the District Court. These Taxes Must be Collected or the Bonds and Other Obligations of the City will be Defaulted.

### City Election Is Very Quiet

The city election held Tuesday for the purpose of choosing two aldermen, passed off very quietly, although considerable work was done rousting out voters. There were three candidates in the field: A. G. Taggart and Ed Vickers for reelection, and M. H. Schermerhorn, was the new man in the race.

Only 86 votes were polled. Taggart received 67, Schermerhorn 56, and Vickers 26, the two former being elected.

We desire to state that Mr. Schermerhorn was not a voluntary candidate, his name being entered under protest.

As the important elections occur every other year this is what is termed the off year, and the city election brought out the fact that many of our citizens are "all same like Chinaman," not paying their poll tax.

### Honor Roll For March

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

Low First, Preston Phillips.  
High First, Anne Snyder and Ima Durdin.  
Low Second, Denwood Ross and Beatrice Sims.  
High Second, Josephine Rogers and Gordon Stine.  
Low Third, Harry Ross, Mary Macee and Tullus Randals.  
High Third, Blanche Bowie.  
Low Fourth, Harold Sims.  
High Fourth, W. D. Cowan.  
Low Fifth, Opal Biggs, Jewel Hamilton, Ruth Bryan, Annie Lou Cole.  
High Fifth, Iliff Sims.  
Sixth Grade, Rowena Vaughan.  
7th Grade, Leonard Lopo.  
First Year High School, Zara Sims.  
Second Year High School, Edward Warn.  
Third Year High School, Sibyl Bowie.  
Fourth Year High School, Hill Hudson.  
Respectfully,  
THOS. J. YOE.

### Install New Gasoline Station

J. A. Hardy & Son have this week installed a new up-to-date gasoline station and are using a "Bowser" Red Sentry filtered oil tank and pump.

They believe in keeping at the front with equipment and are now ready to serve the public and give them the very best of service. Success to them. See their locals and rate card elsewhere in this paper.

E. A. Pinkston, Pecos' leading paper hanger and painter returned to Barstow Sunday afternoon to finish up his job at the Barstow new school-house. Gene has been over there for several weeks on the job, and we predict that it will be done in first-class shape, for he always works in that way.

## REALTY TRANSFERS

Weekly Report by the Pecos Abstract Co., Pecos City, Texas of instruments filed for record in office of District and County clerk of Reeves County, Texas, the past week:

**Deeds.**  
G. C. Mountcastle to E. B. Kiser, lots 14 and 15, blk 29, North Pecos. \$120.

Charles Rogan to Clay Cooke secs 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, blk 112, Culberson county; sec 1, blk 112, Culberson and Reeves county; sec 48, blk 58, tsp 2, T&P, Culberson and Reeves Cos. \$2000.

John Smack to Mrs. Nellie Cox, lot 77 blk 52, tract 13, \$500.

Southern Land & Dev. Co., to A. W. Wright, lot 11, blk 49 City Add; tract 14, sec 44, tsp 3, blk 57, div. 8 T&P. \$150.

H. B. McCorkle to Edna V. McCorkle part sec 92, blk 13, H&GN. \$1.

H. T. Hodges et ux to P. A. Humble part sec 94, blk 13, H &GN. \$6010.

**Releases.**  
Jas. E. Bowen to S. D. Coalson, secs 1, 12, 13, 24, blk 59, Reeves County.

W. F. Stewart to H. B. Parker, secs 19, 25, 26, 29, blk 28, Loving county.

**Lease.**  
J. Boyd to C. M. Hall, secs 4 and 8, blk 49, tsp 8, T&P; part sec 18, blk 49, tsp 2, T&P. \$90.

**Power of Attorney.**  
J. M. Ledenham to Clay Cooke, secs 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, blk 112, Culberson county; sec 1, blk 112, Culberson and Reeves counties; secs 65, 66, 67, blk W. N. Holder survey, Reeves county; sec 38, blk 58 tsp 2, T &P, Reeves-Culberson Cos.

**Transfers**  
Wm. Lasker to Mrs. Minnie Sachs, lots 1, 2, blk 7, lots 15, 16, 17, 18, blk 8 Toyah.

Farmers Mortgage Loan Co. to Kampam & Burney, V-L on E part of sec 20 blk 5, H&GN.

**Extension of Lien**  
Paul Konz to S. M. Pratt, deed of trust lien, D. T. recorded in Book 20, page 446.

**Contract**  
Minnie Dean Swan and S. E. Vaughan. Re. sub-blocks 11 and 12, Shannon's Sub-div of sec 67, in blk 4, H&GN.

### Another Fire Call.

Yesterday evening about six thirty the fire alarm sounded, calling the department to the residence of Woody Johnson, where a gasoline stove had caused a scare. There was no damage to speak of, the greatest being the smoking of the woodwork behind the stove.

### Operation Performed

This forenoon the physicians performed an operation upon Emma Harrison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harrison, and removed the tonsils and adenoids from his throat. He is doing nicely.



Notice to the Public

We have the sole agency in this section for the "YE PLANRY" system, and now have full plans and specifications for the building of these bungalows. Call in and look them over and get prices. Can furnish plans and blue prints on short notice.

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For a home where large rooms, plenty of closet and pantry space is the chief consideration, here is a design in which especial attention has been paid to convenient arrangement.

Entering a reception hall 10x14 with colonnade opening into a 16x16 living room with sliding French doors into dining room. Immediately in rear of reception hall is a stair hall with the stairs both to the basement and second story, a hall connects kitchen with this stair hall, thus the housewife may go directly to front without passing through the living room. The butler's pantry, 5x12 feet, between kitchen and dining room is provided with cupboards and drawers. Four large sleeping chambers, each with a closet, linen closet in the upstairs hall, which connects all bedrooms with bath.

This home makes its appeal to those wanting an inexpensive two-story home with ample floor space. There is positive no waste in its construction.



We Aim

To hold ourselves in readiness to fill your every building requirement in the way of materials.

We Aim

To quote you the lowest prices it is possible to make for quality materials.

We Aim

To render you service and treatment that satisfy at every turn. If you fail to give us a chance.

We Both "Score a Miss"



Remodeling and Enlarging Their North Lumber Shed

The Pruett Lumber Company has a force of carpenters at work enlarging and remodeling the north half of their lumber sheds.

It is being built about fifty feet longer, four feet wider and seven feet higher. They will also erect a building on the east end which will be used for a cement house and also for storing doors, sash, windows, and other thing. When completed they will have things much handier and a more commodious yard.

Cut This Out Is Worth Money.

Don't Miss This—Cut out this slip, enclose five cents to Foley & Co. 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill. writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, cold and croup; Foley's Kidney Pills and Foley's Cathartic Tablets. For sale at Bozeman's Drug Store.—Advt.

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- AND PEPSIN

In LAX-FOS the CASCARA is improved by the addition of these digestive ingredients making it better than ordinary CASCARA, and thus the combination acts not only as a stimulating laxative and cathartic but also as a digestive and liver tonic. Syrup laxatives are weak, but LAX-FOS combines strength with palatable, aromatic taste and does not gripe or disturb the stomach. One bottle will prove LAX-FOS is invaluable for Constipation, Indigestion or Torpid Liver. Price 50c.

Were On Their Way to Other Parts of Texas

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Taul, and Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Christian and baby were in Pecos Saturday for a short while enroute to other parts of Texas, the former were going to Honey Grove and the latter will go to Jack county for a visit before visiting numerous other places.

They recently sold their ranches and are just traveling for a good time, and want to see other parts of Texas before deciding where they will relocate. It is to be hoped that they may at last decide that this is the section for them and return. Everything is so arranged that should they desire to come back here there will be no inconvenience. They are traveling via auto. The Times wish them the very best of success.

Nature Cures, The Doctor Takes the Fee

There is an old saying that "Nature cures, the doctor takes the fee," but as everyone must know you can help nature very much and thereby enable it to effect a cure in less time than is usually required. This is particularly true of colds, Chamberlain's Cough Remedy reaches the lungs, liquefies the tough mucus and aids in its expectoration, allays the cough, and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition.—Advt.

The Cattlemen's Trust Co. of Fort Worth. R. D. Gage, President.

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Young Man Young Woman: Be a Chin Upper.

You do just four things, and no more. You think; you remember; you imagine; you act. When you learn to think better, remember better, imagine better or act better, you are increasing your efficiency, and, therefore, your income. You may feel you are very successful now. Suppose you are. It isn't a question of what you know, but of how beneficial a practical business education will be to you in addition to what you already know. Did you ever stop to think that 85 per cent of the men of this country are only earning \$15 per week or less. That 92 per cent fail in business between the ages of 40 and 50? That 95 per cent have no money at the age of 60? You will agree with us that to violate a part of the laws of business means partial failure, and to violate all the laws means complete failure. You are also aware that to observe part of the laws means partial success, and to observe all of the laws of business means complete success. Our aim is to help you observe a higher per cent of the laws of success, and, therefore, enable you to be nearer the maximum success. The late Prof. James of Harvard declares that the average man only uses ten per cent of his brain power. Suppose you are twice as capable as the average man? Even that would mean you are using only twenty per cent of your maximum possibilities. The purpose of our courses is to produce a maximum of proficiency with a minimum effort. The business world wants thinkers and doers. There's a famine of high priced men today; but there are thousands of men worth a thousand dollars a year, and only a few worth ten thousand a year. Be the latter kind of a man; you can if you will. We know a man that is worth only about \$2.00 a day from the chin down, selling muscle, but as high as one hundred thousand dollars per year, selling brains. Be a chin upper and sell the higher type of brains; you can't afford to be a chin downer; there's no room for such a man in the high salaried class. We have been very successful in getting men out of the 85, the 92, and the 95 per cent class. Why not let us help you? We have been marvelously successful in raising salaries, as is conclusively proven by the letters in our catalogue from former students. Take our thorough and practical course of Bookkeeping, Business Administration and Finance, Shorthand, Steno, Cotton Classing, of Telegraphy Learn how to think, to remember, to imagine and act. Our large catalogue is free for the asking, if you will only fill in and mail the following blank.

Explanation of Similarity of Titles

The Christy Hippodrome Shows playing here Saturday, April 7th.

are in no way connected with the Tom Christy Minstrel Co., this being the first time that the Christy Hippodrome has played west of San Antonio. Our winter headquarters are located at Galveston, Texas. Look our parphanalnia, cars, stock, etc., over before passing judgment.—Advt.

HIDDEN DANGERS.

Nature Gives Timely Warning That No Pecos Citizen Can Afford to Ignore.

DANGER SIGNAL NO. 1 comes from the kidney secretions. They will warn you when the kidneys are weak. Well kidneys excrete a clear, amber fluid. Disordered kidneys send out a thin, pale and foamy, or a thick, red, and ill-smelling urine full of sediment and irregular of passage.

DANGER SIGNAL No. 2 comes from the back. Back pains, dull and heavy, or sharp and acute, suggest weak kidneys and in that case warn of the danger of dropsy, gravel and Bright's disease. Doan's Kidney Pills are endorsed by thousands. Here's Pecos' proof:

J. B. Davis, Fourth St., Pecos, says: "I had quite a bit of trouble with my kidneys. My back was weak and lame and ached. I had bladder trouble also, and the kidney secretions were too frequent and burning in passage and highly colored. Doan's Kidney Pills did me a great deal of good, and when I have noticed any return of the trouble since, I have procured a box at the City Pharmacy. They have never failed to relieve me."

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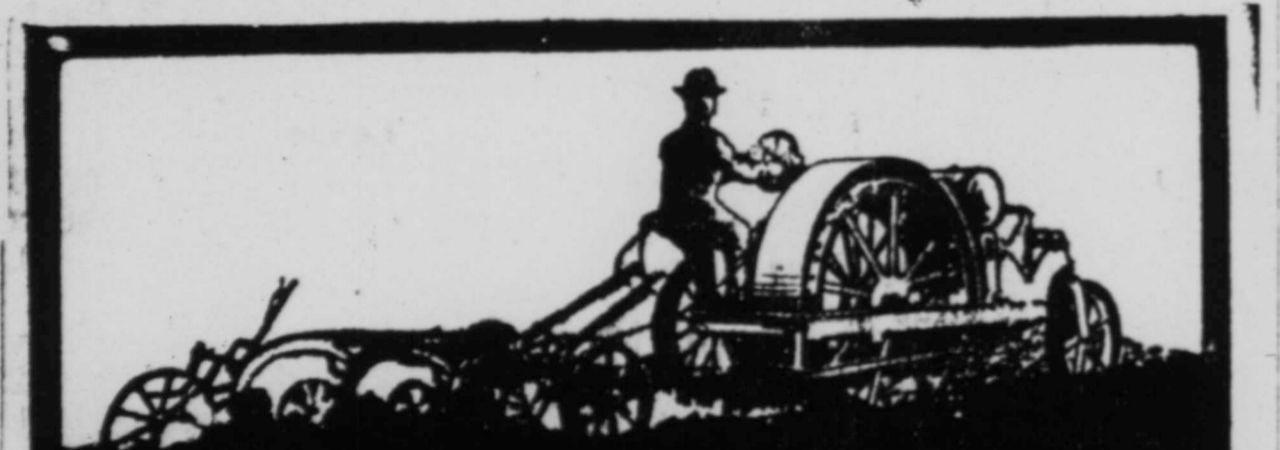
Try 2 Drops of Magic "Gets-It."

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today that acts on the new principle, not only of shriveling up the corn, but of loosening the corn off—so loose that you can lift it right off with your fingers. Put 2 drops of "Gets-It" on that corn or callus tonight. That's all. The corn is doomed sure as sunrise. No pain, or trouble, or soreness. You do away once and for all with toe-binding bandages, toe-eating salves and irresponsible what-nots. Try it—get surprised and lose a corn. "Gets-It" is sold everywhere, 25c a bottle. E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.



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In spite of the dust and dirt this great lubricant sticks to the treated parts and protects them. It coats each and every tooth with lubricant and keeps them coated. It doesn't dry or flake off. Neither will it wash off nor melt. It just sticks and lubricates always.

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32x4 in.	\$11.50	35x5 1/2 in.	\$17.00

**Tube Prices**

Punctures	.05
Punctures and Change	.25
Splicing	.75
Valve Bases	.35 to .50
Tube Blowouts	.35 and up

**Casings**

Cover patches .75 and up

**Blowouts**

3-inch Casing, per inch	.30
3 1/2-inch Casing, per inch	.40
4-inch Casing, per inch	.50
5-inch Casing, per inch	.75

To determine cost of blow-out add length of the blowout (measuring inside of casing) to size of tire, then multiply by the cost per inch shown above.

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EVERYTHING CLEAN

Baths--Hot or Cold

**W. C. T. U. Institute and Lecture Last Saturday**

The temperance movement in Pecos had an additional impetus in the W. C. T. U. Institute held here on last Saturday under the leadership of Mrs. Maude L. Green, who is connected with the National movement.

Among other numbers on the program a paper by Mrs. Ben Randals was particularly pertinent dealing as it did with the W. C. T. U. Institute, and the subject was handled in an able and lucid manner; points made clear that enhanced the value of the Institute to the members of the Institute and visitors alike.

Prof. T. J. Yoe, in his talk on "Usefulness vs. Danger of the Picture Show," covered a ground that has been neglected in our town. His liberal views in the premises were heartily endorsed by all present, when he stated that people go to the show for recreation and that no necessity exists for all the pictures that have a moral; but that a necessity does exist that some may have an uplift, that some may be educative, while others should be merely amusing, between which we should sandwich the pictures that makes one think, the picture that carries a lesson for the betterment of mankind. A reading by Master Charles Cooke was enthusiastically received.

Saturday night Mrs. Green lectured to a small crowd in the Baptist church, and we feel safe in saying that not one of the audience felt that the time was wasted, but rather that the vital issues of the cause were stressed in such manner as to make them the more telling.

Her bright sallies at "John smoking the inevitable cigar, while he harangues gentle wife Susan for her extravagant cuisine," provoked many smiles, while her cartoon "Drifting," caused minds to turn with regret to the little Pecos has contributed to the recent fight in the Texas Legislature for Submission; for thinking ourselves immune from local option, we are prone to drift, little heeding the hydra-headed monster that rears itself in our midst, viz: an excerpt from the Justice of the Peace docket in Pecos for the month of March shows eight cases, styled State of Texas vs. Ilario Alibos, and various other Mexicans, offense. Violation of the local option law.

Fellow citizens, friends, we need you all in the greater fight we are now waging.

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**Citation By Publication**

**THE STATE OF TEXAS.**  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County, Greeting:

(Oath having been made as required by law.)  
You are hereby commanded to summon R. N. Sewell and Germ. Williams, 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 4th Monday in April, A. D. 1917, the same being the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1917, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 21st day of April, A. D. 1917, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court, No. 1709, wherein J. A. Duck is Plaintiff and R. N. Sewell, Germ. Williams, and others are defendants and said petition alleges: that plaintiff is the owner and holder of two certain promissory notes, made, executed and delivered by defendant, R. N. Sewell to J. W.

Bennett dated Oct. 31, 1912, payable to the order of said Bennett at Pecos, Texas, one, and being note No. 3, being for the principal sum of \$3610.00, and one, and being note No. 4, being for the principal sum of \$3311.00, each bearing interest from date at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, interest payable annually as it accrues, and providing for 10 per cent interest on all past due interest, and providing for 10 per cent on both principal and interest as attorney's fees, and being vendor's lien notes given as a part of the purchase price of Sections Nos. 12 and 13, in Block No. 3, H & G N Ry Co Survey in Reeves County, Texas; plaintiff alleging that said land was sold to the defendant, R. N. Sewell on or about Oct. 31, 1912, by J. W. Bennett by deed, and that said deed has never been by said defendant recorded in the deed records in and for Reeves County, Texas; plaintiff further alleges that by agreement between said J. W. Bennett and defendant, R. N. Sewell and before the delivery of said notes, the date "Oct. 31" was erased and December 1st inserted as the true date of said notes; plaintiff alleges that there was on December 1, 1915, due on said note No. 3, the principal sum of \$2000.70, and interest from Dec. 1, 1915, and that no part of same has ever been paid except \$198.00 on April 1, 1916, and that no part of said note No. 4 has ever been paid except the interest has been paid to Dec. 1, 1915; plaintiff sues defendant, R. N. Sewell for the principal, interest, attorney's fees and costs of suit.

Plaintiff alleges that the defendant Germ. Williams filed and had recorded in the Abstract of Judgment Lion Records of Reeves County, Texas, on Dec. 30, 1914, a judgment lien against defendant, R. N. Sewell, the same being recorded in Vol. 2, page 299, of said Records, and alleges that said abstract of judgment lien is inferior and subordinate to his vendor's lien against said land; plaintiff prays for a foreclosure of his vendor's lien against

said land as the same existed on Oct. 31, 1912, and has at times since existed; pray for an order of court establishing said deed from J. W. Bennett to defendant, R. N. Sewell, to said land, and notifies said defendant, R. N. Sewell to produce said deed upon the trial of said cause, otherwise secondary evidence as to the existence and contents of said deed will be offered.

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 21st day of March, A. D. 1917.

(Seal) S. C. VAUGHAN,  
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By LILA WILLIAMS,  
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office in Pecos Texas, under Act of March, 3, 1879.

Up until two or three days ago we were "up in the air" so speak, regarding the school bond issue. During the past week, however, the mist has magically been rolled away. It is a real source of pleasure to The Times to see the members of the Parent-Teacher Association endorse the bond issue. This organization, we know has the best interest of the school at heart. Their aim is the bettering of all conditions here our children are concerned. Their endorsement should carry more weight than anything said or done in the past two weeks regarding the bond issue. The arguments of a few are hardly deserving of the name, while those of others merely tend to cloud the issue. Again the men who had the courage to stand up and, face to face, plead for better conditions for our school, should and will carry more weight than the curb "confidentials" of others. We grant you that a few are conscientious in their opposition, and we respect the views on the matter. We feel confident that the citizenship of Pecos Independent School District will pile up a safe majority for the welfare and health of their children next Saturday.

A bill was recently passed in the Texas Legislature, to take effect at once. It was introduced by Frank Cates, and requires that all notices required by law must be published in some newspaper of general circulation. It is a bill that has long been delayed and, commenting upon its passage The Texas Weekly Review, referring to the former law that merely required the posting of such notices on trees, telegraph poles or other places of prominence, says in part: "This law was ill very well when someone could select the particular post-ack tree that was regarded as a prominent place. It was very good in the day when the courthouse was a very prominent place. But in this day of busy men, posting a notice on the courthouse door is not a very good way to advertise. Mr. Jates' bill provides that notices shall be published in the newspapers. While this will mean some additional revenue it is not so much the revenue as the recognition that the newspaper men sought. They feel that in this day when nearly every citizen worthy of the name takes a newspaper it is silly to be attempting to give public notice of anything merely by posting a little sheet of paper among hundreds of others on a courthouse door." The bill provides prices to be paid for all such notices, also.

We always admired Teddy Roosevelt, claiming he was one of our most practical citizens. The late actions of the Colonel only strengthen these opinions. Knowing a declaration of war was inevitable, he hikes to the Florida coast and mixes it with the terrible devil fish that there abound in order to be in trim. On his return to New York he stopped off at Washington to congratulate the president, who unfortunately was absent. In view of the many harsh things Teddy had said of Woodrow during the first two years of the European war, we would give a pretty to know if the latter's absence was really accidental.

A cartoon in that champion of prohibition, Collier's Weekly, current issue, contains volumes. Uncle Sam, after being served a whiskey and soda, tells the waiter that "the more of this I drink the worse I feel." As an afterthought, he adds, "By the way, waiter, what other position are you fitted for?" The meaning, as we figure it, is, that a declaration of war will carry with it the death knell of booze.

We regret very much that we had to discontinue the articles entitled "Talks With the Boys." Many of our readers admired these talks and told us so. Several have inquired of us asking if they were to be had in book form. We copied them from The Visitor, but they have not appeared in that paper for several weeks past. Should they show up we will again publish them.

Senator Lodge knocked a pacifist down the other day at Washington. When the former gathered his wits together after the jolt, he declared his support of the president in his policy toward Germany. A straight jab to the jaw will make any self-respecting citizen want to fight, notwithstanding the Biblical injunction to turn the other.

A trustee of our schools recently made a statement to the effect that we were turning out graduates in Pecos that are a credit; they were amply fitted for teaching and other positions of honor. The only exception we have to make it that he did not go far enough, and state at what a ridiculously low price to the parents of that child.

In this issue is a page advertisement of the W. T. Read Mercantile Company, announcing a sale preliminary to their quitting business. We are sorry to chronicle this latter phase. For seven year the firm has been established in Pecos, and has enjoyed a good business. More do we regret that Mr. Ed Read and his family will leave us at the conclusion of the sale.

Nearly all of our churches are preparing special services for Easter Sunday. Be sure to attend, even if you just go to see what kind of a bonnet your neighbor will wear. The preacher will not know your motive, and it will make him feel good to see the pews full.

In times like these, when war clouds hang thick, the advice of one of our senators is doubly valuable: "Keep your head clear and your mouth shut." To this might be added: "And your eyes open."

Don't forget the lecture at the Baptist church next Friday, April 13. It may sound a bit unlucky, but Capt. Hobson is one of our best orators, and those who hear him will be lucky.

In view of the many complaints (heard in the family) we hope that when the bond issue carries that enough funds will be provided to thoroughly upholster the swing seats.

If this kind of weather keeps on there is a lurking danger that little Willie will not show up in his Palm Beach Sunday.

Does any one know whether or not there is a revolution still in progress in Mexico?

Toyah Happenings

By Our Special Correspondent.

Thomas Elmore Lucey

Thomas Elmore Lucey is one of the best entertainers now appearing on the platform. His impersonations are perfect. As a cartoonist he has few equals. Don't fail to see him at the High School Auditorium April 10th, under auspices of the Mothers' Club.

Cargill - Kelly Nuptials

Mr. Clyde F. Cargill, of Toyah and Miss Lois Kelly, of Dallas, were happily married Monday, April 2, 1917, at 7:30 o'clock, p. m. at the First Baptist Church, Dallas, the Rev. George W. Truett, performing the ceremony.

The bride is a niece of Mrs. Finley Holmes, and is a talented musician, and taught music in the Toyah High School last year, and during her stay she made a host of friends, in fact all who came in touch with her sweet disposition were proud of the fact that they had such a character in their midst and are doubly so now that she is to be with them permanently. She was greatly beloved by her many friends and chums in Dallas who will miss her very much.

The groom needs no introduction to Toyah people, for he was raised to manhood here and by his faithful attention to business has worked himself to a responsible position with the Reeves County Mercantile Co., being with this firm for the past seven or eight years. All who know Clyde is his friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cargill left Dallas Monday night for Fort Worth, starting for Toyah Tuesday evening. They were met at Pecos Wednesday afternoon by the groom's mother and brother, Mrs. C. C. Cargill and son, Tom, and the bride's aunt, Mrs. Finley Holmes, and the party autoed to Toyah, to the home of the groom's parents, where a feast in honor of the happy couple, was enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Holmes and family were guests at the affair. The couple have received many useful gifts, which they appreciate, knowing they have so many friends who kindly remember them.

All Toyah people extend the hand of congratulation and of encouragement to these young people as they start on their wedded journey.

Mothers' Club.

Program of Mothers' Club of Toyah, Texas, for Friday, April 13th, 1917:

Song, our National anthem: "The Star Spangled Banner."  
Roll call answered with sentiments from "The Star Spangled Banner."

Subject of afternoon's lesson: "Imagination and Untruthfulness."

Paper, "Should you or not overlook untruthfulness in the children?" Mrs. Andrews.

Paper, "Why should or not flights of imagination in children be checked?" Miss Townsend.

General discussion of the following questions:

"What do you think of accounting for untruthfulness in children by the thought "They are in the lying age?"

"Why do children love to make believe?"

"What are the dangers and what the advantages of this performance?"

"In the matter of telling lies how are we likely to be unjust to our children?"

"What forces does imagination call up and sustain?"

"Can a person tell lies without imagination?"

"Are imaginative people necessarily liars?" Under leadership of Mr. C. Calhoun.

Paper, "What educational value has the imaginative faculty? Is it a means of mental development?" Mrs. Claypool.

Paper, "How great a part does imagination play in the lives of successful people?" Miss Byrda Robertson.

MRS. HUMPHRIES, Chairman Program Committee.

Mrs. F. A. Bessire entertained last Thursday with an old-fashioned turkey dinner. The invited guests were: Clem Calhoun, Miss Helen Ruhup, Mrs. Alex Davis, Mrs. Klassner, Mrs. Snell and Bessie Bugg.

H. L. Derrick and wife were in from their ranch Friday.

Ben Golson left Sunday for Van Horn where he will attend court.

Mrs. Roy Wilkes is acting as stenographer for Mr. Martin at present.

F. A. Bessire is having an addition built to his store house this week.

Pat Moran spent couple of days in Toyah the past week on business.

B. P. Van Horn was over to Balmorhea Wednesday on a business trip.

J. R. Chandler began icing the Armour Meat cars Thursday of last week.

A. A. Snell returned Monday from a business trip to different points in East Texas.

Dug Hart and Gus Hopper were over to Pecos for a few hours Sunday evening.

Guy Tansett and Martin Armstead of Big Springs are in Toyah this week visiting.

Carey Thompson came in from his ranch Monday to visit for several days with friends.

W. M. Hopper, wife and son, Joe, were in from their drilling camp in the Tatum range, this week.

Mrs. W. D. Casey was in Toyah from the K C ranch last Friday, shopping and attending to business.

Mose Jones was in from the Ben Christian place Monday.

inquiring as to the prospects of his going to war.

Mrs. Bugg was called to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Calvery, who is very sick at her home in Garden City.

Guy Powell who was forced to lay off Friday and Saturday on account of a severe cold, is back on the job again.

Harry Wells returned Monday night from the Grisham ranch where he had been at work for several days.

Frank Billingslea went over to Balmorhea Saturday and received a bunch of cattle that he purchased recently.

Elliott Daniel and Joe Billingslea came in from the Billingslea ranch Tuesday after several days work there.

Albert Sisk, representing the Pecos Mercantile Co., of Pecos, was up Tuesday supplying the needs of our merchants.

Gage Van Horn left Monday for Balmorhea where he will spend the greater part of the week at his garage there.

Mrs. Hankins and little son, of Alamore came in Monday, and expect to make Toyah their home for the present at least.

Frank Billingslea, wife and son, Joe, Mrs. Joe Duncan and little daughter Janie Joe, were over to Pecos Monday on business.

Gus Hopper has resigned his position at the Sid Cowan ranch and is now at Toyah to spend some time with relatives and friends.

Ed Preusser and Dug Jarrell were in from the George Daniel place Wednesday. Ed is

drilling a well out there, and Dug is his helper.

Mrs. Bud McElroy returned to her ranch home near Kent Saturday after visiting several days in Toyah with her sister, Mrs. Tom Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vaughan and baby, Miss Edith Hensen, and Mrs. Wade Clifton, were over to Pecos on a shopping expedition Thursday.

Mrs. Chas. Crawford is doing the bookkeeping work at the Bessire store while Mr. F. A. Bessire is off on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Mrs. O. J. Harned left for Dallas yesterday to be at the bedside of her father, who has been ill, and is very low at this writing.

Jack Smith returned to his ranch home at Orange, N. M., Monday, after having spent a few weeks with his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Chandler.

Joe Seay and two daughters-in-law, Mrs. Brown Seay and Mrs. Frank Seay, went over to Pecos Wednesday afternoon to attend to some business and to shop.

Homer L. Magee, pastor of the Christian church at Pecos, was in Toyah last Thursday and Friday, and preached both evenings at the Christian church.

Perry Wagon, Mr. and Mrs. Humble of Saragosa, and Rev. B. G. Richburg, who had filled his regular appointment at Balmorhea, Sunday, drove up to Toyah Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Humble left on No. 6 for Garden City.

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**Presbyterian Aid Entertained.**

Mrs. M. W. Collie was a most cordial hostess for the Aid Society of the Presbyterian church on Tuesday afternoon, at her home at three o'clock, combining in a most enjoyable manner a business session and a social hour, refreshing her guests with delicious fruit punch and cake.

**Dinner Party**

Mrs. Beulah Wilson presided over a very lovely dinner party at the Orient Hotel on Thursday evening. Gathered around a pretty table made especially attractive for the occasion with a crystal vase of beautiful easter lilies adorning the center, an elaborate menu was served. Covers were laid for Misses Sue Alley, Florence Johnson, Mrs. Beulah Wilson; Messrs. Pitts, Osborn, and Unruh.

This very pleasant affair added another enjoyable party for these guests, who have been the recipients of many delightful outing parties of late.

**Euterpean Club.**

The members of the Euterpean Club enjoyed a most interesting lesson Saturday afternoon at the club rooms at 4 o'clock. Miss Marion Walker led an instructive drill on the Opera "The Barber of Seville" by Rossini. Mrs. Sam Means delighted her hearers with a vocal solo. "A Little Voice I Hear." Miss Florence McCarver played most beautifully a piano overture from the Opera. Miss Sadie Collins sang in her sweet voice "The Old Fool Seeks a Wife." The latter then directed a discussion on the Opera "Ernani" by Verdi. Miss Nannie Mae Collins sketched the characters of the play. Mrs. H. H. Johnson described the scenery. Miss Marion Walker then gave a lovely vocal num-

ber and a most enjoyable closing feature of the program was a beautifully read selection from "Under Two Flags" by Mrs. Yarbrough. The club adjourned to meet again April 12th.

**Smart Set Entertained**

The attractive home of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. DeRacy was the scene of much gaiety on last Friday evening from 8 until 11 o'clock, when their son, Tobe, invited some 40 of his friends to make merry with him. All kinds of games, 42, cross questions and crooked answers, and music made the evening a most pleasant one for these young ones who are so full of youth. Misses Irene Prewit, Aileen Love, Mabel Smith and Lena Eddins assisted the host in entertaining his guests and serving them later with a most delicious ice cream and cake course.

**Baptist Aid Meets.**

Mesdames T. Y. Casey, J. Y. Leavell, Wm. Garlick and L. W. Andersan entertained in a delightful manner at the home of Mrs. Casey on Tuesday afternoon, receiving the entire membership of the ladies of the Baptist church. Mrs. Casey most ably discussed with the aid of a most perfect chart diagram "The object of the Aid Society of the Church, its missions, and distribution of its funds." An interesting business session then followed, arrangements for the new year's work was fully discussed, and new plans for development made. A social hour was then enjoyed, featuring the coming Easter with an amusing rabbit contest. These hostesses regaled their guests with an ice cream and white loaf course. About forty ladies were present at the meeting.

**Toyah Happen'gs**

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den City to be at the bedside of their daughter, Mrs. Calvery, who is very ill.

Mrs. Joe McIlvane and her children, accompanied by Monroe Hart, autoed out to the Grisham ranch Saturday and visited until Sunday with Mr. McIlvane.

Ben Christian, wife and baby returned Thursday from a trip up into New Mexico. They also spent several days in El Paso where they purchased a new Dodge car.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Taull of Kent were the guests of A. G. Van Horn and family Thursday, leaving Friday for Honey Grove, Texas, where they will spend some time.

Andy Tucker returned to his home in Big Springs Monday, after spending several days in Toyah. He has just finished laying the pipe from the sulphur well to Jim Hamilton's.

A. B. Burchard and wife and two children, Florence and Earl, Mrs. Reeves Burchard and son, and brother, Frank Hefner, autoed over to Pecos Thursday visiting and to shop.

Mrs. Martin and children of Big Springs arrived Saturday to make Toyah their home. Mr. Martin's longest lay-over is at this end of the division and the change will be more convenient for the family.

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid Society met with Mrs. A. W. Hosie Tuesday. All present enjoyed the lesson. Miss Norine Hosie took the members children for an auto ride during the progress of the meeting.

Mrs. Gladys Townsen's Sunday school class met at the home of Mrs. Tom Hart Monday night and made up a nice

batch of candy which they sold readily Monday. Misses Townsen, Corinne Humphries, and Mrs. Clifton assisted in the making of the candy while the pupils of the class attended the sale of same.

At the Quarterly Conference of the Toyah Valley Charge of the Methodist church it was arranged to provide the minister of this circuit with a car. The funds were readily forthcoming, and the move is one of the best, as the ministers will be able to fill appointments between different points without inconvenience.

Misses Gladys Townsen and Byrda Robertson entertained the members of the Rook Club Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Tom Duncan, and after a number of games were enjoyed refreshments were served in which the club colors were carried out, and consisted of white and pink brick ice cream and white loaf cake.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Bryant entertained the high school pupils with an April Fool party, Saturday night, Misses Helen Ruhrop, Corrine Humphries, and Clem Calhoun being invited guests. They played April Fool games and tricks and everything, even to the menu was carried out with this idea. The table being beautifully decorated in the same style. All who were present reported one of the best times ever had. On the departure each was presented with a beautiful tulip.

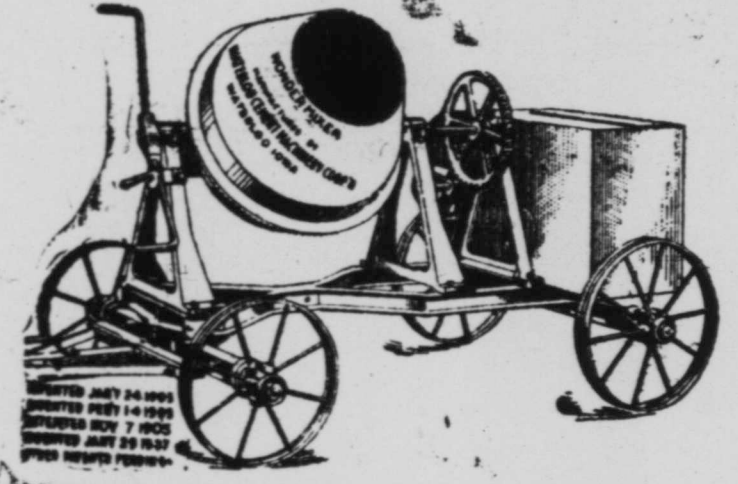
A large number of the Toyah people attended the Quarterly Conference at Saragosa Sunday. It is reported that this was one of the best meetings of its kind held in this district. After the morning sermon all enjoyed an old-fashioned camp dinner on the grounds. After this was held a business meeting. Those driving out from Toyah were, Revs. H. M. Smith

and Armor and family, Miss Gladys Townsen, M. Y. Anderson wife and children, Mrs. Theo Andrews and daughters, Irene and Theo Geneva, W. B. Humphries wife and son, Mrs. Wade Clifton and daughter, Miss Thelma, George Daniel, Miss Edith Hensen, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vaughan, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Davis, Mrs. Gage, Mrs. Bohannon, Miss Lorena Furrh, A. B. Burrhard and family, Charley Clark, and E. B.

Daniel. All who attended felt that the day was well spent. Those from Toyah returned in the evening and the Rev. H. M. Smith preached here Sunday night. After preaching services Mr. Theodore Peterson gave a sacred entertainment, that was much enjoyed by the large crowd present.

**The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head**  
Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in the head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, 25c.

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Pecos, Texas

**THE TIMES PULPIT**

"But know this, that in the last days grievous times shall come. For men shall be lovers of self, lovers of money, boastful, haughty, railers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, without natural affection, implacable, slanderers, without self-control, fierce, no lovers of good, traitors, headstrong, puffed up, lovers of pleasure rather than of God; holding a form of godliness, but having denied the power thereof; from these also turn away. For of these are they that creep into houses and take captive silly women, laden with sin, led away by divers lusts, ever learning, and never able to come to the knowledge of the truth."—The Holy Spirit through Paul in II Timothy, chap. 3, verses 1 to 7.

(Advertisement)

- You know what the American Beauty Flour is. Order a sack. Green's Grocery.
- We will appreciate a share of your business. Pecos Hide & Produce Co. 15tf
- C. L. Ness, of Saragosa, was a visitor in Pecos Sunday.
- Pecos Hide & Produce Co. wants your hides, dry or green. 15tf.
- Make your Easter order from Green's. We are sure to please you.
- C. C. Dorr of Grandfalls was a business visitor in our city Tuesday.
- New Goods arriving daily. Watch us grow: City Pharmacy. A. D. Linton & Son.
- J. W. Parker returned home Tuesday on No. 6 from a business trip to El Paso.
- We meet any cash price for the money and carry you when you're broke. Green's Grocery.
- Pecos Hide & Produce Co. wants your chickens, eggs, and so on. 15tf
- We handle the best grade of gasoline, in our Red Sentry tank. J. A. Hardy & Son. 15tf
- Highest prices paid for your produce. Green's Grocery.
- Mrs. W. C. Welborn arrived in Pecos Tuesday from the Flowing Wells ranch for a visit with friends.
- Green's Grocery wants to sell you that Easter order.
- We will appreciate a share of your business. Pecos Hide & Produce Co. 15tf
- R. E. Miller, proprietor of the Second Hand Store, returned home Tuesday on the Pecos Valley Southern from a business trip to Balmorhea.
- Phone 84 your grocery order you are sure to get the best.
- Mrs. Sid Kyle arrived home Monday from her two weeks visit at Dallas where she went to see her son, Max, who is at school there, and she reports that he is getting along nicely with his studies.
- We appreciate your drug trade. City Pharmacy. A. D. Linton & Son.
- We sell the highest quality of goods as cheap as some sell the inferior grades. Green's Grocery.
- Rev. S. E. Allison, Presiding Elder for the Roswell District, was in Pecos Sunday and at evening preached a splendid sermon on the "Triumphal Entry of Jesus Into Jerusalem" at the Methodist church.
- Fresh bulk Pickles at O. J. Green's Grocery.

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**Within the past 4 or 5 days we have opened our 4th Shipment of Silk Dresses in both Plain and Sport Combinations. Novelties in Silk and Woolen Skirts and Crepe de Chine and Georgette Waists**

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In recipes for cake, muffins, corn bread, etc., fewer eggs may be used and excellent results and healthful, appetizing food obtained by using an additional quantity of Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder, about a teaspoon, in place of each egg omitted.

**EGGLESS MUFFINS**  
DIRECTIONS:—Mix and sift dry ingredients. Add milk, stirring until all lumps are out; add melted shortening. Beat well and bake in greased muffin tins in hot oven from 20 to 25 minutes.

The old method called for 2 eggs.  
Makes 18 Muffins

Booklet of recipes which economize in eggs and other expensive ingredients mailed free. Address 1001 Independence Boulevard, Chicago, Ill.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is made from Cream of Tartar derived from grapes, and makes wholesome food.

No Alum

No Phosphate

### Remodeling His New Home

Brawley Oates has a force of carpenters at work upon his residence which he recently purchased from Mrs. Dams, in the southern portion of Pecos. He has had a fine sleeping porch built onto it, and has considerably remodeled the interior, and when completed it will be one of the most comfortable homes in the city. He also had a neat, commodious garage erected. We are sure glad to chronicle these improvements. This good family is deserving of these comforts, and we heartily join in welcoming them as permanent residents among us.

### With The Christy Shows.

The Christy Shows will exhibit in Pecos, Saturday, April 7th. So leave your troubles at home and come enjoy yourself. One of the undisputed features with the Christy Hippodrome Shows is Marinella, the 20th Century Marvel—Sandow's only rival; presenting a series of physical and muscular gymnastic exhibitions on the flying ring never before being attempted by a performer. The great Marinella was first brought to this country and featured by the Carl Hagenbeck Circus in 1915; since then appearing in most of the larger theatres in this country; see him and witness the perfection of muscular development.—Adv.

### Some Good Advice

"Don't think too much of your own methods. Watch other peoples' ways and learn from them." This is good advice especially when bilious or constipated. You will find many people who use Chamberlain's Tablets for these ailments with the best results, and will do well to follow their example.—Adv.

AT AN END—the "female complaints" and weaknesses that make woman's life a misery. They're cured by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. For all the derangements, disorders, and diseases peculiar to the sex, this is the only remedy certain to benefit. It's a legitimate medicine for woman, carefully adapted to her delicate organization, and never conflicting with any of her conditions. It regulates and promotes all the proper functions, builds up and invigorates the entire system, and restores health and strength. Are you weak, nervous and ailing, or "run-down" and overworked? Then it will bring you special help. It's the mother's friend. It lessens pain and insures life of both mother and child. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has a record of years of cures. It is the most potent invigorating tonic and strengthening nerve known to medical science. It is made of the glyceric extracts of native medicinal roots found in our forests and contains not a drop of alcohol or harmful drugs. 50¢ in Tablet or Liquid form by dealers.

Prevent Infection and Sores After Results by Immediately Using  
**DR. TINKLES' (ANTISEPTIC) HEALING OIL**  
Ask your Druggist or send 50c to Tinkle's, Lenoir, Va., for large bottle.

### Resolutions of Respect

We, your committee, appointed to adopt resolutions of respect on the untimely death of our Brother and friend, J. B. Wright, beg leave to report as follows:

Whereas, death, the grim reaper, has, in an unexpected manner, called our Brother, J. B. Wright, from labor to rest, and

Whereas, Brother J. B. Wright was an honored member of this Lodge, beloved and respected by all men, and who has so lived that he was ready at any time to answer the final call which must come to us all and who was sure, at last, to receive the welcome plaudit of the Master, and

Whereas, our Lodge has suffered the loss of his membership and of his exemplary conduct, and his wife and children a true and devoted husband and father, and his country the loss of one of its best citizens; therefore, be it

Resolved, that Pecos Valley Lodge No. 736, A. F. & A. M., bows in humble submission to the will of Him who guides the destinies of us all, and "who moves in mysterious ways. His wonders to perform;" that we make this manifestation of the loss we feel in his untimely passing; that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this Lodge, a copy be presented to the papers of Pecos, and a copy sent to his family.

Respectfully submitted,

ELMER JOHNSON,

B. G. SMITH,

J. A. DRANE,

Committee.

### Glad to Learn of It

Coughs that follow the La Grippe, or any deep-seated hacking cough will wear down the strongest man or woman if allowed to continue; C. Smith, 1421 12th St. Augusta, Ga., writes: "I got one 25c bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and my cough and cold is about well. I was glad to learn of a great medicine like that." Sold at Bozenman's Drug Co.—Adv.

**Had trouble Four or Five Years**  
Many people suffer from bladder trouble when they can be quickly relieved. W. J. Furry, R. F. D. 2, Salem, Mo., writes: "I was bothered with bladder trouble four of five years. It gave me a great deal of pain. I took different medicines but nothing did me any good until I got Foley Kidney Pills." Sold by Bozenman's Drug Co.—Adv.

Read the Want Ads. Some real bargains in them.

### WONDERFUL STUFF LIFT OUT YOUR CORNS

Apply a few drops then lift corns or calluses off with fingers—no pain.

No humbug! Any corn, whether hard, soft or between the toes, will loosen right up and lift out, without a particle of pain or soreness.

This drug is called freezone and is a compound of ether discovered by a Cincinnati man.

Ask at any drug store for a small bottle of freezone, which will cost but a trifle, but is sufficient to rid one's feet of every corn or callus.

Put a few drops directly upon any tender, aching corn or callus. Instantly the soreness disappears and shortly the corn or callus will loosen and can be lifted off with the fingers.

This drug freezone doesn't eat out the corns or calluses but shrivels them without even irritating the surrounding skin.

Just think of it! No pain at all; no soreness or smarting when applying it or afterwards. If your druggist don't have freezone have him order it for you.—Adv.

### Notice of Dissolution

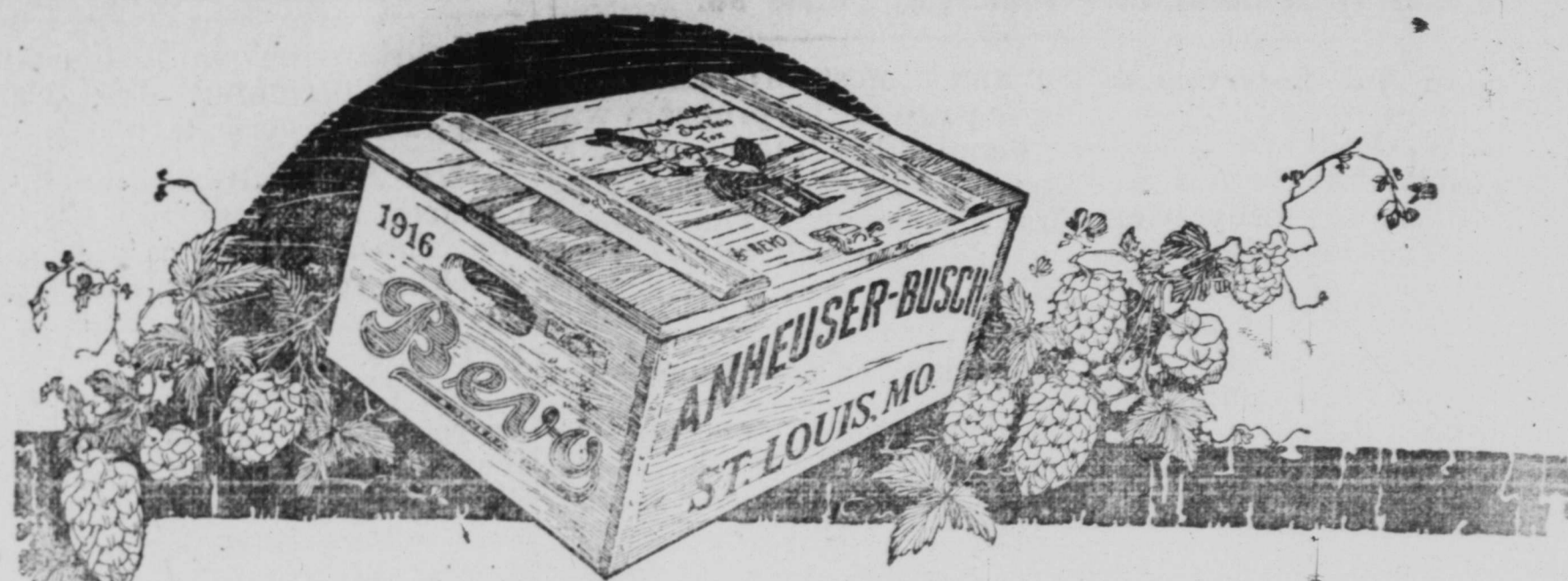
Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Ed Vickers and F. L. Collings, as Vickers & Collings, has this day been dissolved. F. L. Collings will continue the business, pay all debts against the firm and collect all accounts.

ED. VICKERS

E. L. COLLINGS.

Pecos, Texas March 16, 1917.  
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### Citation By Publication THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the sheriff or any constable of Reeves County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Fred Brasted and Robert Henderson, Jr., 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 4th Monday in April, 1917, the same being the 23rd day of April, 1917, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 28th day of February, 1917, in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said Court, No. 1700 wherein W. R. Ramsey is plaintiff, and Fred Brasted, Robert Henderson, Jr., and S. H. Jackson are defendants, and said petition alleging this to be a suit on five promissory notes in writing dated September 9, 1912, for \$2301.20 each and each payable in 5 installments of \$660.26 each on the 9th day of September, 1913, 14-15-16-17, with interest from date at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, interest payable annually, each note and all past due interest thereon to bear interest from maturity until paid at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, each of said notes providing for the usual 10 per cent attorney's fees and maturity of all notes in the event of failure to pay any of said note or any installment of principal or interest thereon when due.

Said notes are secured by deed of trust on Sections Nos 2-26 in Block 70, Public School Land in Reeves County, Texas, which deed of trust provides that in case of non-payment of said note the grantee or his assignee was empowered to sell said property according to law and out of the proceeds arising therefrom to pay the said notes and costs and expenses of proceeding the surplus, if any, to be paid to the grantor named therein, defendant Fred Brasted, Same Atwood being named as trustee in said deed of trust which

was filed for record in the county clerk's office of Reeves County, Texas, on October 2, 1912.

That defendant Brasted conveyed said premises to Robert Henderson Jr., who thereafter conveyed the same to S. H. Jackson, both of whom assumed and promised to pay the indebtedness evidenced by said notes. That defendant Jackson claims to be the owner of said premises, and defendant Henderson claims to be the owner of 12 promissory notes given by defendant Jackson, which notes he claims are secured by deed of trust on said premises subsequent to the deed of trust sought to be foreclosed. That the installments of each of said 5 notes payable on the 9th day of September, 1913-14-15-16-17 are long since past due with interest thereon and on all of said notes maturing annually as aforesaid and that plaintiff has elected, as the holder thereof to mature all said notes and place them in the hands of his attorneys for collection and agreed to pay his said attorneys the amount of attorney's fees named in said notes, 10 per cent of the principal

and interest thereof. That the reason of the premises defendant Henderson and Jackson became liable and promised to pay plaintiff said notes, interest and attorney's fees, which are long since past due and remain unpaid. That plaintiff prays that citation issue against defendant and for judgment for the principal, interest and attorney's fees and costs of suit for foreclosure of his lien and order of sale and payment of his said judgment out of the proceeds thereof, and that all defendants be adjudged to pay any deficiencies resulting therefrom.

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 S. C. Vaughan, Clerk of the District Court of Reeves County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at Pecos, Texas, this 23rd day of March, 1917.

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

By LULA WILLIAMS, Deputy

## Pecos, Sat. April 7th

AT 2 AND 8 P.M.

### CHRISTY'S

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**HIPPODROME SHOWS**

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EVERYTHING NEW THROUGHOUT

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PECOS, TEXAS



# QUIT BUSINESS SALE

Commencing April 4th, Ending May 4th

**W**E want to thank the people of Pecos and vicinity for their liberal patronage the past seven years we have been engaged in business here in Pecos, and have enjoyed a good business from all of you. But for various reasons we are going to close out our entire stock of merchandise, and quit business, and will conduct a sale for one month only. Commencing April the 4th, and lasting until May the 4th. We will offer our entire stock of merchandise at greatly reduced prices for CASH, and at a time like the present when all materials and merchandise are so high in cost, we are going to offer you merchandise at unheard of prices. These prices will apply on all merchandise we have in our store, including new and old. We are receiving new Spring merchandise every day, this will sell at a sacrifice also. It will pay you to visit our store, during this sale, and purchase your needs for spring, and this coming fall, as we have some fall stock left that we will sell you at a reduced figure. Below is a list of some of the merchandise we have to offer you, and prices on same.

<p><b>Ladies and Girls Shoes</b></p> <p>Ladies High Shoes, gray kid price \$8.00 now \$6.00                  Ladies White Kid Shoes, price \$8.00, now \$6.00                  Ladies Black Kid Shoes, price \$6.00, now \$4.50                  Ladies Patent Button Corona, price \$5.00, now \$3.75                  Ladies Two-Tone high shoes, price \$8.50, now \$6.50                  Ladies \$4.00 Shoes, now \$2.90                  Ladies \$2.75 Shoes, now \$1.80                  Girls Carnation Shoes, \$3.75 per pair, now \$2.75                  Girls Carnation Shoes, \$4.50 per pair, now \$3.00                  Women's Patent Pumps, price \$3.50, now \$2.50                  Women's Strap Sandals, kid, price \$3.50, now \$2.50                  One lot Strap Pumps, price \$5.00, now \$3.25</p>	<p><b>Collars and Neckties</b></p> <p>Corliss Coon Collars, linen, now each 10c, 3 for \$ .25                  Arrow Brand Collars, linen now 15c, 2 for \$ .25                  Ide Collars, linen, 15c each, 2 for \$ .25                  Neckties, 65c each, now \$ .45</p>	<p><b>Men's Shirts</b></p> <p>All detached collar, French cuffs, reg. \$1.50 \$1.00                  All detached collars, stiff cuffs, reg. \$1, now \$ .75                  Attached military collar reg. \$1.50, now \$ .85                  Attached military collar soft shirts, price \$1 \$ .75                  Boy's Sport Shirts, regular 75c sellers, now \$ .50                  Boy's Attached collar shirts, regular 75c, now \$ .40</p>
<p><b>Men's Low Quarter Shoes</b></p> <p>All Men's low quarter Ralston \$5 Shoes, now \$3.25                  All Men's high top Ralston \$4 Shoes, now \$3.00                  Men's \$4 Shoes, now \$2.75                  All Men's high top Ralston \$5 Shoes, now \$4.00                  All Boy's low quarter shoes, price \$3, now \$2.00</p>	<p><b>Men's Leather Gloves</b></p> <p>Gauntlet Gloves, reg. \$1.25 per pair, now \$ .90                  Men's Leather work Gloves reg. 50c seller now \$ .35                  Men's Dress Gloves \$2 and \$1.25 a pr., now \$ .90</p>	<p><b>Men's Summer Underwear</b></p> <p>All Men's union suits originally sold 1.50 a suit, \$ .90                  Men's B. V. D. Union Suits, now the suit, \$ .95                  Men's Union Suits originally \$2.50 a suit, now \$1.75                  Two Piece-B.V.D. underwear, garment 45, suit \$ .90</p>
<p><b>Work Pants</b></p> <p>Regular \$1.75 the pair sellers, now \$1.25                  Regular \$2.50 the pair sellers, now \$1.75                  All \$1.25 blue Denim Overalls, bib or waist \$1.00</p>	<p><b>Hats</b></p> <p>Men's Kingsberry Hats reg. \$3 sellers, now \$2.25                  Regular \$2.50 Men's Hats, now \$1.65                  Stetson Hats, Carlsbad shape, \$8 sellers, now \$6.00                  Stetson Hats, Columbia shape white or black regular \$5 seller, now \$4.00                  Stetson Hats, Big 4 shape, in black or white, regular \$6 seller, now \$4.50</p>	<p><b>Men's Socks</b></p> <p>Regular 15c a pair, two pairs for 25c, now 10c a pair, 3 pairs for \$ .25                  Regular 50c sellers, now the pair \$ .40                  Regular 35c a pair 3 for \$1.00, now the pair \$ .25                  Work Socks, 3 pairs for \$ .25</p>

**All Men's Suits At and Below Cost**

**THE SALE WILL LAST FOR ONE MONTH**

Remember, this sale commences April 4th and will last until May 4th. One month only. We have many more articles in our store to offer you which we could not list here, it will pay you to take advantage of this opportunity, and visit our store during this sale. All articles will be tagged and marked in plain figures. No changing of prices.

**W. T. Read Mercantile Co.**  
**Pecos, Texas**



**Daughter in Terrible Shape**  
A. Mitchell, Bagdad, Ky., writes: "My daughter was in terrible shape with kidney trouble. I got her to take Foley Kidney Pills and she is completely cured." Foley Kidney Pills strengthen weak, deranged kidneys, correct bladder troubles, stop rheumatic pains and backache; relieve sore muscles and stiff joints. Sold at Bozeman Drug Co.—Advt.

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The following are the charges for Round Trip or one way:  
Toyah \$ 8.00  
Sulphur Mines 20.00  
Barstow 2.00  
Pyote 8.00  
Fort Stockton 16.00  
(Over 2 persons \$2 each extra)  
Grandfalls 15.00  
Beunavista 20.00  
Hoban 6.00  
Saragosa 12.00  
Balmorhea 15.00  
Armo 8.00  
Porterville 10.00  
Carlsbad, N. M. 30.00

Will Appreciate all Town calls waiting after first hour.  
Ordinary running 20c per mile.  
\$1.00 per hour for all time  
PHONE 79

**Wanted.**

Position as cashier, bookkeeper or office manager; capable of taking care of correspondence; twelve years experience; can invest some money if necessary; best of reference. Address S. care Herald, Big Spring, Texas. 12\*4



**Fleischmann's Yeast**  
MAKES BEST BREAD  
Solely by B. G. Smith.

—For Your Complexion's Sake use Jergen's Almond Soap for hard water. City Pharmacy. D. Linton & Son.

—Boys, bring your brass and copper to Pecos Hide & Produce Co. 15tf

Elmer Jones was transacting business in Pecos Tuesday, having come over from Pyote.

—We will appreciate a share of your business. Pecos Hide & Produce Co. 15tf

Mrs. E. R. Cox of Saragosa, was visiting friends in Pecos a part of Monday and Tuesday.

—Bring your autos to the J. A. Hardy & Son garage when in need of repairs. We are fully prepared to do the work in first-class shape on short notice Phone 79. 15tf

—We want your business, just phone us, or write us. We will appreciate it. Green's Grocery

Mrs. M. H. Manning, who for the past three weeks had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harding, at Fort Worth, returned home Monday. She reports having had a most delightful time.

—We are ready at all times to give the people the very best of car service and at reasonable rates. See our prices elsewhere in this issue. Phone 79. J. A. Hardy & Son. 15tf

**Lost**—An Elgin watch, on last Sunday. Finder will confer a favor by returning it and receive reward. Ed McMahan, at Short's Tin Shop.

—We make the price and deliver the goods. Green's Grocery.

Mrs. Cliff Richburg and baby went out to Balmorhea Tuesday for a two days visit with Mrs. Henry Lavelle and family and other friends. Cliff says he don't know whether he will let them stay that long or not.

**A Word to Mothers**

There seems to be more than the usual number of children suffering from measles, whooping cough and other children's diseases this spring. Do not neglect any cold, for a cold weakens the system and makes a child more liable to attack of more serious ailments. Foley's Honey and Tar relieves coughs, colds and croup. Sold by the Bozeman Drug Co.—Advt.

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**AT THE CHURCHES.**  
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**Presbyterian Church.**  
Sunday school at 10 a. m. Last Sunday we had the largest actual attendance in our history. We still have room for others.

The pastor will be in Toyah to close the church year, administer the Lord's Supper and get reports all ready for Presbytery, which convenes in Big Springs next Tuesday at 8 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting at 7 p. m. Sunday. It will be a union meeting and will be a fine service for you to attend whether you are a member or not.

Prayer meeting Wednesday, at 8 p. m.

HENRY O. MOORE

**Church of Christ**

All morning services will be combined next Lord's day. A special Easter program will be given starting at 10 and lasting until 11:30. At the evening hour Thomas Elmore Lucey will have charge of the service. An invitation is extended all

HOMER L. MAGEE.

**Methodist Church.**

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. At this hour there will be a special Easter program rendered by the children of the school. You are urged to be with us.

At 11 a. m. there will be the regular services with special Easter music by the choir and a sermon in keeping with the occasion.

Junior Missionary Society at 3:00 p. m.

Young People's Missionary Society will join with the other young people's societies of the town in a union Easter service at the Presbyterian church at 7 p. m.

Preaching by the pastor at 8:00 p. m.

A cordial invitation is extended you to attend our services. J. H. WALKER.

If you want to know where to find something good to eat, look in the Pecos Times

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Pecos, Texas

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