

Laura Rig Destroyed--Believed Incendiary

THE VERY LATEST REPORTS OF DEVELOPMENT IN PECOS OIL FIELD

Although not a great deal of hole has been made in drilling operations during the past week, activities have been going on in the Pecos territory. Fishing jobs at the Los-Pecos and Toyah Bell No. 2, have delayed the Laura has been engaged in putting its casing in shape. Bell interests have been making arrangements to proceed with their operations.

Drilling has however been pushed in the Pecos Angeles, the Pinal, the Helen S., the River No. 2, Owens No. 2, and the Toyah Shal-Oil company's two wells, while considerable activity is evident in Toyah territory.

The discovery of a shallow sand at 438 feet, which sand very much resembles that found by the El Paso-Saragosa is reported from the Cowan well.

This sand was found in the well of the Toyah Shallow Oil Co., on section 44, block 56, township 1, north ten miles south and west of Pecos near the Cowan ranch headquarters.

The sand is compact and hard and such that John A. Lee, engineer in charge of operations, believes it will prove to feed an excellent casing well after it is treated with a solution of nitro glycerin in order to break up the strata. A fishing job delayed the development of this well this week.

Mr. Lee has spent a great deal of time prospecting the Toyah Basin for the shallow oil and the location of this well was his first choice. He also shown his confidence in shallow production by starting his company an operation near El Paso-Saragosa seeking to develop the shallow sand passed up by standard rig. This latter sand was found at 438 feet.

The River No. 1 of the Arthur-Pitts company in Ward county is now well beyond 1200 feet and drilled steadily. The Owens No. 2 has made rapid hole during the past ten days and is well beyond 1200 feet. It was in a black lime formation at the last reports from this person county well reaching 1200 feet.

The threading machine and casing for the Laura reached Pecos in the week and were placed in work. Attorney Henry Deutsch of the Federal Service Systems, who is in charge of the work on the Laura well, is in Pecos this week after local operations. As the casing is rethreaded it will be placed in the well, and reamed from 1950 to 2250 feet started.

Reaming is expected to be a comparatively short job as the formations to be reamed are reported to be favorable for such operations. The hope of the bit in the Laura which is expected in a comparatively short time, will be good news to the many workers in the Pecos territory.

Fishing operations after the bit was lost in the Toyah Bell No. 2 last week, have occupied the workers at that well. Efforts to pick up the bit were unsuccessful at first to a broken part which had wedged on the bit and prevented it from being grasped by the tools. A cause an effort to drill around the bit with the tools, and this had typically been accomplished late in the week. It is expected that the tools will fall over in the new hole and thus be in a position to be more easily picked up.

It is probable that the Slack fish-tools which is being made in El Paso this week will be used on both Toyah Bell and the Los Pecos wells. The Electric-Magnetic tool which has a number of distinctive features. An attempt was made last week to build a tool in Pecos, but all materials needed could not be procured here, and the inventors went to El Paso where they could have better foundry and machine shop advantages.

An underreamer lug has been lost in the bottom of the Los Pecos well, and it is understood that an attempt will be made to fish out this tool first. It is probable that if the tools in the Toyah Bell have not been removed, activities will be transferred to the Los Pecos locality.

As pressure at the Bell well comes strong, although somewhat reduced during the past week by the pressure of water. This water now reached a level of about 100 feet from the bottom of the 80 foot hole. The gas is fired off most nightly at the well, and a flame that ranges from ten to thirty feet in length results.

Operations have been carried on ten days pending a decision as to what method to pursue. It is probable that a cement bridge will be laid in an effort to shut off the

water. Ira J. Bell has been in the Houston and other Texas oil centers during the past week conferring with oil men in regard to the situation. This well is generally regarded as the best bet in the field for early production if the water difficulties can be handled.

A diamond drill bit to be used in the Soda Lake well in Ward county, according to C. A. Owens, president of the Arthur-Pitts company. Difficulties with the casing at about 1900 feet caused the decision to bring the core cutting machine here and try out all depths down to 3,000 feet or probably deeper. This core cutter will bring up an exact sample of the formations into which it penetrates, and will enable the drill to follow while the crew will have an exact knowledge of the situation below.

This plan, according to Mr. Owens, will eliminate a great many of the expensive delays incident to cable tool drilling, and while it will not result in a producing well, it will show whether or not there is a sufficient amount of oil bearing strata below to justify the expense of putting down a larger hole. Mr. Owens is very confident of an excellent showing within the next few hundred feet, but the condition of the hole now due to collapsed casing, is such that it would be a very expensive proposition to continue drilling with cable tools.

Near the Soda Lake, the Trans-Pecos Oil Company is drilling after setting a new string of ten inch casing.

The Hawkeye Pecos company has completed a new derrick during the past week to replace the one destroyed in recent high winds, and drilling operations are to start on this well as soon as Longwell & Son, who are now drilling the Helen S. are in position to handle the work.

The Texoiland has been drilling to below 900 feet, but was quiet later in the week waiting the arrival of the manager, C. A. Wilson, who was called home because of serious illness in his family.

STOLEN CHANDLER AUTO RECOVERED

A Chandler automobile, with a California license number was recovered from a pair of alleged thieves by Deputy Sheriff Massey of Balmorhea. An establishment known as The Auto Theft Bureau is operated at Dallas and other large centers. When a car is reported stolen the country is flooded with precise descriptions, license number, engine number, etc. Sheriff Kiser and all his deputies receive these notices and Deputy Sheriff Massey is always on the watch for cars listed as stolen on his files. The two young men who were driving this car through Balmorhea on the road from San Antonio to California were held up by Massey and the car corresponded to one on his descriptive list. They were arrested and brought to Pecos. The car proved to have been stolen from Wichita Falls and a deputy sheriff from there with a special agent of the Theft Bureau arrived in Pecos Wednesday and drove the car to Wichita Falls taking the young men with them in handcuffs and legions. The men gave their names as A. B. Kennedy of Los Angeles and J. J. Reagan of San Antonio, Tex. The young man Reagan tells a pretty straight story about his connection with the car and claims he did not know it was stolen. Kennedy claims he bought the car in Wichita Falls from a man he did not know. The San Antonio boy says he was in California, broke, and wanted to get to San Antonio. He joined Kennedy through an advertisement which stated a companion was wanted by a man to make the trip east. They came over in a Ford sedan and parted company at San Antonio, with the Chandler car with the Ford Sedan license number on it. They were on their journey back to California when captured.

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TO MAKE A LONG TAIL SHORT



IN REGARD TO THE NEW POSTOFFICE

Congressman Hudspeth introduced a bill into congress for the erection of a public postoffice building at Pecos and appropriating money therefor. The bill provides for a suitable government building including fireproof vaults, heating and ventilating apparatus, with necessary approaches for postoffice and other federal office, including a Federal court room, cost not to exceed \$50,000.

As will be seen by the following letter from Congressman Hudspeth the republican congress will show us where we get off:

My dear Mr. Sutherland, Secretary, Chamber of Commerce, Pecos, Texas.

I am enclosing you a copy of a bill that I have just introduced asking for an appropriation of \$50,000 to build a Federal building at Pecos.

I do not wish to hold out any false hopes. I will do everything possible to secure the passage of this bill, but our Republican brethren who you know are in the saddle state that they are not going to make an appropriation for a single public building in the United States.

Very truly yours, C. B. HUDSPETH.

The congested and inadequate condition at the temporary postoffice, with the patrons in line extending into the street, have been photographed and mailed to Congressman Hudspeth and displayed by him to the Committee on appropriations. These conditions will hardly get us anywhere this year and Postmaster McKellar and his very competent force deserve the commendation of the public for creating facilities as good as they are.

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DIED IN OKLAHOMA CITY

Word was received in Toyah last week by relatives of the sudden death of Mrs. Walter Wadsworth at her home in Oklahoma City. Mrs. Wadsworth was prior to her marriage Miss Mary Koen and was reared in Toyah. She is survived by her aged father, Uncle John Koen of Toyah, two brothers, Sam Koen of Toyah, who left immediately for Oklahoma City in answer to the summons and Ed Koen of Culbertson county and by her husband Walter Wadsworth and one little daughter. The Enterprise extends to the bereaved deepest sympathy.

DISTRICT COURT CONVENE MONDAY

District court convened last Monday, Judge Gibbs presiding. There were only two cases tried. The case of C. W. Tudor vs. Receiver for Texas and Pacific railway Co., for damage to a shipment of cattle came up for the third time and a verdict for \$932.00 was given to plaintiff. The first trial of this cause resulted in damage to the amount of \$1950.00. This verdict was set aside by the court of civil appeals and the second trial resulted in a disagreement of the jurors. The third resulted as above and the case has been submitted to the Receivers for disposition. It is not thought that it will be submitted to a higher court again as the T. and P. attorney here is well satisfied with the verdict which will allow the company to settle the damage at a less cost than it was willing to pay before the case went to trial the last time.

The case of John B. Howard vs. The Franklin Insurance Co. of Oklahoma City was decided in favor of the Insurance company. This is the second trial of this cause, the first verdict for the Insurance company having been set aside by the Court of Civil Appeals. The case will be appealed again.

In the Tudor case noted above it is said the verdict was arrived at by lottery. In the opinion of our best legal authority, a lottery verdict would most likely be set aside by the higher court should the Receiver conclude to have the case appealed. Court adjourned to meet Monday, May 16th.

WORK ON CANAL TO SAND LAKE RESERVOIR

While the dredge is digging away on the outlet canal to the Sand Lake Reservoir, the soil survey of the proposed new Pecos district has been completed and the general committee is working on plans to finance the completion of the big job, a job that will result in the expenditure of \$700,000 and will permit 30,000 additional acres to be placed under cultivation.

The formation of the Pecos district has been held off awaiting the completion of the soil survey and the recommendations of Miles C. Beck, who has charge of the survey. This is to be turned into the Chamber of Commerce this week, and will be used in an advisory capacity in determining the boundaries of the district.

About ninety days will be required for forming the district. As soon as it is decided what land would be advisable to include in the district, an effort will be made to obtain the consent of the owners to the formation of the district. Two-thirds of the acres in the proposed district will be required to be represented on the formation petition. This petition will then be presented to the Commissioners Court after twenty days notice of a hearing, and after the district is formed an election to name board of directors will be held. Twenty days notice is required for this. The election on the necessary bond issues will be called and thirty days notice will be required.

The general committee is now working on the terms of a general agreement under which the preliminary work of the construction will be done. This agreement must be ratified by the voters of each district to be binding.

PHOENIX LIKE WILL RISE FROM THE ASHES AND THE WELL PUT DOWN IN SHORTEST POSSIBLE TIME, SAY MANAGEMENT.

The rig of the Laura well of the Sunshine Oil Corporation was consumed by fire last night about 12 M. and the estimated loss is about \$42,000, with no insurance. Since there had been no fire nearer than the cook house in two weeks and no possible chance for an accidental fire at that hour it is believed to be of incendiary origin.

Messrs. Tinally, of the Sunshine and Deutsch of the Federal Service Systems, inform The Enterprise that the rig and machinery will be replaced in the shortest possible time and work resumed. At the limit it will not be more than two or three weeks before the bit will again be working. In spite of all opposition and adversities these gentlemen are facing the situation bravely and are more than ever determined to bring in the Laura as a real gusher—both companies now working hand in hand to enable them to do so.

This is one of the worst catastrophes that ever visited this town, were it not for the fact that the Sunshine have men back of it who have the money and the nerve to face any adversity. However, they are heavy losers in this fire.

The Laura was the pioneer well to be started in the Pecos oil field, had standard rig and tools and now have every indication of a real oil well and that at possibly a few feet deeper.

Many of our citizens had the "blues" in the worst form this morning when the sad news was being passed, real sympathy for the losers and a fear that the rig might not be replaced. Thanks to Mr. Tinally and Mr. Deutsch, we are all feeling better, but the editor has no hopes of a complete recovery until he has reached McArthur on the 10th of next month. So far as he knows there is no "soothing syrup" nearer.

Laura Well Will Begin Saturday ON ARRIVAL OF MR. LIVINGSTON

DEVELOPERS POSTPONE MEETING

Next Saturday is the regular meeting night of the National Petroleum Developers but owing to the fact that a good number of the members are away on business it has been decided to postpone the meeting to some future date—probably to the regular meeting night two weeks hence.

This association is of vast benefit to its member of fuel and repairs. Just yesterday a member of this association ordered a car of fuel oil at 2 o'clock p. m. and by 5 o'clock a wire was received that the oil was on its way to Pecos, and that at 65 cents per barrel or at least five cents less than it could be purchased for by an individual. Besides this B. J. O'Reilly, secretary, and E. A. Braak, assistant secretary, are making an effort, which looks at this time very much like success, at getting a supply house located in Pecos.

It takes money to keep up any organization worth while and quite a few of the members of this organization who are behind would do well to kick in and keep the good work going on. Should the organization be successful in landing this supply house one order secured at home when needed, would save the operator more than the dues of the organization for a whole year.

E. T. BIGGS RETURNED

B. T. Biggs has returned from his extensive oil operations in Kansas. Mr. Biggs is now putting down a well on his personal holdings in the Kansas oil belt, and arrived home in time to see one of his pet projects, the Laura well, in ruins. He was at the fire last night, having been called up and informed of the situation by phone. Mr. Biggs is positively assured in his own mind that the Laura derrick and machinery was destroyed by the hand of some unscrupulous enemy of the Laura interests and is positive from the information he has gained, that there was no evidence but incendiaryism which could have ignited the destructive fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Jo Camp of Fort Stockton are in the city visiting relatives.

Mrs. E. L. Stratton returned yesterday from a business trip to Dallas. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Rose Kendall who came to visit her son, Chas. Kendall before returning to her home in California.

Wire was received yesterday that Mr. George Livingston and Dick Price were on their way to Pecos in their automobile and expected to reach here today or tomorrow. Upon their arrival work will again be resumed on the Laura Well of the Sunshine Oil Corporation and no time or money will be spared in completing this well.

This well is now down 2256 feet and work was stopped after the two strings of casing had been pulled in order to take out bad joints. After this it was discovered that new threads would have to be cut on much of the 8 5/8 inch casing before it could be returned to the hole. To do this the management deemed it expedient to order a machine for the purpose from the factory which was done and it came in by express this week. This large casing will be run down to the full depth of the hole and to 2,500 feet if oil is not struck in paying quantities before that depth is reached. Then the 6 5/8 inch casing will be run on down to 400 feet if necessary.

The managers propose to make of the Laura a real deep test and with Livingston and Price at the bat believe there will be no time lost in putting it down. They have a record of making hole and will do their best to break all former records on the Laura.

The Laura has had some mighty fine showings and it is believed they are nearing the depth at which pay sand will be struck, and until that time our people will watch this development with great interest.

WEST TEXAS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TRIP

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce trade trip to Mexico will leave Fort Worth June 18th returning July 2nd. Stopovers will be made at Monterey, Saltillo, San Luis Potosi, Guadalajara, Torreon and five days will be spent in Mexico City. A special train composed of four sleepers, dining car and baggage car will be used for this trip. Announcement has been made by the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce that almost fifty men will go from that city while Sweetwater, Stamford and Abilene and other West Texas towns will send from five to ten representatives. The purpose of the trip is to develop business relations between West Texas and the Republic of Mexico for cattle, manufacturing and other interests of the country.

Entertainment will be provided along the route and the trip will be one of interest and pleasure to all who go, and with the special train rates and service will provide a very low cost for the entire trip.

DRILLING REPORT

Corrected to May 5th, 1921.

The following drilling report was compiled and furnished The Enterprise by W. A. Bennett. It is accurate, according to best information, and will be of much interest to the public.

Table with columns: Company, Well, County, Sec., Township, Block, Depth, Remarks. Lists various oil companies and well details across multiple pages.

The above list does not include many shallow wells in the Toyah field, and only those in actual operation in the Pecos Valley field. I know of no oil field that at the same stage of development (20 months) that had so many active operations...

GERMANY SUBMITS

Germany may formulate its acceptance of the allied demand in a way which will not satisfy France, and if it should, the action of the Reichstag will not mark a settlement of the reparations controversy.

Report of Condition of the Reserve District No. 11

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Charter No. 8771. At the Close of Business on April 28, 1921.

RESOURCES table showing Loans and discounts, U. S. Government Securities Owned, Deposited to secure circulation, etc.

LIABILITIES table showing Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, Undivided profits, etc.

State of Texas, County of Reeves, ss: I, T. H. Beauchamp, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of May, 1921. E. L. COLLINGS, Notary Public.

RECAPITULATION table showing Assets and Liabilities totals.

AT HOME DRESSES WHICH ALL WOMEN LIKE



Every woman welcomes the relaxing hours in a cool gingham house dress, especially for summer wear. These three new models shown at the Bush Terminal Sales Building in New York, depict fashion's trend for 1921.

WILL IT SHOW FRENCH IDOL THE STARS?



Here is Jack Dempsey's famous right as it looks coming head on. The fight fans of France say it will never reach its mark. That Carpenter is fast enough to keep out of its way...

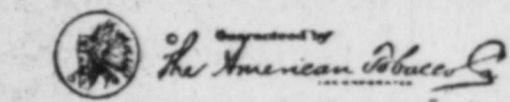
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Cigarette

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It's Toasted



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL TO BE HELD

The pastors of the various churches of the town have worked out a policy for a vacation Bible School to be held June 6 to 19.

The provisions made for the pupils 5 to 12 years of age is in groups according to grades as beginners, primaries and juniors.

The provision for pupils enrolling in the school from 13 years and up will be in denominational groups with the respective pastor as instructor or some one whom he may indicate for his church.

A credit toward high school graduation will be issued to the pupils in the denominational classes after standing an approved examination at the close of the Vacation Bible School.

From the present outlook the school will enjoy a very flattering enrollment especially for this first year. If the enrollment should become too large for the present faculty to handle instructors will be added to care for any situation that might arise.

The following compose the executive committee of the school: Rev. H. L. Magee, Rev. J. M. Garner and Mrs. J. W. Parker.

The following compose the faculty: Principal of beginners, primaries and juniors, Mrs. J. W. Brooks.

Beginners, (ages 4 and 5) Mrs. A. G. Waugh and Miss Julia Magee.

Primary, (ages 6-8) Mrs. B. R. Stine and Mrs. H. H. Johnson.

Juniors, (ages 9-12) Mrs. Wiley Cole and Mrs. C. B. Jordan.

The faculty for the denominational classes will be as follows:

Christian Church group, Rev. H. L. Magee.

Baptist Church group, Rev. J. M. Garner.

Episcopalian group, Mrs. W. W. Dean.

Presbyterian Church group, to be named.

Methodist Church group, Mrs. J. W. Parker.

It would greatly assist the teachers of the denominational groups if you would notify them immediately your intention of enrolling in order that they may have the necessary number of books on hand when the school begins.

The Vacation Bible School marks a distinct advance in religious education in our town. It is not to be thought of or regarded as separate and distinct from the present activities in religious instruction as carried on at present in the various churches but a continuation and an enlargement of the present Sunday School and church activity.

NEFF TO SUBMIT LAWS TO SPEED BOLL WORM FIGHT

Austin, May 10.—Bills amending the pink boll worm laws of Texas will be submitted at the special session of the Legislature, Governor Neff said Monday following a conference of representatives of cotton association and chambers of commerce of Texas in the Governor's office.

The conference was held to discuss plans to avert the threatened Federal quarantine of Texas against the pink boll worm because of the alleged failure by Texas to properly combat the spread of the insect.

The bills will amend the present law so that they will meet Federal requirements, it was announced after the conference. It was also said at the conference that these Federal requirements were not fully understood in Texas and that they would be discussed at a meeting called by the Federal Horticultural Board to be held in Washington next Monday.

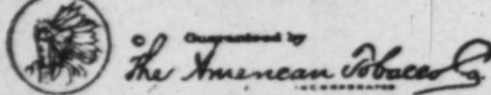
1-Cent Sale.

1-Cent will buy a 4 ounce bottle Imported Olive Oil at Pecos Drug Co. May 19-20 and 21.

Do you know you can roll 50 good cigarettes for 10cts from one bag of



GENUINE "BULL" DURHAM TOBACCO



SPIRITUAL ILLITERACY -- MORAL BANKRUPTCY

"Spiritual illiteracy leads to moral bankruptcy," declares Dr. J. H. Reynolds, director-general of the Christian Education Movement...

"In 1916 the Sunday school of the nation enrolled 21,888,521 children, but in 1920 this number had shrunk to 15,617,000. Thus in four years there was a loss of more than six and a quarter million children from the Sunday school.

"With half the children growing up spiritually illiterate and the Sunday school losing students at the rate of more than a million and a half each year, it is easy to compute that we will soon be a nation of spiritual illiterates unless the present tendency is speedily counteracted.

"In this deplorable situation the Protestants are the chief delinquents. The Jews give their children 335 hours of religious instruction each year—one hour each day for eleven months in the year. Therefore, the Jews are the most solid block of religionists on earth, and among them Christianity has made slighter progress than among any other people.

"The Catholics are next in their appreciation of the significance of religious education—and consequently they are the next most solid block of religionists. They give their children 200 hours of religious instruction each year—four hours each week.

"But Protestants train their children—part of them—only half an hour each week, twenty-six hours each year, and that in a disgracefully indifferent and slipshod manner. Consequently, Protestants are least loyal to their churches, more prone to confuse trivialities with fundamentals, more given to schisms and divisions.

"Here is a situation which clearly bodes no good to the nation, to religion, to Christianity, to Protestantism. It were treason to God to sit idly by and in our self-satisfied complacency do nothing about it.

"The M. E. Church South has a large responsibility in the premises—larger than any other, in fact—because considerably more than half of the children who receive no religious training whatever are in those sixteen states where our church is strongest. In those states are 11,251,873 of the 26,500,000 spiritually illiterate children.

"What are we to do about it? The Christian Education Movement comes forward with the first large and comprehensive plan of action to save our people and remedy this situation which is now a national menace. One of the distinct and clearly stated objectives of the Movement deals with this very matter.

"The M. E. Church South maintains ninety schools and colleges of various kinds broadly covering all of the sixteen states in which the worst conditions, from the standpoint of the religious instruction of children, prevail. These colleges enroll 25,000 students each year; they are forced to turn away 5,000 others who apply and adequately care for all who could be obtained by reasonable

publicity and solicitation, 25,000 additional could be obtained. "The Christian Education Movement will supply the necessary, space, teaching force, equipment and endowment, and then these same schools and colleges will enroll 50,000 Methodist young people each year.

"He will know how to get the children enrolled, how to train the teachers, how to build and adapt the course of study, how to do any and all things necessary to give religious instruction to all the children now growing up in spiritual and moral ignorance.

"To send thousands of such trained men and women into the churches all over our territory—placing them in every church, large and small, from which students are sent to the colleges—this is the most fundamental and far-reaching program ever projected in the nation for the purpose of preventing the spiritual illiteracy and moral bankruptcy of the nation."

\$14,000 CATTLE DEAL MADE IN TOM GREEN COUNTY San Angelo, Texas, May 11.—G. F. Patterson of Oklahoma City has just paid approximately \$14,000 for two herds of cattle, purchased at Water Valley, Tom Green County. Four hundred steer yearlings were bought from L. T. Clark of Quanah and son, L. C. Clark of Water Valley. One hundred and fifty steer yearlings were purchased from Joe Eddie Hall of Water Valley. J. Walter Mann, local live stock commission agent, made the deals. The cattle have been shipped to grass in Oklahoma.

1-Cent Sale. Insurance means protection. Protection means quick payment of losses. That is our motto. If you lose, we pay. For lowest rates see E. L. Collings, Insurance.

1-Cent Sale—Pecos Drug Co. May 19-20 and 21. 1-Cent Sale—Pecos Drug Co. May 19-20 and 21.

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.

1-Cent will buy a \$2.25 Maxum Hot Water Bottle at Pecos Drug Co May 19-20 and 21.

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 CHILD 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. Price 60c per bottle.

1-Cent Sale.

NOTICE

All Land Lease, Permit Holders and Royalty Owners

who are interested in development of the field in the vicinity of Section 8, Block C-20, public school lands, Reeves County, communicate with ARROHEAD OIL COMPANY, Pecos, Texas.

Permit Holders If you want to block in your acreage and prove it up thru a well to be drilled in above vicinity advise us fully in your first letter what you have, give full description first letter. ARROHEAD OIL COMPANY PECOS, TEXAS

THE PECOS VALLEY STATE BANK

At Pecos, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 28th day of April, 1921, published in The Enterprise, a newspaper printed and published at Pecos, State of Texas, on the 13th day of May, 1921.

RESOURCES table with columns for Loans and Discounts, Real Estate, Bonds and Stocks, etc.

LIABILITIES table with columns for Capital Stock paid in, Surplus Fund, Undivided Profits, etc.

STATE OF TEXAS. W. H. BROWNING, Jr., as Vice-President, and Edwin Vickers, as assistant cashier of said bank each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

W. H. BROWNING, JR., Vice-Pres. EDWIN VICKERS, Asst. Cashier. CORRECT ATTEST: WALTER BROWNING, W. D. HUDSON, D. W. BOZEMAN, Notaries.

LIFT CORNS OR CALLUSES OFF



Doesn't hurt! Lift any corn or callus off with fingers. Don't suffer! A tiny bottle of Freezone osts but a few cents at any drug store Apply a few drops on the corns, calluses and "hard skin" on bottom of feet, then lift them off.

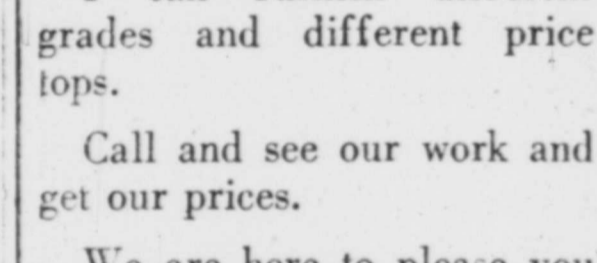
5 ACRES FOR \$50

Section 4, Block B-20, one mile from drilling contract; has been cut into 5-acre tracts, which will be sold at \$50 each.

D. A. DODDS, PECOS

NEW TOPS

A new top on that car will make it look like a new one. I can furnish different grades and different price tops. Call and see our work and get our prices. We are here to please you in quality, price and service. Remember we do vulcanizing, and sell gas and lube, and have free air and water for our customers.



Pecos Vulcanizing Company PECOS, TEXAS

SHERIFF'S SALE The State of Texas, County of Reeves. By virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable Supreme Court of Austin, Texas, on the 22nd day of March, 1921, by F. T. Conover, Clerk of said Court against Spencer B. Fugh et al for the sum of One Hundred and Forty Seven and 60-100 (\$147.60) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 2873 in said Court, styled Arma Co-Operative Irr. Co. et al versus Spencer B. Fugh et al and placed in my hands for service, I, E. B. Kiser as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 15th day of April, 1921, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Reeves County, described as follows, to-wit:

Sections Nos. 21, 23 and 25, in Block No. 2, H. & C. N. R. Survey, in Reeves County, Texas, and listed upon as the property of Spencer B. Fugh, John B. Dandridge, Randridge and Fugh, Leslie A. No-dham, Individually, and as trustee of the Stockholders of the Trans-Pecos Irrigation Company I, O. Carroll and Earl H. Price.

And on Tuesday, the 7th day of June, 1921, at the Court House door of Reeves County, in the Town of Pecos, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I will sell said Premises at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Spencer B. Fugh et al 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, a newspaper published in Reeves County, Texas, on the 4th day of May, 1921.

SHERIFF'S SALE The State of Texas, County of Reeves. By virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Reeves County, on the 4th day of May, 1921, by S. C. Vaughan, Clerk of said Court, against Jose Bargas for the sum of Two Hundred Ninety-Three and 85-100 (\$293.85) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 665 in said Court, styled O. J. Green Mercantile Company versus Jose Bargas and placed in my hands for service, I, E. B. Kiser, as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 4th day of May, 1921 levy on certain real estate, situated in Reeves County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Part of Section 8, in Block No. 5, H & C. N. Ry. Co. Survey, beginning at iron pipe set in ground for S. W. corner of tract of land sold by W. D. Johnson to Juan Arriola, thence N 33 1-4 W, 100 feet to N.W. corner of Arriola tract; thence S. 56-45 W, 100 feet; thence S. 33 1-4 E, 100 feet; thence N 56 45, E, 100 feet; to beginning; all in Reeves County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said Jose Bargas. And on Tuesday, the 7th day of June, 1921, at the Court House door of Reeves County, in the town of Pecos, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I will sell said premises at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Jose Bargas 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 Pecos Times and Enterprise, a newspaper published in Reeves County, Texas, on the 4th day of May, 1921. Witness my hand, this 4th day of May, 1921. E. B. KISER, Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.

BE RID OF THAT ACHE

If you are a sufferer with lame back, headache, dizziness, nervousness and kidney disorders, why don't you try the remedy that your own neighbors recommend? Mrs. John DeRacy, Pecos, gave the following statement October 28, 1915: "I was troubled for a long time with my kidneys. My back was weak and lame and hurt me with a dull constant ache. I was tired and languid and had dizzy spells and headaches. Black spots often seemed to float before my eyes. I was also bothered with my kidneys acting irregularly. I heard a lot about Doan's Kidney Pills and decided to try them. I got some at the Pecos Drug Co., Inc., and it only took two boxes to cure me. I haven't been bothered since."

LASTING RESULTS. On April 7, 1919, Mrs. DeRacy said: "I recommended them in 1915 for the cure they gave me has lasted. I have been in fine health."

60c at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co. Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

ARTHUR E. HAYS THE PECOS OIL MAN Phone 44 Office Upstairs in First National Bank Building I have moved and am now prepared to serve you better than ever in OIL AND GAS LEASES FOR IRRIGATED FARMS AND REAL ESTATE SEE ME!

PRUETT LUMBER CO. Twenty-five years experience in Pecos should give us an idea about how to supply your wants. We are always on the job. Lumber prices have hit the bottom. Now is the time to get ready for the next oil boom which is expected daily. ALL KINDS OF BUILDING MATERIALS.

THE PECOS HOTEL UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT MRS. MAYME PAYNE OF ARDMORE, OKLAHOMA, HAS TAKEN CHARGE OF THIS HOTEL AND SOLICITS THE PATRONAGE OF OUR HOME PEOPLE AND THE TRAVELING PUBLIC. SPECIAL DINNER ON SUNDAY AT NOON

THE ENTERPRISE CLASSIFIED ADS GET RESULTS.

EFFICIENCY The word efficiency is yet in its infancy. Only within the last few years has it been used to any extent. It was first applied when it was discovered that a particular workman could do a job, not only better than the average man, but could do it in less time with a greater degree of accuracy. Skill, speed and accuracy are responsible for the coming of this word efficiency, and they are made possible through the employment of the latest types of machinery.

TWO WAYS OF DOING A THING THE NEW WAY THE OLD WAY When printing was done by hand it required six times as much time as by machinery. Type was laid in cases, became worn, the printing surface scratched; rules were bent, nicked and battered and in a few months the office could not possibly do first-class work. Neither could they afford to buy new. The Linotype has done away with this method. LATEST MODEL MACHINE MADE REASONS FOR QUALITY PRINTING THE two Linotype machines in THE ENTERPRISE office are capable of handling any work that falls to them in the shortest possible time—with no exceptions. The now Model 14 is one of the best equipped machines in the State—this is fact. Without the machines we would have to employ four times as much labor, our floor space increased and additional rent; we could not give you new material with every job; our methods of production much slower, but everyone knows the difference between machine and hand work—it is a short story: Either the hand work costs you much more or the job is done in a haphazard way to meet the low price of the machine work. THE ENTERPRISE has the only machines in the county and the best skilled workmen on the market.

THE ENTERPRISE

Pecos Valley News, established 1887; Pecos Weekly Times established 1897; Reeves County Record, established 1918; consolidated Nov. 23, 1919. The Enterprise absorbed Pecos Times June 1, 1917.

PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY

JOHN HIBDON

EDITOR, OWNER AND PUBLISHER

ADVERTISING RATES

Display, per inch, flat 50c
Readers, per line 10c
Classified wants, per word 10c
Minimum 25 cents paid in advance.

Copy must be in the office not later than Wednesday noon to insure publication in current issue.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

One Year, \$2; Six Months, \$1.25.

Positively in Advance

No subscription taken for less than six months.

Entered as second class matter October 22, 1915, at the postoffice at Pecos, Texas, under the Act of March 3, 1879.

Foreign Advertising Representative
THE AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION



When Henry Ford stepped up to the bank counter the other day and paid off a little bill of four and one-half millions—all he owed and some which was not then due—the knockers which were ready to consign him to the poor house were knocked off the Christmas tree.

Matches now cost more than at any time during the war. Fifteen cents for two boxes is now the price you will have to pay. The wholesale price is now \$8.25 per case of 144 boxes. Pickles are also at the highest peak in years. All grain and feed stuff took a slight rise in price this week. Flour is also a little higher, while compounds and bacon are still lower.

The following pert and to the point paragraph has the ring of good common sense and appeared in last week's Alpine Avalanche: "Some of the boys stop their advertising when business is bad. Why don't they stop their insurance when their health is bad?"

If more of our people would consider this matter more seriously there would be fewer business failures and our people in its entirety would profit thereby. Advertisements of the right sort is real news and makes a saving of real dollars to those who read them and act thereon. The live merchants are the ones who have the real bargains and the dead ones seldom if ever advertise, therefore the real live advertiser is the one who is patronized by the real live wide-awake purchaser.

The Vacation Bible School which will open its doors soon to the children and young people of Pecos is a splendid start in the right direction. As a starter it will not occupy much of the time but will be the best thing for our young people ever inaugurated in Pecos. No man or woman is ever really educated without a knowledge of the Bible and it is a question which this editor has not yet decided if it would not be best for the entire people to use the Bible as a reader and text book in lieu of the readers now in use. Could the denominational features be eliminated then its a cinch that no better text book could be found. But, back to the school. In the opinion of the writer not a youngster in Pecos should be allowed to escape. Send them along. Each denomination will be taken care of by a competent teacher from his own church and the study will not only inspire but expand your boy or girl while at the same time it will keep him out of mischief. Those who conceived the plan are to be congratulated.

DECENT JOURNALISM

On many occasions has The Enterprise been approached in an effort to get scandalous matter in its columns by people who did not have the nerve to sign the article themselves—in most cases where they had an axe to grind and wanted the other fellow to do the turning. It is hard at times for an editor to know just what to publish but it is always safe if there be much question to leave it out. The Enterprise has followed that method but has never been accused of leaving anything unsaid which was for the best interests of the country no matter whom it hit. This editor will continue to follow the same plan. But, here is an article along the line of decent journalism from the Wynona, Oklahoma, Record, which is worth reading and expresses the sentiments of The Enterprise in every particular:

The move for clean journalism all over the country is fast taking hold and favor with those publishers and newspaper men who are really clean themselves, and who have grown sick and disgusted with the publicity which has been given immorality, murder and rapine. From Maine to California and from Michigan to the Gulf, the wave of clean journalism is spreading. It shows that the day of yellow journalism is passing and that publicity of all matters touching upon the immoral or degrading will be given just as little publicity and space in the better class of dailies and weeklies as possible. The Record has always stood out for clean journalism as against the yellow, salacious stuff that has been and

is yet being flaunted before the eyes of our people, believing that such publicity is injurious to the children of our country, creating, as it were, false ideals and the wrong conception of the real value of virtue, of morality and the proper observance of the laws of state and nation.

Personally, during his twenty-five years or more of newspaper experience and work, the editor of the Record has endeavored at all times to keep the columns of the various papers he has owned, edited and operated—in Missouri, Kansas, Wyoming and Oklahoma—clean and free from obnoxious news matter or any matter that would have a tendency to lower instead of uplift, and for this course we have neither excuse to offer nor apology to make to any, nor do we experience any regret for such a course, even though at times it has lost us money and business. We expect to pursue in the future the same course as we have in the past—conducting a fearless, clean, reliable newspaper, buying neither business nor friendship, but meriting such from those who believe in the elevation, the betterment, the happiness of mankind, in that sense that makes for the good of all, in a world filled with golden opportunities to plant a flower and unroot a thorn—and yellow journalism is one of the thorns piercing the side of humanity.

ANENT ADVERTISING

One of the amusing things in this life is the fact that a business man—a man who should study and know his business thoroughly—should not advertise his wares, and in doing so should not use the judgment of a common school boy and consider what he is paying for when advertising. Recently one business man stated to an Enterprise representative that he did not advertise in the Enterprise because the rates were too high—he could get space in another county paper for 25 cents per inch. The other paper referred to has a circulation in and out of the county of less than 300 copies so the writer is informed by what he considers a reliable source. The Enterprise prints 2,350 copies each week which are sent to bona fide paid up subscribers—people who take the paper because it is worth the price and it gives the information they desire—and not a one for a charitable purpose. The Enterprise is not run on charity and solicits no business from anyone who does not believe he is getting value received. There are very few white families in Reeves county who do not read The Enterprise and a good many in the adjoining counties read it—probably more in the adjoining counties than is published by any other Reeves county paper. Coming right down to a real sensible business proposition. The Enterprise is willing to put up a wager that those who do advertise either place their advertising in order to collect a debt, from a charitable standpoint or for real advertising purposes—that is to get their goods and prices before the people. If you are advertising for the larger purpose it stands to reason that to get results you must reach the people and the more of the trading public reached by this advertising the more valuable it is to the advertiser. Taking this as a basis for argument does it not stand to reason that space should be paid for according to circulation? If so then space in a paper which is read by 300 families is not worth as much as one read by 2350 families. But on the other hand it is admitted that all these do not go to people within this trade territory but it does go to practically every white family in this trade territory—some 1200 copies finding their way into homes within this trade territory alone. Then, according to these figures it would be really cheaper after all to advertise in The Enterprise at \$1.00 per inch than in any other paper circulated in this territory at 25c per inch. Do you get it?

THE OIL EDITION

The following letter is a fair sample of the advance orders for the last week's issue of this paper. The Enterprise has many letters from subscribers bearing on the wide scope of publicity given to Pecos by its extensive circulation. The Enterprise has paid subscribers in every state in the Union and many parts of Canada. The advance orders for the oil edition reached approximately 11,000 copies and every mail brings additional requests for copies. Enterprise, Pecos, Texas.

Pursuant to my telegraph order for 100 copies of the Special edition, an enclosing herewith check for \$10.00 in payment.

Am more or less interested in the outcome of deep test in your locality, particularly the Troxel well—could it be arranged to have us advised by telegram should this well get real oil when it reaches the 1800 foot sand on record by the old Texas well?

Mail takes a week or more to reach us here and a telegram would be appreciated of anything of importance from the Troxel or Laura, at our expense.

The conservative tone of the contents of the Enterprise makes for faith in the developments for oil in your locality—consequently you are getting more word-of-mouth advertising that eventually will mean much towards the financing of future developments, than you realize in this part of the country. Keep up the good work. We are,

Yours very truly,
WEEKS WITECK SYSTEM,
By F. Weeks, Trustee.

S. A. LINDSEY TALKS ABOUT FARMING

Following is a letter from Judge S. A. Lindsey, one of the foremost bankers of Texas and one of the best authorities on farm problems in the United States. He has specialized particularly on the study of co-operative marketing, Judge Lindsey is President of the National Bank of Commerce, Houston Texas. Mr. Walton Petzet, Dallas, Texas.

Dear Sir:—
I delayed writing you about being with you at Taylor tomorrow in the hope of finding it possible to be absent from the bank. Even now I am not sure but what I can get away, and if so will catch the train tomorrow morning at eight o'clock and arrive at Taylor at 1:30; but if I do not come, I wish nevertheless to place in your hands, for such use as you may see fit to make of it, my unqualified endorsement of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Growers Co-operative Marketing Association plan.

I will specify briefly a few of my reasons for favoring the plan, for my endorsement of the plan without reasons that will appear satisfactory to others, would be of little value.

1st. The South is devoted to agriculture. The financial institutions of the South are engaged in financing largely the agricultural industry. The product of our farms when harvested, especially cotton, is in effect given in exchange for goods, wares and merchandise, already consumed or to be consumed on the farm, which are manufactured in the North and East.

Under the conditions formerly existing, the cotton raiser has never been prosperous for long, and the banks and the supply merchant have had to struggle to keep from losing, on account of fluctuating prices. In fact they have not kept from losing. All of us have known many of them to go broke because cotton would be one price when it was being planted and another when being marketed.

If we got along poorly under former conditions, what may we expect under present conditions?

Freight rates to and from Eastern markets are about sixty per cent above the pre-war period. The cost of manufacture is such that, added to the freight rates, we of the South will continue to have to pay more than one hundred per cent above pre-war prices for articles manufactured in the North and East. This condition is due to a factor not under the control of either the southern people of the manufacturing districts are just as anxious for the price of labor to stay up as we are for the price of cotton to go up or stay up. Under these conditions, we of the South will simply have to get more for our cotton or we will all go broke.

2nd. Under the plan you are putting over, I see no reason why we should not be able to do just what the copper producers have done. As you know, copper was up above thirty cents during the war. Of recent months there was little price for copper, and it went down to thirteen cents. Thereupon the producers pooled their copper and issued against it millions of dollars of eight per cent short time notes which were sold to the public, thereby raising money which enabled them to finance their copper and industries until there would be a market.

The cotton farmer was not in position to do this, and the market broke and continued to break—bringing great pressure upon and distress to all of us, whether farmer, banker or merchant.

3rd. With a Co-operative Marketing Association in operation, we will secure the cotton warehouse, and without such marketing association we will not secure them.

4th. Cotton is harvested once annually, whereas the cotton mills must continually go, the whole year around. Therefore the production of enough cotton in one season to run the mills twelve months in the year will always throw upon the market at harvest time a surplus of cotton, unless and until a plan of marketing that cotton is worked out to fit the condition of consumption.

5th. Never, until the cotton producer has an interest in the cotton that is unsold at planting time, will we be able to elicit his interest in limiting production. Whenever, at planting time, the farmer has cotton, or an interest in cotton unsold, the price of which is at below the cost of production, he will learn the business wisdom of planting other crops, and not adding to the surplus of unsold cotton.

6th. Just as the Federal Land Banks have been beneficial to the banks and credit merchants, and to all classes furnishing credit to farmers, so will the Co-operative Cotton Marketing be beneficial to all banks and other institutions furnishing credit to produce crops.

Yours very truly,
S. A. LINDSEY.

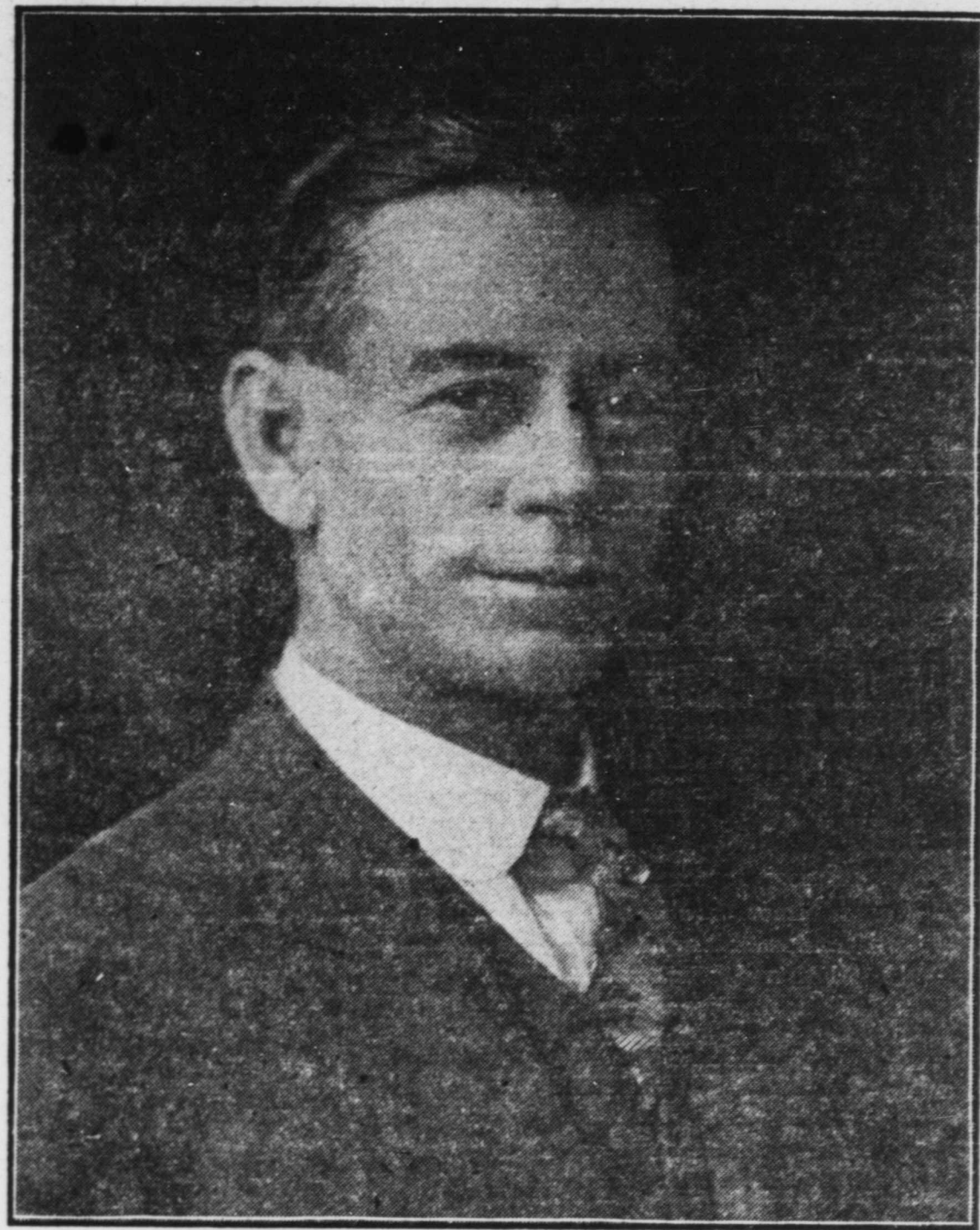
(Signed)
FOR RENT—4 Room House nicely furnished. Studebaker car for sale.—I. E. Smith, Pecos, Texas. 39-f.

Commercial leases near Arthur-Pitts Co. River Well, Ward county. W. W. Dean, owner, Pecos, Texas.

FOR SALE—Starr Piano in splendid condition. Call at W. Plum and 7th after 5 o'clock. 39-f.

ARTHUR E. HAYES

THE PECOS OIL AND REAL ESTATE MAN



I have as cheap leases as there is on the market and can fix you up acreage in any quantity from one acre to ten thousand acres. The cash will take any part of this acreage for less than anything in the field and it is all well located as to drilling wells. This offer applies only to legitimate dealers and sensible business—no foreflusher will be considered as regards this offer—yet I mean that you get acreage

WORTH THE MONEY

There will always be somebody in the office, 8 to 5 o'clock to wait on you.

I will state also that each and every Pecos Enterprise of last week's issue sent out by me was the entire paper.

It will pay you if interested to see me, as an old pioneer I am in position to give you as good information as you can get.

SPECIAL--FOR IMMEDIATE SALE

I have an option on 200 acres under irrigation system with paid up water rights. Would make deal and take half cash and balance in good trade or car and priced at \$16.00 per acre for immediate sale or would sell 100 acres, for cash only, at same price. This is a bargain and will not last long. For other information wire me at my office in The First National Bank Building.

Arthur E. Hayes

THE PECOS OIL AND REAL ESTATE MAN

Pecos, Texas

I was one of the original organizers of the Trans-Pecos Oil Company.

OFFICE PHONE 44.

ALL TITLES GUARANTEED
Office Located in First National Bank Building

CLASSIFIED

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Oil & Gas lease of 60 acres near Allen, Okla., 60 acres near Henrietta, Okla., and 40 acres near the Soda Lake well near Pecos, Texas. 570 acres in North Okla., if interested write.—C. A. Wantland, Chetopa, Kan. 36-4*

FOR SALE—Lots 5 and 6, block 40, West Park addition. Address Jesse James 804 West Houston Ave. Marshall, Texas. 36-4*

FOR SALE—Store Building at Hoban. Inquire at Enterprise Office. 32-tf.

IF you have Land for lease or Sale, list same with A. B. Clair, Orient Hotel, Pecos, Texas. 25-tf.

PIANO FOR SALE—6 1-3 octaves Good condition; height 4 ft; width 2 ft; length 4 ft 6 inches. Cheap for cash. Enquire at Enterprise Office.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Ons' room house, furnished, good location. Inquire Mrs. D. A. Dodds, Pecos Hotel Building. 36-tf.

FOR RENT—A 3 room cottage in West Park Edition. A good location. Please correspond with—Mrs. Jeff D. White, Portales, New Mex. Box 174. 34-tf.

WANTED

Oil Leases to pool on well between Pecos and Toyah, 20 cents per acre, or will take land. If you have land to pool address—Carr & Petsel at once, Toyah, Texas. We operate 2 rigs. 2t*

OIL LEASES

Arthur E. Hayes. Old timer in the Pecos Oil Field, and knows the field, and makes you a commercial lease or sell land top and bottom. Read his ad in section 2 page 11, this issue. 38-tf.

A. L. Oliver—Painter & Paperhanger. Paint any color, \$3.50 per gallon. Wall paper at lowest prices—Phone 381. 35-tf.

FOR Irrigated farm, ranch, or leases and live stock. Write or wire—H. F. Anthony, Pecos, Texas, Licensed Broker. 38-4t.

Buy your Cedar Posts direct from producers and save money. We pay freight anywhere. Write Box 75, San Saba, Texas. 39-4*

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 60¢.

RECITAL

The piano, violin and voice pupils of Mrs. Lillian Butler assisted by the pupils of Mrs. C. B. Jordan gave a recital last evening at the Baptist church. It would be a matter of actual count to enumerate the number of our good people in the audience but it is sufficient to say the entire lower floor as well as the balconies were filled almost to capacity.

The entire audience listened with a receptive mind and the appreciative atmosphere was demonstrated with generous approval and applause. Very little timidity was noticeable in the young performers which was an unusual exception to girls and boys of tender age, under similar circumstances.

The recital as a whole was a gratifying success and the tireless labors of these teachers with their classes are being deservedly rewarded with flattering and commendable results.

Music must be felt as well as heard and the faculty of giving a heart and a soul to an interpretation will grow with the child who does not consider the practice hour as a disagreeable task, but is ambitious to acquire an accomplishment which is always an entre into good society, as well as a pleasure to one's self and intimate friends.

The world has no place among refined and educated people for the soulless being who considers music an expensive noise, a useless chaos and an unnecessary extravagance.

The recital opened with a chorus by Oliver Metra, "Summer Fancies." The young ladies were in good voice and showed excellent training. The piano numbers which followed were rendered with credible execution and showed results of careful practice and application. Special mention should be made of the duet, "Flower Fairies Waltz" played by Masters Lionel Gilpin and Sidney Cowan. These boys really played well and deserved the tremendous applause they received from the audience. They responded to the encore and sat down to repeat their number. They played a few bars, the secundo and primo being in different keys, when the secundo must have said to his partner: "Ah! What's the use? Let's beat it." And he did, to the great delight of the little girls in the audience. Among the noticeable well played numbers was "L' Argentine" a Mazurka by Eugene Ketterer, rendered by Jennie Drummond. Her technique, touch and expression were free from anything mechanically or musically disappointing. Her number exhibited diligent application and study; her chromatrics and runs were smooth and well executed.

The violin quartette "Barcarolle," from the celebrated opera "Tales d' Hoffman" was fairly well played by four beginners, Willie Adams, Bettie Harrison, James Hudgins and Bunk Morehead. All of the piano duets, trios and one piano quartet were given in a manner reflecting credit on both teachers and pupils. The violin solo by Judson Todd, accompanied on the piano by his sister, Zorene evidenced marked improvement in his playing during the last year. The voice class sang the Mexican composition, "The Colondrina" (The Swallow), without the pianos as a finale. The audience was pleased and the general comment on the program complimented the classes on the creditable renditions, and the teachers on the success of the recital.

METHODIST VICTORIOUS IN BALL GAME THURSDAY

Members of the Methodist and Baptist church met on the baseball diamond before a big crowd on Thursday afternoon for the benefit of the electric lighted athletic court which the former church is planning to construct on the lots back of the church. The sum of \$42.54 cents was cleared as a result of the game.

The Methodists were victorious by the score of 19 to 6, but the members of the Christian church are on their toes in disputing any claim the Methodists may make as to the city championship and have challenged the Methodists to a game next Thursday afternoon. The challenge has been accepted.

A feature of the game was the fact that no players on either the high school or townteams were allowed to participate and all players were more than 25 years of age. Many former stars on the diamond again donned the baseball togs for the occasion, and the feature of the game was Mr. Taggert's nearly "home run." He lammed out a mighty clout but was caught three feet off home.

The merchants kindly consented to close the stores at five o'clock that afternoon so that all could see the game, for which the men of the Methodist church are extremely grateful.

The line up was as follows:

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| Methodists | Baptists |
| Tom McClure | Earl Collins |
| O. J. Green | Fred Johnson |
| R. E. L. Kite | 1. b. J. M. Garner and Otto Johnson, Roger Wolf. |
| Albert Sisk | 2. b. A. C. Bain |
| Miles Beck | 3. b. Roger Wolf Otto Johnson |
| John Wadley | s. s. H. H. Johnson |
| Ben Palmer, Jr. | R. F. G. C. Parker |
| Russell | Dr. W. P. Meredith |
| W. W. Strike | F. C. J. M. Garner |
| F. J. Rutledge | Frank Cavett |
| Frank Cavett | K. F. Taggert |
| "Pat" Moran, umpire. | |

THE CHURCHES

LEAGUE ANNIVERSARY DAY

MAY 15, 1921, 8:30 P. M.
Pageant—The Spirit of the Epworth League.
1. Processional—Onward Epworth Leaguers.
2. Scripture lesson, Luke 10:25-37, by the president.
3. Prayer by pastor.
4. Collection.
5. Address, Raymond Norwood.
6. Pageant, characters.
7. The Spirit of Epworth League; The Spirit's Attendants, Worship, Community Conscience, Fellowship and World Vision.
8. Hymn in pantomime.
9. Benediction.

METHODIST CHURCH

May 15, 1921.
The regular Sunday school Sunday morning at 9:45. It is important that we meet promptly on time, in order to close on time and attend the service at the Baptist church where the Commencement sermon will be delivered. There will be no service at the Methodist church Sunday morning. Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock the Epworth League will give a pageant at the church.

The great revival begins May 22. The big feature of that day will be dinner on the ground at the close of the services. Plenty of fried chicken etc. Get your basket full and come out and spend that day in fellowship over the feed board.

The evangelist writes that he has a most excellent singer. Let us work and pray for a great meeting. Vacation Bible school June 5th to 19th at the Baptist church. Provisions have been made for children and young people of all ages.

FRED B. FAUST, Pastor.

CITY SCHOOLS CLOSE NEXT WEEK

The Pecos Public Schools will close a very successful year's work next week. The fore-part of the week will be spent in final examinations. On Wednesday night at the Rialto Theatre the High School class will give their annual play. Thursday night at the Methodist church the seventh grade will have their closing exercises and Friday night at the Baptist church the final closing of the High School class will be held when diplomas and other honors will be awarded.

1-Cent Sale—Pecos Drug Co. May 19-20 and 21.

5-Year Commercial leases, section 115, near River Well of Arthur-Pitts Co.—W. W. Dean, Pecos, Tex. 39-1t

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza
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SOCIAL EVENTS

ARNOLD-WADLEY

Thomas A. Arnold and Miss Carrie Wadley were married Tuesday evening at nine o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wadley. Rev. Fred B. Faust, the bride's pastor, officiated. It was a quiet home wedding, only the members of the bride's family and a few intimate friends were present. Miss Carrie was born and reared in Pecos where she is very popular. She was educated in the Pecos schools, being a member of the graduating class of the Pecos High School of 1919. She was becomingly gowned in white satin, with shadow lace tunic with applique hand made roses. Mr. Arnold is an entomologist, coming to this part of the country a few years ago when the government sent out the commission of men to exterminate the pink boll worm. After the ceremony a reception was held and a delicious dinner in courses was served. The wedding cake, which was beautifully embossed in the Masonic symbols of the square and compass was cut later in the evening and much enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold left on the afternoon train Wednesday for a few days visit in El Paso after which they will return and make Pecos their home.

BUNK PARTY

Little Miss Jewel Hollebeke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hollebeke, entertained eight of her little friends with a bunk party Friday night complimentary to Georgie Johnson who leaves on the 20th inst. with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Johnson for an extended visit in East Texas. The little folk arrived at seven o'clock and were chaperoned to the picture show by Miss Frankie Wilson. Upon their return home ice cold lemonade and home made cake were served. They played games, and had piano music by Janice McKellar, Helen Ezell and Lucile Slack. Those to enjoy this delightful hospitality were: Lucile Slack, Mildred Rhulin, Helen Ezell, Janice McKellar, Georgie Johnson, Ella Louise Jones, Gady's Lawson, Virginia Kesler.

The next morning at nine o'clock a delicious breakfast was served and each guest was presented with a spray of sweet peas. At ten of the clock they came in and bid their charming little hostess, Jewel, goodbye and thanked her for the most delightful time that they had had at their first bunk party.

1-Cent will buy 1 tube of Rexall Tooth Paste at Pecos Drug Co. May 19-20 and 21.

WATCH LOST—Gold Elgin watch lost Tuesday. Somewhere in Pecos. Finder return to Frank Joplin and receive reward. 1t*

1-Cent Sale.

PROCLAMATION

To All To Whom These Presents Shall Come: WHEREAS, there was, on the 9th day of May, A. D. 1921, presented to the Commissioners' Court of Reeves County, Texas, a petition signed by more than two hundred (200) qualified property paying voters of Reeves County, Texas, petitioning said Court to order an election to be held to determine whether the Commissioners' Court of said County shall be authorized to annually levy and collect a special ad valorem tax on all taxable property in said Reeves County of and at the rate of not to exceed fifteen cents (\$0.15) on the one hundred dollars (\$100.00) valuation of said property, such tax to be used for the support and maintenance of the public roads and bridges in said Reeves County;

NOW, THEREFORE, KNOW YE: THAT I, JAS. F. ROSS, County Judge of Reeves County, Texas, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas, hereby order that a Special Election be held in said County of Reeves and State of Texas, on the second Saturday in June, A. D. 1921, same being the 11th day of June, A. D. 1921, for the following purposes:

To determine whether the Commissioners' Court of said Reeves County shall be authorized to annually levy and collect a special ad valorem tax on all the taxable property in said Reeves County of and at the rate of not to exceed fifteen cents (\$0.15) on the one hundred dollars (\$100.00) valuation of said taxable property, such tax to be used for the support and maintenance of the public roads and bridges in said Reeves County; such tax if voted, to be levied and collected for the year D. 1921, and annually thereafter unless and until it be discontinued as provided by law.

The polling places for such election shall be the same as are provided by the Commissioners' Court for a General Election, and all persons may vote in such election who are qualified resident property-tax-paying voters of said Reeves County.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand in my official capacity and caused the seal of the Commissioners' Court of said Reeves County to be hereon impressed, at the City of Pecos, Texas, on this 12th day of May, A. D. 1921.

JAS. F. ROSS,
County Judge, Reeves County, Texas.
39-1t.

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1-Cent Sale May 19-20 and 21 1921.

WELL DRILLING—I will bring back any flowing well in Pecos which has either stopped flowing or has failed to flow the usual amount. The prices will be reasonable and the work done under an absolute guarantee to do as I say or no money.—J. R. Simmons, Pecos, Texas. 40-tf.

5-Year Commercial leases, section 115, near River Well of Arthur-Pitts Co.—W. W. Dean, Pecos, Tex. 39-1t

Commercial leases near Arthur-Pitts Co. River Well, Ward county, W. W. Dean, owner, Pecos, Texas. 39-1t

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NEW OIL AREA DISCOVERED NEAR TOYAH

Toyah had a new cause for rejoicing. A new oil area, close to the city has been discovered through the finding of a rich oil bearing strata underlying section 44, block 56, township 7, Reeves county, about nine miles southwest of town.

The discovery was made in the well being drilled under the direction of John A. Lee, for the Toyah Shallow Oil company, of San Francisco, and it opens up a hitherto untried section of the Toyah Basin and extends the Toyah shallow oil field by hundreds of square miles.

The oil is found in the new well in a lime formation which it is believed will yield well when treated to a shot of nitro glycerin which will loosen up the stratum and give the oil a chance to flow toward the hole made by the drill.

The depth of the oil bearing stratum has not yet been determined but Mr. Lee will proceed very carefully to explore it with a view toward not only learning its thickness but to find if it will stand shooting.

The slush when carefully washed and submitted to the chloroform and other tests reacts quickly and richly, proving conclusively that the oil is there.

While this is the first time oil has been found in that portion of the Toyah Basin lying south of the Texas & Pacific tracks, it has long been believed by all geologists who have examined or expeted the lands in that section of Reeves county, that oil would be found there.

The structure was said to be perfect and it was the invariable opinion of the geologists that surface indications were good. It was left for Mr. Lee, however, to put his theories to practical test. He has succeeded and a new field for profitable investment has been revealed to the people of Toyah as well as to the general public.—Toyah Basin News.

TEXAS FOREST SHOULD BE PROTECTED

The spring fire season in Texas this year has proven one of the most disastrous which has ever occurred. Last fall, throughout the long leaf pine belt, the trees were covered with cones, and long before Christmas the seeds had fallen and begun to sprout. Everywhere, it seemed, where seed trees remained, the young trees were as thick as newly sprouting oats in a sown field.

Beginning about the first of the year, fires began to appear; at first there were but a few and they burned but a small area; later they became more numerous and spread with great rapidity. Owing to lack of funds the State Department of Forestry was entirely unable to cope with the situation and little or nothing could be done to stop the onward march of the flames.

As a result, nearly half a million acres of cutover land which were coming back in longleaf production are now laid bare, and (as longleaf bears seed only every three to five years) will lie idle until another seed year some three to five years. It has been estimated that these fires this spring have caused a damage amounting to approximately \$160,000.00 and this does not include the enforced idleness of the burned area for several years.

The Legislature should make funds available to adequately protect the non-agricultural cut-over land from fire so that a new timber crop may be started. An expenditure of less than 1 cent per acre per annum, together with the financial assistance which can be secured from the Federal Government will afford ample fire protection. If this is not done the seed trees of hundreds of thousands of acres will be blown down or removed within the next few years and then it will be necessary to reforest the land artificially by scattering pine seeds or planting the trees, at a cost of \$3.00 to \$8.00 per acre.

FORESTRY LEGISLATION
Farm and Ranch in its issue of April 30, concludes the leading editorial thus: "The conservation of our timber resources should be made of grave public concern. Not only should the nation increase its forest reservations but every State in the Union should also acquire forest lands and begin the work of reforestation. The immediate necessity, however, is stringent legislation governing the operation of lumber companies and requiring them to cut their marketable timber without destroying the smaller trees and to otherwise protect the second growth." The regular session of the legislature recently adjourned, had before it a bill carefully prepared by the leading thinkers of Texas on the subject of forestry. The lumber interests maintained a stiff lobby against the measure and enlisted the nurserymen in the opposition. The nurserymen based their opposition largely on their objection to the state raising trees for planting to be distributed to the citizenship at actual cost of production or at a nominal price. The lumbermen based their objections particularly on the proposition of a severance tax of 12 1-2 cent per thousand feet, the proceeds to be used in the purchase of suitable lands on which the State might grow new forests for succeeding generations. The lumbermen admitted that new forests are necessary, but contended that the funds for producing them should come from the general revenues. The bill did not pass, at any rate and the governor, as yet, has given no intimation that he will submit the proposition to the special session to convene in June. In the meantime, the remnant of the forest trees of Texas suitable for lumber is being rapidly cut into lumber. With quick action, a severance tax of 25 cent or 50 cents per thousand feet would produce a fund sufficient to buy considerable acreage for future forests; but if the matter is deferred for many years, some other means for raising the funds will have to be devised and opposition will naturally be encountered from other industries if they are ever called upon to provide funds for the salvaging and maintenance of the lumber industry.

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UNCLE SAM SAYS LOWLY ONION IS EDIBLE LILY

Uncle Sam wants us all to eat more onions. He says the onion has been falsely painted—that in reality it is only an edible lily. Says we shouldn't pay any attention to etiquette in attempting to eliminate odors from the breath—but instead follow our appetites and eat the onion we all like and is good for us. At least the U. S. Bureau of Markets says it contains more vitamins than any other vegetable, vitamins are essential, say food experts. Pictured here are two tots of the southwest and just a part of the new 7,000 car crop which is now coming on.

H. & G. N. RY. LANDS FOR SALE IN REEVES COUNTY
Surveys Nos. 45, 47, 55, E. half of 61, and 63, in Block 4; and Nos. 43; 45; 47 and W. half of Block 5.
The surveys in these blocks are situated from 5 to 8 miles from Pecos City, in the artesian belt of the Pecos River country and will be sold only in whole sections.
Also, surveys No. 49 in block 6 and Nos. 9, 13 and 15 in block 7.
Also, surveys Nos. 1, 3, and 5, fronting on the Pecos River, in Reeves county, and Nos. 19 (a river survey) Pecos county.
Also 12 surveys in block 11 and 3 surveys in block 12. None of these are river lands. All are in Pecos county.
All these lands are under lease for oil, gas and mineral purposes and any sale of same will be made subject to such lease.
J. C. LOVE of Pecos is agent for the sale of all these lands situated in Reeves County and application should be made to him for the purchase of same.
There is no local agent for the sale of the lands in Pecos County, and parties desiring to purchase any of same should apply to the undersigned.
EUGENE CARTLEDGE, Agent and Attorney in Fact, AUSTIN, TEXAS

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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 4
A Joint Resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas amending Sections of the Constitution of the State of Texas as follows: Section 5 and 21 and 22 and 23 of Article 4, relating to the compensation of executive officers; and Section 24, Article 3, relating to mileage and per diem of Members of the Legislature; of said State.
Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
Section 1. Sections 5 and 21 and 22 and 23 of Article 4, and Section 24 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas shall be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:
Section 5. He shall at stated times, receive as compensation for his services an annual salary not to exceed Eight Thousand (\$8,000.00) Dollars, and no more, and shall have the use and occupation of the Governor's Mansion, fixtures and furniture.
Section 21. There shall be a Secretary of State, who shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and who shall continue in office during the term of service of the Governor. He shall authenticate the publication of the laws and keep a register of all official acts and proceedings of the Governor, and shall, when required, lay the same, and all papers, minutes and vouchers relative thereto, before the Legislature or either branch thereof, and shall perform such other duties as may be required by law. He shall receive for his services an annual salary of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, and no more.
Section 22. The Attorney General shall hold his office for two years and until his successor is duly qualified. He shall represent the State in all suits and pleas in the Supreme Court of the State and in the State Courts, and shall, in addition, especially inquire into the charter rights of all private corporations, and, from time to time, in the name of the State, take such action in the courts as may be proper and necessary to prevent any private corporation from exercising any power, or demanding or collecting any species of taxes, toll, freight, or wharfrage, not authorized by law. He shall, whenever sufficient cause exists, seek a judicial forfeiture of all such charters, unless otherwise expressly directed by law, and give legal advice in writing to the Governor or other executive officers, when requested by them to perform such other duties as may be required by law. He shall receive for his services an annual salary not to exceed Seven Thousand Five Hundred (\$7,500.00) Dollars, and no more.
Section 23. The Comptroller of Public Accounts, the Treasurer, and the Commissioner of the General Land Office, shall each hold office for the term of two years, and until his successor is qualified; receive an annual salary not to exceed Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, and no more; reside at the Capital of the State during his continuance in office; and perform such other duties as are or may be required by law for any officer specified in this Section, or in his office, shall be paid, when received, into the State Treasury.
Section 24. Mileage and per diem: The Members of the Legislature shall receive from the public treasury such compensation for their services as may, from time to time, be provided by law, not exceeding Ten (\$10.00) Dollars per day for each regular session of one hundred and twenty days; and not exceeding Five (\$5.00) Dollars per day for the remainder of such session; and provided, further, that Members of the Legislature shall receive not to exceed Ten (\$10.00) Dollars per day for each special session of the Legislature that may be called from time to time by the Governor. In addition to the compensation above provided for the Members of each branch shall be entitled to mileage in going to and returning from their seat of government which mileage shall be ten cents per mile, the distance to be computed by the nearest and most direct travel by land regarding railroads and water routes, and the Comptroller of the State shall prepare and preserve a table of distances to each county seat, now or hereafter to be established, and by such table the mileage of each Member shall be paid; but no member shall be entitled to mileage for any extra session that may be called within one day after the adjournment of a regular or called session.
Section 25. The Governor shall be authorized to cause to be issued his necessary proclamation for an election to be held on the fourth Saturday in July, 1921, at which election these amendments shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for adoption or rejection and shall make the publication required by the Constitution and laws of the State. Said election shall be held under and in accordance with the general election laws of the State, and the ballots and election returns shall have printed or written hereon in plain letters the following words:
"OFFICIAL BALLOT" For the amendment to Sections 5 and 21 and 22 and 23 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas providing for compensation of executive officers." "Against the amendment to Sections 5 and 21 and 22 and 23 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for compensation of executive officers."
Those voters who favor such amendment shall vote by marking a line through the words "for" in the amendment to Sections 5 and 21 and 22 and 23 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for compensation of executive officers. And the result of the election shall be published and declared according to the majority of the votes cast in such election; and
Those voters who favor such amendment relating to mileage and per diem of members of the Legislature shall vote by marking through the words "for" in the amendment to Section 24 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for mileage and per diem of members of the Legislature. And the result of the election shall be published and declared according to the majority of the votes cast in such election.
Section 3. If a majority of the voters of the State herein provided for should be in favor of the amendments proposed, the maximum sum compensation therefor to be received by the officials named therein on and after the first day of January, 1923, and so remain until otherwise provided by law, and the compensation so allowed shall not otherwise be appropriated.
Section 4. The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of paying the necessary expenses of the proclamation and publication of these amendments and the election to be held hereunder.
S. L. STAPLES, Secretary of State.
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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 38
Relating to the amending of Article 17, Section 2 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners, providing for the supervision and management of the Prison System under such laws as may be provided for by the Legislature.
Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
Section 1. That Article 17, Section 2 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows: "The Legislature shall have authority to provide by law for the management and control of the Prison System of Texas; and this end shall have effect as if the Legislature had authorized the supervision and management of the Prison System under the supervision and control of such officer or officers as the Legislature may provide by law."
Section 2. The above amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this State at a general election to be held on the fourth Saturday in July, 1921, at which election voters favoring and opposing said amendment shall be permitted to vote thereon by marking through the words "Against the amendment of Article 17, Section 2 of the Constitution, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners, providing for the supervision and management of the Prison System under such laws as may be provided for by the Legislature." And all the qualified voters shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment of Article 17, Section 2 of the Constitution, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners, providing for the supervision and management of the Prison System under such laws as may be provided for by the Legislature."
Section 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as may be necessary or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of the funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such proclamation and election.
S. L. STAPLES, Secretary of State.
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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1
Proposing an amendment to Section 2, Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that only native born or naturalized citizens of the United States shall be qualified to hold office in this State, and permitting either the husband or the wife to pay the poll tax of the new Legislature to authorize its payment.
Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
Section 1. That Section 2 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended as hereafter to read as follows:
Section 2. Every person subject to none of the foregoing disqualifications, who shall have attained the age of twenty-one years and who shall be a citizen of the United States one year next preceding the election, and the last six months within the district or county in which such person offers to be elected, shall be deemed a qualified person unless he shall have paid said tax before offering to be elected, and he shall be deemed a qualified person if he or she, as the case may be, shall have paid said tax before offering to be elected, and he or she, as the case may be, shall have paid said tax before offering to be elected, and he or she, as the case may be, shall have paid said tax before offering to be elected.
Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at a general election to be held on the fourth Saturday in July, 1921, at which all voters favoring and opposing said amendment shall be permitted to vote thereon by marking through the words "For the amendment of Section 2 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that only native born or naturalized citizens of the United States shall be qualified to hold office in this State, and permitting either the husband or the wife to pay the poll tax of the new Legislature to authorize its payment." 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MARKET REPORTS BY WIRELESS TO FARMERS



Market reports by wireless for all the farmers in the United States are now being furnished. This shows the formal inauguration of the service from the Post Office Department Building in Washington. Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace, of Iowa, is handing Postmaster General Will Hays the first bureau of market reports which are to be a daily feature to the 6,000 stations throughout the nation in the future. Back of Mr. Hays is Charles F. Marvin, chief of the weather bureau.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Prepared For The Enterprise By
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According to the compilation of new capital issues made by the "Journal of Commerce," New York, the total for the past month shows a considerable falling off from that of a year ago. The new capital issues for the month of April by American Railroad and Industrial Corporations totalled \$390,668,000. This compares with \$471,725,600 in the corresponding period a year ago when corporate borrowing was exceptionally heavy. The past month's total included the \$230,000,000 Great Northern Pacific 15 year 6 1-2 per cent convertible bond issue. If it were not for this large issue the aggregate amount of new securities would have made a poorer showing than any for several months past. It is quite apparent that the plans of various corporations are being held in abeyance waiting for a more thorough absorption of certain recent issues and also easier money conditions.

The Great Northern Pacific issue cannot be considered as primarily new financing as these bonds were put out to meet the \$215,000,000 Great Northern Pacific joint 4's that will mature on July 1st of this year. This new issue was primarily a re-funding issue. The holders of the old bonds had the privilege of converting at par, thus it is impossible to tell how much new money was involved in the financing at the present time. It is reasonable to assume, however, that a large percentage of last month's financing was used to pay off maturing obligations. Since January 1st, new financing has involved a sum of \$1,085,000 a decrease of \$202,940,000 compared with the corresponding period of a year ago. For April of this year railroad bond issues constituted the major portion of the new financing. A year ago industrial corporations were the largest bidders for new capital.

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TRACES OF CLIFF DWELLERS ARE FOUND IN CANADIAN VALLEY

Amarillo, Texas, April 22.—Members of the Archeological Survey who have been working in the upper Canadian Valley, and who arrived here Thursday, report that they have collected sufficient evidence to prove that the famous Pueblo cliff dwellers' culture did not originate in Mexico. They have found adobe and stone in the Moro Valley near Watrous, New Mexico. On the surface of the rooms was discovered fragments of decorated pottery of the black and white ware.

These ruins are about seventy miles from the large pueblo of Pecos situated on a river of that name. They began by building small one-room houses and as they proceeded westward the architecture improved.

The expedition which made the discovery is in charge of W. K. Moorehead of Andover, Mass.

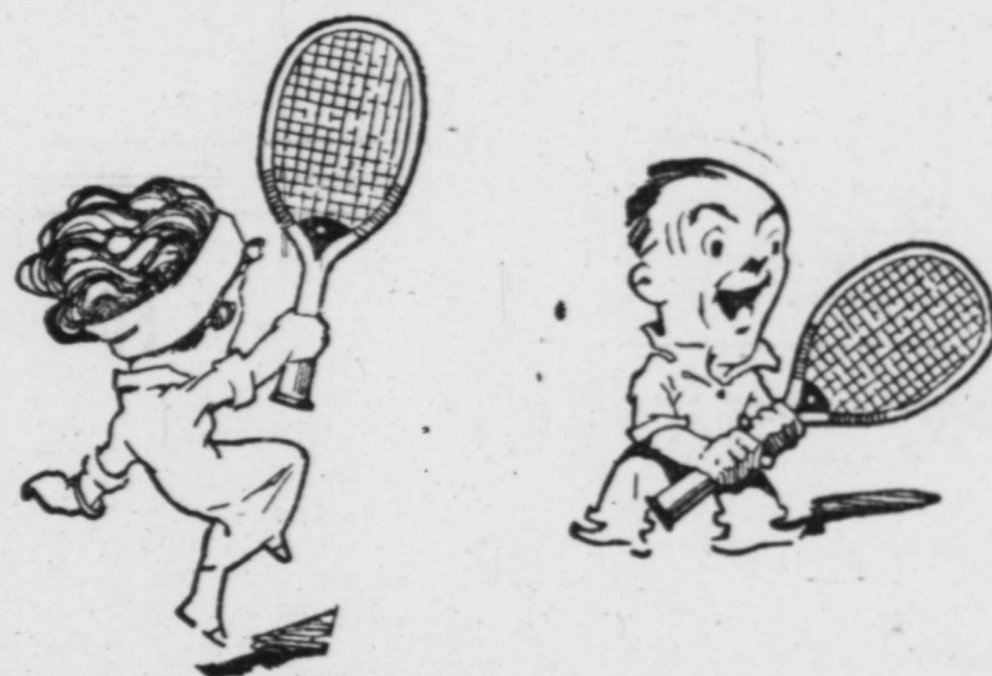
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R. C. WARN, PECOS, TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. David Tudor are in Dublin visiting the home folk of Mrs. Tudor.

Sid Kyle has been in from his ranch most part of this week, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Finley will be located at the McKellar residence after this week.

Mrs. Earl Bell of Chicago is here to join her husband and will stay for an indefinite time.

John Camp returned Wednesday from a trip down east where he had been in the interest of business matters.

The American Legion have invested in a Pathe Phonograph. The purchase was made from the City Pharmacy.

Grace Duncan, daughter of Mrs. Lou Duncan is home from San Antonio where she has been attending school for the past year.

Captain J. T. Tucker returned this week from a trip to East Texas and Oklahoma where he has been visiting his children.

Mrs. Guy Ratelliff gave a Bridge party at the former residence of W. W. Hubbard in Barstow, and Mrs. Harvy Woods will entertain today. The Enterprise will give more extensive items of these two social events in the next issue.

Major Thos. H. Bomar, who has been confined to his home for several weeks with hemorrhages, was down town this morning, weak and emaciated and practically without a voice but as bright and cheerful as ever. The Major is a staunch friend of The Enterprise, a splendid gentleman of the old southern type and every inch a man.

James S. Pierce of Dunkirk, N. Y., and Frank Cave of Rome, N. Y., are here looking over the Pecos oil field. Frank Lesh of Wichita Falls, came in this morning. The two former gentlemen are connected with the Shackelford-Ranger Oil Company in an official way and Mr. Lesh is field manager of the company. They own interest in the Fort Stockton field and will make a thorough investigation of the Pecos oil field before they leave and, according to Mr. Pierce, that will be several days. These all appear to be gentlemen of a high type and if things look favorable to them after a thorough investigation, will get holdings in the Pecos field.

1-Cent Sale.

PERSONAL

Joe Camp is here from Fort Stockton visiting his mother.

Miss Grace Duncan arrived home Sunday from San Antonio where she has been in school the past year.

Miss Hazel Berry, who teaches in the Bailey school at El Paso was a week-end visitor to her cousin, Mrs. M. W. Collie.

Bob Ligon and his sisters, Misses Cornelia and Lucy Ligon and little nephew, Killough Ligon are spending this week at the ranch.

Charles Monahans, Bud Turner and Earl Easterbrook left Sunday via automobile for Weatherford where they are attending this week the State Firemen's Convention.

Mrs. J. L. Brown left last week for her home in Oklahoma after a visit of several months to her mother, Mrs. M. E. Ray who has been very ill all winter and spring but is improving.

F. J. Billingslea of Toyah was a visitor in Pecos Sunday.

Mrs. Add Owen and baby son returned Monday from Carlsbad, N. M. where they had been for a two weeks visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ferrell.

Mrs. J. G. Love and daughter, Margaret, went up to El Paso Saturday for a short visit to Mr. Love who is in a sanatorium and who is getting along very nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Prickett and Mr. Prickett's mother of Natchez, Mississippi, who has been the guest at their home in El Paso for the past few weeks came down Tuesday for a visit to Mrs. Prickett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Kerr.

Cards were received yesterday from Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Wright announcing the birth of a son, Joseph Robert, on May 5th, 1921. The youngster weighed seven pounds, has dark hair and blue eyes and promises to be the peer of his father. Mr. and Mrs. Wright worked on The Enterprise last year and have many Pecos friends who, with The Enterprise, will extend congratulations.



A Drop of Ink
Makes Millions Think

AN AMERICAN MAGAZINE reporter once asked John Wrigley, the fifty million gum magnate, what he attributed his huge business success to, and the man replied that it was 90 per cent advertising.

Mr. Wrigley is used as a study among journalism classes as the man who accumulated three fortunes and each time spent them for advertising, after which he started in over again.

It is a well known fact that he spent one million dollars advertising his gum products on Broadway, New York, alone.

THE FUNDAMENTAL FACT —



however, is that after the gum king had spent three fortunes on advertising he did not stop. He let drop a secret that may well be applied to any business, however big, or however small:—

"That advertising is a good deal like feeding a furnace—you have to keep shoveling in the coal in order to keep the fire alive."

A little "ad" dropped here and there in your local paper is really of little value. It is the persistent, weekly and daily call that makes the people sit up and take notice.

WHAT THE ENTERPRISE CAN DO

It can place advertising, based on the inch rate, in 2,300 homes, virtually circulated among 11,500 people for 50 cents. To attempt to reach the same number of people by post card, the only other means of communication, would cost \$115.00.

It can readily be seen that there is no argument from an economic standpoint as the cheapest and most effective way of reaching the public.

THE PECOS ENTERPRISE

Spring and Summer Clothes For Men

Suits From \$17.50 to \$35.00

Quality Value Tailoring

Meets The Rigid Demands of Formal and Informal Dress
Men Who Desire Correctness and Refinement in Their
Clothes, Will Find the Tailoring In Our
Clothes Of More Than Usual
Interest

All Wool Suits at from \$29.75 to \$35.00
Well Tailored and Correctly Made

COOL CLOTHS AND PALM BEACHES
At \$15.00 to \$17.50

SEE OUR SUITS

There Is Personal Satisfaction Awaiting You

PECOS MERCANTILE CO.

1-Cent Sale—Pecos Drug Co. May 19-20 and 21.

Buy a \$1.25 box Liggett Candy for 1-cent at—Pecos Drug Co. May 19-20 and 21.

1-Cent buys one pound of writing paper at Pecos Drug Co. May 19-20 and 21.

ARKANSAS OIL LEASES 40,000 Acres.

NEW Five year leases—North and East Arkansas in lots of 500 acres and up, 50 cent per acre.

You will have to hurry to get in on these cheap prices. Leases are advancing rapidly in this state.

The timid ones will get left.
Four liberal drilling blocks, all on good structure.

A few choice small tracts, 20 acres up at \$1.00-acre.

In Lee, St. Francis, Phillipps, Independence, Stone, Izard, Sharp, Jackson, Johnson and Pope.

Can save you money on leases in Union, Drew, Columbia, Hempstead, Clark and other counties.

Write or wire your orders.
Latest map of Arkansas, showing Geological formation, drilling wells and locations up to date, 50 cent each.

Geological report of Crowleys Ridge and Northeast Arkansas, 10 cent each.

Choice leases for sale in Texas and New Mexico and Pecos Valley, \$1.00 per acre up. Write for list.

Leases wanted everywhere we buy or trade.

We are on the grounds, know true conditions and do not misrepresent. Information free.—Southwestern Leasing Company, 216 Riegler Bldg, Little Rock, Ark 39-4f

1-Cent Sale May 19-20 and 21 1921.

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PECOS ABSTRACT CO. WARN BUILDING.

An Abstract of Title is of no value, unless you can RELY upon it.

Our Abstract Can
Be Relied On

PECOS CITY, TEXAS
Opposite First National Bank

1921

Will your funds be protected during 1921? They will if deposited in this bank — a State Guaranty Fund bank. The non-interest bearing and unsecured deposits of this bank are protected by the State of Texas State Bank Guarantee Fund.

THE PECOS VALLEY STATE BANK

GUARANTY FUND BANK

Member Federal Reserve Bank

FINE RANCH FOR SALE

One of the best mountain ranches in West Texas, containing about twelve thousand acres of owned land, and about five thousand acres of leased land. Twenty-three miles of fencing, and about four miles of pipe line, running the soft free stone water from springs to the ranch house, and watering places for cattle in the flats, only about seven miles from the railroad. Situated in the south part of Reeves and north part of Jeff Davis counties. For price and terms address me care of The Enterprise office, Pecos, Texas.

One 40 acre irrigated farm, situated in Toyah Valley, only about one and on-half miles from Balmorhea High School, on main canal, and on main highway, of the Old Spanish Trail. Price for immediate sale \$115 per acre. \$1,500 cash and balance on easy terms. 10 acres in alfalfa and balance in row crops.

Not Any of These Lands Have Been Leased For Oil and Mineral Rights.

JAS. H. WALKER

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Pecos, Texas

The Enterprise Ads Work Wonders.