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PECOS, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 1918

\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

\$418,972.55 Call Mar. 4, 1918
389,430.09 Call Dec. 31, 1917
\$ 29,542.46

The above figures represent an increase of nearly \$30,000 in deposits of this bank since last call by the State Banking Commissioner, December 31, 1917. We consider this a remarkable showing considering present conditions.

We wish to thank our old customers and the many new ones for their business which makes the above figures possible. Remember your funds are protected when in a Guaranty Fund Bank. We refer you to sworn statement in this issue

The Pecos Valley State Bank GUARANTY FUND BANK

Patriotic Meeting at Opera House

HON. GEO. T. WILSON OF SWEET-WATER, DELIVERS RINGING ADDRESS WEDNESDAY

Hon. Geo. T. Wilson, of Sweetwater, District Manager of the Thrift and War Savings Stamps sale for this district, was in town Wednesday and Thursday. On Wednesday night at the Opera House, Mr. Wilson made a splendid patriotic talk to a fairly good house.

Mr. Browning, the chairman for Reeves County, had arranged for patriotic songs to precede the talk and "America" and "The Star Spangled Banner" were sung by the audience, after which Mr. Browning introduced the speaker of the evening.

Mr. Wilson's address was fine from start to finish and every word had the true ring of a patriot. He brought out very forcibly the teachings of the Germans as a nation for the past forty years, quoting from their own literature, that "might and not right should rule the world." He told of the outrages committed, and of our part in the war.

He brought out the fact that our own Americans are the most wasteful people on the earth today and that the purchase of Thrift and War Savings Stamps would not only help the Nation win the war, but would inculcate in the minds of our younger generation the saving idea. His appeal to every man, woman and child to get into the war by saving and purchasing stamps was to the point, strong and forceful.

On the whole it was a splendid address and should do our people a great deal of good.

The meeting was adjourned by a beautiful and appropriate prayer by H. L. Magee, pastor of the Christian Church.

9-MONTHS SCHOOL WITHOUT SUBSCRIPTIONS FROM PUBLIC

The school board met Monday night and discussed matters pro and con regarding the school. Arrangements were made for the carrying on of the school for the full term, and no private subscriptions or funds will be taken. The matter was settled in a manner befitting this splendid body of gentlemen, and those who have been discussing the matter of closing the school on the streets or in their homes may now take a rest, as the school will continue.

STATE GEOLOGIST HERE LOOKING OVER OIL LEASES

Dr. J. A. Udden of the University of Texas, and State Geologist, of Austin, came in this morning with Clay Cooke from Austin, and is now with Mr. Tinnally looking over the leases procured by the Sunshine Oil Corporation.

His visit here on this occasion may have something to do with the incorporation of this company. His expenses here are being paid by Mr. Tinnally personally, which is only another instance of his liberality and his business tact.

A LIVE WIRE AND UP-TO-DATE STOCKMAN IS BILL

W. L. Kingston and wife attended the Cattlemen's Convention at Dallas last week and as usual he made his presence felt while there, judging from his picture appearing in the Dallas News among other notable stockmen in attendance. Kingston is one of the live-wire stockmen of the Davis Mountains, attends all the conventions, spends his coin and has a general good time. He is one of the few West Texas stockmen who is enjoying his wealth by throwing his feet out and having a good time, and by making others have a good time.

PRESIDING ELDER ALLISON HELD CONFERENCE HERE

Presiding Elder Allison of the Roswell District was in Pecos Sunday, preaching a very able sermon to the Methodist congregation Sunday evening, after which the Lord's Supper was served. On Monday he held the second quarterly conference. The report shows this church in a better condition than for years past.

Another Prize Winner in Essay Contest

"SHOOT THE GERMANS WITH SILVER BULLETS" TITLE OF JEWELL COWAN'S THEME

In December the United States Government launched a plan by which every person in the country may have a part in winning the war. Many people who are unable to buy a Liberty Bond may seize this opportunity to show their patriotism. The responsibility placed upon each individual is very slight, but the result will be far reaching. It was for the purpose of arousing the enthusiasm of the entire population, especially the small man, that Uncle Sam devised this new way of securing the use of the savings of the masses.

The plan is very simple. The stamps are on sale at post offices, banks, and authorized agencies so that it is almost as easy to save money as it is to spend it. With twenty-five cents one may purchase a thrift stamp and is provided with a card on which there is a place for the name and address of the owner and spaces for sixteen stamps. Thrift stamps do not bear interest and cannot be reissued. A Certificate cannot be cashed by any person except the owner unless forgery is committed and if it is lost the finder may drop it in a letter box and it will be returned to the owner free of postage. When a Thrift Card is filled, it may be exchanged for a War Savings Stamp. If the card is filled before February 1, 1918, twelve extra cents must be paid and for each month later one cent more. This is because the War Savings Stamps are earning interest.

When a War Savings Stamp is received one also receives a certificate on which there are spaces for twenty such stamps. This certificate may be registered at the post office where it was bought, and thereby the owner avoids the risk of having some one else cash his certificate if it is lost. An unregistered certificate may be cashed at any post office and the Government is not responsible for forgery. The maximum amount which can be sold to an individual at one time is one hundred dollars and no person may hold a total amount exceeding one thousand dollars. If at any time the possessor of a War Savings Certificate should need his money and wish to withdraw it, he can do so provided only that he give his post office ten days' notice. Thrift Stamps cannot be redeemed.

In one way War Savings Stamps are superior to a Liberty Bond, for if one buys a bond on the installment plan it does not begin to bear interest until the last installment is paid, while the War Savings Stamp begins to bear interest the moment it is bought whether the certificate is filled or not. Also, Liberty Bonds are marketable securities and subject to a slight fluctuation in value, but, by law, War Savings Stamps increase in value.

Secretary McAdoo has selected Mr. Frank A. Vanderlip as chairman of the National War Savings Certificate Committee. It is said that this was a very wise selection both because of his ability as a financier and because he is one of the few men who can comprehend the two extremes in this War-Savings Certificate plan. Mr. Vanderlip understands the effort which must be put forth in order to raise the great sum of two billion dollars because he understands what two billions means. He is able to understand the importance of four dollars and twelve cents to the small saver because when a boy he worked for a weekly salary of less than five dollars. Mr. Vanderlip, though a rich man, is not possessed with a lust for gold, for he gave up his position as president of the City National Bank of New York in order that he might accept the position of chairman of the War-Savings-Certificate Committee at a salary of one dollar a year. He has sacrificed only as all of us must do.

But our sacrifices will not mean that we shall deny ourselves anything that we really need. We are only asked to dispense with unnecessary things. If all the nickels and dimes that we spend for candy, chewing gum, soft drinks, and movie tickets were saved and invested in War Savings Stamps

To the Car Owners

One of the most troublesome and expensive parts about your car is the tires

You sometimes hesitate as to the kind of tires to buy and whether one is worth repairing or retreading

We are doing an Extensive Vulcanizing business, and we have the machinery and experience to Give You Firstclass Work

If your casing is blown out or the tread worn off we can repair or retread it and Guarantee to Give You Satisfaction

We will Give you the Best Service we can. Send Some Work And BE Convinced

Pecos Vulcanizing Co. Pecos, Texas

WILL DELIVER ADDRESS IN PECOS ON APRIL FIRST

The following telegram is self-explanatory:
Enterprise, Pecos, Texas.

T. G. Marks, of the State Department of Agriculture, will be in your town April 1, at 10 a. m. for meeting of county commissioners Council of Defense and farmers, to explain the drought relief bill and to aid them in securing the assistance provided under the law. The Governor is sending these men in the hope that the relief may be secured in time to be of service. Kindly give all publicity possible and arrange place for meeting.

B. F. JOHNSON.

NOTICE—CITY ELECTION

It has been established as a City policy for a number of years that the office of City Secretary should not be filled by election but such office should be filled by the City Council.

This policy was followed in giving notice of the election to be held on next Tuesday. I have heard today that there was some criticism of this course at this time, and since the law provides that such office may be filled by election, I have decided that the public should be notified and that any one desiring to be a candidate should have due notice in order that he might have his name printed on the ballot in manner prescribed by law. The ballots for the election have not been printed and any one desiring to have his name printed on the ballot as a candidate for any office to be filled by this election may have his name printed on the ballot by making application as prescribed by law.

J. E. STARLEY,
Mayor.

CATTLE DOING FINE AND OUTLOOK IS BRIGHT

Joe Kingston, in town Tuesday, on his way home in the Davis Mountains from the Stockmen's Convention at Dallas, had quite a pleasant chat with The Enterprise editor. He states that their stock are doing splendidly, that they have fed but very few cattle and that they are now feeding only a few head. However, they are pasturing on alfalfa probably as many as five hundred head and that they are doing splendidly.

Joe has in the neighborhood of 250 acres in alfalfa and says the crop is far ahead of preceding seasons and much of it will be ready to cut in two weeks' time, and that the first cutting will be much finer than for years past.

While Joe is within the draft age, he has not yet been called and, while willing to go, he believes he can be of vastly more benefit to Uncle Sam in taking care of his vast alfalfa fields than on the firing line. We need the hay and feed stuff and Joe is probably correct in his views, yet he called upon to shoulder his own

In Regard to the Sunshine Oil Company

A CORRECTION WITH AN ADDED WORD OF COMMENDATION OF THESE PEOPLE

In the article in The Enterprise last week headed "Sunshine Oil Company Will Soon Operate," The Enterprise said: "It is proposed to put down seven or more wells, and these will all be deep wells, to a depth of 300 feet or more." These figures should have read 3000 feet instead of 300 feet. This correction is gladly made and was only one of the common newspaper errors.

In this connection The Enterprise believes it is not out of place to remark that Mr. Tinnally is a valuable addition to our town. He is not only spending his money lavishly in the development of the sulphur fields but now proposes to put down several deep wells near Pecos which will save the town thousands of dollars in years to come in just such wells that she will be forced, sooner or later, to have if we are to get on the map as a city of very great consequence.

Should either soft water or gas be struck Mr. Tinnally proposes to donate the wells containing such to the town. This should not be considered lightly by our people. You say he hopes to personally reap rich returns? Well, yes, it is reasonable to suppose that a man would not undertake to spend several hundred thousand dollars in hard cash without any hope of returns. But just why he desires to put down these wells is easily explained.

He expects to need much fuel in his sulphur project and feels that he can afford to spend a good sum of money in procuring oil close by which will enable him to get it at a reasonable price.

He is spending thousands of dollars in the development of the sulphur fields out from Orla. He is now building a railroad from Orla to his holdings, putting in large cement tank, coal bunkers, etc. The fact is this company is preparing to do things on a large scale and they are going to put Pecos on the map for keeps if our people will only stand by them in a moral way and not knock or pull back. Let's all get in the harness and help. They are now spending their money in Pecos and as the days go by will continue to increase these expenditures.

While they may be making money for the company, it is well for us to remember that each and every citizen of Pecos is also profiting by their presence.

MICHIGAN GEOLOGIST HERE

Hon. Paolo Fischer, consulting engineer of the Standard Operating Company, arrived today from his home in Detroit, Mich., and will remain for a while in the interest of his company. Mr. Fischer is one of the ablest and most noted geologists in the United States.

Give Demonstration of Grinding Machines

ALL SURPRISED AT WORK OF MACHINES THAT BID FAIR TO SOLVE DROUGHT PROBLEM

Sims-Jordan Hardware Company this week shipped in from El Paso by express two complete sotal and bear-grass grinders, one of which was sold to Leck Bros. of Kermit, and the other to Albert and Jim Cooksey. One of these outfits was tested out at the store of Sims-Jordan, after its arrival, and there is no question now in the minds of those who witnessed the operation, of the ability of the machine to grind up almost anything so that a cow can masticate it. These machines are manufactured in El Paso and will prove of incalculable benefit to the stockmen of West Texas, where sotal, bear-grass, etc., thrive in dry or wet weather and has proven very nourishing to cattle.

Sim-Jordan are sparing no expense, time or energy in an effort to introduce these machines in this section of the country. The machines sold this week were the "Baby Hog Grinders" and will be run by the Stover Gas engines.

CITY ELECTION TUESDAY

The city election is billed for next Tuesday, April 2nd.

It looks today as if there will be no competition except in the cases of the City Marshal and possibly the City Secretary.

V. E. Pruett was up from Balmorea looking after business matters yesterday.

Allied Troops Under Supreme Commander

FRENCH GENERAL CONTROLS MOVEMENTS OF ALL TROOPS NOW OPPOSING GERMANY

The appointment of General Koch of the French Army, to the position of supreme commander of the Allied troops, is looked upon as one of the most important steps towards the success of our forces in the war. It means that all the orders will come from the General and all troops, instead of being under separate commands, will be massed together in one great body. This plan was the subject of much discussion some time ago, and was strongly urged by the French and American officials. Germany has had such a plan in operation since the beginning of the war and to it is accorded much of its success.

The past week has witnessed some of the fiercest fighting the world has ever seen. Germany has sent men against the Allied lines in the ratio of 8 to 1, and though they have made a gain, the price was beyond description in the number of dead. They attacked our lines just where they said they would, and just where we had fortified for their coming, which goes to show that in the mind of the German we are inferior beings and it is useless for us to try to block his plans.

Jim Cooksey was in from the ranch in the Gaudaloupe Mountains for a day or two this week looking after business matters and visiting with relatives. He reports stock conditions in his section as fairly good.



The Last Shipment of
EASTER HATS
Has Just Arrived

You Will Be Delighted With
These Fresh, New Models

Miss Lillie Poe

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TIME TABLES.

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Directory

W. C. T. U. meets on Third Friday in each month at 3 o'clock p. m. at the home of Mrs. R. N. Couch, Pres.

LODGE MEETINGS.

Masonic-Pecos Valley Lodge No. 736, A. F. and A. M. Hall, corner of Oak and Second streets.

Masonic-Pecos Chapter No. 218, R. A. M. Hall corner of Oak and Second streets.

O. E. S.-Pecos Chapter No. 81. Regular meetings second Monday in each month.

J. V. HANSON, Secretary.

W. O. W.-Allthorn Camp No. 208. Regular meetings second and fourth Tuesday nights in each month.

W. O. W. CIRCLE-Meets 2nd and 4th Thursday afternoons, at 3 o'clock.

K. of P.-Meets in Castle Hall every Monday night.

MAX KRAUSKOPF, K. of R. S.

I. O. O. F.-Pecos Encampment No. 23, meets 1st and 3rd Monday nights in each month.

I. O. O. F.-No. 850, meets every Thursday night.

THE COURTS.

Federal-Western District of Texas. Meets 4th Mondays in March and September.

Bankruptcy-Meets any time there is business of the nature.

District-70th Judicial District. Meets April 23, 1917, November 19th, 1917.

County-Reeves County. Meets 1st Monday in April, 2nd Monday, 5th July, October and January.

Justice-Meets in regular session every 3rd Monday.

Mayor's-Opens any day for criminal cases.

Commissioners-Regular meetings on 2nd Monday in each month.

OFFICIALS.

County-Jas. F. Ross, Judge; S. C. Vaughan, Clerk; Tom Harrison, Sheriff.

City-J. E. Starley, Mayor; A. G. Taggart, Ben Biggs, Sam Prewit and Ralph Williams, Councilmen.

GET RESULTS BY PATRONIZING THE ENTERPRISE CLASSIFIED

HANDS, ARMS, LIMBS ASLEEP

And Was Run-Down, Weak and Nervous, Says Florida Lady. Five Bottles of Cardui Made Her Well.

Kathleen, Fla.-Mrs. Dallas Frink, of this place, says: "After the birth of my last child... I got very much run-down and weakened, so much that I could hardly do anything at all."

You can feel safe in giving Cardui a thorough trial for your troubles. It contains no harmful or habit-forming drugs, but is composed of m' l, vegetable, medicinal ingredients with no bad after-effects.

All persons or firms engaged in importing, manufacturing, storing, or distributing fertilizers of fertilizer ingredients must secure licenses on or before March 20.

WSS CASE AFTER CASE

Plenty More Like This in Pecos. Scores of Pecos people can tell you about Doan's Kidney Pills.

Ben Palmer, attorney at law, Cypress St., Pecos, says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills several years ago and while I have never been a great sufferer with my kidneys I found them to be very good."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy-get Doan's Kidney Pills-the same that Mr. Palmer had.

Let your idle books help our soldiers-You can do your bit.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold.

In spite of unsettled conditions, the total American trade with Russia amounted to \$483,000,000 in 1917, a decrease of only \$39,000,000 as compared with 1916.

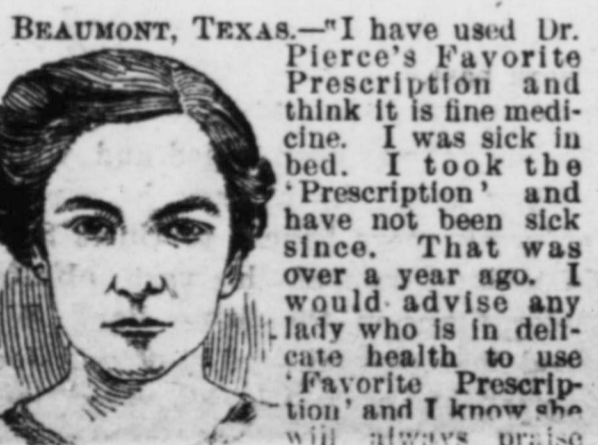
War and Women

We hear much these days of what the women are doing on the battle-line. How few American women are strong enough to go to the front and endure the hardships of the men!

Help is offered, and is freely given to every nervous, delicate woman, by Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

In "female complaint," irregularity, or weakness, and in every exhausted condition of the female system, the "Prescription" seldom fails to benefit or cure.

Write Dr. Pierce, President Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for confidential advice and you will receive the medicinal attention of a specialist, wholly without fee-no charge whatever.



JOE ESCLAVON, 280 Luttrell Street.

Another Prize Winner in Essay Contest

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the individual and the nation would be permanently benefitted. Our sacrifices are not to be compared with our returns. We will have acquired a habit of thrift; we will have our money well invested, and we will be helping to win the war.

The reasons for buying War Savings Stamps are innumerable. First of all because our country is at war and needs every available cent to equip our army and navy to "make the world safe for democracy."

Possibly the most important reason for dispensing with luxuries is to release labor. The Government can not win the war with money alone, but with the materials which only money can purchase.

When War Savings Stamps were placed on sale it was intended that every one should buy them. If the financial burden of the war rests on a small per cent of the people then we are not a united Nation and are liable to fail.

By investing their money in War Savings Stamps the American people will acquire a habit of thrift. According to Mr. Vanderlip this is the greatest advantage in connection with this campaign.

This campaign will bring three great gains: A conservation of the labor of the United States for the production of necessary materials for the war; the acquisition of a habit of thrift which will be of permanent benefit to the people; and finally, a sum of two billion dollars in the hands of the Government for the equipment of our fighting men.

Therefore, each man, woman and child is urged to invest in these stamps and strike a blow for the liberty of the world.

JEWELL COWAN. WSS

TO ADVANCE CLOCKS ONE HOUR SUNDAY MORNING

The new Federal daylight saving law goes into effect at 2:00 o'clock Sunday morning, March 31. Every American railroad is getting ready to comply with the law as Director General W. G. McAdoo has issued order number fourteen to that effect.

WSS Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Groves's.

The Old Standard Groves's Tasteless Chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON.

Builds up the Whole System. 60 cents



WSS 90 PER CENT OF TROOPS NOW CARRY INSURANCE

More than \$11,000,000,000 of war risk insurance has so far been written, covering 1,500,000 persons in the military and naval services.

All new persons joining the service may apply for insurance within 120 days after joining the colors.

WSS CALOMEL SALIVATES AND MAKES YOU SICK

Acts Like Dynamite on a Sluggish Liver and You Lose a Day's Work

There's no reason why a person should take sickening, salivating calomel when 50 cents buys a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone-a perfect substitute for calomel.

It is a pleasant, vegetable liquid which will start your liver just as surely as calomel, but it doesn't make you sick and can not salivate.

Children and grown folks can take Dodson's Liver Tone because it is perfectly harmless.

Calomel is a dangerous drug. It is mercury and attacks your bones. Take a dose of nasty calomel today and you will feel weak, sick and nauseated tomorrow.

WSS Advertisement

A Navy base hospital with a capacity of 500 beds has reached the war zone. It will take care of the Navy personnel, both ashore and afloat, and if accommodations exist will also be available for Army and allied sick and wounded.

WSS How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh.

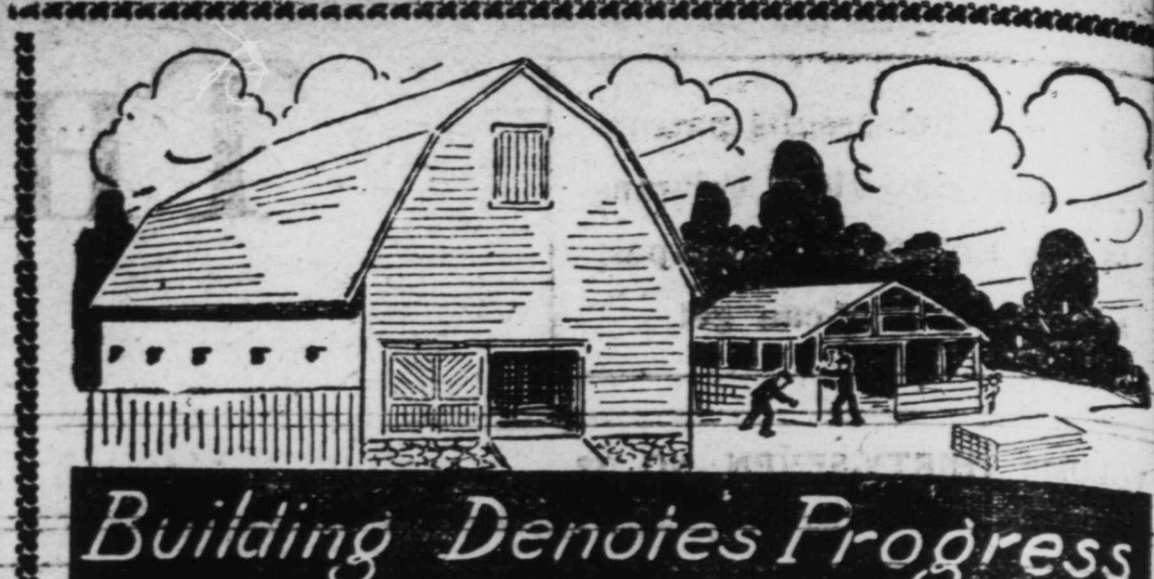
WSS NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas and County of Reeves

To John C. Swan, and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves, for taxes, to-wit:

Taxes for Year 1916 on Section No. 3, Block 56, Tsp. 7, T. & P. Ry. Company survey in Reeves County, Texas.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 27th day of March, A. D. 1918. S. C. VAUGHAN, (Seal) Clerk, Dist. Court, Reeves County, Texas.



Building Denotes Progress

It's a Sign of Thrift and progress to see building and improvement going on.

There is no Better Proof of economical and successful management than the right sort of building improvements and plenty of 'em

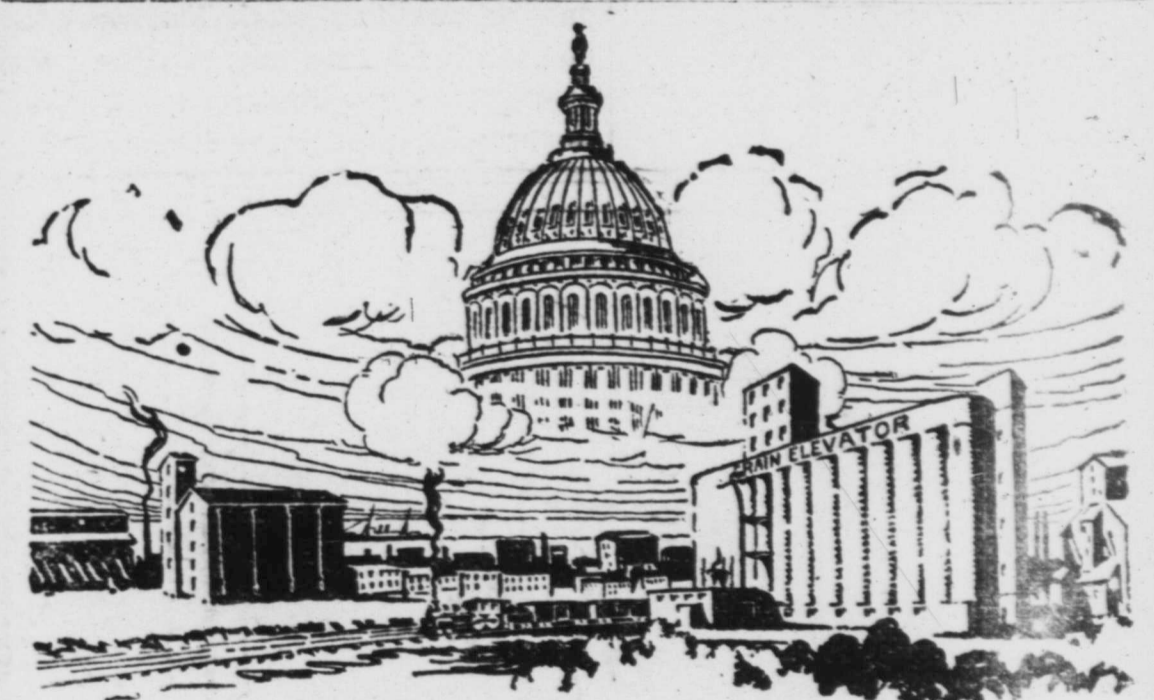
Are You Going to put off longer the building of that house, barn or shed?

See Us Today and get in the van of progress



SEE R. P. HICKS FOR Dray and Transfer Work WOOD AND COAL OFFICE PHONE 42 RESIDENCE PHONE 181

Ford THE UNIVERSAL CAR Like the regular Ford cars the Ford Model T One-Ton Truck is a real farm necessity...



Helping Farmers With Their Grain

The Federal Reserve Banking System established by the government stands back of the farmer from the time he breaks ground till his crop is harvested.

The vast funds of the Federal Reserve Banking System are available only for legitimate farming and business needs, and in some respects farmers' paper is given preference over merchants' paper.

If you are not already one of our depositors drop in and let us tell you how this system helps you.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK Pecos, Texas MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE

Toyah News Items

Fresh Flour and Feed, at Bessire's 32-t2 Advertisement

Joe Hopper was in from the ranch Wednesday.

Jim Scanlan was in Toyah the latter part of last week.

The Red Cross Society met in regular session this week.

W. B. Collins is home from Ysleta, for a visit to his family.

Miss Stella Hefner is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Reeves Burchard.

New Spring Underwear for Ladies and gents, at Bessire's. 32-t2 Advertisement

J. J. Pope, H. Bryant and Frank Powell fished on the Pecos River last week and had real good luck.

Mrs. A. W. Hosie left this week for Dallas to have her little daughter, Norene, treated by specialists.

Joe Finley Holmes entertained his young friends last Friday night in fine shape. Various games were indulged in and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Grace Darling Middies, New Hosiery, Organdie, Striped Voil, New Gingham and Percales at Bessire's. Advertisement

Lacey Hart came in from the Cowan ranch Thursday. Lacey leaves tomorrow for Camp Travis. His many friends regret to see him leave but rejoice that he is to do his bit to "Hock the kaiser."

A very informal dance was given to the young folks of Toyah Tuesday night by Mrs. Emily Crawford. Dancing was enjoyed until 1:00, after which Mr. and Mrs. Crawford supervised the young people on a barbecue.

WSS - CRAZIEST DRINK CRAZED MAN NEAR HERMOSA

On Monday of this week Sheriff Tom Harrison was called on to take in his care a "crazy" man up about Hermosa. As soon as word was received by him he, accompanied by Deputy Middleton and City Marshal Lee Koddy, struck out on the chase.

Soon after being put on the trail of the man they found his hat and coat, and finally found the man with a bunch of Mexican laborers and safely landed him in jail about one o'clock Tuesday morning.

Papers and a union painter's card found in his coat revealed his identity and when found he admitted he had been suffering from delirium, the result of a protracted "jag," and did not remember anything for a day or so. After recovering he was released and sent on his way rejoicing.

WSS - An 11-section ranch cheap. Only a small cash payment. Call and see F. P. Richburg Land & Rental Co.

LEGAL NOTICES

ELECTION PROCLAMATION

Whereas, the law provides for the holding of a general election on the first Tuesday in April, 1918, for the election of a mayor, a marshal and three aldermen for the town of Pecos City.

It is therefore ordered that such election be held in the town of Pecos City on April 2nd, 1918, as provided by law, for the electing of a mayor, a marshal and three aldermen for said town.

The polling place will be at the Fire Hall, and the officers appointed to hold such election are:

E. L. Collings, presiding judge. C. S. McCarver, judge. R. E. L. Kite and T. H. Bqmar, clerks.

This order and proclamation issued this March 1st, 1918.

J. E. STARLEY, Mayor.

MONROE KERR, Secretary.

WSS - ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

Estate of B. Mathis, deceased, W. H. Browning, Jr., Administrator with the Will annexed. County Court of Reeves County, Texas, January term, A. D. 1918.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I, W. H. Browning, Jr., Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of B. Mathis, deceased, will on the 2nd day of April, A. D. 1918, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., at Van Horn, in the County of Culberson and State of Texas, at the court house door, sell at public auction to the highest bidder the following described tracts or parcels of land belonging to said estate, to-wit: All of sections Nos. 22, 20, 28, 30, 31, 40, 42 and 44, in Block 62, Section Two (2), in Block Four (4) of H&G N Ry. Co. Survey, in Reeves County, Texas.

The said property will be sold sub-

"Save both butter and lard—and use Vegetable Oils and Vegetable Compounds . . . they are equally good."

U. S. Food Administration

THE United States Food Administration does not step into your kitchen to see if you are playing fair—it simply asks you to

"SAVE ANIMAL FATS"

—and puts you on your honor.

Now the Government isn't asking you to deny yourself good eating, but merely to cook in a slightly different way. In a word, to stop short in the use of lard and butter in your cooking and use vegetable fats instead.

In the production of the needed vegetable fats the country is well equipped. Already millions of pounds of pure, wholesome and nourishing vegetable

fats are produced and used each year. Cottolene is a familiar example.

In recommending vegetable fats the Government does not specify any particular product. Cottolene, however, is well known as a pure and wholesome vegetable shortening. Incidentally, it gives delicious cooking results.

Here is the fact to remember when you buy—when you cook—and we quote it from the United States Food Administration:

"It is your patriotic duty to save fat (animal fat) by substituting."

THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY

Cottolene Patriotic Shortening



LEGAL NOTICES

ject to the State price, for cash and, by order of the court, no bids for less than One Dollar (\$1.00) per acre bonus will be considered or accepted therefor.

Witness my hand this 4th day of February, A. D. 1918.

W. H. BROWNING, Jr., Administrator with the will annexed of the Estate of B. Mathis, Deceased. First in sertion Mar. 8. Last insertion, March 29.

WSS - SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Reeves.

By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, on the 7th day of March, 1918, by the Clerk of said court against R. N. Sewell in favor of Vickers & Collings, for the sum of Sixteen Hundred Twenty-one and 48-100 (\$1621.48) Dollars and costs of suit in cause No. 1698 in said court, styled J. C. Paze versus R. N. Sewell et al, and placed in my hands for service, I, Tom Harrison, as sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 7th day of March, 1918, levy on certain real estate situated in Reeves County, described as follows, to-wit:

The west one-half (W. 1-2) of Section Two (2), in Block Four (4) of H&G N Ry. Co. Survey, in Reeves

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County, Texas.

Said judgment in favor of Vickers & Collings being a judgment foreclosing certain judgment liens in their favor as intervenors in the above said cause, and said judgment liens being second liens at the time of the rendition of said judgment in said cause, but now being first liens against the above said land.

The above said judgment now amounting to \$1447.12.

And levied upon as the property of said R. N. Sewell and on Tuesday, the 2nd day of April, 1918, 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, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said R. N. Sewell, by virtue of said levy and said order or 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 and Pecos Times, a newspaper published in Reeves County.

Witness my hand, this 7th day of March, 1918.

TOM HARRISON, Sheriff, Reeves County, Texas. First insertion, March 8th. Last insertion, March 29th.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF REEVES.

By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, on the 2nd day of March, 1918 by the clerk of said court against T. R. Martin, W. T. Martin, W. F. Martin, W. C. Dickson, Trustees for the First State Bank of Grandfalls, Ward County, Texas, Mrs. Sarah Clarke, Richard Clarke, Dorothy Clarke, and Roy Clarke, for the sum of Three Thousand Nine and 30-100 (\$3009.30) Dollars and costs of suit in cause No. 1751 in said court, styled The Pecos Valley State Bank versus T. R. Martin, et al, and placed in my hands for service, I, Tom Harrison, as sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 5th day of March, 1918, levy on certain real estate situated in Reeves County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Section 2, Block C-4, Public School land, Section 15, Block C-5, Public school land, and the S. W. 400 acres of Section 8, Block 7, H. & G. N. Ry. Co. Survey, all of said land being situated in Reeves County, Texas.

And levied upon as the property of said defendants and on Tuesday, the 2nd day of April, 1918, at the court house door of Reeves County, in the Town of Pecos, Texas, between the

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hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. I will sell said lands at public vendue, for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of said defendants by virtue of said levy and said order of sale.

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

Witness my hand this 5th day of March, 1918.

TOM HARRISON, Sheriff, Reeves County, Texas. First insertion, Mar. 8. Last insertion, Mar. 29.

WSS - SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Reeves.

By virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, on the 4th day of March, 1918 by the clerk of said court against Leslie A. Needham and Trans-Pecos Land & Irrigation Company, a corporation, for the sum of Seven Hundred and Twenty-seven (\$727.00) Dollars and costs of

et al P. Albert Cooney versus Leslie A. Needham et al, and placed in my hands for service, I, Tom Harrison,

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as sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 5th day of March, 1918, levy on certain Real Estate situated in Reeves County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All of sections 21, 23 and 25, in Block No. 2, H. & G. N. Ry Co. Survey.

And levied upon as the property of said Leslie A. Needham and the Trans-Pecos Land & Irrigation Company, a corporation, and on Tuesday, the 2nd day of April, 1918, 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 lands at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Defendants by virtue of said levy and said Execution.

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 and Pecos Times, a newspaper published in Reeves County.

Witness my hand, this 5th day of March, 1918.

TOM HARRISON, Sheriff, Reeves County, Texas. First insertion, March 8th.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For State Senator 25th Senatorial District: R. M. DUDLEY, of El Paso. M. M. McFARLAND of Alpine. For Judge 70th Judicial District: CHAS. GIBBS. For District Attorney: BEN PALMER. For County Judge: JAS. F. ROSS (Re-election). For Sheriff: TOM HARRISON (re-election) E. B. KISER. For Assessor: W. W. CAMP (Re-election). For District and County Clerk: S. C. VAUGHAN (Re-election). For County Attorney: J. A. DRANE, (Re-election). For County Treasurer: LEGRAND MERRIMAN (Re-election). For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: J. E. EISENWINNE (Re-election). For Commissioner Prec. No. 2, A. W. HOSIE (Re-election). For Commissioner Prec. No. 4: SID KYLE (Re-election). For City Secretary: MONROE KERR. For Marshal of Pecos City: R. G. MIDDLETON. LEE RODDY. Advertisement



This paper has enlisted with the government in the cause of America in the period of the war.

FURTHER SUPPORT TO THE RED BLUFF PROJECT

A. Finally this week received a message from his people in Detroit stating that they had secured the cooperation of some of the liveliest wires in Michigan who had taken up with their congressmen the passage of the Chamberlain bill, the passage of which means the construction of the Red Bluff reservoir.

PECOS MORE THAN HOLDING HER OWN THROUGH DROUGHT

Hon. Geo. T. Wilson of Sweetwater, who made that splendid patriotic talk at the Music Hall Wednesday night, mention of which is made elsewhere, made The Enterprise a very pleasant visit. He says conditions all over the district are discouraging, but was very agreeably surprised and pleased at the prosperous condition of Pecos, saying that he believed it the very best and most prosperous town on the T. & P. between Abilene and El Paso.

THIS MAKES US FEEL GOOD

Mr. Jno. Hibdon, Editor, Enterprise-Times, Pecos, Texas: My dear Mr. Hibdon: You can always depend upon West Texas to do big things. West Texas is not satisfied with doing its "best", but always does its "best". The Enterprise-Times certainly is doing a loyal and patriotic work in pushing the Thrift Campaign, and I want to tell you how much I appreciate it. Especially it is a pleasure to read The Enterprise-Times because it always has so much local news in it about what is being done in Pecos in buying War Savings Stamps. The "Reds" and "Blues" are doing very effective work, and I read of their activity with great pleasure and, by the way, I want to compliment you on the very clever "cut-off" dash you are using—the W. S. S. slug. Yours for \$91,000,000.00 in Texas by December 31st.

LOUIS LIPSON, State Director War Savings Com.

Our Weekly Letter From Camp Travis

TRAINING OF SOLDIER IN OUR NATIONAL ARMY EQUIPS HIM MENTALLY AND PHYSICALLY.

"There will be no lost motion at Camp Travis. Every movement made by every soldier of this command must be made with a distinct purpose." This is the opinion of Major General Henry T. Allen, commanding the 90th Division, National Army, who has recently returned from a careful inspection of the English, French and American troops in the war zone of France.

The absolute necessity for a coordination of physical activity with the mental activity is apparent to those who have seen service or who have visited the fronts of Europe, according to General Allen. With this end in view, the soldiers of Camp Travis are to be given a thorough course of training of such nature that it will call into play not only the muscles of the body, but the muscles of the brain.

The success of the Allies in a great measure can be attributed to the fact that the average soldier of the Allied Armies is a clearer thinker, and a more concise thinker than the German soldier. The German soldier is often driven, while the soldiers of the Allied forces are led into combat. Without their officers, it has been shown that the German forces break down. This is not true with the Allied forces where non-commissioned officers and even men without rank have stepped into the breach at the proper time and led their respective units to victory or safety.

It is the development of men in the ranks who are capable of leading when the occasion demands that General Allen is intending. Nor can the men themselves be choosers of the time or place. For this reason it is necessary that every soldier be able to think and act, that he know and understand what should be done and to, do it. In order that minds may be kept continually active, the plan is in operation whereby officers and men alike must think when they act.

An example of the coordination necessary for precise military salutations demonstrates the point as is here shown: Where men and officers might previously salute with an almost nonchalant wave of the hand, is substituted a style of saluting that requires heads to be turned toward the parties saluted and the eyes looking directly into those of the person saluted. It requires four movements to complete the salute. These four movements may not be altogether necessary for compliance with the former drill regulations on the subject, but they serve to do more. No man can salute and salute properly at Camp Travis without knowing and without thinking just what he is doing. Many times a day salutes are made and returned and every time a stimulus is of necessity sent through the brain.

Aside from this training of the mind and body that will fit the soldiers at Camp Travis for victorious soldiers, there is yet another result equally as far reaching. When the war is over and the soldiers have returned to their homes or farms, then theirs will not be slow acting from sluggish minds. They will be able to take their places among the leaders as worthy citizens better able to cast a ballot and assist in the administration of the affairs of the country.

No better evidence of the spirit generally prevailing throughout the country could be secured than that of a recent occurrence in the Depot Brigade at Camp Travis. Tired of his army life, a big negro recruit decided to quit the army and return to his old home. He did so, went "absent without leave" and returned to his home with the expectation of being met with open arms. He was, temporarily, but the father of the deserting negro was patriotic. He took the boy to the depot himself, boarded the train and brought him to the proper authorities in the camp. He went even further than this. He was prepared for the expected charge that the boy was worthless and he wanted to get rid of him by bringing with him papers from reputable citizens stating he was a negro of good standing in the community in which he resided. It is only one of the many instances occurring daily.

Cattlemen Attention!

Do you borrow money? The National Stock Yards National Bank of East St. Louis, is in the market for cattle and sheep loans. Either write them direct at National Stock Yards, Illinois, or writ or wire me at Eldorado, Texas. Representative (Advertisement).

Bills Passed by the Texas Legislature

DIGEST OF LEGISLATION ACTED UPON BY FOURTH CALLED SESSION OF BODY

Austin, March 24.—The fourth called session of the Thirty-Fourth Legislature has set a record for the number of important bills passed. Below is a digest of all measures passed finally up to last Saturday night:

Patriotism H. B. 41. Requiring the teaching of patriotism in public schools and use of the United States flag. H. B. 17. Authorizing the investment of \$5,000,000 of surplus State funds in short time war securities. S. B. 23. Permitting cooperative societies and loan companies to invest their funds in war securities. S. B. 89. Authorizing the investment of public sinking funds in war securities. H. B. 15. Punishing persons guilty of any form of disloyalty.

Social Diseases S. B. 48. Requiring the reporting, registration and isolation of infectious diseases to prevent spread. S. B. 49. Prohibiting the advertisement of remedies and information concerning social diseases.

Sue the State S. B. 58. Permitting John H. Elliott to sue the State of Texas for injuries sustained while bridge carpenter on the State Railroad.

State Depositories S. B. 1. An act creating a State depository board and providing system of depositing State funds to earn interest under security.

Anti-Pollution S. B. 10. Authorizing the creation of district to build dykes to keep salt water out of fresh water bodies. S. B. 46. Authorizing the creation of corporations to prevent oil well refuse and other contamination to reach fresh water streams used for irrigation.

Railroads S. B. 55. Empowering the Railroad Commission to compel railroads to rearrange their tracks at stations for public safety purposes. S. B. 27. Empowering the Railroad Commission to permit railroads to change and relocate their tracks in cities of over 50,000 population.

Council of Defense S. B. 43. Appropriating \$50,000 for work of the State Council of Defense. S. B. 44. Providing that only the Secretary and assistant Secretary of the State Council of Defense shall receive any salary. Members receive traveling expenses only.

Suffrage H. B. 105. Giving votes to women in the party primaries of this State, the first woman suffrage measure to pass a Texas Legislature. H. B. 107. Providing only American citizens shall vote in the primary elections held in this State. It cuts out many foreigners who have taken out first papers only.

H. B. 110. Providing for majority nominations in this State for State and District offices. It abolishes the present plurality system for State and District offices. H. B. 104. Prohibiting election judges from giving assistance to voters, except those physically disabled, such as from blindness or loss of an arm. Assistance may be given to persons over 60 years of age and to those who have been citizens over 21 years and can not read or write. It is a literacy test bill of importance. A similar measure passed by the 33rd Legislature was vetoed and in the 34th, the House defeated such a bill.

Prison Debts. H. B. 134. Requiring the Prison Commission to return to the general revenue fund \$362,423 heretofore used in paying prison system debts and to pay \$387,783 out of the prison funds next November to meet past indebtedness. State Property Inventory. H. B. 140. Requiring heads of the State departments and institutions to file on inventory of State property with the Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds.

Brood Fish H. B. 141. Permitting State and Federal fish hatchery representatives to seine streams for fish for propagation purposes. Land Patents. S. B. 36. Providing that land patents shall go to the county Clerk of the county wherein the land is situated to be recorded before being delivered to the patentee.

Drainage S. B. 67. Providing that drainage districts may elect their commissioners instead of having them appointed. Irrigation H. B. 70. Providing that where either party is dissatisfied with water rates fixed by the district board they may appeal to the district court, and it shall have the power to name the

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rates. S. B. 66. Providing for appointment of Tax Assessors and Collectors in water improvement districts. Women Workers H. B. 94. Requiring better conditions, physically and morally, in factories and industrial establishments where women are employed. Pension Department H. B. 93. Abolishing the State Pension Department and merging its functions with those of the Comptroller's Department. Teachers' Certificates H. B. 120. Authorizing the State Superintendent of Public Instruction to extend teachers' certificates under certain conditions. Land Validation H. B. 119. Validating certain land sales by the Land Commissioner. Appeal Bonds S. B. 70. Making appeal bonds in criminal cases from Justice Courts to County Court returnable instanter if County Court is in session. Insurance S. B. 95. Authorizing casualty companies incorporated in Texas to write marine insurance so as to include all war risks. Municipal Charters H. B. 162. Validating charters of towns which used the home rule amendment but which had less than 5,000 population under the 1910 census. Subsequent enumeration showed population in excess of 5,000. Dry Docks H. B. 45. Ratifying cession of part of Pelican Island, Galveston Bay, for dry-dock purposes. Reclamation S. B. 22. Enlarging and perfecting the present statute governing the organization of levee districts, issuance of bonds and construction of levees to hold back flood waters. H. B. 28. A general enabling act under the conservation amendment to the constitution adopted last August. Encourages the reclamation of lands, and conservation of natural resources. H. B. 147. Authorizing the formation of corporations to conserve fresh waters of the State as against salt water contamination. Delinquency H. B. 98. Extending the benefits of the delinquency statute to girls as well as boys. S. B. 63. Making the penal clause of the delinquency statute apply to any person contributing to the delinquency of a child up to 17 years of age. S. B. 60. Raising the age of consent from 15 to 17 years of age. Salary Raises S. B. 84. Increasing the salary of the State Superintendent of Public Building and Grounds from \$1,750 to \$2,400 a year. S. B. 26. Increasing the pay of the County Superintendents of Instruction on a graded basis. H. B. 56. Increasing and grading the pay of County Commissioners. This bill also meets the objections to present compensation pointed out by the Supreme Court in the Altgelt case from Bexar county. Produce Containers H. B. 115. Prescribing standard packs for fruits and vegetables. Corporations H. B. 138. Requiring corporations subject to gross receipts tax to take out permits in this State. Junk Dealers H. B. 90. Providing for record of junk bought from minors, and general supervision of junk dealers. Judiciary S. B. 28. Creating a Commission of Appeals of six members for the relief of the Supreme Court to sit in two divisions of three members each and to pass on cases through the court

proper. H. B. 34. Fixing the time of holding court in the 72nd District. H. B. 48. Allowing \$3 per diem for official court interpreters. H. B. 56. Establishing Criminal Court for Bowie County. S. B. 41. Act amending statute creating El Paso County Court at Law. S. B. 45. Providing for recognition of law licenses of other States on reciprocal basis, license to issue here where other States recognize Texas license. S. B. 72. Fixing time of holding court in Twenty-Seventh and Thirty-Fifth Districts. Unorganized Counties S. B. 17. To permit the organization or disorganization of counties upon petition signed by 75 citizens instead of 150. Prohibition H. B. 8. Providing for State-wide prohibition by statute, to become effective June 27. H. B. 9. Prohibiting the sale of intoxicants within ten miles of any army camp, post, cantonment or shipyard doing Government work; prohibiting it being brought into such areas by any person. H. B. 10. Amending Article 611, Penal Code, making it a felony to sell spirituous liquors without license (Bootlegging). H. B. 11. Amending Article 612, Penal Code, making it a felony to sell malt liquors with license (Bootlegging). H. B. 13. Inflicting punishment for purchasing or procuring intoxicants for soldiers or sailors; also punishing the sale or gifts to soldiers. H. B. 26. Making it unlawful to transport liquor into dry territory, either by interstate or intrastate transportation. It may be brought by a person for personal use. Senate joint resolution No. 1. Ratifying the amendment to the Federal Constitution to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors in this Nation. S. B. 15. Anti-Roadhouse law; restricting liquor dealers' licenses, to incorporated cities and towns. Railroads S. B. 85. Forbidding railroads to abandon service on line which has been in operation. This is intended to reach the Marshall & East Texas Railroad, which suspended service between Marshall and Winnsboro. Cotton Weighers H. B. 101. Increasing from five to six the number of public cotton weighers in towns receiving over 100,000 bales of cotton annually. Nursing S. B. 61. Authorizing the State Board of Nurse Examiners to send

recruiters over the State to create interest in professional nursing. Appropriations H. B. 1. Making \$60,000 appropriation for the mileage and per diem of the special session. H. B. 2. Making \$16,000 appropriation for the contingent expenses of the special session. H. B. 21. Appropriating \$2,000 for experimental work at A. & M. College to ascertain if bear grass, Yucca Filamentosa, is a suitable stock food. S. B. 77. Making additional appropriations for support of orphan's home. S. B. 99. Emergency deficiency appropriation for the State Juvenile Training School. S. B. 30. Additional appropriations for negro insane asylum to be established in buildings of Rusk penitentiary. Pandering H. B. 14. Imposing severe punishment on persons pandering to soldiers. Drouth Relief H. B. 18. Appropriating \$2,000,000 for seed and feed in the drouth-stricken sections of the State. State Highway Act H. B. 50. Amending State Highway Act, making clear the tax on commercial trucks and permitting State highway funds to be used in building as many as ten miles of road in any one county in a single year, where the county builds thirty or more miles. Public Roads S. B. 24. An act prohibiting overlapping road districts. H. B. 57. Permitting Anderson County to revoke certain road bonds. Road bills were enacted for the counties of Scurry, San Patricio, Bell and Smith. Stock Law A stock law was passed for Armstrong county. Schools Bills were passed, purely local in effect, incorporating school districts as follows: Baton, Belville, Sugarland, Jarrell, C. S. D. No. 49 of Dickens county, Talpa, Brownfield, Port Lavaca, Hutto, Burkeville, Lamkin, Highland, Follet, Close City, Mauriceville, Nixon, Milano, and Winnie.

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THE ENTERPRISE TENDERS ITS ABJECT APOLOGY

Last week, in these columns appeared an article, in lighter vein, of the amount of squash seed purchased by our linotype man, D. J. Moran. Had we been in possession of all facts in the case we would have withheld even the bare mention of his having a garden. Its plain as day now why he should want all squash, and the purchase of so much seed of this variety was premediated. Very few vegetables of the garden cook up to the degree of tenderness than does the squash, and what more tempting morsel could a man without a tooth in his head contemplate than that of luscious squash three times a day. D. J. had a very pleasant session with our dentist the forepart of the week and during the seance parted with 18 of his teeth—all he had. The ordeal was a trying one and is one reason why The Enterprise is late.

FOR CITY SECRETARY

In this issue appears the announcement of Monroe Kerr for City Secretary. Mr. Kerr was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Ben Warner, who is now serving Uncle Sam. This office has heretofore been an appointive one, but this year it will be filled by election as the other City offices. Mr. Kerr has made a very satisfactory officer so far as The Enterprise knows, and it is a fact that he has succeeded in collecting more taxes than his predecessors for years past. He solicits your support in Tuesday's election.

LEE RODDY FOR MARSHAL

Lee Roddy is again a candidate for City Marshal of Pecos. Lee has lived in Pecos for years and is well known to all our people. His official career, especially as City Marshal has been a marked success. He has routed most of the bad hombres and now there is less trouble reported among the Mexican population than for years. The once bad hombre in the Mexican portion of Pecos is now as docile as a lamb. The other duties imposed upon him he has filled well, always on the alert for criminals of every character, and during his administration he has made several important captures. He is on the spot when needed and needs the office, and promises those who support him as well as those who do not the same uniformly good service he has rendered in the past.

Up-to-date Spring and Summer Millinery still arriving at Mrs. Martha Adams' Millinery Emporium. Advertisement Mrs. Dawson and Miss Dawson, of Louisiana, mother and sister of Mrs. Charles Parker, were here last week to attend the funeral of Chas. L. Parker.

AT THE CHURCHES.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, R. R. Rodgers, Superintendent.
Rev. Finney of Barstow, will preach for us the 5th Sunday of this month. Subject for the morning service will be "The Facts and Significance of the Resurrection." At night: "Visions of God and Self." COMMITTEE.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. At the morning hour there will be Easter services with special music by the choir.
Junior League at 3 p. m.
Young People's meeting, 7 p. m.
You are most cordially invited to worship with us.
J. H. WALKER, Pastor.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S PROGRAM

Program for meeting at Methodist Church, Sunday March 31, at 7 p. m.:
Subject, "Easter Lessons."
Leader, Mabel Smith.
Song, No. 156.
Scripture lesson, Luke, 24:1-12.
Prayer.
"The Meaning of Easter," Mr. Hayden.
"The Appearance of Our Lord After His Resurrection," Ora Pruett.
"Lessons From the Forty Days of Our Risen Christ," Miss Florence McCarver.
Suggestive Questions, Mrs. Walker.
Benediction.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

The Crowell school lead in the number of points for the last two Sundays. We can't afford to allow that. We must give them a surprise next Sunday and we count on YOU to help us do it.
Special Easter services next Sunday with Bible school and preaching combined. Everybody come by 10 o'clock. Special Easter music by the choir, and a solo by Miss Virgie Dyer. The sermon will be on the Resurrection, or, "The Day Dawn."
The Bible school offering will be for the Fowler Homes. We expect not less than \$100.00.
At night there will be a special sermon to young people on "Meeting the Demand". It will be a character study of one of the Old Testament worthies.
The C. E. services as usual.
All are invited to all of our services.
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C. E. PROGRAM

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Pecos, Texas

TWO PECOS RESIDENCES DESTROYED BY FIRE

The population of Pecos were disturbed early Tuesday morning, first by one or two cars seemingly running wild, with horns going at blast and later, by the clanging of the big bell at the fire station. In very few minutes after these alarms the entire outfit was on its way to the residences of Don Leckenby and J. J. McCasland, where fire had started in the former, from a defective flue and soon spread to the latter. Leckenby's home was beyond all help, and that of McCasland, which was not destroyed by the flames was damaged beyond recall by the water, so it may be safely stated that both homes were a total loss. While Leckenby suffered the double misfortune of losing both house and contents, McCasland was fortunate in making a perfect salvage of furniture and clothing. Both parties, however, carried insurance.

This fire again brings out, plainly the fact that Pecos needs a dependable fire alarm. Had the alarm siren alarm at the ice plant been sounded when relayed by central the McCasland home would have been saved without undue effort. As it was the fire fighters were on the job fifteen minutes before this alarm was given. The bell is not dependable, as it is subject to the whims of air currents—some days it can be heard plainly, on others it cannot. It is a fact also that the employees at the light plant have duties that take them out of hearing of central's call in case of fire, as was the case on this occasion. An automatic alarm, to our minds would solve the problem and save much property. We have the best fire-fighting machine in all the West, why hamper it?
—WSS—

Something New Every Week and a Special Low Price at

DAWSON'S VARIETY STORE
PECOS, TEXAS

Ollie King, formerly of the celebrated King ranch, in the Sands, to the north of Monahans, but who has been out in Arizona prospecting for some time, was in town Wednesday morning looking as handsome and portly as ever, and reports that things are prosperous out Arizona way.

CLASSIFIED COLUMN

FOR SALE.

Three hundred bushels of cotton seed to sell at \$1.60 per bushel. I. Burkholder, Barstow, Texas. 32-2

Car Ear Corn—We have a car of ear corn bought right and will be sold on small margin of profit. See either C. H. Taul or J. Heard. 31*-2t

For Sale—Jersey cows, cheap. Chas. A. Roark, Barstow, Texas. 30*-t4

For Lease or Rent—40 to 500 acres alfalfa pasture, 3 months, 6 months, or 1 year. Hillside Land & Irrigation Co., Barstow, Texas. 31*-t3

For Sale—80 head of Cows and Heifers, mostly white faces, all large, well bred cows. Terms to suit purchaser. J. A. BRUCE, Artesia, New Mexico, Box 353. 31*-t4

Seed For Sale—Oklahoma dwarf and standard broom corn seed, cream and red dwarf maize, dwarf kaffir and common millet, \$7.00; Red kaffir, \$8; Feterita, \$10.00, Amber, Orange, and red top canes, \$12; Sudan \$26; all per 100 pounds. Recleaned, freight prepaid, prepaid express is \$1 more per 100 pounds. CLAYCOMB SEED STORE, Guymon, Okla. 31*-2t

For Sale—Mebane Cotton Seed for planting. Address Robt. L. McKnight, Barstow or Pecos, Texas. 27-t8*

Trees—Just received a variety of trees, shrubs and vines. Those who want them will have to hurry as the supply is limited. See F. P. Richburg.

WANTED.

Wanted—Your clothes to clean as press. Bargains in un-called suits.—HUBBS & PALMER.

Wanted—We are now prepared to take on several new milk customers as we have a number of fresh cow On and after April 1st, we will furnish milk at 15 cents a quart. See or phone us at once. Phone 280. DAVIS DAIRY CO, Pecos, Tex. 31-3

BAKED POTATO

BIG, white, mealy—with butter melting on it. Um-m-m! And you like it because it is baked. Same with Lucky Strike Cigarette

IT'S TOASTED

Cooking makes things delicious—toasting the tobacco has made the Lucky Strike Cigarette famous.



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R. C. WARN, Owner
Pecos, City, Texas.

We know the title of every town lot and tract of land in Reeves and Loving Counties.

List of instruments filed with the clerk of Reeves county for record, for week ending March 16, 1918:

Deeds

Barstow Irrig. Co. to F. W. Johnson, et al, water right to sec. 68, blk 4, H&GN.

M. L. Swinehart to H. A. Wren, et al, lot 5, blk 48, Pecos. \$1

T. H. Beauchamp to E. F. Pumphrey, lands on Toyah Lake. \$1200

Sheriff to Ben Palmer, 1-2 interest in S 1-2 sec 21, blk C-10 PS. \$100

Sheriff to L. G. Anderson, subs 18 to 21 inclusive, sec 37, blk 2. \$200

W. G. Yates to Jennie Bowen, sec 18, blk 71 PS. \$1

R. E. Barr to Clara B. Oates, sec 20, blk 2, H&GN. \$100

B. T. Biggs to S. C. Vaughan, subs. 7-10, sec 67, blk 4, H&GN. \$1

B. T. Biggs to Tom Harrison, sub 5, sec 67, blk 4, H&GN. \$1

J. M. Bateman to L. H. McKee, SW 1-4 sec 22, blk 50, tsp 8, T&P Ry. Co. Survey. 680.36

S. Ruiz to W. S. Lempert SE 1-4 of sec 94, blk 13 H&GN. \$5

M. M. Momen to Reeves Co. Water Imp. Dist. No. 1, part sec 38, blk 13, H&GN. \$58.50

Sheriff to Woman's College, sub 15, sec 271, blk 13, H&GN. \$150

Sheriff to W. W. Stewart, NW 1-4 of sec 56, SE 1-4 of sec 94, blk 13, H & G N. \$6000

G. T. Boyle to E. E. Anderson, 120 acres in sec 34, blk 50 tsp 7, T & P Ry Co Survey. \$1500

W. H. Fenchler to N. G. Buchoz, lots 11 and 12, blk 30, Pecos. \$400

Mrs. B. A. Mann to R. Bozeman, lot 1, blk 119, Pecos. \$550

G. N. Rice to Owne Saunders, N 1-2 sec 29, blk 59, PS. \$1

B. T. Biggs to S. C. Vaughan, sub 9, sec 29, blk 4, H&GN. \$100

G. W. Smith to H. C. Meier, sub 3, survey 26D BBB&C RR. \$2300

Balmorhea Town Co. to Reeves Co. Water Imp. Dist. No. 1, lots 7, 8, and 9, blk 1, Balmorhea. \$150

E. D. Balcom to Toyah Valley Live Stock Co., 40 acres in sec 98, blk 13, H&GN. \$10

Mineral Filings

Warren Collings, on secs 10, 12, 14, and 16, blk C-1, PS.

Lillian Butler, on secs 23, 26, 32 and 33, in blk 10, PS.

H. E. Collins, on secs 14 and 24, blk 59; secs 12, 22, blk 59, PS.

W. S. Hill, on secs 33, 34, 39, and 40, blk 58, PS.

C. B. Jordan on secs 23 to 26 inc., blk 58, PS.

Mrs. J. M. Jeanison, on secs 35 to 38, inclusive, blk 59, PS.

V. E. Pruett on secs 39 to 42, inc. blk 59, PS.

T. B. Pruett, on secs 40 to 43 inc. blk 56, PS.

Mrs. D. A. Price, on secs 31, 41, 42, and 44, blk 58, PS.

Ira J. Bell, on secs 30, 33, 35, 36 and 40, blk 2, H&GN, survey 67, G. A. Franklin grantee.

Ida Martin, on secs 28, 29, 30, and 32, blk 58, PS.

G. P. Nettles on secs 44, 45 and 46, blk 58, PS.

J. H. Clark, on secs 10 and 11, blk C-17; sec 43, blk 58, and sec 48, blk 59, PS.

W. P. Clark, on secs 9, blk C-17; secs 46 and 47, blk 59, PS.

M. Trimble on secs 20, 21, 22 and 27, blk 58, PS.

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Near beer and temperance drinks coming within the designation of malt liquor are included in the President's proclamation limiting brewers of beer to 70 per cent of the amount of grains and other food materials that were used last year.

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Plies Cured in 6 to 14 Days

Four druggists refund money if PAZS OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Burning, Swelling, or Pain in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives ease and rest. See

"Corn-Less Day" for Feet, Every Day

Use "Gets-It," the Great Corn Discovery! Makes Corns Peel Right Off!

Look at the illustration below. See the two fingers peeling off a corn as though it were a banana peel. And the man is smiling while he's doing it! All done painlessly, joyfully. The moment "Gets-It"



"Gets-It" is sold at all druggists. You need pay no more than 25 cents a bottle, or sent on receipt of price by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

WHAT THE RED CROSS IS DOING AND WHAT YOU CAN DO

Ladies, in the name of our country and for the sake of our brave soldiers, WE MUST DO MORE!

Did you know that it takes a tubful of surgical dressings for a wounded man? During the month of July last the surgical department of the American Red Cross in Paris, distributed 782,940 dressings among 435 people, and the number has increased more or less steadily ever since.

Think of the great need of garments and dressing on the western front now, where our soldiers and Allies are straining every nerve and muscle of both body and mind, all day and all night, and spilling their life's blood that you and yours may be protected. They are dying there to save you. Oh, don't let it be said that we falter here! Let's go into the thick of this work for them with the same vim, determination and bravery that they have entered it for us.

Can't you sew a little longer and more often? If you can't come to the public work rooms go to your neighborhood unit. It's going to take countless garments and dressing for our sick and wounded.

The following units submit their reports and a most urgent request is given you to sew with them, they need your help every day.

Surgical dressing on Monday. 8 present, 22 cakum pads finished. On Tuesday 17 present; work begun on 8x4 gauze compresses and on many-tailed brown muslin bandages.

A box of 150 dressings shipped last week.

Porterville, under Miss Deering, reports 12 hospital suits, by 6 ladies. Forterville reports 7 new members. Glover unit made 6 garments with 6 seamstresses.

Friday the Red Cross unit under Mrs. Collier at the library, with 4 workers, completed 6 garments. Pruett unit, with 3 present, completed 6 garments.

Merry Wives Club, 14 present, 6 sewing all day, 8 one-half day, and 2 visitors completed in all 17 garments. Twentieth Century Club, completed 12 garments, with 11 ladies.

Thursday, at Red Cross rooms, under Mrs. Wells, 5 present finished 6 garments.

Mrs. Williams, at Porterville, reports her entire school as junior members.

Three cheers for our little patriots who gathered in response to an invitation from little Harrison Beauchamp on last Saturday—to his Red Cross birthday party—each little one so willingly and gladly bringing a silver offering for the Red Cross instead of a birthday gift, to their little host, who, filled with joy, presented the Chapter with \$10 to buy bullets to kill the kaiser. This means a lot for the little ones to give up for a party with gifts is the joy of living from one birthday to the next with them.

It is very essential that the reports of the units are reported each week. If you don't finish but one garment it must be reported. Phone 98.

RED CROSS REPORTER.

All cheese in storage must be marketed before June 15, unless special permission to hold is given by the Food Administration.

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For Indigestion, Constipation or Biliousness

Just try one 50-cent bottle of LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN. A Liquid Digestive Laxative pleasant to take. Made and recommended to the public by Paris Medicine Co., manufacturers of Laxative Bromo Quinine and Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic.

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NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas and County of Reeves

To M. V. Douglas and Mrs. M. V. Douglas, 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:

The West 83 feet of Lot 13, Block No. 6, in Pecos City, Texas.

Which said land is delinquent for taxes for years 1915 and 1916 for the following amount: \$219.18 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 April term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be convened April 22, 1918, at Pecos, Texas, said suit being styled The State of Texas vs. J. T. H. Lipscomb, et al, No. 412a, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this the 27th day of March A. D. 1918.

(Seal) S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk, Dist. Court, Reeves Co., Texas By Maggie Glover, Deputy.

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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



All the Year Tourist Tickets

Round trip all the year Tourist tickets on sale daily to principal points east and west wearing long limit and liberal top-overs granted. These tickets provide some very attractive tours. On your trip visit the Grand Canyon of Arizona reached via the Santa Fe. daily Pullman service, Harvey meals. Detailed particulars cheerfully given.

M. WILSON, Agent. Panhandle & Santa Fe Ry. Co.

summon Chas. D. Lyon 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 held at the Court House thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the 4th Monday in April, A. D. 1918, the same being the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1918, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 27th day of March, A. D. 1918, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1781, wherein J. G. Massie is plaintiff and Chas. D. Lyon is defendant, and said petition alleging that the defendant executed a certain promissory note bearing date of June 17, 1911, as follows: On the 17th day of each and every month after the 17th of June, 1911, the said Chas. D. Lyon promised to pay to John H. Wolf the sum of Twenty (\$20.00) Dollars, until the full sum of \$1320.00 was paid, with interest thereon at 5 per cent from date, interest payable \$20.00 per month after the principal of \$1320.00 had been paid, said note providing that failure to pay any installment when due thereon should, at the election of the holder, mature said note; said note providing for 10 per cent attorney's fees, and being signed by Chas. D. Lyon and payable to said John H. Wolf. That said note was given for a part of the purchase money of the following described land situated in Reeves County, Texas: The East one-half of Subdivision No. 2, in Section No. 1, in Block No. 2, H. & G. N. R. R. Company's survey, containing 20 acres. That said property was on said above named date conveyed by said John H. Wolf to said Chas. D. Lyon, and a lien was retained in said conveyance to secure the payment of the note described above. That said John H. Wolf has transferred and sold said note to the plaintiff, J. G. Massie, and that defendant has failed to pay the installment of \$20.00 due on January 1st, 1917, as well as a number of installments previous thereto and that he has paid none of the installments subsequent to said date. That the plaintiff has declared said note due and has placed the same in the hands of attorneys for suit, and prays judgment for the amount of said note, principal, interest and attorney's fees, and for a foreclosure of his lien on said above described land, and for costs of suit.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this the 17th day of March, A. D. 1918.

(Seal) S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk Dist. Court, Reeves Co., Texas By Maggie Glover, Deputy.

No. 285.—A well located 4-room house close in; 50-ft. lot, east front and good terms. Price \$800. Part can be paid in monthly installments. If you want a pleasant little place don't fail to see us.

Good time now to lease grass land; it is not going to stay dry always. F. P. RICHBURG LAND & RENTAL COMPANY.

No. 288.—Good 5-room house with screened porch and bath; garage, barns, poultry yards and pens and garden. East front. This is a weather-boarded house and up in good shape. Lot 100x115 feet. In good neighborhood. Price \$1500.

No. 290.—4 section ranch about 4 miles west of Arno. Sections No. 4, blk 54, and Nos. 8, 10, and 12, blk No. 55, Twp. 4, T. & P. survey. Well on section No. 4; blk 54. This is good grazing land. Other land around it can be leased. Price \$1000 per section bonus.

No. 291.—Corner lot with two 4-room houses on it. This property is in fairly good shape and is good rent property for colored people. Close in, almost always rented. Owner lives in Illinois and wants to dispose of it. Price, \$600 cash.

F. P. Richburg Land & Rental Agency

We Give a Few of Our Best Bargains

If you own vacant grazing land and wish to lease it, list it with us and give definite description so we can locate it. If you want to lease, see us and tell us what you want and where you want it.

In your description of lands be sure and give Section No. and what Survey, that is, whether Public School Land, T. and P. Ry., H. and T. C. Ry., etc., and sometimes it is designated by Townships. Be careful to give full description.

No. 106—4-room house, 100 feet front, artesian well in yard. Grass, and shade, small barn, chicken pens, etc. All up in good shape. Price \$800 cash.

Don't forget to inquire about the stock of Racket Goods, almost as good as new.

We have two 10 section and one 20 section ranches for sale in Reeves County. A good time to buy while it is yet dry. Think it will rain some day, then land will be higher.

No. 281.—A small 4 section ranch 25 miles south of Pecos. Four sections in solid block and 5 sections leased for 5 years, making 9 sections in all. All fenced and all lying in block. Good sort water, 4-room new house, barn, garage and good corral made of 2x8 lumber. The four sections, Nos. 35, 36, 37, and 38 bought at \$2.01 from State. 5 1-2 sections leased on five-year lease. This is a splendid little ranch with soft water and good soil to grow fruit, vegetables, etc. Price \$3.50 cash or \$4.00, 1-2 cash, balance in one year.

No. 274.—160 acres 3 miles northwest of Pecos, 1 mile northwest of the State Experiment Farm. All in good state of cultivation, watered by a large pumping plant. The entire farm is fenced with hog-proof woven wire. Has a \$3,000 residence and 1 tenant house. This is an extra good irrigated farm. Only \$100 per acre. Good terms.

No. 282.—1 sections, No. 10, 630 acres, and S 1-2 of section 6, Block No. 54, twsp. 7, 276 acres. \$1.50 to State, at 3 per cent. Has good well. Lies 3 miles west of Hoban, and joins the H. H. Jones farm on the north. Think this can be bought for \$5.00 bonus.

5-room house on 100 ft. lot and S. E. corner. Weatherboarded and painted. Considerable out buildings, house nicely painted and screened porch. Plenty shade trees and good garden place. Price \$900; \$250 cash, balance monthly or in 2 or 3 annual payments, 8 per cent interest.

No. 286.—A well located 4-room house close in; 50-ft. lot, east front and good terms. Price \$800. Part can be paid in monthly installments. If you want a pleasant little place don't fail to see us.

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No. 293.—One section land 8 miles south of Pecos. This section borders on the Pecos River which makes it riparian land. Most of it is agricultural land. Price \$10 per acre.

No. 300.—1 section, No. 24, H. & G. N. Ry. survey. A splendid river section. Part has been cultivated. Price \$10 per acre. Good terms. Lies 10 or 12 miles from Pecos on the Pecos River.

No. 301.—E 1-2 of section 59, blk No. 4, H. & G. N. Ry. Co. survey. Situated between Experiment Farm and Sand Lake. Price \$5.00 per acre.

No. 302.—Sections Nos. 21 and 38, price \$3.00 bonus. \$2.00 due to the State at 3 per cent. 2 other sections joining that can be leased.

No. 375.—We have several small ranches for sale, ranging from 4 section to 50 sections. Price from \$1.00 to \$3.00 per acre, most of it \$1.50 to State at 3 per cent interest. If you want a small ranch come to see us.

No. 376.—800 acres in Ward County, just across the Pecos River from Pecos City. 160 acres of this tract lies on the south side of the T. & P. R. R. track and borders on the river. There are some 150 or 160 acres of this tract in cultivation. A drain ditch and a canal pass through it. Will sell it in a body or in tracts. Price \$40 to \$80 per acres. We can make satisfactory terms. This tract lies on the Pecos and Barstow road for 1 mile or more.

No. 378. A 5-room one and one-half story on 115-foot lot. Northeast corner, good shades. A good place for a good house. Price \$1500, 1-2 cash, balance in three annual payments.

An 18-room Hotel for sale or rent. Will sell furnishings and rent the building or sell all.

We want a section of good land near railroad. If you have one let us know.

No. 379.—4 sections, Nos. 2, 4, 24 and 26, block 57, twsp. 2, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey. This land lies in the sulphur belt, between Orla on the Santa Fe and the Tinaly sulphur mines. Price \$5.00 per acre, bonus.

No. 380.—1 section, No. 183. This section lies on the north side of the P. V. S. Ry., joining Verhalen. Splendid land. Price \$10 per acre.

Don't forget to list your pasture land with us.

We have a 200-acre Clay county farm to trade for a small ranch. Will trade all farm implements and teams and take cattle on the ranch.

No. 400.—A 6-room house and 100 foot lot, with barn, poultry yards and garden and lots of nice shades. This place is situated in the best part of town. An artesian well in back yard. A good bargain. Price \$1500, two-thirds cash, balance easy terms.

We have a number of cheap houses that we can give special bargains in. If you want a little home call and see us. If you have any property to trade let us hear from you.

TO SELL OR TRADE

No. 280—164 acres, 5 miles west of Pecos, on T. and P. Ry., 80 acres in cultivation and fenced with rabbit-proof wire. 3 room house in good shape, good barn and other sheds. A good well of about 1500 gallons per minute, 5 inch pump, 45 horse power crude oil engine. This land is suitable for growing cotton, maize, alfalfa, sweet potatoes, melons, etc. Price, \$50 per acre. If this interests you, write us for full particulars. Would consider trade for farm in the Lampasas country, at the right price. This same kind of land this year has made an average of \$375 per acre on 7 acres in melons.

F. P. Richburg Land & Rental Agency

Phone 11 Pecos, Texas

It Cost the Average Family Less Than 10c Per Week for Packer's Profit in 1917.

The Meat Bill is one of the large items in the family budget

but

less than 10 cents per week of it goes to the packer in profits.

In converting live stock into meat and getting it into the hands of the retail dealer, the packer performs a complex and essential service with the maximum of efficiency.

The above statement is based on Swift & Company's 1917 figures and Federal Census data:

Swift & Company's total output (Meat and by-products)	5,570,000,000 Pounds
Swift & Company's total Profit	\$34,650,000.00
Profit per pound	\$.0062
U. S. Meat Consumption	170 pounds per person per year
170 pounds at \$.0062	=\$1.05 per person per year
The average family 4 1/2 persons	=\$4.72 per family per year

1918 year book of interesting and instructive facts sent on request. Address Swift & Company, Union Stock Yards, Chicago, Illinois



Swift & Company U. S. A.

PAIROUTIC BIRTHDAY PARTY

From four to six, on last Saturday afternoon, at the beautiful home of Mrs. Oates, Mr. and Mrs. Brawley Oates, Master Harrison Beauchamp celebrated his fifth birthday with a Red Cross Party.

The little guests instead of the usual birthday remembrances, were asked to bring a gift of money for Uncle Sam, and upon arriving each and every little patriot found much pleasure in dropping their contribution into the slot of a prettily covered little white box, marked on the top by a red cross.

After a happy hour of play, the little guests were ushered into the spacious dining room where the candles were burning on a very lovely, and a very delicious birthday cake.

All had a blow at the candles, then were served with a big slice of cake and cones and cones of cream.

Assisting in the serving and entertaining were Misses Ruby Mae Beauchamp, Callie DeRacy, Jessie Heard, Evelyn Slack, Ida Mae Davis, and Jim Prewit, Woody Cowan and Wycliffe Hefner.

The little guests were Margaret Love, Christine Browning, Loraine Joplin, Bessie, Ellen Kate and Tommie Ross, Naomi Payne, Margie Ward, Eva Richburg, Mary Magee, Ruth Newell, Annie Evelyn Robertson, Clara Lou Beauchamp, Dick Slack, Wesley Hart, A. Z. Hart, Morris Collie, John M. Cowan, Jr., Billie Collie, Jr. Short, Bertie Mae Knight, Chas. Warren, Harrison Beauchamp.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Oates, Mrs. Bell, Little Brawley O. Beauchamp, and Mrs. Beauchamp, mother of the little host.

Just before the good-byes and wishes for many returns of the day, the Red Cross box was found to contain \$8.50. This amount was added to by Mrs. Tinally, Mr. J. W. Moore and Mr. Oates, making a total sum of ten dollars to turn over to the Red Cross.

WSS TAKING 90-DAY LAY-OFF

J. H. Rowley has a 90-day leave of absence, and left Sunday for San Angelo, and it is now Jim Cox, agent, at the T. & P. depot.

Mr. Rowley is interested in a string of motion picture shows and will look after his interests in that line for awhile and informed The Enterprise that it is probable he will resign his position as T. & P. agent at Pecos altogether.

Jim Cox is the cashier and bookkeeper at the T. & P. station and has been for a number of years and has given the T. & P. most excellent service, and while he holds the office of agent here temporarily his many friends believe he will make a good one, not only for the company but for those who patronize this station. Jim is always courteous and obliging and his friends hope he may land this situation permanently.

WSS BIDS WANTED

Contractors are invited to furnish bids for the construction of coal bunkers and shipping station for the Standard Operating Company of Texas, to be erected at Orla, Reeves County, Texas, on the Santa Fe Railroad. Plans and specifications of said construction work may be obtained upon application of the office of the Standard Operating Company, Pecos, Texas. Bids should be filed on or before April 15th, 1918. Right reserved to reject any and all bids.

WSS STANDARDS OPERATING CO., Pecos, Texas.

The prospect for the 1918 wheat crop in Japan is said to be very good by a report to the Department of Commerce. The 1917 crop is estimated at nearly 35,000,000 bushels.

WSS GIRLS! IT'S YOUR STEP THAT ATTRACTS!

Says Women Pay Too Much Heed to Their Face Instead of Their Corns

Watch your step! A brisk, lively step is what charms more than a lovely skin, but your high heels have caused corns and you limp a little. That's bad, girls, and you know it. Corns destroy beauty and grace, besides corns are very easy to remove.

Rid your feet of every corn by asking at any drug store for a quarter of an ounce of freezone. This will cost little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callous from one's feet.

A few drops applied directly upon a tender, touchy corn, relieves the soreness and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts right out without pain.

This freezone is a gummy substance which dries instantly and simply shrivels up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding skin.

Women must keep in mind that the cornless feet create a youthful step which enhances her attractiveness.

(Advertisement.)

WSS INJUNCTION SUIT SETTLED

The injunction suit of Ward County Water Improvement Co. No. 1, vs. Biggs Irrigation Co., tried by Judge Charles Gibbs Wednesday in Barstow, resulted, from all appearances, satisfactorily to both parties as follows:

The people under the Biggs Canal are to have all the water first for five days, then the Ward County Water Improvement Co. people are to have all the water for twenty-five days.

This proves the further necessity for the big Red Bluff reservoir and from reports the early passage of this bill in Congress looks very encouraging.

WSS TO TRADE OR SELL—AT ONCE

A blacksmith shop and garage. A stock of hardware and fixtures. Good residence and improvements. Invoices and cost \$2400.00. Will give good terms, or trade for most anything of value—residence preferred in trade. Will take good notes, and give difference between good residence if there be any. See me at the Pecos Mercantile Company, Grocery Department, at once, for particulars.

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C. H. GUNN.

(Advertisement.)

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WSS CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS—To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County—Greeting;

You are hereby commanded to summon Dallas Capps and D. J. Hunter 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, A. D. 1918, the same being the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1918, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 19th day of March, A. D. 1918, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 1780, wherein E. N. Heath is plaintiff, and Dallas Capps and D. J. Hunter are defendants, and said petition alleging:

First: That on the 18th day of January, 1918, plaintiff was and now is, at the date of filing this suit, lawfully seized and possessed of the tract of land, namely, Section Twelve (12) Block C-8, Public School Lands, in the County of Reeves and State of Texas, holding the same in fee simple title.

Second: That each of the defendants is setting up some pretended claim to said premises and that each and all of said claims constitute a cloud on plaintiff's title thereto.

Third: That the plaintiff, claiming said premises under deeds duly registered, has had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession thereof, using any enjoying the same, and paying all taxes due thereon, for a period of more than five years after the cause of action of the defendants and each of them accrued and before the filing of this suit.

WHEREFORE plaintiff prays that the defendants and each of them be cited to answer this petition, and that he have judgment for the title and possession of the above described premises and that the cloud on his title thereto by reason of the adverse claims of the defendants and each of them be removed, and for his damages and for costs of suit, and for such other and further relief as in the premises he may be entitled to at law or in equity.

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 20th day of March, A. D. 1918.

(Seal) S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk of Court, Reeves County, Texas. By MAGGIE GLOVER, Deputy. First insertion, March 22. Last insertion, April 12.

At the last meeting of the National Educational Association a program was proposed to better rural schools and asking Federal aid to the extent of \$140,000,000. The plan would be carried out in ten years, one-tenth of the money being spent each year, the Government to cooperate with the states and counties.

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 Advertisement
 Mrs. George K. Jackson and Mrs. D. A. Dodds drove in from Hoban Tuesday to transact business.
 Richard Lynn has been assisting in the First National Bank for the past week, in the bookkeeping department.
 We have no books in our dry goods department.—Green's Grocery. 32-3
 Advertisement
 M. D. Leckenby and family have moved into the Alexander place since their home was destroyed by fire early Tuesday morning.
 All Dry Goods are cash. Do not ask us to charge.—Green's Grocery. 32-t3
 Advertisement
 Mrs. W. R. Burrus of Colorado City is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Gunn. Mrs. Burrus says it is very dry in Mitchell and adjacent counties. We bespeak a kindly welcome for Mrs. Burrus and trust that she will be pleased with our town and our townspeople.
 A pair of gloves or neckties cleaned free with each order for cleaning and pressing on Mondays only, at The Orient Tailoring Shop. 24-tf
 Advertisement
 John Skelton, who has lived for a number of years in the extreme western part of town, has sold out, lock, stock and barrel, and leaves tomorrow for Douglas, Arizona, where his son, Bob Skelton, has been for some time. It is to be hoped all will prosper in their new home.
 We have about 200 pairs of Drummer's sample shoes. They are dandy and the price is 50c, to \$1.35 and \$1.50, your choice. They are well worth the money.—Green's Grocery. 32-t3
 Advertisement

Have you seen those Gage Hate received this week by Miss Poe? 30tf
 Advertisement
 R. N. McCarthy was down from Kent Sunday.
 Be sure to pick up some of those bargains when in town.—Green's Grocery. 32-t3
 Advertisement
 Judge J. F. Meier was up from Balmorhea yesterday, and boarded the westbound T. & P. for El Paso.
 Mrs. George Sapp left last week for El Paso where she will visit before returning to her home in Lewiston, Idaho.
 See C. H. Gunn at Pecos Mercantile Co. for high-grade Rhode Island Red chicken setting eggs. Reasonable, and pure high class. 32-t3
 Advertisement
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burnette left with their household goods this week for El Paso where they will reside in the future.
 Lee D. Kingston, one of the big, whole-souled Davis Mountain ranchmen, was a business visitor in Pecos Tuesday of this week.
 Oran McDonald, only son of T. A. McDonald, who died in Merkel some time ago, who has been mining in the sulphur fields of Culberson county, has a lay-off and is in Pecos today.
 Get our prices; let us figure on that bill; if we can't save you money and give you good goods we don't want the business.—Green's. 32-t3
 Advertisement
 Judge Charles Gibbs was a Pecos visitor Wednesday, having come from Midland to try an injunction suit at Barstow on the above date. Judge Gibbs likes Pecos and Pecos people and never loses an opportunity to call on Pecos. So far he has no opposition in his race for district judge.
 WSS
SMALLPOX SITUATION NOTHING ALARMING
 There is nothing alarming in the smallpox situation in Pecos. There is at present only three cases, that of Mrs. Morrison, one of her children and Negro George, who was "taken" this week.
 As a precaution, however, the school trustees have ruled that all pupils be vaccinated and a great many other are also taking this precaution, and as a consequence the doctors are doing a land office business.
 The health officers are doing all in their power to prevent an epidemic, and say there is no cause for alarm.

Fleischmann Yeast, 2 Cakes for 5 cents.—G. G. SMITH'S. 32-tf
 Advertisement
 Mr. and Mrs. Ed Otto were visitors in El Paso the early part of the week.
 Saturday we will give 12 pounds GOOD POTATOES to the 25c.—O. J. Green's Grocery. 32-t3
 Advertisement
 E. A. Humphries, prominent Toyah citizen, was a business visitor in Pecos Wednesday.
 For Saturday only we will run 6 pounds best bulk Coffee for \$1. This Coffee retails regular for 35c a lb. Try a dollar's worth.—Green's 32-t2
 Advertisement
 Mrs. Tom Lewis and children were the guests Saturday and Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lewis at the ranch.
 Seeds. Seeds. Kaffir corn, Millet, Orange and Red Top cane, Mebane and Big Boll Rowden Cotton seed. Prices right. Plant a few acres and help win the war.—Green's. 32-t2
 Advertisement
 O. C. Cardin left for his home at Havana, Kansas, after a three weeks visit to his sister, Mrs. Tom Lewis and family.
 We have added Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats, etc., to our stock and will give you some big bargains.—Green's Grocery. 32-t3
 Advertisement
 Jess Woods came in from Decatur the forepart of the week for a visit with his people here. Jess is looking well and happy.
 Road District No. 3 has checked out all of its funds, county treasurer Merriman has balanced the account, marked bills, and closed the book.
 Get our prices on Groceries, Feed, Dry Goods, etc., before you make that bill. You'll save money.—Green's Grocery. 32-t2
 Advertisement
 H. T. Mitchell, formerly blacksmith of Toyah, but now retired, passed through Pecos Wednesday for a week's visit with relatives in Carlsbad, New Mexico.
 We are handling GOLDEN GATE Brand Coffees, Teas, Spices, Extracts and Cake Coloring.—B. G. SMITH of Advertisement
 Mrs. E. R. McCarty, nee Stephens, with her father, and two pretty and interesting little children has rented the house just vacated by John Skelton. She expects to do her bit by gardening and chicken farming. Mr. McCarty is in France, valiantly doing his bit for our national honor.

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More Reduced Prices. Be sure to visit this Sale and register for the :

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Good Overalls, \$1.15 a pair.—O. J. Green's Grocery. 32-t3
 Advertisement
 Mrs. Martha Adams was in Grandfalls and Monahans the forepart of the week with consignments of hats.
 Get a pair of shoes at Green's to knock around in, they are a bargain.—Green's Grocery. 32-t2
 Advertisement
 Prof. J. J. McCasland and family have moved into the Belton Short home, after the fire Tuesday morning, which destroyed their home.
 \$3.00 and \$4.00 Shoes for \$1.50 a pair. Try a pair; they are good ones too.—Green's 32-t2
 Advertisement
 Roger Sullivan, formerly engineer at the Couch gin, and an expert engineman, is now with the Sims-Jordan Hardware Co., and will be a valuable addition to that business.
 Although the hide market is somewhat unsettled I am always paying the very highest market prices. See me before you sell.
 W. H. DRUMMOND.
 Advertisement
 C. D. Proffitt came over from Fort Stockton Tuesday to take evidence in an injunction case before Judge Gibbs at Barstow Wednesday. Proffitt has many friends in Pecos who are glad to know that he is doing well and also to have him pay us an occasional visit.
 American Seed, 2 pkgs. for 5c. D. M. Ferry's, the best, 6 pkgs. for 25c.—At Green's. 32-t2
 Advertisement
 Mrs. W. L. Kingston was in Pecos Wednesday en route home from the Stockmen's Convention in Dallas, and a visit of a few days with her daughter, Miss Fannie, at Denton, the latter a student in the Industrial School there. Mrs. Kingston reports a most delightful trip and says Miss Fannie is doing splendidly in school.
 We have a number of bargains in Men's Hats. Get our prices.—Green's Grocery. 32-t3
 Advertisement
 President A. Tinally of the Standard Operating Co., and W. G. Yates, mine manager of the same company, made a business trip to the mines near Van Horn Tuesday, going up in the company car.
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 Advertisement
 Mr. and Mrs. Belton Short have moved into the G. C. Parker place, which they recently purchased.
 We have everything in Del Monte canned goods. You know what they are.—Green's Grocery. 32-t2
 Advertisement
 Mrs. Jno. T. McElroy and Mrs. Charles Parker arrived Wednesday from Odessa where they spent a few days after the funeral of Chas. L. Parker.
 Call at Mrs. Martha Adams' Millinery Emporium and get your Easter bonnet.
 Advertisement
 Miss Sarah Taylor who had been here visiting Mrs. G. N. Gentry and other relatives for the past two weeks, left the early part of the week for a visit to friends and relatives in Hamilton, before returning to her home in Miami, Arizona.
 Just received a car of Del Monte canned goods. They are the best by test.—Green's Grocery. 32-t3
 Advertisement
 Joe Kingston came in Tuesday morning from Dallas, where he attended the big Cattlemen's Convention. Joe reports a most delightful and profitable trip and says the gates of Dallas were thrown open to the stockmen. He stopped off at Sweetwater for a short visit with friends there.
 Let George Brooks at The Orient Tailoring Co., do your cleaning and pressing. Have your bundles ready for J. W. Wadley on Mondays, and enclose gloves or ties to be cleaned and pressed free. 24-tf
 WSS
LEAVE FOR CAMP TRAVIS

Uncle Sam called for one good man to be sent from Reeves county, this week in response to the S. O. S. call across the water, and Lacey Hart of Toyah, was selected. He came down today, all smiles collected his mileage and commutation of rations, and after bidding his relatives and friends good-bye, boarded No. 6 for San Antonio, where he will go in training at Camp Travis. We bid him Godspeed, without any fear of his rendering a good account of himself, for he comes of the very best of stock.
 With him on the journey were Jno. Doll, and James Fundenburg, who also go to Camp Travis, having registered from some other county, however.
 Advertisement

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES ARE ENTERTAINED
 In the Lincoln Highway Automobile Contest now on at the Methodist Sunday school, "The True Blues," a class of girls taught by Mrs. C. B. Jordan, and traveling in the Winston Six, and "The Universals," a class of boys, with Mr. Hayden as teacher, traveling in a Ford, were the first to reach Reno, and were accordingly entertained Friday night with a joint party at the parsonage in which all manner of delightful games that mean so much to children were played. Dainty refreshments of sandwiches, pickles and cake in baskets, and grape juice were served. The children declared this to be the best time they had had in a long time and they are thus spurred on in their ambition to be first at the next stop.
 WSS
OBITUARY
 Mrs. Betty Elkins, wife of Philip H. Elkins, born June 6, 1849, died March 28, 1918, at the home of her son, Claude Elkins, at the ripe age of 68 years, 9 months and 22 days.
 Mrs. Elkins had been a resident of Pecos for 24 years and thus had a hand in helping to develop the West. She was known to all the old-timers who held her in highest esteem.
 She was a member of the Baptist church, lived a consistent Christian life to the end. She had been a patient sufferer for years, and the laying aside of the tired and worn body to take on immortality must have been a great relief.
 She is survived by her husband, Philip H. Elkins, a daughter, Mrs. Tom Harrison, and a son, Claude Elkins, who were constantly at her bedside doing all that tender and loving hands could to alleviate the suffering of the dear wife and mother.
 Funeral services were held at the residence of her son, Claude Elkins, today, at 2 o'clock, conducted by her pastor, Rev. W. A. Knight, immediately after which interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery beneath a mound of beautiful flowers, beside that of her mother and other loved ones.
 The Enterprise joins the many other friends of the family in deepest sympathy.
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 I am buying bones, iron and all other kinds of metal. Get my offer before you sell.
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