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The 1918-19 term of the Pecos school is drawing to a close and in about four weeks will conclude one of the most successful and gratifying years of its history, in the face of what, at times, on account of the influenza epidemic, looked as if the year would be a total loss to our student body. In fact the matter of closing the school for the year was seriously discussed and very few believed it would be possible for any of the students to make their grades. The work was continued, however, after much loss of time, and few there be who will not be able to make their grades. This is due partly to the determined efforts of the pupils who worked hard and burned midnight oil in an effort to forge to the front. The splendid corps of teachers are also due the highest praise for their splendid cooperation with the pupils and patrons. No time or energy was spared by them to help hurry up the work of the students and assist them in making their respective grades. It is needless to state that both patrons and pupils are well pleased with the year's work.

The teachers selected for the term of 1919-20, given below, show the confidence the board of trustees have in the work of those reelected, and the appreciation of their splendid work.

At a meeting of the school board of the Pecos Public Schools, Tuesday night, the following teachers were selected:

Prof. P. J. Rutledge, Superintendent for a term of two years and his salary fixed at \$2,000.

Mrs. J. W. Brooks, principal of High School, salary \$1080.00.

Miss Nellie Carr, teacher in High School.

Mrs. Lillie Cole, principal of Grades.

Miss Leta Heard, Miss Gladys Shaw, and Miss Sadie Collings.

Miss Colon Prewitt, teacher of Domestic Science.

A. A. Blalock was selected as janitor.

All teachers salaries were raised five dollars per month.

There is left one vacancy to be filled later in the High School and three in the grades.

It will be noted that this year Domestic Science has been added to the curriculum. This, in the opinion of the editor, was a very wise conclusion, and the people should appreciate the fact that Pecos is to have this branch of study this year, enabling the girls to round out their school education in the home school.

In justice to Miss Carson, Mr. Bromley and Mrs. Marion S. Hudson it might be well to state that they do not apply for reelection.

No Worms in a Healthy Child
 All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle. —invest V to-day—
 Dr. Lapp, People's Commissioner of Foreign Affairs in Munich, Bavaria, is said to have been twice confined in a mad-house.

After the Civil War, up to the time of Roosevelt, every president of the United States, except Cleveland had served in the Civil War.
 —invest V to-day—
POSTED AGAINST TRESPASSERS
 All the U ranch range is posted Hunting therein or hauling wood therefrom is forbidden. Don't ask the management for permission to do either, it will not be granted.
 E. P. STUCKLER.

Newsy Dots From Balmorhea, Texas

VALLEY FARMERS BUSY WITH SEASON'S FIRST CUTTING OF ALFALFA—A PROSPEROUS YEAR IS ASSURED

Sol Mayer was on our streets last week attending to routine business and shaking hands with his Valley friends.

W. F. McGarry departed Tuesday for a visit to his brother J. F. McGarry, and will visit the big oil fields while away.

E. Roberson, the carpenter of Pecos, is in Balmorhea this week adding the finishing touches to the residence of I. L. Barlow.

Jerome Dolezal, the trouble finder for the Tri-State Telephone Co., was in the Valley last week, making his usual rounds looking up and "shooting" trouble.

The ladies of the Balmorhea-Sarasota Red Cross Chapter made another valuable shipment of wearing apparel to the Bureau of Supplies of the Red Cross at St. Louis, last week.

Weather forecast for tomorrow: If the sun shines brightly and no clouds are in sight there will be no rain. Our weather man usually hits it right and our farmers are depending on him for weather reports while working in the hay.

W. T. Windle, our popular druggist, has sold his drug business to a Mr. Bozeman who comes to us from Eastland, Texas. The people of the Valley extend to the latter a hearty welcome. Mr. Windle owns one of the best alfalfa and cotton farms in the Valley, and will continue his residence here.

The ladies of the Christian church served ice cream and lemonade to the people of the Valley last Friday night on the lawn at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Praett. A much larger crowd was present than was really expected, lots of the good folk from the mountains being there. The ladies realized a nice little profit from their labor. Let the good work go on.

Perry Wagnon and B. W. Van Deren have returned from visiting several of the big cities in the eastern part of the State. They report that things sure do look good in the way of oats, wheat, and other field crops. They made the entire trip by auto, camping out wherever night

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured
 by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surface. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.
 We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.
 F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

overtook them, and state they had a fine trip, saw many wonderful things but that the Toyah Valley cannot be beat, a-tall.

It is reported that at their next regular meeting the Toyah Valley Co-Operative Oil Association of Balmorhea will elect delegates to make ready to depart at an early date, to meet with and lay before the mayors and business men of the most prominent cities of the east and west plans to lay pipes for the distribution of their gas and oil, which they intend to try for at some date in the far distant future, as oil and gas excitement is running high.

Farmers all seem to be happy, as they have just finished their first cutting of alfalfa and clear weather prevails which insures them a strict pea-green alfalfa. Loading alfalfa is the one thing that is keeping all busy right now, and just watch our little train when it arrives in Balmorhea and take notice of the long strings of cars in which to load the hay, and when it departs these same cars will be loaded, plum full, with the products of our wonderful little Valley.

—invest V to-day—
LEMONS BEAUTIFY AND WHITEN THE SKIN.

Make This Beauty Lotion Very Cheaply For Your Face, Arms and Hands

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quarter pint of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice thru a fine cloth so that no pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, and hands. It is marvelous to smoothen red, rough hands.—advt.

—invest V to-day—
WEEKLY FINANCIAL REVIEW

Value of farm lands in the United States is increasing steadily. Average grade plow lands had a value of \$74.31 per acre on March 1, as compared with \$68.38 a year ago, \$67.17 two years ago and \$59.38 three years ago.

Greatest percentage of increase in values during the past year occurred in the South Atlantic States, in the Carolinas and Georgia, and extended to Alabama, Kentucky and Arkansas.

Small or no increases in values were made in the New England States, Pacific Coast States, Louisiana, Texas, Kansas and Montana. Material increases were reported in Nebraska and South Dakota. Iowa stands first in value of plowing lands with an average of \$169 per acre. Illinois ranks second with an average value of \$144 per acre; California third, with \$121, and Indiana fourth with \$100. Alabama reports the lowest average value of plow lands, \$24 per acre.

The War Department is now able to adjust and settle all of its war obligations, both formal and informal, and is able to do so with the greatest possible speed. The Department desires to make these settlements by voluntary agreement wherever possible and to avoid litigation. Negotiating officers, agencies or boards have been stationed in all the leading cities of the United States so that each contractor can adjust his own contract near his own place of business. For the purpose of supervising and securing uniformity in regard to settlement of formal contracts, and for the purpose of making awards under the Act of Congress of March 2, 1919 (Validation of Informal Contracts) the War Department Claims Board has been created and this Board is on constant duty in Washington. From time to time it issues detailed instructions and directions governing the methods of making settlements. These are available to any contractor at any time. Actual negotiations under the instructions are, however, carried on with the contractor by the various agencies scattered throughout the country.

The War Department directs the attention of all contractors to the fact that where their agreements are formal, their claims must be filed prior to June 30th, 1919, otherwise they are, by Act of March 2, 1919, forever barred from any relief.

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 A Flavor for every taste

ALL sealed air-tight and impurity-proof, in the wax-wrapped, safety packages.

Be sure to get
WRIGLEY'S
 because it is supreme in quality.

The Flavor Lasts

Under New Management

The Pecos Hotel

I am now in full control of The Pecos Hotel and invite my friends and the public to call and stop here and promise them the Very Best that the markets afford in the Eats Line

Mrs. Martha Adams

Ford
 THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Every farmer should have one or more Ford Trucks because of the profitable results that will follow their use. There is not any guess work about this statement. It has been proven on thousands of farms. If you farm, come in and let us tell you more about the Ford Truck's value to you in sure dollars and cents saving. It is a personal matter to every farmer. The Ford Truck is a business necessity. Orders should be left with us at once in order to get early delivery. Price \$550, without body, f. o. b. Detroit.

Pecos Auto Company
 PECOS, TEXAS

The Street Parade

From far down the street, floating up to you through the opened window, there comes a faint hum. You listen. It grows louder, and now you hear it is music. You can distinguish plainly now the blare of the trumpets. And then, mingled with the music is the muffled tread of many feet. You hurry to the window, but your children are there before you, leaning dangerously far out to see the parade.

To dwellers of the city this is a familiar picture. Those of you who live in less trammelled places know also the irresistible attraction of a parade with its swinging march music, though you may see them less frequently.

When you have in your home

The NEW EDISON
 "The Phonograph with a Soul"

you can organize a parade for yourself. Through the magic of this greatest of all musical instruments, you can RE-CREATE at your own pleasure, and in your own home all the wonderful march music that inspires the world. On the prairie or the desert, as well as in the city, the parade, with all its glamour, will come marching past your window.

Brady-Camp Jewelry Co
 Pecos, Texas -- Dealers

PEACE HAS COME

One of the biggest items in the new era that the return of Peace has ushered in will be that of BUILDING. Building of honor, integrity, a democracy that will survive and, as important as any, the

BUILDING OF COZY HOMES

Materials for building, will, later on become scarce. Entire cities in Europe must be rebuilt. America must supply the material.

We are position to furnish estimates on plans and materials for the building. Later on we may not be able to do so.

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Bevo
 THE BEVERAGE

The all-year-round soft drink

Retailers and consumers are not required to pay any U. S. Revenue Tax on Bevo, as Anheuser-Busch pays all revenue taxes thereon direct to the Government.

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 ST. LOUIS

Visitors to St. Louis are invited to inspect this Balmorhea installation.

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 sllivate.

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. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone instead and you will wake up feeling great. No more biliousness, constipation, sluggishness, headache, coated tongue or sour stomach. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tone acts better than horrible calomel your money is waiting for you.

12 Advertisement.

Are Good Roads Worth the Added Tax

SOME OF THE ADVANTAGES TO CONSIDER IN CONNECTION WITH COST OF THESE IMPORTANT IMPROVEMENTS

This is what is gained through the improvement of roads: 1. A decrease in the cost of hauling produce to town and of hauling provisions and supplies from town to the farm, which amounts to about one-half; 2. Use of the road every day in the year regardless of weather; 3. An increase in the value of farm lands, ranging from 50 to 500 per cent, the increase being relatively greater for the land lying farther back from the road than for the land adjoining the road; 4. Opportunity to grow garden vegetables or engage in truck or dairy farming, in which the profits are usually larger, where formerly

the farmer could only grow garden crops and non-perishable and non-bulky produce; 5. More money for schools through the increase of farm values enabling the community to have better school houses and teachers and better attendance of the pupils; 6. Rural mail delivery which puts the farmer in touch with the world every day in the year, bringing the news to his door; 7. An opportunity to become better acquainted with one's neighbors and have some sort of social life in the farming community through the ability to visit from farm to farm thus shutting out the lonesomeness and drudgery incident to farm life in the ramshackle neighborhoods.

Now as to what is paid. In the eight counties in which the agents of the U. S. Department of Agriculture made a survey of highway improvement, the annual taxation to pay the road bonds ranged from thirty to seventy cents per \$100 valuation. Suppose the average to be fifty cents per \$100 valuation; if a farm is worth \$6,600 which is the average for the farms of one of the richer black land counties in Texas, the taxes amounts to \$33 per year, or \$2.75 per month.

Each taxpayer will settle the question for himself as to whether the advantages are worth what he would ordinarily spend for cigar money. Really the above showing is not complete because the increase in farm values and the worth of the decreased haulage costs are not shown in dollars and cents. If they were there would be a possible doubt as to the farmers' interest.

—invest V to-day—

The Strong Withstand the Winter Cold Better Than the Weak

You must have Health, Strength and Endurance to fight Colds, Grip and Influenza.

When your blood is not in a healthy condition and does not circulate properly, your system is unable to withstand the Winter cold.

GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC

Fortifies the System Against Colds, Grip and Influenza by Purifying and Enriching the Blood.

It contains the well-known tonic properties of Quinine and Iron in a form acceptable to the most delicate stomach, and is pleasant to take. You can soon feel its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. 60c.

—invest V to-day—

An insurance agent who called on a woman in Holliday, Pa., to pay her \$300 insurance carried by her son, a soldier, and also a check for \$10,000, found the young soldier in his mother's house alive and well. The War Department had notified the mother that the son had died from pneumonia.

What About The Title TO YOUR LAND

Do you know that you have a good title? Many land owners think the title to their land is good, but you do not know unless you have it. Abstracted down to date. The big oil boom is on in Reeves and Loving counties and you will be wise if you have your Abstract of Title ready for any emergency. Send us your order for Correct and prompt work.

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Surveys Nos. 45, 47, 53, 55, E. half of 61, and 63 in Block 4. Nos. 43, 45, 47, and W. half of 37, in Block 5. The surveys in these blocks are situated from 5 to 8 miles from Pecos City, in the artesa belt of the Pecos River country and will be sold as a whole or in quarter sections. Also surveys Nos. 13 and 49, in Block 6, and Survey Nos. 5, 9, 13, and 15, in Block 7. Also surveys Nos. 31, 33, 35, and 37 (fronting on the Pecos River) and 39 in Block 1' and Nos. 11, 15, and 17, adjacent thereto, in Block 2, in the vicinity of Riverton, on the Pecos River Railroad. Also Surveys Nos. 1, 3, 5, and 19, fronting on the Pecos River, in Block 8, in the extreme northern portion of Pecos County, and partly in Reeves County. Also 11 surveys in Block 10; 16 surveys in Block 11, and 3 surveys in Block 12; none of these river lands. No local agents for these lands, which are handled direct by the Agent and Attorney in Fact for the owner, William M. Johnson.

IRA H. EVANS, Agent and Attorney in Fact, AUSTIN, TEXAS.

Reeves County Abstract Co
PECOS, TEXAS

“That these dead shall not have died in vain”



A GOLD STAR in a Field of Black. All through the nation men and women wear that symbol of proud grief for the lad they loved who died. And we who share their sorrow and envy them their pride, bow our heads in silent reverence for the brave who gave their lives that Liberty might live.

Sixty thousand Americans died in this war. The bravest and the best we had.

They gave all they had for their country. Our country.

They gave it gladly.

It is our sacred duty to see that these dead shall not have died in vain. We must carry on the task they left for us.

We must pay our share of the cost of Victory.

Their share is paid.

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A writer who watched the former kaiser cut wood states that his labor is worth about four bits a day.

No Bolshevik sentiment at Pecos. The pure country air is sure death to the breed.

Postmaster Burleson seems to be in hot water these days. The press, without a notable exception, is against him. Where Albert missed it was in not going to France with the other Secretaries.

The small attention given to the Victory Liberty Loan is one sure sign of the peace we are enjoying. And all the more reason that we pay for that feeling of security. The Victory Liberty Loan is the price of goods that have been delivered, by the boys in khaki. Pay 'em.

When dealing with the Mexican problem many insinuations were directed at President Wilson's courage. This seemed all out of kilter with the square jaw with which nature endowed him, and subsequent events at home and abroad proved that his make-up isn't all milk and honey.

Senator Lodge seems to take a position against President Wilson no matter what the issue involves. He now issues a statement that Italy is entitled to Fiume. The Enterprise was in doubt as to whether Italy was or was not, but this gentleman has been wrong so often that the editor just takes a chance by saying that Italy should not have it.

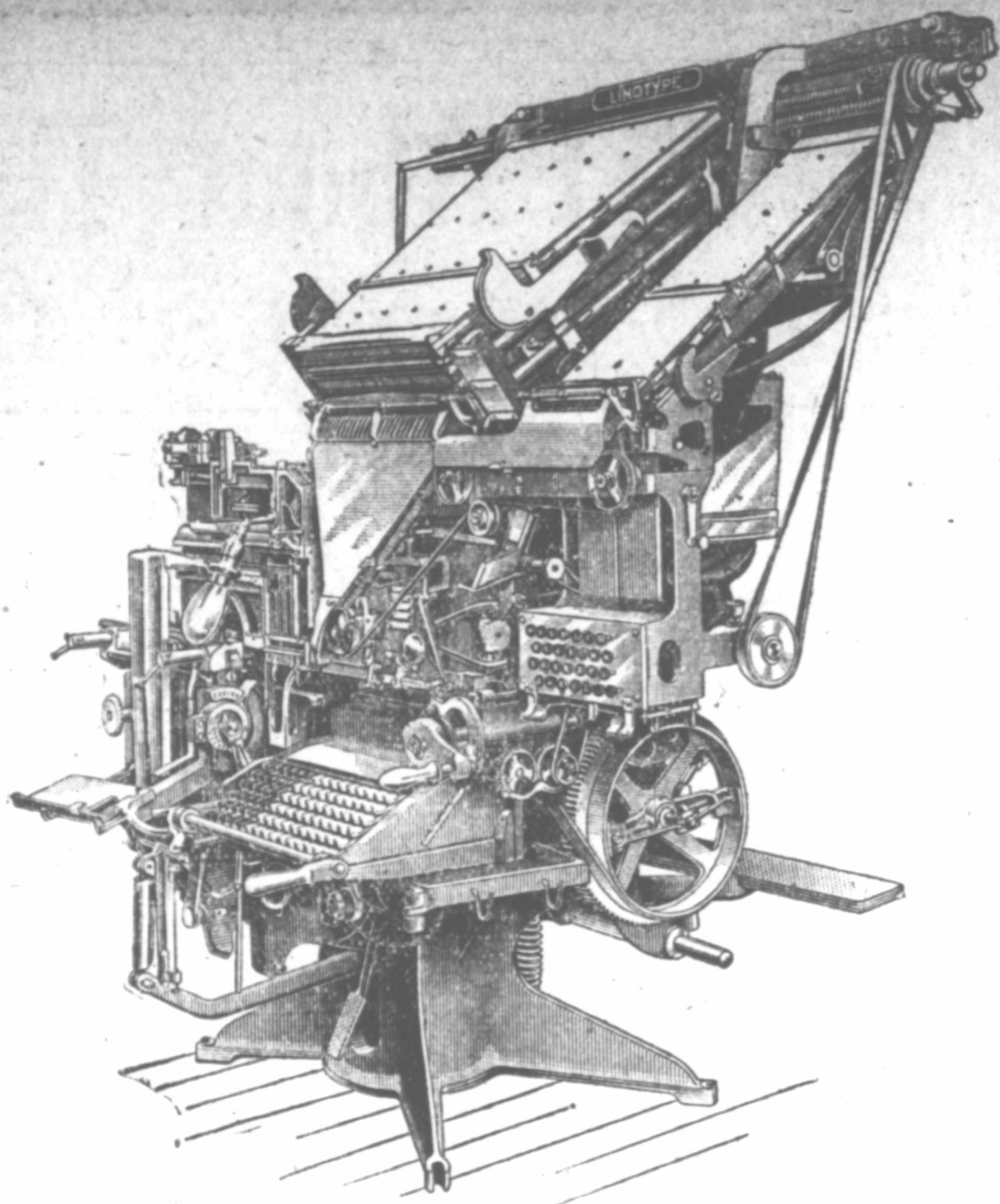
Lenine and Trotsky are fixing to trot out of Russia after inaugurating one of the most chaotic periods that benighted land ever experienced, and eighteen nations have denied them refuge, and they know not where to go. Some one should remind them that the peace treaty guarantees the freedom of the seas, and tell them to go drown themselves.

Ex-Governor Ferguson and Ex-Senator Joe Bailey have formed a combination to slay the suffrage for women issue. These Siamese twins are some pair to align themselves against the womanhood of the nation. Fact of the matter is that they are just about as dead as another Ex-who is now in Holland but will soon be on exhibition before a national tribunal.

Anyone with a vacant spot and a grain of common sense should have a garden will under way by this time. Like the Liberty Loans the small contributor is credited with their success, and so the many small gardens over the country during the food conservation days is the thing that kept prices from reaching a starvation round in the ladder. The stuff you grew then will taste better now, and the exercise will be just as beneficial.

The line-up for next year's school is a good one, with an added feature in the way of domestic science. All have their jokes about the kind of cooking learned at school, but after all, the foundation for caring for a home is laid, whether you can digest the student's biscuits or not. One feature connected with the school The Enterprise would like action on is the compulsory school law. Many youngsters have had the run of our streets too long, and if the parents are too trifling or indifferent of the child's welfare, the law should be brought into play and these youngsters given an education in spite of the parents.

RECENT ADDITION IS VERSATILE MACHINE



MODEL 14 LINOTYPE—DOES EVERYTHING BUT SPEAK

Within a few short weeks Pecos will have one of the best equipped newspaper plants in West Texas the improvement being brought about by a recent investment that will crowd the magnificent sum of \$6000, which is a sum generally paid for most print shops entire. Not only will the addition of this machine give Pecos an up-to-the-minute newspaper plant but also a fully equipped job department, for this typesetting machine, with its accompaniments makes it possible to handle any and all kinds of work from a full page poster, with glaring lines to the neat business cards and letter heads in use among business men.

Many things prompted the installation of this machine. In the first place the editor wants to be in position to handle the printing—all of it—of the home people. Second, the times demand it, for never were prospects brighter for this section than at the present time. Last, it was a sound business principle, and will en-

able him to do a higher grade of work in shorter time than under old conditions, with the result that patrons need go no farther than home for printing, no matter what kind it may be.

The Enterprise is aware that many of the people are sending the work out of town and the editor has had little to say heretofore in regard to the matter, much of it going without even asking him for an estimate. Various oil concerns, who The Enterprise conscientiously boosted have been and are doing this. In the face of The Enterprise's boosting, not only of Pecos, but of the county, their action is hardly fair, not only to The Enterprise but to the progressive and cooperative spirit that means the life or death of any community.

Let the people think!
Remember the improvements to this office are for our mutual benefit, and when you need that next job of printing, gives the home man at least a fighting chance with the outsiders.

RETURNED SOLDIER AND PECOS WOMAN MARRIED

Ben Qualls, well known to our people, arrived in Pecos Tuesday and at 7 o'clock that evening took unto himself a wife, choosing Mrs. Minnie Buckles, oldest daughter of W. R. McDermott, the Rev. W. A. Knight, pastor of the Baptist church performing the ceremony in the presence of relatives and intimate friends of the contracting parties.

To say anything special of these young people would, The Enterprise thinks, be superfluous, for both have lived here for many years and naught but good is recorded of them. Hard workers, both of them, and deserving of every happiness, which their many friends trust will be realized.

Of the groom, however, something might be said, for Ben is a modest kind of fellow, and all may not have heard of the part he played in the late war in France.

Enlisting early in the game, he was assigned to the famous Rainbow Division, and was lucky enough to be in the thick of the melee, when the tide was turned at Chateau Thierry and Soissons. At the latter place Ben received his first wounds which laid him low for a spell, but on recovery was back in the thick of it, and when the doughboys began to clean up the sector in the Argonne Forest, he was in at what will be recorded as the greatest round-up the world ever saw—when American soldiers spread over the whole country and drove the Huns before them like chaff before a West Texas sandstorm. In these woods another Hun bullet found Ben and put him on the shelf once more. Before he fully recovered the armistice was signed, so Ben has to be satisfied with just two wound stripes on his sleeve.

He was recently discharged at San Antonio. Pecos and Reeves county is certainly proud of him and all congratulate him, and wish him and his good wife happiness to the cup's level. Mr. and Mrs. Qualls are now at home on the McDermott farm west of town.

At the mass meeting in New York, which welcomed Martens, a representative of the Russian Soviet Government, he started to speak English, but hundreds shouted, "Cut out the English, this is Russia. Speak in Russian." He spoke in Russian.

MORE GARDENS THIS YEAR

The fact that the war is over does not mean that folks are going to stop making gardens. The interest that thousands of patriotic gardeners had last year seems to be growing instead of lagging, and their enthusiasm has attracted others to the gardening habit. A report from the Iowa State club leader shows that the enrollment in city garden clubs in that State indicates a marked increase over last year. Up to the latter part of March the enrollment in Des Moines showed 2,000 more members than were registered one year ago. Of 107 Iowa cities reporting 91 had already enrolled paid garden club supervisors for the summer, more than twice the number of paid supervisors last summer.

Mrs. T. H. Rector and daughter left Friday of last week for El Paso after a visit of a week with her sister, Mrs. Julia Ward.

Frank H. Simonds says that it is unsafe in Berlin to put one's shoes outside the door for the porter to shine, as they would be stolen. Also, that Americans in Berlin are advised to show themselves only on crowded streets to escape violence.

Uncle Woody Johnson, who is confined to his home, seriously ill for several weeks, is improving and it is hoped will soon be up and about once more. On the advice of doctors he is having his teeth extracted, as they claimed that his condition is due to defective teeth.

In his "History of the American People," President Wilson says: "Mr. Jefferson, an aristocrat, and yet a philosophical radical, deliberately practiced the arts of the politician, and exhibited oftentimes the sort of insincerity which subtle natures yield to, without loss of essential integrity."

Mrs. Max Krauskopf returned the fore part of the week from Cisco where she had been with her son who had the flu. She left him well and happy and from the looks of Max Tuesday morning when on his way to the train to meet her, evidently her return created some joy in the home here.

PRINCE ALBERT

the national joy smoke



SAY, you'll have a streak of smokeluck that'll put pep-in-your-smokemotor, all right, if you'll ring-in with a jimmy pipe or cigarette papers and nail some Prince Albert for packing!



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By R. J. Reynolds
Tobacco Co.

Just between ourselves, you never will wise-up to high-spot-smoke-joy until you can call a pipe by its first name, *then*, to hit the peak-of-pleasure you land square on that two-fisted-man-tobacco, Prince Albert!

Well, sir, you'll be so all-fired happy you'll want to get a photograph of yourself breezing up the pike with your smokethrottle wide open! *Talk about smoke-sport!* Quality makes Prince Albert so

appealing all along the smoke line. Men who never before could smoke a pipe and men who've smoked pipes for years all testify to the delight it hands out! *P. A. can't bite or parch!* Both are cut out by our exclusive patented process!

Right now while the going's good you get out your old jimmy pipe or the papers and land on some P. A. for what ails your particular smokeappetite!

You buy Prince Albert everywhere tobacco is sold. Topsy red bags, tidy red tins, handsome pound and half pound tin humidors—and that classy, practical pound crystal glass humidor with sponge moistener top that keeps the tobacco in stch perfect condition.

R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, Winston-Salem, N. C.

Frank Palmer came in Saturday night from El Paso where he had been in a sanatorium for some months, to spend Sunday with home folk. He returned on the early train Monday morning. Frank, while not improving as rapidly as his friends would like, is looking better and he believes he is improving some. He

is holding his weight and gaining in strength, which gives some encouragement.

Mrs. John Hibdon returned on the early train Tuesday morning. She had been away for nearly four weeks attending the State Conference of the W. O. W. Circle in Dallas, as del-

egate from the Pecos Ladies Aid Society to the Congress of Mothers at Fort Worth. She also visited Mrs. L. S. V. and her son, John, Jr., in Dallas, a brother, Walter Chamber and family at Santo. She reports a most delightful trip.

The Enterprise has plans for Leases—Form 88—in stock for sale.

The Price is the Thing!

COMPARE OURS

Voiles, 27½c to 90c

Ginghams in a Beautiful Range of Stripes and Plaids 20c to 27½c

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GET OUR PRICES

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"More Goods for Less Money"

How Much is 1¢

Suppose that for one cent you could insure the quality of your cake, biscuits, etc., wouldn't that be real economy?

Well, one cent is about the difference in the cost of a whole cake or a pan of biscuits made with Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder as compared with cheaper baking powders made from alum or phosphate — a trifle, indeed, to insure the quality and wholesomeness of your baking.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

Made from Cream of Tartar derived from Grapes

Contains No Alum—Leaves No Bitter Taste

Dr. W. F. Starley left Monday for New Mexico where he will spend some time with relatives.

Judge Ben Palmer spent a good portion of the week on Toyah Creek looking after business matters.

C. W. Goedeke and wife were in town the forepart of the week and left for El Paso on the early morning train Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. K. Jackson were in from their ranch near Hoban yesterday afternoon and remained over to hear Rev. Truett preach at the Baptist church at night.

W. E. Hamilton was a visitor in Pecos Saturday. He reports the road building in which he is engaged in Ward County as progressing nicely.

Richard Lynn, who had been in one of the El Paso hospitals for some time returned to Pecos Sunday much improved, and is again at his post of duty in the office of the Sunshine Oil Corporation.

C. J. Charske returned Wednesday from Dallas where he was at the bedside of his wife, who has been critically ill. Friends will be glad to learn that Mr. Charske reports her condition much improved.

Miss Luella Hart of Toyah, spent several days in Pecos the latter part of last week with her sister, Mrs. D. J. Moran and family. Miss Luella will graduate from the grammar grades of the Toyah school this year.

Rev. Buren Sparks was in Pecos Wednesday for a few hours on his way to Van Horn. Rev. Sparks is living at Carlsbad N. M., now, but still preaches for the Van Horn congregation once a month. He was pastor for a time of the Van Horn and Toyah congregations where he made a hit with the people. Rev. Sparks is a splendid preacher and hits sin direct from the shoulder and usually delivers a knock-out blow.

AT THE CHURCHES.

METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday school and morning worship at the usual hours next Sunday. No services in the evening on account of the revival at the Baptist church.

Last Sunday witnessed splendid congregations both morning and evening. The Go-to-Church Sunday is worth while, but when Go-to-Church Sunday is every Sunday it is better. Our being requires worship at the appointed places. To deny ourselves this requirement is to run counter to the very purpose of our Creator. Go to Church next Sunday.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
The usual services at the morning hours. No services at night.

Milo Smith, one of our national workers, will preach at the morning hour. A telegram from our minister who is attending the convention at Deming, says: "Milo Smith of Indianapolis, will preach Sunday. A wonderful preacher. Having great convention here."

Let us keep up the good work of the Bible school, set on Easter Sunday and followed last Sunday. Be there at ten o'clock, sharp, or you will be late.

SHOWER FOR BRIDE

The young ladies Sunday school class of the Christian church, of which Mrs. Halsey C. Glover, a recent bride, is a member, surprised her last week with a miscellaneous shower. The affair, though engineered by young ladies, was kept secret until the last moment and the surprise to Mrs. Glover was complete. Everything presented was of practical value for the home, and they were numerous and varied. After the presentations refreshments, provided in advance, were served.

MANY PECOSITES IMPROVING THEIR RESIDENCES

A sign of the times in any community is the activity in improving and making attractive the residential property. Much of this work is going on in Pecos at the present time, and our painters, paper-hangers and carpenters are all busy as bees in the springtime. Among those improving their places, The Enterprise notes Sid Kyle, who is having the screened-in gallery remodeled and otherwise repairing the home.

C. S. McCarver had a couple of rooms added to the house now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ligon on Second Street.

A brand new coat of paint worked wonders for the appearance of the fine home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Collier.

MRS. J. W. PARKER WILL RESIDE IN MISSISSIPPI

Mrs. J. W. Parker left Wednesday afternoon and will visit sisters in Texas before going on to Port Gibson, Mississippi, where she will be with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vertner Gage, for a few months. She has rented her home, furnished, to Elmer Jones, who has already moved in. There is probably not another woman in Pecos more universally loved and admired than Mrs. Parker, and they all responded nobly during her deep sorrow in the loss of her devoted husband. It was with deep regret and heartaches that our people gave her up, if for only a few months, and the prayers and best wishes of the best people of our town go with her. She will probably be missed nowhere else as in her Sunday school class which she has built up and taught for probably six or seven years. Her close study of the lessons and deep thought, coupled with unusual ability as a teacher, made her one of the popular teachers in the Methodist Sunday school.

The editor and family will probably feel the loss of Judge and Mrs. Parker more keenly than others for the reason that they were lifelong friends and congenial neighbors.

It is probable that Mrs. Parker will return to her home in Pecos in a few months, and those of us who love her most hope that she will, provided her life can be made less burdensome here, otherwise they will be glad to forego the pleasure of her presence in order that the remaining days of her earthly pilgrimage may be more pleasant.

ADDITIONAL PERSONALS

B. A. Barrager connected with the sulphur company operating near Orla, accompanied by Mrs. Barrager, returned this week from a delightful trip to northern points. They were away for several months, and B. A. says the trip was beneficial as well as enjoyable.

Miss Gladys Prewit, having completed her term of teaching school at Brogado, is now at home and Dame Rumor has it that she is busy with her trousseau in preparation for her nuptials next Wednesday. The lucky boy, as The Enterprise understands it, is Fenton Alley.

Have you ever ate any Jazz Land Chocolates?—PECOS DRUG CO., INC.

Advertisement

A message received by Mrs. Tom Harrison this week, is to the effect that her son, Ray, who is a lieutenant in the army, and who served in France during some of the fiercest of fighting, will be home within the next ten days, having landed at New York, and from which place will be probably discharged.

Last Wednesday night, April 23, when Mrs. Chas. Harper returned home from church she was surprised by finding her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Ford, and brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Henry K. Ford, all of Matador, at her home. The visitors came through in their cars and will visit here for a few days.

Standard Mowers at Zimmer Hardware Co. They are the best. 36-14 Advertisement

Vertner Gage left Wednesday for his home at Port Gibson, Miss., after a ten days' stay in Pecos looking after the interests of Mrs. J. W. Parker. Vertner was looking fine and he and his father are prospering in the old home. His many Pecos friends were very glad to see him. Mrs. Parker accompanied him home for a few months' visit.

Mrs. Odell Sparks was the honored guest at a farewell dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Black at seven o'clock Tuesday evening. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Howard, Mrs. B. G. Smith, Mrs. Odell Sparks, and J. H. Black of Jal, N. M. The dinner was enjoyed very much. Mrs. Sparks left Wednesday afternoon for Trinidad, Colorado for a visit of three months.

Try the White Airplane Laundry Soap and Washing Powders. Nothing better on the market. At E. L. Colings & Son's. 36-12 Advertisement

Ben Lewis is back in Pecos after an absence of over a year, he and an absence of over a year. He arrived the first of the week from Ranger. Ben had been living at Hurley, where he contracted the flu and complications setting in broke down his health, and at one time he was totally blind, and absolutely helpless. Ben is a fine fellow and it is sincerely hoped that his stay in Pecos will benefit him to the extent of a full recovery of normal health. Mrs. Lewis is visiting with home folk at Waco, and will join him here soon.

R. F. Gurney dropped in among his old-time Pecos friends Monday and visited them for a few days. He was here to look after his land interests southwest of Pecos, and was well pleased with the looks of things. He was accompanied by W. P. Warren, who was looking the country over with the intention of investing here. Both gentlemen made The Enterprise a visit and had their names enrolled for a year's subscription to the paper, as they desire to keep in close touch with happenings in this section. Mr. Gurney, left Wednesday night and Mr. Warren yesterday for their homes at Dublin.

Oscar Warren of the T. & P. freight department, returned Wednesday morning from a visit to relatives in Eastland, Palo Pinto and adjoining counties, his family accompanying him to keep him straight. Oscar reports a most delightful time and says he never saw that country more beautiful or the people more prosperous. He says the wheat is as fine as could be and nothing short of a disaster can keep those wheat farmers from getting rich when the crop is harvested—"they will not only have their pockets bulged out with greenbacks, but will have a wallet of silver strapped across their backs," he says. Oscar is a courteous gentleman, a hard worker and deserved the rest and recreation which he had justly earned.

SECURING SAMPLES FROM ALL WELLS TO LOCATE POTASH

Orby C. Wheeler of Amarillo, with the Texas and U. S. Geological Survey, was a pleasant caller at The Enterprise office Saturday. He is in charge of the work of securing samples from all deep wells going down between the 100th and 130th meridians and testing same for potash. Mr. Wheeler informed the editor the corps of surveyors engaged in this enterprise would work as far south as Sheffield.

I have a full stock of Corona Typewriters. Price \$50. Weight 8 pounds, in small leatherette case.—Monroe Slack's Jewelry Store. 36-t2 Advertisement

FATHER OF PECOS PEOPLE PASSES AWAY AT CLYDE

A message to the relatives living in Pecos was received telling of the sudden death of Mr. Payne at Clyde, Texas. The following are children of deceased and all left to be present at the last sad rites of their father: Mrs. John Cowan, Mrs. Bob Hefner, Phil Payne and Jim Payne. Joining their many friends, The Enterprise tenders deepest sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

NOTICE OF RANCH TRANSFER

The firm of John Z. Means & Co. has transferred its livestock interest in Culberson, Ward and Loving counties, to Evans Bros., with headquarters at Pecos, Texas, and they will appreciate being notified of all works. 36*14 Advertisement

SIMS-JORDAN SELLS HART-PARR TRACTOR TO FARMER

The Sims-Jordan Hardware Company last week sold to Bob Majors one of the new Hart-Parr tractors which will be used by him on his farm for general farm work, such as plowing, pumping, hauling, etc. Mr. Majors is one of our most up-to-date and prosperous farmers and always investigates thoroughly before he spends his money. It is safe to say that he believes the Hart-Parr the practical tractor and a bargain or else he would not have purchased it.

WARNING K. of P. LODGES

The following is published by the Pecos Lodge No. 388, K. of P., to warn members:

One F. D. Hunter, formerly a member of Sumner Lodge No. 143, of Bakersfield, California, under suspension for non-payment of dues from said lodge, as of date December 28, 1916, has been victimizing lodges and members of the Order within this Domain, using official receipt which appears to indicate his dues have been paid to October 30, 1918, nearly two years later than his suspension.

Members are asked to seize and retain the receipt if presented, and to cause arrest of Mr. Hunter for obtaining money under false pretenses.

The party in question is a middle-aged man; about five feet nine inches; weight about 190 pounds; complexion fair, slightly tanned; blue eyes; short mustache, slightly sandy; hair black, no baldness.

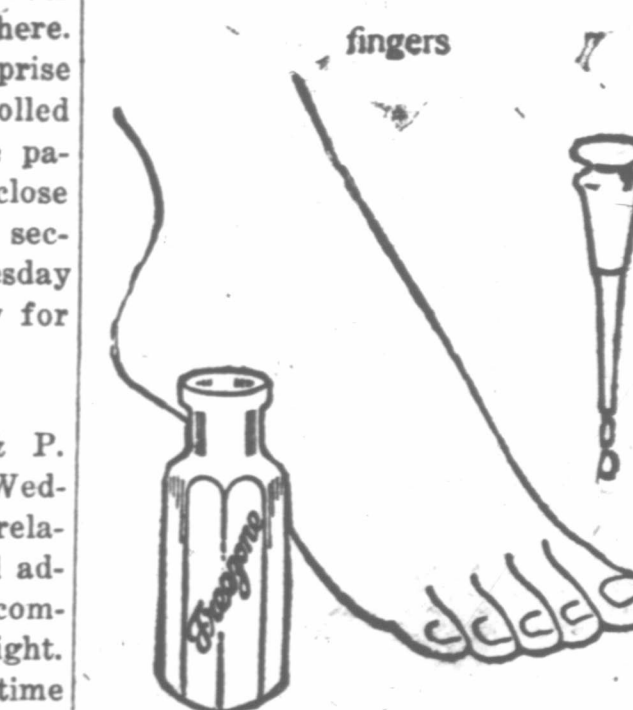
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Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days

Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Instantly relieves itching Piles, and you can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 50c.

LIFT OFF CORNS!

Apply few drops then lift sore, touchy corns off with fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic!

A tiny bottle of Freezezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.

Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful!

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Why you should use Cardui, the woman's tonic, for your troubles, have been shown in thousands of letters from actual users of this medicine, who speak from personal experience. If the results obtained by other women for so many years have been so uniformly good, why not give Cardui a trial?

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CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

Mrs. Mary J. Irvin, of Culleh, Va., writes: "About 11 years ago, I suffered untold misery with female trouble, bearing-down pains, headache, numbness . . . I would go for three weeks almost bent double . . . My husband went to Dr. . . for Cardui . . . After taking about two bottles I began going around and when I took three bottles I could do all my work." E-50

Out of 1683 court martial cases the clemency board, at Washington, has recommended clemency in 1521 cases, cutting a total of 9,339 years from the aggregate of the sentences imposed.

Be a Joy-Walker, "Gets-It" for Corns

2 Drops, 2 Seconds—Corns Is Doomed!
When you almost die with your shoes on and corns make you almost walk sideways to get away from the pain, take a vacation for a minute or two and apply 2 or 3 drops



"My Corns Peel Clean Off, With 'Gets-It'!"
of the world's magic and only genuine corn-peeler, "Gets-It." Then, and then only, will you be sure that your corn will loosen from your toe so that you can peel it right off gloriously easy with your fingers. Take no chances of continued pain and soreness—why use greasy, irritating salves, plasters that shift and press into the "quick," razors and "diggers" that make corns bleed and also grow faster? Use painless, easy, always sure "Gets-It." There's only one like it in the world—that's "Gets-It." Millions have tried and O. K'd it for years. It never fails. "Gets-It," the guaranteed, money-back corn-remover, the only sure way, costs but a trifle, at any drug store. Mfd by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

A Republican has been elected as mayor of Butte, Montana, defeating the Labor Socialist candidate by an overwhelming majority. He is Butte's first Republican mayor in more than ten years.

Weekly Health Talks

Where Most Sickness Begins and Ends

BY FRANKLIN DUANE, M. D.

It can be said broadly that most human ills begin in the stomach and end in the stomach. Good digestion means good health, and poor digestion means bad health. The minute your stomach fails to properly digest the food you eat, troubles begin to crop out in various forms. Indigestion and dyspepsia are the commonest forms of this, impure blood, headache, backache, rashes, blotches, dizziness, nervousness, weakness, poor appetite, sleeplessness, coughs, colds and bronchitis are almost as common. There is but one way to have good health, and that is to put and keep your stomach in good order. This is easy to do if you take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is a wonderful tonic and blood purifier, and is so safe to take, for it is made of roots and herbs. Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., stands behind this medicinal medicine, and it is good to know that a distinguished physician is proud to have his name identified with it. When you take Golden Medical Discovery, you are getting the benefit of the experience of a doctor whose reputation goes all around the earth. Still more, you get a temperance medicine that contains not a drop of alcohol or narcotic of any kind. Long ago Dr. Pierce combined certain valuable vegetable ingredients—without the use of alcohol—so that these remedies always have been strictly temperance medicines. If piles are torturing you, get and use Pierce's Anodyne Pile Ointment. The quick relief it gives is hard to believe until you try it. If constipated, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets should be taken while using Anodyne Pile Ointment. Few indeed are the cases which these splendid remedies will not relieve and usually overcome. They are so good that nearly every drug store has them for sale.

Open Letter to Texas Cotton Farmers

GROWERS MUST PRESENT UNITED FRONT TO WORLD IN DEMANDING PRICE COMPATIBLE TO LABOR EXPENDED

The paramount question for you, and those in a community of interest with you, is whether the reconstruction era upon which we are about to enter will place agriculture upon an equality with other great industries of the country, or degrade it to the level of a servitude differing only in degree from Mexican peonage. We believe that we voice the dominant sentiment of Texas farmers in declaring that they are firmly resolved not to return to the conditions which existed before the war, and that they are ready to adopt whatever economic measures may be necessary rather than endure for themselves, their families, their posterity, a calamity worse than that which overhangs the losers in the European war.

Experience has shown that cotton at thirty cents gave less wages to those whose toil produced it than have been paid in every other field of labor. Whatever price the future may bring will inevitably fall below the average wage standard of the country, but the discrepancy must never be again what it was before the war.

The world demands our cotton at a price below the cost of its production, if the cost is computed to include labor of the family which enters so largely into the actual cost. We must make our answer very soon, and that answer will probably abide for a hundred years to come.

The buyers of cotton have made common cause and invoked the aid of the combined governments of Europe. It is no longer the spinner against the producer, but England, France, Italy, Holland, Switzerland, Spain, Japan and Germany, and all the lesser nations against the grower. As matters now stand, he would have no alternative except to take whatever they choose to give. Rather than become so abject a vassal of alien interests, it were better to wholly abandon the crop, and seek a livelihood more congenial if not more profitable. But he is not yet reduced to this necessity. There is one avenue of escape, and one only.

What the foreign state is doing for the foreign buyer our state must also do for its own citizens, the seller. The governments of Europe have put all of their resources behind the buyer, to the end that the price of cotton may be depressed to the lowest point. The reply should be made by our own governments, state and national, and should be made in the only way that can become effective—by placing the resources of the whole country behind it.

It is no longer a debatable question whether the state should fix the price of cotton; the pertinent issue is to decide how it shall be done. The Farmers' League has been organized to help solve that problem, and it appeals to every farmer in Texas to help himself by lending his aid to the movement at a time when it may be efficient. A year hence may be too late. Now is the time to make the fight, when the foes of cotton are on the march. It will help cotton in all the exchanges of the world when it becomes known that the producers have organized aggressively, not to resolute about the price, but to actually fix it.

The ways and means for action will be provided when a convention shall assemble to frame a new constitution for the state. In view of the far-reaching effect of the industrial settlements soon to be made on behalf of the world at large, we appeal to the farmers of Texas, and to those in sympathy with them, to support the proposal to call a constitutional convention, and then to elect delegates thereto who will give effect to the purposes here declared.

N. A. SHAW,
Chairman Farmers' League of Texas.

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ITEMS FROM SARAGOSA

Jerome Dolezal and wife were in Saragosa last Sunday visiting Mrs. Dolezal's parents.

Pink Harbert returned Saturday night from a trip to Avis, N. M., and was accompanied by his parents.

A few of the Saragosa folk attended the ice cream supper at Balmorhea, given by the ladies of the Christian church.

John and Charlie Oates visited relatives at Fort Stockton Sunday. Matt Totter loaded the first car of hay at Saragosa this season.

S. E. Waskom and family left last week for Dallas where they will permanently reside. They recently sold their farm in Old Saragosa to J. W. B. Williams.

E. R. Cox and wife visited relatives near Fort Stockton last Sunday. They were accompanied by Miss Bartha Hoefs, who visited relatives in Fort Stockton.

Popham & Bolton shipped thirteen cars of cattle from their U ranch to Stratford, Texas last Thursday. F. W. Popham and Otis Moorhead were in charge of the shipment.

Jesse Williams having purchased the remainder of the stock of S. T. Hobbs, has moved his store from the bank building to that formerly occupied by Hobbs. He will use the bank building as a residence.

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GREAT FUTURE IN THE AEROPLANE INDUSTRY

The War Department is calling for 15,000 volunteers for the Air Service.

The opportunity for this is the fact that at the present time the Aeronautical Manufacturing Companies have as many experienced mechanics and workers as they have places for. Furthermore, it is a well established fact that the aircraft industry is going to be many times larger than it is at the present time. The aircraft manufacturing association itself, states that it will be about three years before aircraft manufacturing will be on its feet. At that time, however, experienced and skilled mechanics will be required at their own price.

At the present time there are no vacancies available other than in the Air Service of the Army where this experience can be gained. It is thought therefore that in this connection, since the manufacturing of aircraft is bound to be one of the larger enterprises of the future, a man enlisting as the present time for three years, learning his business, and then getting two years actual experience working in the shops and fields of the army, he will be well fitted to accept a position with one of the aircraft manufacturing companies. They will at that time be enlarging and developing. The Air Service of the Army is the only place now available to get this training.

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WORN NERVES

Nervous troubles, with backache, dizzy spells, queer pains and irregular kidneys, give reason to suspect kidney weakness and to try the remedy that has helped your neighbors.

Mrs. J. M. McElroy, Pecos, says: "The pains over my kidneys were pretty bad and my back was sore and lame, especially when I got up in the morning. When I was doing my housework and would go to bend over it was all I could do to straighten up again. I would have a dizzy feeling and I was so nervous I could not lie still at night, but would jump and tremble like a leaf at the least noise. I was all tired out. I hadn't used Doan's Kidney Pills long before I could feel the pains through my kidneys go away and pretty soon all the kidney complaint had left me."

Price 60c at all druggists. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the kind that Mrs. McElroy had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.—Advt.

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Heroic Deeds of American Soldier Boys

FILMS DEPICTING THRILLING INCIDENTS TO BE SHOWN IN DISTRICT FREE—REAL SOLDIERS THE ACTORS

Ten of the best deeds of heroism of American soldiers have been made into films, showing from 400 to 700 feet of action, and will be shown all over the Eleventh District during the Victory Liberty Loan campaign.

The films were made at Camp Dix, and the movie actors were actual soldiers—that is most of the actors—for when it came to acting the part of the Heinies, the American boys refused flatly, so the movie directors had to send for professional actors to take the part of the Huns. The battle scenes were staged under the direction of officers who had overseas experience.

It was difficult to reproduce this picture as much of the material was not to be had at Camp Dix, and it was necessary to carry 3-inch guns by motor truck from Baltimore to that place. Bombs, parachutes, machine guns, flares, and real bullets were used. The folk around Camp Dix consider it remarkable that nobody was hurt. Some of the scenes show a moving barrage which was provided by electrically exploding bombs planted ahead of the advancing troops. Each picture shows the entire exploit of some American hero as described in official reports.

The fighting valor of American boys have matched the finest deeds of heroism in history. In preparing and carrying out its plans of war America has surpassed the great exploits of Hannibal, Caesar and even Napoleon. In less than eighteen months a peaceful nation aroused, arose and SAVED THE WORLD.

The ten deeds of heroism pictured in these films show the spirit of two million fighters which Uncle Sam sent overseas to put an end to the war, to bring about peace and to make the Victory Liberty Loan the last war loan.

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Colds Cause Grip and Influenza
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

The Paris Matin reminds the world that in the richest districts of France "there will be no harvest this year except the crop of crosses on the graves."

All the primary schools in Korea, were recently closed because the boys, who were expected to answer the Japanese teachers in Japanese, persisted in replying in Korean.

Have You Tried Tuxedo in the New "TEA-FOIL" PACKAGE?

It is the most popular innovation of many years in smoking tobacco packages. Smokers are delighted with its many advantages. Handier—fits the pocket. No digging the tobacco out with the fingers. Keeps the pure fragrance of Tuxedo to the last pipeful. Not quite as much tobacco as in the tin, but—

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"Yes, it takes some sacrifice now, some scrimping and saving. But every penny of it will come back, with interest."

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Victory Liberty Loan Committee



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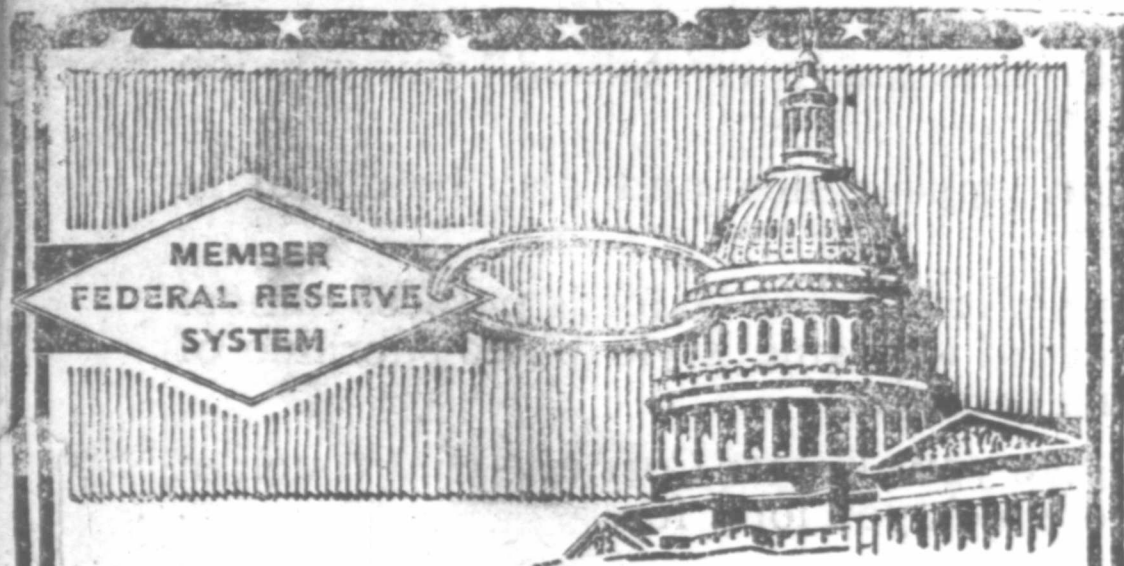
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Problem of Settling Returned Soldiers

PLAN OF SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR LANE TO PROVIDE HOMES MEETING WITH NATION-WIDE APPROVAL

The forthcoming May issue of the Reclamation Record, published by the U. S. Reclamation Service of the Department of the Interior, contains an article showing the nationwide interest in and approval of Secretary Lane's plan to provide work and homes in soldier settlements on reclaimed land for our returned soldiers, sailors and marines. It is stated that already 35,000 inquiries regarding the plan have been received from these men and that additional inquiries are coming in at the rate of five or six hundred a day. Many of the State Legislatures have enacted soldier-settlement legislation in anticipation of similar action by Congress at the coming special session. In many of the States the Governors have appointed special committees to work in cooperation with the Federal Government in connection with soldier-settlement plans.

The American Federation of Labor has endorsed the plan in its reconstruction program, and Daughters of the Revolution have approved the plan by formal resolution at a recent convention.

Scores of Chambers of Commerce, Boards of Trade and similar organizations, as well as hundreds of newspapers have placed the stamp of approval upon the plan.

The last page of the Record is in the form of a poster, with the caption "Attention! Soldiers! Sailors! Marines!" which describes the plan and requests every man interested in it to write to the Department, stating his name, age, occupation before enlistment, whether he has had previous experience in farming, what kind of farming he would like to take up, and where he would be willing to work, whether in his own or some other State.

Individuals receiving this copy of the Record are requested to tear off the back page poster and post it in a conspicuous place. Secretary Lane hopes, through this and other means, to get in touch with every returned soldier, sailor or marine who is interested in his plan to provide work and farm homes for them.

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BETTER MEALS FOR THE SCHOOL CHILDREN

An effort to secure better noon-day meals with at least one warm dish for school children is receiving the attention of home demonstration agents, county agents, and school officials in Iowa. "Farmers warm water for cows in cold weather and cook feed for hogs in winter, heat the coffee for themselves when lunching out in the timber during wood-cutting season, but too often allow their children to eat cold food at noon day after day," says an Iowa county superintendent who strongly favors warm school lunches for the country school children. "Something warm at noon will benefit the children physically and mentally. They will also learn something of good food principles, serving, and table etiquette if the right teacher is on the job."

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The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head
Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness or ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, 30c.

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GOOD START 1919 TICK FIGHT

Cattle dippings in March this year totaled 1,203,497, in comparison with 996,505 in March 1918, according to reports from the States infested by the cattle fever tick to the Bureau of Animal Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture. This means the best opening of the dipping season since the fight against the parasite began in 1906, and indicates that a record amount of territory will be cleaned up this year. Dipping vats in operation numbered 29,255, in comparison with 22,879 at the opening last year, and more "canals of prosperity" are being built every day. Farmers and the general public in all infested territories are becoming fully awake to the menace of the parasite and conditions are favorable to the effective prosecution of the work, the reports indicate.

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Senator W. C. Edwards of the Canadian Parliament, and one of the foremost business men in the Dominion, predicts that Canada will be annexed to the United States within the next ten years.

Letter From France to the Home Folks

TOM McCLURE TELLS OF SIGHTS IN PARIS—IS HAVING GOOD TIME BUT LONGS FOR "OLD FOLKS AT HOME"

From Hotel Bellevue, at Seine et Oise, France, Tom McClure writes to the home folk, under date of April 2nd, the following interesting letter:

My Dear Folks:—Letters seem to be pretty slow coming my way these days, but suppose they are so busy shipping men home they can't get the mail all over; however I did receive a bunch of clippings and noted the Blanton one. Personally, I have no comment to make, except that I hope that before 36th entrains for Brest some one will have been able to do more than talk.

No one can know how I do want to get home, and how disappointed I was when the last sailing orders did not include our division. Of course, since I am on detached service here at the Hotel Bellevue it is very pleasant, but not home.

I went sightseeing in Paris yesterday and saw many things of interest, among other the Eiffel Tower. Have written you something about it, but learned some more yesterday from a Frenchman who went out with me. The exact height is 984 feet, the base covers about 4 acres, and there are four elevations. It was built by a man by the name of Eiffel for the Paris exposition in 1890. He was asked if he could build something higher than the Washington Monument, and this was the result. I also visited the tomb of Napoleon, an they have the same stones that were in his tomb when he was first buried on the Isle of Saint Helena, but his ashes now rest in a massive tomb of marble. On one side of the entrance is the tomb of Duroc and on the other that of Bertrand. Of course you remember these were his best friends, and now they sit there on silent guard. On the large bronze column at the entrance you get the effect of sunlight—the glass and color scheme is so arranged that on cloudy days the sunlight is always there. The artist who designed the scheme was never able to reproduce it. He tried to do the same thing in Rome, but failed. The tomb sits in a deep round bowl-like affair built of marble, I suppose about forty feet in diameter, and twelve figures cut from marble represent twelve of his battles.

The tomb is in a large building called the Hotel des Invalides, built by Louis XIV to take care of his old soldiers, but now used by the Government for war relics. In one room you find captured battle-flags and, by the way, at the beginning of the present war France had six flags captured from England but has returned all but one. In the courtyard you see some captured German guns, zeppelins, and the favorite machine of the French Ace of Aces, Capt. Guymeyer.

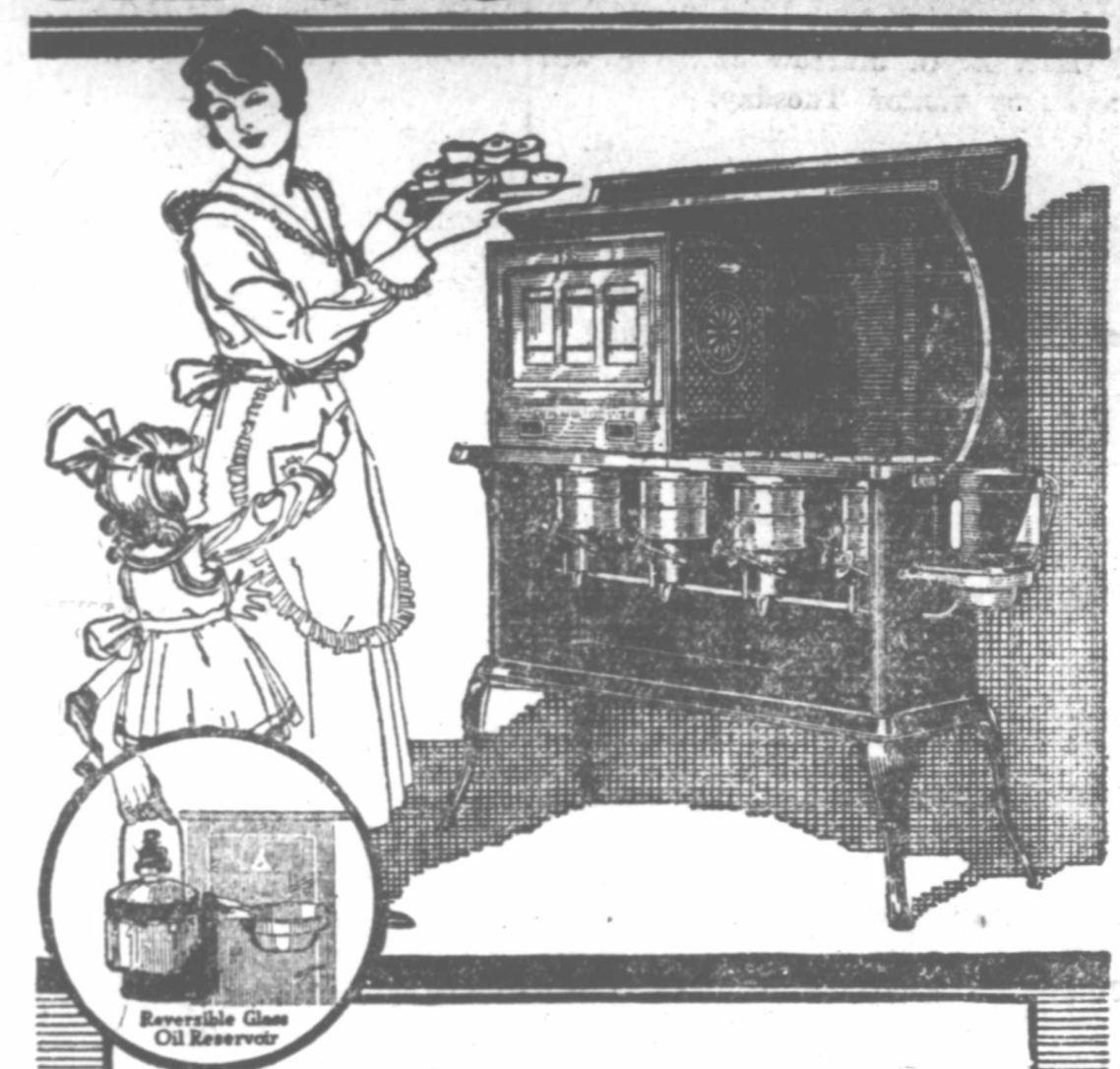
I also looked at the Arch of Triumph, started by Napoleon to march his victorious armies through, but was not completed until fifteen years after his death. Huge chains were fastened across the entrance after the defeat of the French by the Germans in 1870, and nothing was allowed to pass through to this day. When peace is signed the French plan to remove the chains and march the present French army through, making it a real Arch of Triumph. I imagine I will be here for that event if the present plans of the U. S. Government for returning us are not moved up, but I am perfectly willing to miss it.

We looked in at the Palace of Justice and saw the court room which compares with our Supreme Court. The most expensive thing about it seemed to be a carpet supposed to have cost \$16,000, though, of course, it is beautifully decorated and marked, but I don't suppose they dispense justice any better than we do in the old court house in Reeves.

The Panteon de la Guerre is the most wonderful and stupendous thing I have seen. It was started in 1914, and as the war progressed so progressed the picture. It contains over 5,000 faces, all made from life or a portrait; the canvas is 365 feet long and is in a building built especially for it. Each of the Allied nations have a sector, and in ours you see President Wilson, General Pershing, General Bliss, and lots of other familiar faces.

But I am sure you are tired of reading all this, so will stop and write ten, everyone. Lots of love.
TOM McCLURE.

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ORDERS ELECTION IN SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER TWO

The State of Texas,
County of Reeves.

Whereas, on the 4th day of April, 1919, a petition was presented to me as Election Judge in Common School District No. Two (2), of this county on the question of authorizing a tax

of and at the rate of not exceeding fifty cents on the \$100.00 valuation of taxable property in said district for the purpose of supplementing the State school fund apportioned to said district, said petition bearing the requisite number of signatures of property tax-paying voters of said district, and being in every respect in conformity with law:

Now, therefore, I, Jas. F. Ross, in my capacity as County Judge of Reeves county, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 5th day of May, 1919, at the office of the Mayor of the town of Toyah, in Toyah, Texas, in said Common School District No. Two of this county as established by order of the Commissioners' Court of this county of date the 27th day of July, 1891, which is recorded in Book One, Pages 411 and 412, of the minutes of said Court, to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified tax-paying voters of that district desire to tax themselves for the purpose of supplementing the State school fund apportioned to said district and to determine whether the Commissioners' Court of this county shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually a tax of and at the rate of not exceeding fifty cents on the \$100.00 valuation of taxable property in said district for said purpose.

A. W. Hosie is hereby appointed presiding officer for said election, and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall, within five days after said election has been held, make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

The ballot for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

"For Increase of School Tax."
"Against Increase of School Tax."
All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this county and who are resident property taxpayers in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election.

The sheriff of this county shall give notice of said election by causing this notice to be published in The Enterprise and Pecos Times, at Pecos, Texas for three consecutive weeks before the election.

Dated the 12th day of April, 1919
JAS. F. ROSS,
County Judge, Reeves County, Texas

Interesting Local Items

J. Ike Johnson was over from Toyah Thursday on business.

Mrs. E. C. Morrow of Orla, was a Pecos visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. G. C. Dawson of Kermit, was a visitor to Pecos last Saturday.

J. B. Watson of Kermit, was transacting business in Pecos Saturday.

Jazz Time Chocolates.—AT PECOS DRUG CO., INC. Advertisement

J. A. Graham of Odessa, was a business visitor in Pecos Saturday.

D. V. LaBeff of Balmorhea was a business-visitor in Pecos this week.

A. J. Adcock of Grandfalls, was a business visitor in Pecos Wednesday.

Standard Mowers at Zimmer Hardware Co. They are the best. 36-t4 Advertisement

Mrs. DeRacy, who has been critically ill for the past three weeks, is improving slowly.

C. C. Dorr and family of Grandfalls, were visiting in Pecos the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wagnon and children of Balmorhea were visitors in Pecos Wednesday.

Snow White Flour and Chase & Sanborn's Steel Cut Coffee. Just received at E. L. Collings & Son's. 36-2 Advertisement

A. R. Hinkle, Sr., who for the past six months or so had been visiting here with his sons, H. W. and A. R. Jr., left last week for his home at Lynchburg, Tennessee.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic
restores vitality and energy by purifying and enriching the blood. You can soon feel its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. Price 60c.

Mrs. J. T. Blake left Wednesday for El Paso where she will visit with her son, Len Blake.

A. D. Cummings and daughter were up from Grandfalls Saturday visiting friends in Pecos.

F. M. Sifton of Pyote, was among the numerous out-of-town business visitors in Pecos Tuesday.

Hear the Brunswick—all phonographs in one. 10 different styles, \$100 to \$1500—Monroe Slack Jewelry Store, Pecos. 36-t2 Advertisement

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stuckler autoed in from the U ranch Monday and visited with friends in Pecos.

Don't forget to attend the regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night, May 6th.

Horn Carpenter was in Pecos this week from his Toyah Creek farm, having business in the district court.

I have permanently located in Pecos. Practice limited to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Glasses scientifically adjusted.—I. E. SMITH, M. D. Advertisement

Jim Cooksey was down from his ranch north of Pecos Wednesday visiting relatives and friends in the Hub City.

Mrs. Theo Andrews, Mrs. Will Robinson and Miss Viola Scott were among others of Toyah's fair sex to visit Pecos this week.

Dee Davis, a former resident of Saragosa, but now residing at El Paso, was a business visitor in Pecos the fore part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Davis of Toyah, passed through Pecos Monday, en route to Caddo, Texas, where they will reside for a while. Alex will get in the oil game there and, what's away, The Enterprise will keep the posted as to Reeves county events.

A. Vick Winters of Monahans, a former resident of Pecos, was over the first of the week seeing friends and attending to business matters.

C. M. Honaker and family of Saragosa, were Pecos visitors Saturday. Mr. Honaker is one of the Toyah Valley's prosperous farmers.

Prof. A. H. Smith, principal of the Toyah Public School, was a visitor in Pecos Saturday and a pleasant caller at The Enterprise office.

Go to W. H. Drummond for the best prices on cow hides. 15 cents for No. 1 green, and 29 cents for No. 1 dry flint hides. 28-tf Advertisement

Joe Hollebeke and family are now comfortably located in their new home on Oleander street which they recently purchased from Dr. O. J. Bryan.

Jno. T. McElroy of Odessa, president of the First National Bank of Pecos, was in town Wednesday looking after interests here and seeing friends.

A. G. Van Horn was over from Toyah Saturday and returning took Vertner Gage back with him for a visit with the latter's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Van Horn.

FOR SALE—One-half interest in the City Market. Present proprietor wishes to retire from active business. 33 tf Advertisement

Sid Flory, E. E. and E. P. Crow, and D. C. Clark, all of Toyah, where they are employed with the T. & P., were Pecos visitors Monday. These boys are all members of the local K. of P. Lodge, and came down to watch the antics of the lodge goat.

Habitual Constipation Cured in 14 to 21 Days
"LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN" is a specially-prepared Syrup Tonic-Laxative for Habitual Constipation. It relieves promptly but should be taken regularly for 14 to 21 days to induce regular action. It stimulates and regulates. Very Pleasant to Take. 60c per bottle.

Easter Greetings

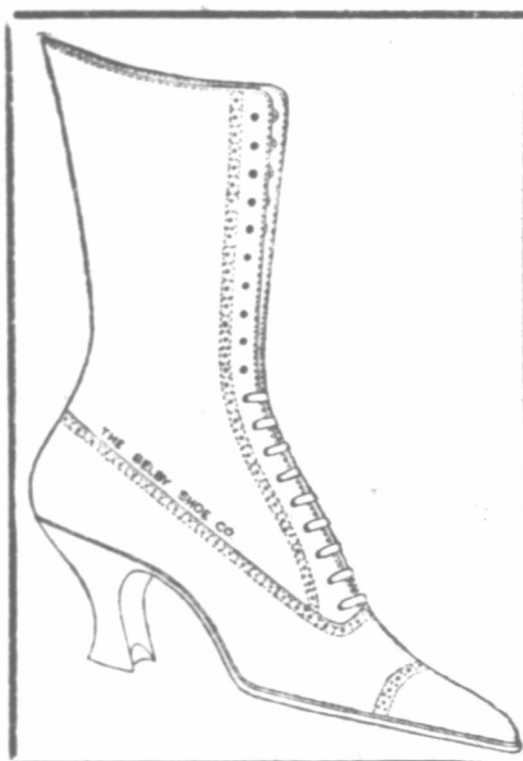
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Our New Shoes are remarkably refreshing---fairly laden with Style.

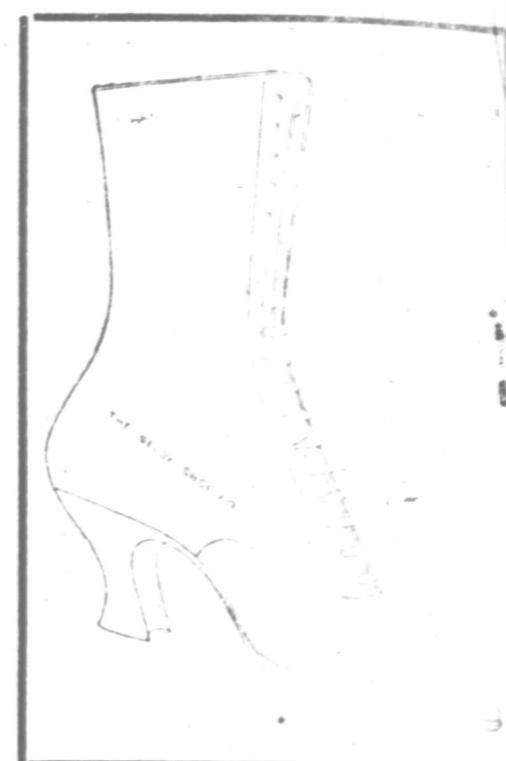
They are beautiful in appearance and also beautiful in fitting qualities.

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A pair of them will give your Easter Costume that touch of Exquisite Style which you long for.



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15c

VELVET'S natural-aged mildness and smoothness make it just right for cigarette.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Landrum and children are visiting with Pecos friends this week. They are on their way from El Paso to their ranch in southern New Mexico, in the Godeke settlement.

We are handling GOLDEN GATE Brand Coffees, Teas, Spices, Extracts and Cake Coloring.—B. G. SMITH Advertisement

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Magee left Monday morning for Deming to attend the annual session of the West Texas-New Mexico Christian Missionary Society, which met in Deming N. M., April 29 to May 1. They expect to be back home today.

The Enterprise has plenty of Oil Leases—Form 88—in stock, for sale.

W. C. BENNETT
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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A four-room house on Oleander Street, not far from the old Fair Grounds. See E. J. Moyer. 37tf

FOUND.

FOUND—Four keys—for Yale lock, desk and two flat keys—near M. E. church last week. Can be had by calling at Enterprise office and paying 25c for this notice. 36

WANTED.

WANTED—Large blocks of acreage in Pecos, Reeves, Culberson, Loving, Terrell and Brewster counties direct from owners. Give full data in first letter.—MUTUAL LEASING SYNDICATE, Oil Operators Bldg., Fort Worth, Texas. 36-t4

WANTED—I desire to secure the services of a dining room girl at once. Apply to Mrs. Martha Adams at Pecos Hotel, Pecos, Texas. 36-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Several fat hens, just any old kind bought for early sitters, and since the chicks are weaned have no further use for them. They and the Hamburgs will be sold to make room for young stock, at bargain prices. Enterprise office. tf

HAMBURGS FOR SALE—The editor has a pen of four beautiful Silver Spangled Hamburg hens and a cock for sale. They are his choicest breeding pen, but he has no further use for them as a flock of chicks are growing up. Six dollars takes the bunch. tf

BETTER HURRY—If you want one of those fine pre-used guns—formerly belonging to the late J. W. Parker. Mrs. Parker has no earthly use for them and is offering them at prices which should move them at once.—Zimmer Hardware Co., 37tf

FOR SALE—Splendid irrigated farm with plenty of free water; good soil. Cheap. Address owner, care of The Enterprise. 36-t4

GUNS FOR SALE—We have for sale for a private party one 30-30 Stevens rifle, practically new, one 22 target rifle, one .401 Automatic Winchester and one 12-gauge pump shotgun. All of these guns except the 22 are practically new and in fine condition and either one or all of them will be sold at about one-half the real value today. If you want a good gun now or expect to buy in the fall better get these bargains for they will not last.—ZIMMER HARDWARE CO. 37tf

FOR SALE—Ten acres, improved, two miles northwest of Pecos. Six or seven acres in alfalfa, good stand; 2 acres in stock beets, one-half acre in wheat. Two flowing wells, house, barn, shed stable, hen house, etc. See or address M. C. Williamson, Pecos, Texas. 34-tf

FOR SALE—228 feet of 5-in., 48 ft. of 12-in., and 46 ft. of 18-in. casing. For price call at this office or see Mrs. D. A. Dodds, Pecos, Texas. 28tf

FOR SALE—S. C. R. I. Red eggs nearer 1918 Texas Egg Laying Contest. \$3 per 15. Second pen, pure bred stock, \$2 per 15.—EXPERIMENT STATION, Pecos, 25tf

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