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V. L. SULLIVAN AND MAJ. BURGESS DISCUSS RED BLUFF DAM PROJECT AT LARGE OPTIMISTIC GATHERING

Probably one of the most important meetings to be held in Pecos in some months was that of the Pecos Valley Water Users' Association and those interested in the Red Bluff reservoir on Tuesday of this week in the Rialto Theatre.

The occasion of the meeting was to hear the report of Engineer Vernon L. Sullivan and a talk by Major Richard F. Burgess.

The meeting was presided over by W. H. Browning, Jr., president of the association, with Mr. Boogher of Grandfalls as secretary. After stating the object of the meeting Mr. Browning called for the reading of communications relative to the proposed reservoir which showed conclusively that those interested in the matter and the officers and committees appointed for that particular phase of the work had been busy.

Mr. Sullivan's report revealed the fact that it would require, estimated, \$1,894,500 to construct the dam which when filled to 95 feet, would hold 380,000 acre feet of water, or almost one-half million of acre feet if filled to a depth of 100 feet. This would furnish an ample water supply for the irrigation of 90,000 acres of land.

The talk of Maj. Burgess was to the point and well received. He pointed out the fact that in order to build the reservoir it would be necessary for every one interested in the proposition to pull together. As an illustration he showed how each of three interests were pulling in different directions when the Elephant Butte project was conceived. He showed three-fourth of the energies were expended in an endeavor to skin each other before there was any picking and that only one-fourth of the energies were expended in an effort to construct the dam. Until this changed and all worked together they never got anywhere. Since this change was effected all was easy sailing. Mr. Burgess was very optimistic and expressed no doubt as to either the feasibility or probability of the construction of Red Bluff reservoir. "If the government cannot and will not take the matter in hand" he says, "then the people interested in the project can do the work themselves." As to the claims of New Mexico to the flood water to be stored, he has no fears as to being able to come to an amicable agreement on this phase of the question. Mr. Burgess, who has been employed by the Pecos Valley Water Users' Association of Texas as attorney and to look after the interests of the organization, will go to Washington about December 10th where he will sound out the reclamation authorities on the Red Bluff proposition.

The meeting was ably represented by every project which will be benefited by the reservoir. From what information the Enterprise has it is now absolutely settled and in writing just how the water is to be used in case the reservoir is constructed and that all the projects will in the future work as one man toward the end that the Red Bluff dam be constructed at the earliest possible date. It looks now as if it had taken a more tangible form than at any time in the history of the project. It is conceded that the Red Bluff reservoir will mean more to Pecos and the farming interests along the Pecos River in Texas than any other one thing that could come to us.

DISTRICT COURT

District court convened last week with the full corps of officers in their proper places. The court proceedings should have been chronicled in last week's issue but on account of the press of business the Enterprise was unable to obtain the facts upon which to base a report. There was no petit jury for the first week of court for the reason that it has long been the custom to dispose of dilatory pleas and non-jury cases and a general arranging and planning of the court work during the first week.

The grand jury was impaneled with Tom Delaney as foreman. In charging the grand jury Judge Chas. Gibbs laid special stress upon the bootlegging and gambling situation in Reeves county and asked the grand jury to thoroughly investigate these conditions and urged them to assume their responsibilities along this line to the end that this grand jury would feel responsible for infractions of the liquor laws and gambling laws after the adjournment of this term of court. With reference to bootleggers and gamblers Judge Gibbs said:

"I don't know just what your bootlegging and gambling situation is in this county but I do know that we have a few fellows in this district

THE LID WAS ON TIGHT IN PECOS THANKSGIVING

Practically every business place in Pecos was closed all day yesterday and not only the clerks and workmen but most of the proprietors took the day off. Many of them went hunting—some to the mountains in quest of big game while others contented themselves with shooting quail and ducks.

Many turkeys had the axe laid on their necks in order to furnish the national Thanksgiving meal and it is reported that quite a few dinner parties were held. The Johnston Cafe and the Mint Cafe each served turkey dinners and were well patronized.

that do not do much of anything that the ordinary good citizen does for a living. I do not know what they are doing but I know a lot of the things they are not doing. They are not working; they are not engaged in business of any kind; they haven't any jobs; they are not drawing any pay; they haven't any money out on interest, yet they appear to be prosperous, so I take it they must be bootlegging and gambling; besides you see them about the towns at nights more than you do in the day time. I hope that you do not have many of that class of folks in this county; if you have, I hope you will feel that you are responsible for them after this grand jury adjourns. Bootleggers and gamblers, I think, are the sorriest rakings of the earth and I want you to get on their trail and find out who they are and where they are and what they have been doing if you can, and if you find that bills of indictment are justifiable indict them to the end that they may be prosecuted."

The court also urged the grand jury to exercise common horse sense in their deliberations and to do their work in a business-like manner, being careful at all times to exercise their sound discretion in whatever they did, and in this connection he called their attention to the fact that they ought to be equally as careful not to indict in cases where acquittals will probably result as they should be to indict in cases where convictions will probably be had, and in part said:

"An indictment is a serious thing; you can take it home to yourself. None of you have ever been indicted, I presume; I hope you haven't and hope you will never be. You may be ever so innocent of a charge yet if you are indicted, even though the case is dismissed afterwards, that is a serious matter with you from there out; as long as you may live you cannot get that matter off your mind; your wife and your children cannot get it off their minds. Now as grand jurors you have the power to indict any and every man in this county; you have almost unlimited power and in the exercise of that power I want you to exercise with it your soundest judgment. It is even a serious matter to be investigated. I don't know whether the grand jury ever investigated me or not but it would be terribly embarrassing to me if they would even investigate me. Sound judgment—I have reference now to the matter of mere investigations. It is a common practice for the grand juries to throw the subpoenas broadcast and include everybody. You could send out subpoenas for witnesses to investigate the best citizen that you have in this town and the very fact that you are investigating that citizen hurts him. Use good judgment and soundest discretion in your investigations and in voting a bill of indictment."

On the whole the court insisted that the grand jurors discharge their duties according to the dictates of their consciences and their best judgment, having in mind the welfare of the entire citizenship, and impressed upon them that authority carries with it responsibility calling for the exercise of sound judgment regardless of criticism from any source and urged upon them the necessity of exercising their best judgment without fear or favor.

The grand jury proceeded with its work through Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and reported that it would be necessary for them to recess over until Monday, December 4th, in order to obtain the testimony of certain witnesses, and upon request of the foreman the court excused them to re-convene again next Monday.

Classified ads are inexpensive result-getters.

Tiger of France is With Us



General Clemenceau, the Tiger of France and the great War hero is now on a triumphant tour of the United States, carrying out a tour of national friendship. The grizzled old warrior is now 81 years old. Above—his first look up at the famous Woolworth Tower in New York. Below—his reception at City Hall Park, N. Y.

PECOS LAWYERS REVIVE ANNUAL TUESDAY EVENING

There was a time when the attorneys of Pecos got together in an annual banquet at which a congenial and social evening was spent. For the past several years from some cause they have failed to do this, but it was again revived this week when on Tuesday evening a big feed was spread at the Johnston Cafe for the lawyers and those connected with the enforcing of laws, or rather in the trial of cases, together with their wives were invited. It is reported to have been a swell turkey dinner, after which speeches were made and a general good time enjoyed by those present.

Judge J. A. Drane acted as master of ceremonies. Since the Enterprise was not represented it is unable to give any report on the speeches made, some of which are said to have been very fine. Those present, as far as the Enterprise has been able to ascertain, are: Judge J. A. Drane presiding; Judge Charles Gibbs of Midland, Ben Palmer, John B. Howard, W. W. Hubbard, Roy I. Biggs, Ben Randalls, H. G. Russell, Harry MacTier, Birge Holt and Lee Monroe of Barstow; J. H. Boogher of Grandfalls; W. W. Dean and Max Krauskopf, Deputy Sheriff R. G. Middleton and Tom Jones. Besides these the following ladies were present: Mrs. Drane, Mrs. Gibbs, Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Hubbard, Mrs. Biggs, Mrs. Randalls, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Birge Holt, Mrs. J. W. Parker, Mrs. Middleton and Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Krauskopf, Mrs. Dean, Mrs. Boogher and Mrs. Starley.

There were others whose names the Enterprise could not get.

K. OF P'S ENJOY BIG FEED MONDAY NIGHT

At a regular meeting of the K. of P. lodge last Monday night officers were nominated for the ensuing year. The election on officers will take place next Monday night. After the regular business had been attended to and the lodge closed a big feed was spread consisting of baked beef, coffee, bread, pickles and cakes.

There was a good and plenty and those present enjoyed the feed to the fullest.

A full attendance is desired at the next meeting Monday night.

SHERIFF CAPTURES STOLEN AUTOMOBILES AND DRIVERS

James Rogers, 17; Everett Hollifield 15, and Sam Hollifield 16, are languishing in jail, charged with stealing a Ford coupe from The Temple Lumber Company of Dallas. This trio was arrested late at night by Sheriff Kiser, the city marshal and Louis Roberson, jailer. When a flashlight was thrown on them, Rogers disposed of his gun by throwing it in the mud. He stated to the sheriff that he did not want to be caught with it on him. They left Dallas three days before they were apprehended and are charged also with tearing two tires and two tubes from the Miller Brothers garage at Barstow as they came through. A special agent of an automobile insurance company came to Pecos and started to Dallas with the stolen car this morning. The prisoners will be turned over to the Dallas county authorities sometime next week.

Sheriff Kiser received notice of a car having been stolen from Midland and put the officers of this and Ward county on the watch. He asked all tourists going east to look out for the car between here and Midland and Rev. C. A. Johnson of Pecos passed the car four miles west of Manahan, abandoned and out of gas.

The car was the property of The Kell Milling Company of Vernon; it was stolen from in front of a Midland hotel parked there by W. E. Hunter, a representative of the Milling Company. Rev. Johnson wired the information to Sheriff Kiser and Sheriff Wade of Ward county was notified and returned the car to Midland. Both of these cars were Ford coupes and practically new.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE

There was a delightful Thanksgiving service held at the Baptist church Thursday. The sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Spears of the Presbyterian church. The music was unusually good. Mrs. Sam Johnston sang a solo that was remarkably well done and that elicited much favorable comment, another pleasing feature was the violin solo by Miss Pickett with Mrs. W. H. Browning, Jr., at the piano. The service as a whole was most gratifying.

NEW OPERATIONS IN THE PECOS OIL FIELD MAKE THE PEOPLE FEEL GOOD—DRILLING GOING STEADILY

PECOS' SECOND TRADES DAY PROVES A DRAWING CARD

Pecos' second trades day, which was last Saturday, proved to be equally as successful in drawing the crowds to town as did the first one. On account of the bad roads and the weather, which looked any thing but encouraging but turned out bright and balmy later in the day, the larger crowd came in the afternoon. There was a very satisfactory crowd in town all day and trading was brisk. In the afternoon, however, all the stores were crowded and the people who came to Pecos were taking advantage of the bargain counters and reduced prices.

At 4:30 the crowds began to gather at the fountain and before five o'clock the drawing for the \$75 range was awarded to County Clerk S. C. Vaughan, who held the lucky number. The \$75 phonograph was drawn by a Mexican across the river.

If present plans do not fail a grand prize or maybe two will be given away on December 24th or the Saturday before Christmas. Watch out for further announcements and come to Pecos to do your shopping where the merchants are always ready to serve you courteously and promptly and are making the prices fit the purses of our people. The various stores have large stocks from which to select, but at that it is well to do your Christmas shopping early before the rush is on.

AS THE TWIG IS BENT

School days are here and the winter months are approaching. There will be long evenings when the boys and girls will sit around the table with their school books in front of them. Not all time, however, will be occupied in the preparation of lessons for the following day. Something else must occupy their time, and why not make that something else books, says the Farm and Ranch.

Many a father and mother have regretted that they, in their youth, had no opportunity to get acquainted with good books; that they failed to create an appetite for good reading. They know now that they were robbed of hours of pleasure and profit, for one creates a desire for good reading only by beginning early in life.

The words "good books" should not frighten young people, for it does not mean dry and uninteresting reading. There are many good novels; good short stories; entertaining and instructing adventure stories, historical sketches, fairy tales and the like. Many of these are interesting to adults and they lead to more substantial reading.

If young people be given the opportunity to cultivate a reading habit it will stand them in good stead all through life, and perchance may direct their thoughts along channels which will serve them with profit as they grow older. A well-read farmer has a better chance to succeed than one who does not read. An educated carpenter is capable of better work than an ignorant one.

If school opportunities are lacking, give the boys and girls books and papers. If they cultivate the reading habit they will make up in a large measure for their lack in school work.—Cisco American.

CALIFORNIA BARS

WEST TEXAS CATTLE
Nine counties in West Texas have been stopped from shipping cattle into California by the Board of Agriculture of that State, according to information reaching the office of the Livestock Sanitary Commission.

The quarantine is against scabies. The counties are: Dallam, Hartley, Oldham, Deaf Smith, Parmer, Cochran, Moore, Randall and Reeves. The quarantine also applies to several counties in New Mexico.

Under the ruling shipments may be made only after the permission of the California board has been obtained and the permit must accompany the way bill.

Shipment from all other counties of the State can only be made when a certificate showing the cattle are clean has been obtained from an employee of the Bureau of Animal Husbandry or the Livestock Sanitary Commission.

Notice of the California ruling has been sent out to all inspectors by J. H. Rasco, chief scabies inspector of the Sanitary Commission.

Try one of those 25c want ads and make some money. Others do it; why not you?

THE BELL WELL
There is nothing new to report as regards the Bell, or discovery well, this week. They are busy pounding away with two shifts and making satisfactory progress.

TOYAH-BELL WELL
While the Toyah-Bell well is allowed to rest so far as the workmen are concerned, pending the setting of the rotary rig over Ramsey No. 2 which is now in progress, it just simply will not go down. It went over the top again this week and the pumps were started to gather in the oil which collected in pools nearby. It is estimated forty or fifty barrels were pumped into the tanks. In all probability this well will be swabbed for several days after work has started on Ramsey No. 2. If this is not done then something else will be done in an effort to bring it in.

RAMSEY NO. 2 WELL
Granger and Green began moving their rotary outfit from the Laura well this week to the Ramsey No. 2 and will begin operations there as soon as the machinery is set. The Ramsey No. 2 was started some months ago and drilled to 657 feet or thereabouts and lack of finances caused a shutdown there. This well is some 500 feet from the Toyah-Bell and it is expected that record time will be made on this well and when the proper depth is reached a real gusher will be brought in.

WILLOUGHBY WELL
The Willoughby No. 2 well in Southwestern Reeves county which was recently shut down on account of finance, as has been stated in the Enterprise before, is now in charge of Omaha, Nebraska, capitalists and it is understood that the new company in charge have secured the rig already over the hole and have actually resumed drilling. These people have plenty of money and energy and have plenty of competent drillers at the well to keep it going night and day and it may reasonably be expected that they will make good time and prove that immediate territory in the near future.

THE LAURA WELL
Granger and Green have given up the task of making an oil well of the Laura and are this week moving their rotary rig to the Ramsey No. 2. The Federal Service people who now have that property in charge are still hoping to be able to do something with it and are holding on. It is understood that in case they abandon the work and turn it back to the Sunshine people the latter are prepared to take up the proposition and renew the work at once. In all probability a new hole will have to be started at this location.

INTEREST REVIVING IN OIL INDUSTRY

With new interests entering the field a renewed interest seems to be manifesting itself in more ways than one. Both Pecos and Toyah had visitors the past week from several distant points. Besides these C. H. Willoughby reports the receipt of many letters from interested people and he predicts that the field is soon to see much bonafide drilling.

Mr. Willoughby asks the Enterprise to state that he is ready and anxious to co-operate with one and all but insists that co-operation must be of mutual benefit to the development of the Willoughby Petroleum Company on the Cowan ranch as well as to the party interested. Several are interested in the Sid and Will Cowan country as well as the vicinity surrounding the Hershenson operation and both these sections are mapped to produce oil in commercial quantities over some considerable area and to those who consider Mr. Willoughby's work of more than two years of any value these will find him ready to help in every way possible consistent with good business co-operation.

C. E. PROGRAM DECEMBER 3

Better Speaking, Leader—Claudia Tatum.
Scripture—Prov. 10:10-21-31-32.
Circle of Sentence Prayers.
Song.
Talk—Leader.
How Important is our Daily Speech—Pat Moran.
In what ways should we guard our speech?—Mary Stine.
Are words more important than character?—Mrs. Green.
Open Discussion—What is the greatest word in the English Language?
Song.
Business.
Benediction.

THE TRUE SPIRIT

OF CHRISTMAS
A photograph of you—one that reflects your own personality—will do more to bring the spirit of Christmas to distant friends than any other gift.

IN THE MATTER

OF THE ESTATE OF SID KYLE, DECEASED
To those indebted to, or holding claims against the Estate of Sid Kyle, deceased:

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THE STAR OF HOPE

Have you seen it in the Texas sky? It's there, but it may seem so dim and so far away to some of you that it will be hard for you to see it with the naked eye.

What is it? It is the awakening of the interest of the people themselves in their own education.

In 1871 a governor of the Colony of Virginia uttered the following condemnation of learning:

Nothing is more certain than that our industrial and political troubles spring from ignorance, for which there is only one cure.

As a result, Texas has stood first among all the 48 states of the Nation in agricultural products.

Plies Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money if PAIN OINTMENT fails to cure itching, blind, bleeding or protruding Plies.

NEW YORK ONCE

UNDER WATER

Though many people have a general idea that large parts of the United States have at times in the past been covered by the ocean, it is perhaps not so generally known that the continent is even now rising in some places and sinking in others.

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Tells President of Klan's Activities



This picture of Gov. John Parker of Louisiana was taken as he left the White House after telling President Harding of the Ku Klux Klan's amazing growth in his state and intentions to control through political power.

ANNUAL RED CROSS SEAL SALE

The 15th Annual Tuberculosis Seal Sale in Texas will be conducted by the Texas Public Health Association on December 1st to Christmas day.

With the money raised last year it was possible for the Texas Public Health Association to reach 143,427 people with a health message.

Texas has a quota of \$125,000.00 this year. If this amount is raised it will be possible for the Texas Public Health Association to greatly enlarge its work of preventing the spread of tuberculosis.

The design of the 1922 Christmas seal is intended to make an appeal to the artistic sense of the public as well as to its sympathy and generosity.

and accumulation. It is not, perhaps, too strong a statement to say that one-half our population is ignorant of the proper use and function of wealth.

TEXAS CHILDREN PLAY FOR HEALTH

Here is how the Red Cross in Fort Worth, Texas, helped to keep the children of that town well during the summer.

The top left-hand picture shows the Clock Game. The top right-hand picture shows the nurse, Miss Edna L. Hammer, R. N., and one of her little health pupils.

Two hundred and fifty children attended the play grounds throughout the summer and much interest has been manifested by the entire town in the work.

H. & G. N. RY. LANDS FOR SALE IN REEVES COUNTY

Surveys Nos. 45, 47, 53, 55, E. half of 61, and 63, in Block 4; and Nos. 43; 45; 47 and W. half of 37 in Block 5.

Tomorrow morning—by all means try Kellogg's Corn Flakes
Mother, quick, look what Billy has gone and spilled—a whole big box of Kellogg's Corn Flakes. I'll say he likes them a lot!

Insist upon KELLOGG'S—the original Corn Flakes in the RED and GREEN package! It bears the signature of W. K. Kellogg, originator of Kellogg's Corn Flakes. NONE ARE GENUINE WITHOUT IT!

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BARGAIN DAYS From Now Until December 15th
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\$6.45 For a \$10.00 PAPER by Mail Every Day for One Year
Nearly Half Price
The newspaper which prints two pages daily of market and business news. An exclusive Leased Wire—New York to Fort Worth. Your banker reads it.

GHOSTLY MANIFESTATIONS FRIGHTEN COWPUNCHERS IN TEXAS MOUNTAINS

Who's the spook of Alkali Springs on the eastern side of the Guadalupe mountains?

Close to the springs in a canyon is a little old deserted stone house, miles away from any other habitation.

It was nearly dark on a cold, still, moonlit evening in mid-winter when three cowpunchers, sent to round up cattle in that region, reached the little house.

They decided to pass the night there. About 9 o'clock they were preparing supper over a fire they had built in the fireplace, when three distinct raps were heard on the door.

The nearest cowboy opened the door and saw an old, grey-headed man running down the canyon. He went in pursuit and seemed to be gaining on the strange figure, when it suddenly vanished.

Returning to the house, the cowpuncher and his companions waited with guns in hand. About half an hour later, three more raps came. Three guns were simultaneously unloaded through the top of the door. Jerking it open immediately afterward, they saw the same old, grey-headed man running down the canyon. The cowpunchers fired after him and again he seemed to melt into the air.

At midnight the three pals were asleep. Suddenly a crash resounded. All three of the startled cowboys, instantly awoke, saw an old grey-headed man on an old, grey horse come down the chimney and ride right through the closed door.

Then they left.—El Paso Herald.

LECTURES INTEREST

FOLK IN PLAY Austin, Texas, Nov. 28.—Miss Amanda Stoltzfus, lecturer on rural education in the Bureau of Extension of the University of Texas has just returned from an extended trip through the Rio Grande valley, where her main mission was to get people interested in play, whether they were children or grown-ups.

"My work can not be measured by statistics or curves or dollars and cents," said Miss Stoltzfus, "but when I can get one thousand people to forget their work in recreation for thirty minutes, I feel that I have succeeded."

Several bulletins have recently been published by Miss Stoltzfus on the subject of "Play," and because of her efforts to organize community fairs, games and plays in the various sections of the state, she has become known as the "Play Lady." The bulletins contain information on the subject of "Why Children Need Play," "Why Grown-Ups Need Play," "Pays of Children Below the High School Age," and "Play and recreation for High School."

You get a whole year's reading of the Pecos oil field through the Enterprise for \$2. Send it to a friend.

Punchettes



by Rev. M.A. MATTHEWS D.D., LL.D.

THE CURSE OF GAMBLING

Have you sometimes wondered at the spirit of extravagance which seems to have taken possession of the people? It is one of the results of the gambling waves that has swept over this country.

The desire to gamble seems to have entered every breast. The evil of gambling is seen everywhere.

Its dirty fingers are on nearly every garment. It has invaded the church socials, and has stained the very robes and liveries of heaven.

The fiends who gambled on the Saviour's garments are still polluting the aisles of the church with their dirty feet and nimble fingers. Raffles, lotteries, games of chance have polluted certain religious circles, have become the social features of clubs, societies, and organizations.

This gambling spirit has ruined the youth's ambitions, and has caused thousands of girls to sell their all. Homes have been sacrificed and beautiful parlors have been turned into dens of vice at the suggestion of the avaricious beast—the gambler.

There was never a greater curse sweeping a land than the gambling spirit. It has turned cigar stand,

restaurant, club table, and places of amusement into a gambling center.

Men disregard city, state, and national statutes to ply their game, to throw their dice, and to gratify their desire to get something for nothing.

Thousands of young men are in the penitentiary today at the dictation of this awful curse.

Is there no way to stop it? Can't the business men call their girls into their offices and talk to them about honesty and frugality?

Is it not possible for the ministers of the country to preach against this evil; the Sunday School to teach the danger of such a practice; the courts to enforce rigid penalties, and thereby bring America to see this awful menace?

The gambling curse is costing this nation hundreds of thousands of dollars every year.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE In The Pecos Enterprise. Rates 40 cents an inch or 10 cents a line for readers.

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.

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coated, breath bad, remember a good cleansing of the little bowels is often all that is necessary.

Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

Hurry mother! Even a cross, sick child loves the "fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow. If constipated, bilious, feverish, fretful, has cold, colic, or if stomach is sour, tongue

Armour at Capital Talking of Merge



J. Ogden Armour is shown here as he left the Department of Agriculture in Washington after conferring with Government officials regarding a big merge of meat packing houses. The Farm Bloc will oppose it.

PARENTS' HOPE IS IN THE FUTURE OF THEIR CHILDREN.

You would be a very unnatural parent if you did not wish to give your boy or girl the best educational advantages that are in your power—a very thoughtful parent if you sent him to the first school that mailed you a catalogue, and an unpardonable parent if you entered him in a school without first investigating its location, equipment, character of student body, faculty, system of discipline, and above all the moral surroundings. Yours is the duty of investigation, comparison and ultimate decision.

Your boy or girl is the hope of your life. In him or her is centered your most cherished ambitions. His or her worth to you cannot be measured by dollars and cents, but must be measured by the training received in the home and at school.

Our 236 page catalogue will tell you of America's largest business school, which has had over 40,000 students from thirty-nine different states and seven foreign countries. It will tell you of the endorsements by the best business men, ministers, lawyers and bankers. It will tell you the experience of many young people who come to us with limited means and who achieved success after a short time in our school.

We know you are bound to be interested, so ask us to furnish the proof. Our large beautifully illustrated catalogue is free if you will fill out this coupon and mail to Tyler Commercial College Tyler, Texas.

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Accept "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" only. Each unbroken package contains proper directions. Handy boxes of twelve tablets cost few cents. Druggists also sell bottles of 24 and 100. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monosodiumacetate of Salicylicacid. (Advertisement)

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To Stop a Cough Quick

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Table with train schedules for Westbound and Eastbound routes, including No. 1, 5, 2, and 6, with arrival and departure times.

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Table with Pecos Valley Southern Motor Car schedules, including leaves and arrives times.

Richard Lloyd Jones tells About Money

A YOUNG man who recently inherited a mammoth fortune speaking of what his friends called his "good fortune," said:

"It is not all the 'good fortune' it seems to be. With it has come a sense of responsibility that weighs and worries.

Moreover, I no longer hold the place among my former friends that I used to hold and want to retain. They envy me, and envy isolates. I cannot associate in the same old way. If I entertain my friends moderately I learn that I am accused of being miserly. If I entertain them lavishly I know they must feel that I put them beyond the hope of reciprocating courtesies. I find my money is putting my friends to the test quite as much as me. I am anxious to use my money for the good of others, not alone for my good.

"Those who can share that thought with me and help me in that desire are few. My 'good fortune' has built a wall about me."

Money is the insignia of labor. It represents the investment of brawn and brain. He who wastes it wants. He who squanders it upon his own pleasures and pastimes is forced to feel the waste even though his resources be so inexhaustible that he may never feel the pinch.

Man's worth is measured by his earnest eagerness to help others.

The closest personal advisor of one of the richest men in America recently told us that his friend, whose income was over half a million dollars a day, needed no counsel in the game of getting, but he eagerly sought help in the game of giving. To help men without hurting them was the problem which perplexed him.

"Do I live for myself or for others,—am I altruistic or egotistic,—am I merely my own keeper or am I my brother's keeper?"—these are the problems which money forces you to face; and you face them just as squarely with four hundred a month as four millions a month.

It is good to feed bread to the hungry, but it is better to find out why they are without bread, to help them get their own bread than give them your bread.

The highest philanthropy is more than charity. The curse of the world is poverty. The great war of the twentieth century is going to be the war against poverty.

So long as money represents the product of labor, the getters and givers of money will find their opportunity for happiness only through the privilege of enlarging the markets of labor, rightly rewarding labor and giving just returns to them who invest their brawn and brain for the good of their brothers as well as for the good of themselves.

HOMER PHILOSOPHY for 1922

HERE'S the housing problem. Nuthin' but high rents, high taxes an' cares, but why kick? Let's get back to the ways of our sturdy ancestors and live in the caves.

Still, we've got to face all this marital discontent. Everybody gettin' married, gettin' divorced, gettin' married again, gettin' divorced again, an' the whole trouble could be stopped by nobody gettin' married at all. Then we've got the trouble with children—nuthin' but care an' sacrifice—well, let the people decide not to have any children. Really, there isn't a confounded thing right with the whole world, so why not stop it? Can't be done? Boy, we're in a fix. Maybe we'd better not waste time groaning. Then we'd have time to fix things up.

poem by UNCLE JOHN

I wonder if the man's alive, that's got a perfect score, in pleasin' all the critics that his life is flashed before? It's true our dear Redeemer lived a short, though perfect span. . . . But critics pierced his lovin' heart, as brutal humans can. . . . This land or our'n has shed its blood, that peoples might be free. We seized our swords an' bayonets, an' said, "It's got to be!" We sent our dashing boys abroad, an' crushed the monster's might, and now, we hear the critics howl. "They never done it right!"

Facts is—a lot of Dervishes, in editorial guise, that spends their time promotin' all the politician's lies. . . . They occupy a velvet seat, an' shake their loaded dice—they'd criticize the angels, if the devil had the price!

Why Freight Rates Cannot Be Reduced Railroads Under Public Control

Transportation Charges Must Stay Up Until Costs Come Down, President Storey of the Santa Fe Explains.

United States Senator Capper, through his various publications, has been demanding a reduction of freight rates; but his attitude on the general subject of railroads has not blinded him to the main facts about government control, which have been clearly presented in the following editorial from one of his papers, the Topeka Daily Capital:

"The railroad cannot fix its own rates and charges. It cannot name the wages it will pay. It cannot enter into combinations and deals. It cannot shut down when business goes to the bad. It cannot buy or sell a railroad system. It cannot make capitalistic profits and dividends. It cannot even determine how much capital it shall issue on its property, or issue any without previous approval of the public. It is, in fact, an agency of the public, controlled completely by the government."

The fact is, rates cannot be reduced unless costs are reduced. Costs cannot be reduced so long as the present scale of wages and the prices of fuel, materials and other supplies are maintained, and in these matters the hands of the Santa Fe are tied.

What is particularly needed at this time is better transportation service, more cars, locomotives, and other facilities necessary for moving the business, and the Santa Fe is doing everything in its power to provide these.

W. B. STOREY, President, The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway System

\$2.50 PER YEAR. The Sunday edition of the El Paso Herald which contains 8 full pages of comics, 6 of which are in 4 colors; 2 pages of "Herald Junior" for boys and girls, and 2 pages of magazine features, together with 24 pages of news and other good reading matter, is now sold to mail subscribers at \$2.50 per year. Every ranchman and every household in the Pecos Valley ought to have the big Sunday El Paso Herald, the greatest newspaper value for the money in the southwest." (Advertisement)

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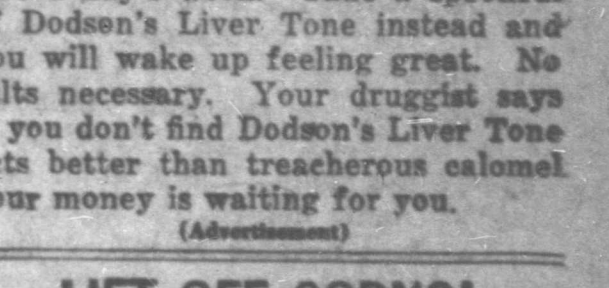
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NEXT DOSE CALOMEL MAY SALIVATE YOU

IT IS MERCURY, QUICKSILVER SHOCKS LIVER AND ATTACKS YOUR BONES. Calomel salivation is horrible. It swells the tongue, loosens the teeth and starts rheumatism. There's no reason why a person should take sickening, salivating calomel when a few cents buys a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone—a perfect substitute for calomel. It is a pleasant vegetable liquid which will start your liver just as surely as calomel, but it doesn't make you sick and can not salivate.

Calomel is a dangerous drug, besides it may make you feel weak, sick and nauseated tomorrow. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone instead and you will wake up feeling great. No salts necessary. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tone acts better than treacherous calomel your money is waiting for you. (Advertisement)

LIFT OFF CORNS! Apply few drops then lift sore, touchy corns off with fingers



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

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

Freesone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful. (Advertisement)

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 30c.

THE ENTERPRISE

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With water enough conserved in Red Bluff to irrigate whenever needed 90,000 acres of the Pecos Valley in Texas of which Pecos would be the logical center and that 90,000 acres occupied by 2250 farmers and their families Pecos would be some punkins if not one of the greatest cities of the United States.

The Enterprise has always tried to be optimistic and to boost the town and county only when he could conscientiously do so but this editor has never been so optimistic that he could see in Pecos a city to even compare favorably with New York City, Los Angeles or several others which might here be mentioned.

The street light service a few months back was so poor that it is no wonder they were discontinued. During the Methodist revival there were no street lights for a night or two when it was as dark as the ace of spades and the people were forced, many of them to go home by the light of the lightning's flashes.

THE GOULD RECORD IS IMPROVED

When Magistrate Bruce W. Cobb, of New York City, sent to prison Frank M. Gould, for open and wilful violation of the laws against automobile speeding, he performed a public service, though it did involve the humiliating experience of fingerprinting the young millionaire.

The only satisfaction that can come to young Gould is that he has upheld the family tradition of keeping his name before the public.

The first notable episode came to his distinguished grandfather, Jay Gould, who was compelled to hide himself in the old Grand Opera House to avoid an infuriated mob gathered outside in dangerous objection to certain financial operations.

George Gould, the son, began his publicity with the Zella Nicolaus disclosures, and has brought it up to date by his latest matrimonial sensation.

The exploits of Anna Gould, with her funny little Count Castellane, are of too recent a date to need discussion.

Now, seemingly, the third generation, jealous of the family propensity for public notice, intends to keep the Gould name to the fore.

The incident of sending a Gould to jail might not be worthy of notice save for the fact that persons who by wealth or position are so eminently conspicuous owe a greater duty to society than the smaller fry, and are expected to set something of an example at least so far as obeying the law is concerned.

SUPPORT DIRECT ELECTION OF PRESIDENT

Let us have a national direct primary. It is time the American people and not a handful of American politicians picked and elected the President of the United States.

when every man and every woman of voting age should write letters to their Senators and Congressmen urging them to restore to Americans their right of franchise by supporting the Norris bill.

The electoral college stands as nothing but the symbol of defiance of every principle of democracy; indeed, the whole world has wondered how such an archaic institution has been tolerated in a country supposed to have government by majority.

The proposal for direct election needs no further brief than Breckinridge got only 12 electoral votes against 72 for the Kentuckian.

Since then the election of minority presidents has become notorious, and the fact that the nominees are chosen by the bosses and that the people have little voice in the choice of their president, has been a standing indictment of the virility of the people themselves, who have supinely permitted the condition to exist.

The contention that the day has passed when the electoral college dare fly in defiance of the people's vote is beside the issue. Even an honest vote is not representative, and the fact is that open disregard of the public will remain possible.

The world war has brought to the United States more than one awakening, perhaps the most notable a realization that the American people must take the government of their own country into their own hands, and by that is meant that the sixty millions of Americans resident in the small towns and on the farms are the balance of power, and should not be squelched at the behest of interests in the cities, by interests that have political bosses hamstringing and obedient to the crack of the whip.

Country America can and must dictate the presidency of the United States. As a start to our political renaissance, the sooner we throw the electoral college into the discard the better.

LEVEL-HEADED CANADA

Canadians are proverbially level-headed and nothing emphasizes this fact more than their sensible immigration laws, which have been altered and remodeled from time to time, until now they are, in the minds of many authorities, well-nigh perfect. Quality and not quantity is the Canadian idea of immigration. The Saturday Evening Post says:

They have adopted a program of selective immigration. They desire to secure immigrants from Scandinavia, Germany, Holland, Switzerland, the United Kingdom and the United States. They desire immigrants from these countries because they are expected to fit into the Canadian viewpoint and are known to be adaptable to Canadian agriculture. Canada desires only immigrants who are to become farmers. Slaves and Mediterraneans are not desired, because it is not felt they would fit into Canadian conditions and would not desire to enter agriculture. In each of the countries mentioned Canada expects in one way or another to recruit selected desirable immigrants.

In order to meet the expected stream of immigration a land-settlement plan has been devised. Careful surveys of the three prairie provinces have indicated that some ten millions acres of good land lie untilled within ten miles of a railroad. A colonization association has been formed, financial support has been secured by subscription throughout Canada, and it is stated that the federal government of the Dominion and the government of Great Britain have pledged financial support.

The central idea of the scheme of colonization lies in a plan of finance. The immigrant is to purchase his land, and the conditions of payment are fixed and made liberal. Assuming that a quarter section is priced at \$3200, one-tenth of this sum, or \$320, must be paid down on purchase. During the two years following no payments are due for interest or amortization. Beginning with the third year and extending through twenty-nine further years, the sum due annually is \$234.34. When these annual payments are completed the land is paid for.

A provision is also made for aid in the selection of land, seed, animals and implements. Canada has had sufficient experience in the problems of wheat farmers operating on insufficient capital to be fully aware of the necessity of so conducting the affairs of new immigrants as to protect them from exploitation and bankruptcy contingent on crop failure.

The land-settlement plan, as announced, represents a distinct advance on the scheme of individual settlement of homesteads by which our frontier states were populated.

Americans are naturally interested in this proposition because of the frank efforts that are being made by the Canadian organization to secure settlers from the United States. For example, land agents in the United States are to be paid one dollar per acre taken up by settlers secured by them. The prospect of gain through increase in land values is being held before the eyes of American farmers who are assumed to be dissatisfied with conditions here. This means to the student of American rural life that urban industries beckon to our farmers from one side, while Can-

adian land promoters beckon to them from the other side. The situation certainly must meet the views of those who believe in free competition.

THE PROTESTANT CHURCH AND THE K. K. K.

Common-sense Protestants, jealous of the reputation of their religion and sound Americanism, have been continually vituperated by the persistent claim that Ku Kluxism represents Protestantism.

There are certain types of Protestants in the Ku Klux Klan, but there are also certain types of "Protestants" in jail and the effrontery of maskers in professing to speak for all Protestants has not been relished.

In eastern Texas certain newspapers went so far as to call the Ku Klux Klan political sect, the "Protestant party." In a country which boasts our constitution this was a virtual and practical admission of treachery to the fundamentals of our government.

All Ku Kluxers may be "Protestants" by profession, but all Protestants are a long way from being Ku Klux. Witness the following from "The Herald of Gospel Liberty" (Christian):

"The administrative committee of the federal council of the churches of Christ in America records its strong conviction that the recent rise of organizations whose members are masked, oathbound and unknown, and whose activities have the effect of arousing religious prejudice and racial antipathies, is fraught with grave consequences to the church and to society at large. Any organization whose activities tend to set class against class or race against race is consistent neither with the ideals of the churches nor with true patriotism, however vigorous or sincere may be its professions of religion and Americanism.

"Evils of lawlessness and immorality, however serious, can never be remedied by secret, private and unauthorized action. They must be handled by the state and by the recognized forces of education. For groups of individuals wearing masks and concealing their identity to pass judgment on men and women and to carry out humiliating measures of their own devising is subversive to every principle of civilized government, and undermines respect for the established agencies of law and order.

"Any body of men, unidentified and banded together to achieve in a partisan spirit the purpose of a sectional political, racial or sectarian group, is almost certain to fall into the evils of mob rule against which the spirit of Christian democracy and Americanism makes vigorous and constant protest. Even if they resort to no unworthy deeds themselves, their practice of carrying on their plans in disguise, or under cover of darkness, encourages others to do likewise, and so affords the opportunity for all manner of lawlessness to be carried on with impunity from arrest or punishment. However true it is that in some communities religious organizations seek a control over municipal administration which is undemocratic and highly undesirable, yet for another body of men, secret and oath-bound, to undertake to get control is equally intolerable, even if they seek with all sincerity to wrest it from the control of other groups.

"The administrative committee of the federal council of the churches is opposed to any movement which overrides the processes of law and order, and which tends to complicate and make more difficult the work of co-operation between the various political, racial and religious groups in the republic. No such movements have the right to speak the name of Protestantism, and the churches are urged to exert every influence to check their spread."

Let our K. K. K. ministers ponder this.—El Paso Times.

SUN OF-A-GUN

Recently a merchant of Granger happened to see a farmer receive a box at the depot and noticed it was from a mail order house. He also noticed that the goods were right in line with the same that he had in stock for years. He immediately approached the farmer and said: "I could have sold you the goods you have here for less money and saved you the freight." Then why didn't you do so," said the farmer. "I have taken the local paper for a number of years and have not seen an item in your store priced. This mail order house sends me a monthly price list. If you have any bargains, why don't you put them in the local paper where we can see them?"—Granger News.

WHO WAS THE LOSER?

A banker while going home to dinner saw a ten dollar bill on a curbstone. He picked it up, noticed the number and went home to dinner. While home his wife remarked that the butcher had sent a bill amounting to \$10. The only money he had was the bill he found which he gave to her and she paid the butcher. The butcher paid it to a farmer for a calf, the farmer to a merchant who paid it to a washer woman and she owing the banker a note for \$10, went to the bank and paid the note. The banker recognized the bill as the one found, and which by that time had paid \$50

worth of debts. On careful examination he found it to be a counterfeit. Now, what was lost in the transactions, and by whom?—Exchange.

KLAN DONATION OF \$15,000 TO BOY SCOUTS IS REFUSED.

A donation of \$15,000 made by the St. Louis Knights of the Ku Klux Klan toward the campaign fund in progress for the benefit of the Boy Scouts, has been refused, it was announced by the executive committee in charge of the campaign. The committee is a joint body of representatives of the American Legion, the Society of Forty and Boy Scout councils.

The action of the St. Louis Boy Scouts is to be commended. An organization which hides behind a cloak and opens the way for so much dirty work, if not by the clan themselves, is not good business. Whenever and wherever the clan makes a donation it wants this fact made known to the public and in fact it is just so much money spent in advertising matter. The Enterprise is "agin" such an organization and believes the ministry who are upholding the organization and accepting its money as advertising propaganda should quit the ministry and put in his full time in boosting the kluxers.

MONEY TO LOAN

On Ranches and large farms anywhere in West Texas or New Mexico. Also loan on Pecos or El Paso business property.

Get your life insurance of same people who loan money in West Texas and New Mexico. Best Company, best Policy, with double indemnity and disability clause. B. T. BIGGS, Agent, Pecos, Texas.

Rivals Helen Keller



Niletta Huggins, 17 years old, of Wisconsin, although blind and deaf, can tell colors by smell and hear by touch. Her remarkable ability was discovered while sewing, when she told colors of materials by smelling them. She listens to concerts by touching her fingers to an audiphone.

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Uncle Johns Job

THE FELLOW WITH THE COOL HEAD USUALLY HAS THE COLD CASH!



DRILL NIGHT

Drill Captain—"Right shoulder a-rms! Left should a-rms! Present a-rms! Right sho'der arms! Left sho'der a-r—" Militia Rook (putting gun down) —"F'r Heaven's sake, man—Make up your mind!"

You get a whole year's reading of the Pecos oil field through the Enterprise for \$2. Send it to a friend.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets). It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 30c. Ladies calling cards neatly print-



Complete Line of Wilson Bros. Gents' Furnishings THE TOGGERY

Next Door to Brocat's Barber Shop

Advertisement for Pecos City Studio featuring a photograph of a woman and text: "Your Friends and relatives would rather have your portrait than any other gifts you could send them. A picture makes the ideal Christmas gift."

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We have everything needed in the way school supplies: Pencils, Tablets, Crayolas, Inks, Papers, etc. Get your supply at the

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FOR SALE—Excelsior Twin Cylinder Motor Cycle with side car, three speed, cash only. Inquire of Pecos and Northwestern Telephone Co. 16-2t

FOR SALE—Ford Roadster with tray on back; self starter and lights, good condition. Cash sale only. Inquire of Pecos & Northwestern Telephone Co. 16-2t

FOR SALE—New home-made quilts for \$6.50 at the Pecos Mercantile store. 15-1f

FOR SALE—Two houses and a lot, very reasonable or will trade for Ford car. Call at owners place across from old jail on east side, or write to Galvno Dominguez, Pecos, Texas. 14-2t

FARM FOR SALE—Or Trade, one mile from Mexia, black land; one at Dew, tight post oak sand, grow anything. Heart of farming belt.—W. B. Humphries, Toyah, Texas. 13-4*

FOR SALE—My five passenger Nash car. Cheap. Good condition. If you are in the market for a car look at mine. Mrs. B. R. Stine, Phone 202, Pecos, Texas. 13-1f

FOR SALE—Or will consider drilling contract; tracts forty seven and forty nine, section eighty-six, block thirty-three, of the H. & T. C. Survey Loving county, Texas. Located between the Toyah-Bell and Bell No. 1. The title is good and the rental is paid to January 1923. Write J. A. Law, 4284 South Harvard Blvd., Los Angeles, Calif. 49-1f

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT OR SALE—4 Room house close in. Reasonable. Apply to J. B. Sullivan. 9-1f

WANTED

SAME Old Man at the same old stand. Come on with your hides and furs and get good money for them.—W. H. Drummond. 14-4t

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—THREE LARGE BAY MULES, BRANDED O ON LEFT JAW OR I ON LEFT SHOULDER. NOTIFY JOHN WENDT. 12-1f

LOST—Between Barstow and Pecos on Friday 11-17-22, black sample case containing cigars and pipes. Finder please return to Louis Lewkowitz, El Paso, Texas, by express. Liberal reward offered. 1t

New Legion Chief



Col. Alvin W. Owsley, of Beaumont, Tex., is the new Commander-in-Chief of the American Legion, elected last week at New Orleans.

Classified ads are inexpensive result-getters.

MISSCELLANEOUS

CHILDREN—Cared for during afternoons and evenings for busy mothers. Also ironing.—Mrs. S. A. Shellenburger. 1t

I will be in my office December 1st. Treat all diseases of eye, ear, nose and throat and fit glasses. Dr. I. E. Smith. 16-1f

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NEW TELEPHONE OWNERS PLAN IMPROVEMENTS

The arrival of Mr. Smith, last week, new owner of the Alpine Telephone Company, from his former home at Bridgeport, Texas, has added another family to our little city. Mrs. Smith and the children—five of them—are here now and Mr. Smith has begun the work of reorganizing the telephone service.

Mr. Smith owns the local telephone system, the Fort Davis system and also the plant at Bridgeport. He has built a number of other telephone systems in Texas, several ice plants and in addition, worked eighteen years for the Southwestern Telephone Company. He successful experience in managing and operating systems will insure to Alpine's advantage, and we may expect in the near future a decided improvement on local service. He expects to overhaul the entire plant and modernize his offices. It is understood that the Southwestern people are now building two copper circuits along the Texas Pacific into El Paso, connecting up that city with Dallas. Mr. Smith says if this is true he will build to Pecos or some other convenient point and give Alpine and Fort Davis long distance connections with El Paso and Dallas and all intermediary points. He hopes to have all these improvements made by the middle of next summer. We welcome Mr. Smith to Alpine and feel sure that our city will cooperate with him in making the local system the success he has mapped out for it.—Alpine Avalanche.

DUMB DAN

He's so stupid he thinks— That reptile is a tall silk hat. That 'am o'shanter is an Irish Rebel. That "Null and Void" is a vaudeville team. That Yuletide is part of the ocean. That Atlantic City boardwalk is a new dance step. That Major cement is an army officer. Do you know a Dumb Dan? Tell us what he thinks—we'll print it.

UNANIMOUS

Times were hard for an old couple in Europe so they wrote to their son in America, "If you don't help us we will have to go to the poor-house."

Two weeks later they received a cable collect, "make reservations for three. I'm joining you."

WE'VE BEEN IT

"Hey, Pop, what's the ul-ti-mate con-sum-er?" "Oh, the last one—the last one to eat. Why?" "Well, Maw says I'm that Sunday, when company comes."

THE CHURCHES

"A GREATER TO-MORROW"

The "horn of plenty" shows us "coming out at the big end of the horn." Now, that's the idea, only there is no end to the horn. It continues to enlarge, while the "plenty" is available at all times.

It is the voice of prophecy pointing us to our heart's need.

The place is the Methodist church, the time is 11:00 a. m. next Sunday. The sermon is named, "A Greater Tomorrow."

L. L. THURSTON, Pastor P. S. You are invited to hear.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday was a good day, one hundred and thirty-nine in Sunday School. Other services up to par with the same fine spirit. We were happy to have the pastors and members of the other churches with us Sunday night. The spirit of the service was encouraging. Although weather conditions and other causes have hindered some, the services during the week have, been good Thursday night was marked by the largest attendance since Sunday and the interest was better. It looks now as though things are shaping up for a real revival. The co-operation of the other pastors has been beautiful. We greatly appreciate their help as well as the effort of their people. Let's all get down to business and make this next week one of great benefit to the kingdom. Services each evening at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody is invited to come.

J. M. GARNER, Pastor.

Uneven hangs Hems



The uneven hem line features this new Poirer coat. It is buckled on the side, tied from the back and is embroidered with red and black. It is stylishly conservative.

HOUSE PASSES SHIP SUBSIDY BILL

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The Administration's ship subsidy bill, designed to provide for the successful maintenance of the American merchant marine on a par with the commercial fleets of other nations, was passed this afternoon by the House of Representatives. The vote was 208 to 184, a majority of 24 for the bill.

The final vote was reached after a motion to recommit the bill back to the merchant marine committee—a move to defeat the bill, offered by Representative Rufus Hardy of Texas—had been voted down, 215 to 172. This motion proposed the indirect subsidy provision be stricken out.

The House also reversed its action of yesterday when the Edmonds "bone dry" amendment was adopted. This amendment was stricken out, thereby eliminating all reference to liquor carrying or selling.

The bill now goes to the Senate where it will meet even stiffer opposition than that offered in the House, and where its defeat is freely predicted.

The Democrats of the Senate with the possible exception of Senator Ransdell, democrat, of Louisiana, will oppose the bill to a man and to this strength will be added that of a majority of the farmers' "bloc," and the so-called "progressive group" of Republicans headed by Senator Borah, Republican, of Idaho, and La-Follette, Republican, of Wisconsin.

In the Senate the bill will run into protracted debate and it is uncertain when a vote can be had.

HOT OUT OF THE OVEN

Mother brags because son is college bred. Father says he knows it takes a lot of dough. We all know that son has plenty of crust.

SO PLAIN SPOKEN

"What's the penalty for stealing a man's daughter?" "Hard labor for life."

MR. MERCHANT

You Need the Newspaper

The newspaper of today is the most powerful medium of advertising on earth. In the old days the merchant may have thought he was a benefactor and that he was contributing his bit "as a public-spirited citizen" when he carried a two-inch space in the village paper every week in the year and generally without change of copy. Possibly he was.

But that is changed now. A new order has arrived. People read advertisements. Many find their greatest interest in looking over the advertising pages to get news that will save them money, and take it from John D. Rockefeller, the way to save your dollars is first to save your pennies.

Advertisements today are right up to the minute. They are as fresh as the news of the world or the latest baseball score. Live merchants cater to live people and they know they must not alone be up to the minute, but they must be some distance ahead. They must anticipate the wants of their customers.

And they do. Turn to the advertisements in this paper right now. Just read what the merchants are offering. Notice how attractively the advertisements are set up and how inviting they are.

Business men—that is the successful ones—know advertising pays big returns. Unsuccessful men don't advertise because they are unsuccessful. That's the answer. Look over your town right now and pick out the big firms. They're the advertisers. Advertising is the tonic that puts dividends in the banks.

Everybody reads advertisements today. Mr. Merchant, is your advertisement in this paper?

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Low Price

GET YOURS NOW

We have just had an opportunity to get a large lot of honey at a very low figure and are going to pass it along at a price not quoted in Pecos before.

It's the very purest of ALFALFA HONEY OF THE MIDSUMMER CROP and was made RIGHT IN THE MIDST OF THE BIG ALFALFA FIELDS NEAR BARSTOW. Every bucket of it fully guaranteed to be the finest.

Telephone 180 and we will be right there with any amount you want from one ten pound bucket to a dozen. Price a dollar and a half for ten pound bucket.

MILLER'S SECOND HAND STORE

PECOS, TEXAS

HOLIDAY REMINDERS

The Enterprise has just received a large consignment of samples of Holiday Cards, Folders, Etc., which can be had at a reasonable price. Call and see them and

Place Your Order Early

WHY MINCE YOUR WORDS?

What would you say to a man who showed complete willingness to risk the loss of his life? Suppose, for instance, he were one of those misguided folks who thinks it sportsmanlike to attempt to beat a train over a railroad crossing.

Well, it is possible he might think you were interfering with his personal affairs when you criticized him; but at the same time he could not fail to realize that you had no axe to grind and that you were acting for his benefit.

Now let's suppose another case. If you were out riding with that same person and he took chances at a crossing, you would be strictly within your rights in telling him your opinion of him.

Here is a little suggestion of what you might say provided you didn't think of something better:

"Now, Mr. Sands, I have heard you spoken of as a man who takes big risks at railroad crossings. I noticed you one day running a chance that I wouldn't take for a thousand dollars. I didn't remonstrate with you, for I thought you might retort that it was your own life you risked. You told another man so one day.

"Now things are different. You asked me to ride in your car. Very kind of you. I accepted with thanks.

"When we drove near the crossing, I touched your arm and said, 'wait till that train passes before you try to cross.' You made no reply but stepped on the gas. More by luck than anything else, you got across just in time to save our two lives from destruction.

"The engineer was leaning out of his window and the fireman was in the gangway. Evidently both thought it a likely case for the coroner.

"You are foolish to do such things, when alone, but when you have a helpless passenger in the car with you, I call the act a criminal one.

"I mean what I say and I won't mince my words just for the sake of being polite.

"Politeness! Nix, no stree! I'd rather be pushed into a deep river with my overcoat on than to be hustled across a railroad track right in the face of an approaching train.

"Watch your step or the grave-digger will be taking some measurements in your cemetery lot."

HENRY FORD AND LIQUOR

"Quit your liquor or quit your job" the latest edict of Henry Ford to his 70,000 Detroit workers, once more brings the question of personal liberty into the editorial limelight. And aside from a few writers who treat the Ford ultimatum in a facetious manner editors in general agree with Mr. Ford that a worker's efficiency is considerably lessened by indulgence in liquor, and that as one of the largest employers of labor in the world, Mr. Ford is justified in issuing such a drastic order. Reports have it that on several occasions men have gone crazy in the Ford plant from bootleg or home made drinks and started to run amuck. If they had not been seized in time tragic results might have followed. The Rochester Post-Express therefore endorses the motorcar manufacturer in his ruling; he is clearly within his rights. As this paper sees it if Mr. Ford wishes to employ men who do not touch liquor it is his privilege to employ them, and those who wish to drink liquor can seek jobs elsewhere under some other employer. That is their privilege. Certainly there seems to be no room for them in the Ford organization, for according to the announcement "From now on, it will cost a man his job, without any appeal being considered, to have the odor of beer, wine or liquor on his breath, or to have any of these intoxicants on his person or in his home."

The Eighteenth Amendment is a part

Mother Arrives in Congress.



Mrs. Winifred M. Huck, of Illinois, mother of three, is the first mother elected to Congress. As shown here, on the right, she is receiving flowers from Congresswoman Alice Robertson of Oklahoma, who failed for re-election to the House.

of the fundamental laws of this country. It was meant to be enforced. Politics has interfered with enforcement of this law, but so far as our organization is concerned it is going to be enforced to the letter."—Literary Digest.

THE NEAR EAST PROBLEM

Civilization has waited patiently for an indefinite period for the Turk to come to some realization of what civilization means.

The Christian and civilized nations of the world have turned the other cheek, they have been tolerant, peaceful, and conciliatory to a wild, unmentionable, untameable beast.

The time has come, or it is approaching when the inevitable clash must be felt.

Let it come.

Civilization is ready for it.

Civilization's souls will be lost if it compromises, kowtows, and placates this unmentionable beast any longer.

Grant for the sake of argument that three hundred millions of people follow the Turks, God and one are a majority against such forces and foes.

Let Christian civilization say to the unmentionable beast, "You have slaughtered your last Christian, and you have danced at your last massacre."

Let the guns of England, America, France and every other civilized nation be ready for action. Let the blow be delivered and the unmentionable beast be brought to his knees and made to respect the person of our women, the sovereignty of our laws, the sacredness of our institutions, and the divinity of Christian civilization.

The Turk must go.

Let the blow fall and end the Eastern problem, menace, danger, and disaster.

Because of the mild climate of Texas many disabled soldiers have come from northern states to take advantage of the vocational training offered in the United States Veterans' Bureau of the University of Texas. There are 66 students registered in the Bureau this session, and probably ten of them will receive degrees at the next commencement. Degrees were conferred last year on ten students. It is thought that the maximum number of vocational students has been reached this year, and that in four years practically all disabled veterans desiring University training will have been rehabilitated.

No Worms in a Healthy Child

All children troubled with Worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Worms will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 50c per bottle.

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Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is simply Iron and Quinine suspended in syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs QUININE to Purify it and IRON to Enrich it. Destroys Malarial germs and Grip germs by its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. 50c.

FINE LANDS FOR GOOD FARMERS

Some of the finest black cotton lands the sun shines on; fine fruit lands; fine lands for feed crop, oranges, dairying, poultry and hog raising. Prices right—terms to suit any good farmer. Ask for our new booklet, H. M. Madison, Gen. F & P Agt., S. A. & A. P. Ry., San Antonio, Texas. Summer Excursions till September 30th. Write Geo. F. Lupton, G. P. A., about them.

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THE PECOS ENTERPRISE



Thanksgiving 1922



FINANCIAL REVIEW

Prepared For The Enterprise By The First National Bank in St. Louis.

Stocks of all classes of refined oils decreased during September, compared with the end of August, according to statistics of the United States Bureau of Mines. With the exception of lubricative oils, production and imports of refined oils showed a daily average exceeding that for August, and far above September, 1921.

Gasoline production and imports for September averaged 18,035,177 gallons daily, compared with 17,331,853 in August and 14,158,681 gallons in September, 1921. Domestic consumption and exports of gasoline in September averaged 18,491,427 gallons daily, compared with 20,063,164 gallons in August, or 456,250 gallons daily greater than production and imports during the month. As a result, gasoline stocks decreased 13,687,501 gallons from the end of August.

Gasoline stocks have been declining since April 30, last, when they were approximately 900,000,000 gallons. Stocks of 690,050,809 gallons at the end of September, therefore, were about 210,000,000 gallons below peak.

Gas and fuel oil production in

September aggregated 917,857,786 gallons, against 944,289,105 gallons in August and 788,408,124 gallons in September 1921. Stocks of gas and fuel oil on September 30, amounted to 1,364,165 gallons compared with 1,366,611,611 gallons at the end of August, and 1,229,254,127 gallons at the end of September 1921.

Lubricating oils produced in September amounted to 82,056,712 gallons, compared with 88,824,133 gallons in August, and 69,053,367 in September of last year. Stocks of lubricating oils at the close of September, 214,727,811 gallons, were nearly 6,000,000 below the 220,668,498 gallons in storage at the end of August and about 15,000,000 gallons less than stocks of September, 1921.

MARRIED HERE FRIDAY

Mr. Cecil Salmons and Miss Lucille Patterson were married Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Dr. R. L. Irving.

The bride is a popular Balmorhea girl, being the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Patterson. At one time they made their home in Fort Davis, and she has hosts of friends here, who wish the young couple every happiness.

They will make their home in Balmorhea, the groom being in business there.—Fort Davis Post.

IT'S TOASTED one extra process which gives a delicious flavor



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SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Reeves. By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, on the 12th day of October, 1922, by S. C. Vaughan, Clerk of said court against J. F. McKinzie for the sum of Twenty-Five and 18-100 (\$25.18) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause

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No. 2198 in said Court, styled The Town of Pecos City versus J. F. McKinzie and placed in my hands for service, I, E. B. Kiser as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 3rd day of November, 1922, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Reeves county, described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 4 in block No. 43; lot No. 5 in block No. 43; lot No. 4 in block No. 45, in West Park Addition to the Town of Pecos City, Reeves County, Texas, according to the map or plat of said addition now of record in the deed records of Reeves County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said J. F. McKinzie. And on Tuesday, the 5th day of December, 1922, 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 Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. F. McKinzie by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.

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

Witness my hand, this 3rd day of November, 1922. E. B. KISER, Sheriff Reeves County, Texas. R. G. MIDDLETON, Deputy.

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Reeves.

By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, on the 12th day of October, 1922, by S. C. Vaughan, Clerk of said Court against O. J. Green for the sum of Twenty-Five and 04-100 (\$25.04) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 2193 in said Court, styled The Town of Pecos City versus O. J. Green and placed in my hands for service, I, E. B. Kiser as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 3rd day of November, 1922, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Reeves County, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots No. 10-11 and 12 in block No. 37 in West Park Addition to the Town of Pecos City, Reeves County, Texas, according to map or plat in said town now recorded in the deed records of Reeves County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said O. J. Green. And on Tuesday, the 5th day of December, 1922, 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 Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said O. J. Green by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.

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

Witness my hand, this 3rd day of November, 1922. E. B. KISER, Sheriff Reeves County, Texas. R. G. MIDDLETON, Deputy.

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Texas, County of Reeves.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Taylor County, Texas, on the 24th day of October, 1922, by J. K. Fuller, clerk of said court, for the sum of Thirty-four Hundred Sixty-two and 93-100 (\$3462.93) Dollars, with interest thereon from the 17th of October, 1922, at the rate of ten per cent per annum and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of the J. M. Radford Grocery Company, a private corporation, in a certain cause in said court, No. 5015, and styled J. M. Radford Grocery Company vs. O. J. Green, Mary Bridges Green, Dublin Mill & Elevator Company and J. B. Hudson, trustee of the estate of O. J. Green in bankruptcy, and placed in my hands for service, I, E. B. Kiser as sheriff of Reeves county, Texas, did on the 1st day of Nov. 1922, levy upon certain real estate situated in Reeves county, Texas, described as follows:

Being all the west one-half of section No. eighteen (18) in block No. three (3), H. & G. N. Ry. Co. land in said Reeves county, Texas, being that part of said section west of the Santa Fe Ry. Co., and containing two hundred seventy (270) acres, less a certain forty (40) acre tract out of said 270 acres described in deed from Mary Bridges Green to Basalle Tarrango, recorded as aforesaid and levied upon as the property of the said defendants, Mary Bridges Green, O. J. Green, Dublin Mill & Elevator Company and J. B. Hudson, trustee, and on the first Tuesday in December, 1922, the same being the 5th of December, 1922, at the courthouse door of

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Reeves county, Texas, at Pecos, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. by virtue of said levy and said order of sale I will sell the above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of the said Mary Bridges Green, O. J. Green, Dublin Mill & Elevator Company and J. B. Hudson, trustee, and will sell all the right, title and interest of each of the said named defendants in said land.

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

Witness my hand this the 1st day of Nov. 1922. E. B. KISER, Sheriff Reeves County, Texas. 13-4t.

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Reeves.

By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, on the 12th day of October, 1922, by S. C. Vaughan, Clerk of said court against O. Mitchell for the sum of Twenty-Seven and 28-100 (\$27.28) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 2171 in said Court, styled The Town of Pecos City versus O. Mitchell and placed in my hands for service, I, E. B. Kiser as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 3rd day of November, 1922, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Reeves County, described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 8 in block No. 29 in the Town of Pecos City, in Reeves County, Texas, according to the map or plat of said town, now recorded in the deed records of Reeves County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said O. Mitchell. And on Tuesday, the 5th day of December, 1922, 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 Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said O. Mitchell by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.

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

Witness my hand, this 3rd day of November, 1922. E. B. KISER, Sheriff Reeves County, Texas. R. G. MIDDLETON, Deputy.

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Reeves.

By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, on the 12th day of October, 1922, by S. C. Vaughan, Clerk of said court against A. M. Randolph for the sum of One Hundred Seventy Nine and 11-100 (\$179.11) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 2195 in said court, styled The Town of Pecos City versus A. M. Randolph and placed in my hands for service, I, E. B. Kiser as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 3rd day of November, 1922, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Reeves County, described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 1 in block No. 70, in the Town of Pecos City in Reeves County, Texas, according to the map or plat of said town now of record in the deed records of Reeves County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said A. M. Randolph. And on Tuesday, the 5th day of December, 1922, 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 Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said A. M. Randolph by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.

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

Witness my hand, this 3rd day of November, 1922. E. B. KISER, Sheriff Reeves County, Texas. R. G. MIDDLETON, Deputy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Wm. Meyer by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Reeves County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the 8th day of January, A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of August, 1922, in suit No. 726, wherein Pruett Lumber Company, a Corporation, is Plaintiff and Wm. Meyer and Floyd Goodrich, are Defendants, and said petition alleging:

First. That heretofore, to-wit, on Jan-

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uary 2nd, 1920, the said defendants executed and delivered to plaintiff a certain promissory note bearing date on the date and year aforesaid, being in the sum of \$201.53, due six months after date, bearing interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from date and further providing that if said note is placed in the hands of an attorney, after maturity, for the payment of an additional 10 per cent of amount then due, as Attorney fee.

Whereby defendants became bound and liable to plaintiff and promised plaintiff to pay him the sum of money in said note specified, together with all interest and attorney fees, according to the tenor and effect thereof, said note being in words, and figures, substantially described as follows \$201.53

Pecos, Texas, Jan. 2nd 1920. Six months after date, I, we or either of us jointly and severally, promise to pay to the order of Pruett Lumber Company, at their office in Pecos, Texas, the sum of Two Hundred One & 53-100 Dollars, for value received, with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date until paid. And in the event default is made in the payment of this note and it is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, or if collected by suit or through the Probate Court, I hereby agree to pay all costs of collection, including ten per cent of principal and interest then due, as attorney fees; and it is agreed that all signers and endorsers of this note, either as principal or sureties, waive demand, protest, notice of protest and non-payment, and that this note may be renewed from time to time without notice to them.

(Signed) WM. MEYER, FLOYD GOODRICH. No. 795.

Second.

That thereafter on the 23rd day of December, 1920, the defendants executed and delivered to the plaintiff a promissory note in the sum of \$208.90 bearing date on the date and year last aforesaid, payable to the order of plaintiff at Pecos, Texas, due 6 months after date with interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from date until paid and further providing for 10 per cent additional on the amount of principal and interest due if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection or suit is brought on same.

Whereby defendants became bound and liable to pay and promised plaintiff to pay him the sum of money in said note specified, together with all interest and attorneys fees. That plaintiff has placed said note in the hands of H. G. Russell, an attorney, for collection, after maturity and contracted to pay him the 10 per cent stipulated in said note, the same being a reasonable, usual and customary fee. The said note is described as follows: \$208.90. Pecos, Texas, December 23rd, 1920.

Six months after date, I, we or either of us, jointly and severally promise to pay to the order of Pruett Lumber Company, at their office in Pecos, Texas, the sum of Two Hundred and Eight Dollars and Ninety Cents for value received with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date until paid. And in the event default is made in the payment of this note and it is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, or if collected by suit or through the Probate Court, we hereby agree to pay all costs of collection, including ten per cent of principal and interest then due as attorney's fees; and it is agreed that all signers and endorsers of this note, either as principals or sureties, waive demand, protest, notice of protest and non-payment, and that this note may be renewed from time to time without notice to them.

(Signed) WM. MEYER, FLOYD GOODRICH. No. 811.

Third.

That said notes are now due and unpaid and defendant, though often requested, has hitherto failed and refused and still refuses to pay the same or any part thereof to plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$201.53 with interest and attorney fees, plus the sum of \$208.90 with interest and attorney fees.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays the Court that the defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition and that he have Judgment for his said debt, being the sum of \$208.90 and \$201.53, with interest and attorney fees and costs of suit and such other and further relief to which, in law or equity, he be justly entitled.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 19th day of Oct. A. D. 1922. (SEAL) S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk, County Court Reeves County, Texas.

H. P. KERB, Deputy Number 726, in the County Court, Reeves County, Texas, Pruett Lumber Company vs. Wm. Meyer, et al Citation by Publication issued this 19th day of Oct. A. D. 1922.

S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk, County Court Reeves County, Texas.

H. P. KERB, Deputy 12-4t



Our Job Office Equipment Has Been Greatly Added to by Autocaster Cuts

We do posters, calendars, hand bills, office forms and all kinds of the job printing.

We do this work well, and just a lot better by reason of the fact that as the holder of the Autocaster franchise our job illustration and type equipment is constantly being built up.

Come in and see our Autocaster Stereotyping Machine working and you'll understand how we can furnish cuts without increasing cost.



PERSONAL

Mrs. Mann is reported as being ill with pneumonia.

Frank Macek of Toyah was a business visitor in Pecos Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. W. W. Camp is spending a few days in El Paso, going over the forepart of the week.

Mrs. Jno. B. Howard and children left Wednesday for Midland where they will spend a few days.

Judge Harry MacTier came over from Toyah Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving in Pecos.

Miss Mary Vance Pickett of Marfa is the guest of Mrs. Wylie Cole this week.

Most of the teachers have gone out in the country to visit friends during the Thanksgiving vacation.

There are yet three in the family of J. G. Murray seriously ill with typhoid fever.

Archie Ross, who has been ill with typhoid for some time is still in a critical condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Otto expect to leave Saturday for a few days visit in El Paso.

L. Sparks expects to leave Saturday for Dallas for a short visit with his wife and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nichols of Barstow were over Tuesday in attendance upon the irrigation meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bozeman and children and Annie Lou Cole left Thursday morning for El Paso where they will visit for a few days.

H. P. Sewell of Fort Worth is here on a visit to his brother, R. N. Sewell, and looking after business matters.

County Commissioner A. W. Hosie was over from Toyah Saturday mingling with the crowds and listening to the band.

Mrs. Ed Vickers left the latter part of last week for a few days visit with her daughter, Miss Minnie, in El Paso.

Mrs. Jim Sharp and child are here from their home at Madill, on a visit to her father, T. H. Beauchamp, and sister, Mrs. G. C. Parker.

J. G. Love left Wednesday afternoon on a business trip to Kansas City. He was accompanied as far as Dallas by Mrs. Love and his two daughters, the Misses Aileen and Margaret, who are expected to return early in the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jones and children, who came in from the ranch near Midland the latter part of last week for a visit with Mrs. Jones' mother, Mrs. G. T. Looby, will return home the latter part of this week.

Presiding Elder J. C. Jones held his first quarterly conference with the Methodist church in Pecos Monday evening. He reports his charges all over the district as being in fairly good condition and making satisfactory progress.

Manager Gray of the Pecos Valley Water Users' Association of Texas was in attendance upon the meeting Tuesday and remained over for a day or so looking after association business. Mr. Gray is a good business man, a live wire and usually gets what he goes after.

R. E. Miller of Second Hand Store fame, believes Enterprise advertisement pays. Recently he had an enquiry for honey with the Enterprise ad clipped from Brann's iconoclast. He is selling that honey, too, and those using it say there is none better at any price.

W. W. Camp celebrated his sixty-third birthday yesterday as well as Thanksgiving all by his lonesome, Mrs. Camp being in El Paso on a v.s.t. May he have the pleasure of celebrating many more and may each one be more pleasant than the one preceding it is the wish of the Enterprise.

Mrs. L. M. Lawson was over from Toyah Wednesday to meet Mrs. F. W. Piehler who came in on the Santa Fe the same day from Roswell. Mrs. Piehler accompanied Mrs. Lawson home for a visit with the Lawson family. Mrs. Lawson says that at Mr. Lawson and the children are very much pleased with Toyah but that she is still in love with Pecos and her people.

J. G. Love who returned from Dallas last week states that the little boy, Wallace Connelly, who was sent to Dallas by the good citizens of Pecos for treatment, is getting along nicely and is expected to return home in a week or so. He is yet in plasters and it is not known just how much response will be yielded to the treatment but is sure he is much better.

Those interested in El Paso and Juarez will be glad to know that the road is in first-class condition all the way with the exception of from Pecos to Hormosa and one or two other short links. If you do not think so just ask Ralph Williams or I. J. Sims who made the trip there last week in considerably less than seven hours and in a Ford too. The meter registered about 213 miles.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hedburg of Erc., Pa., came in Saturday of last week and will take up their abode at the Los-Pecos well. This well, it is understood, will pipe gas from the Bell well for fuel when they again resume operations.

J. R. Hampton, one of the proprietors of the New Hotel and Rialto Theatre, informs the Enterprise that he is enjoying a splendid business in both lines. Especially has the attendance at the theatre very materially increased since he began using Enterprise advertising space. Mr. Hampton says he has always been a believer in newspaper advertising and now he has the abstract evidence. The Enterprise has the circulation and will reach the people you want to reach.

H. B. Prickett and M. N. Erlenback today opened up what is to be known in the future as "The Toggery" and will carry an exclusive line of men's wearing apparel. Note their ad in another place in this paper. They are located just west of John Brocat's barber shop.

WILLIAM HASKELL MURRAY

William Haskell Murray was born March 25, 1903, at Sulphur Springs, Texas. He departed this life November 25, 1922, making him nineteen years and eight months old at the time of his death. Haskell was converted and united with the Baptist church at Sulphur Springs at the age of twelve. The family moved to Pecos some four years ago. This young man, together with other members of his family affiliated with the First Baptist church of this place, and has prided in the high standards of his church.

It is said by all of his associates that he was clean in his habits, did not frequent questionable places, or associate with ill-thought of persons. He discouraged inconsistency and sought at all times to be loyal to his associates, his school, his community, and his country. He was magnetic among his fellows and loved by them all.

It would be hard to find a young man who is more devoted to home than was Haskell. His parents could confide in him and in turn know his secrets. He was especially devoted to his mother, and held his father in no less esteem. Looked on by his brothers and sisters as a model boy he tried to be worthy of their confidence.

Surviving him are his parents, two brothers and two sisters, all of Pecos. And I think it not amiss to mention the idol of his dreams, his brokenhearted sweetheart, Miss Hazel Biggs. To these mourning loved ones may be added all who knew him here or elsewhere. They were all his friends.

—Contributed.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to take this means of expressing our grateful appreciation for the many favors rendered by the different church organizations, individual members, lodges and friends from everywhere during the illness in our home and the death of our beloved son and brother, Haskell. Your service, deeds of kindness, floral offerings, words of sympathy, and various expressions of friendship have greatly stimulated and encouraged us during our sore trials. Pecos people have proved friends indeed, and our faith in you shall abide. May God bless and guide every one of you as our sincere prayer together with our deepest thanks.

MR. AND MRS. J. G. MURRAY AND FAMILY.

MAKING THE DESERT SAFER GEOLOGICAL SURVEY SETS UP SIGNPOSTS AND PUBLISHES MAPS AND ROAD LOGS

To those who have never been on a desert the word "desert" conveys the impression of a barren waste incapable of supporting life, a perilous stretch of waterless, lifeless land that separates areas of fertile land on either side of it. The word "desert" however, may have diverse meanings, for some deserts are much more inhospitable than others. Travel through any wide area of desert is nevertheless fraught with danger, for in such areas springs, wells, and water-holes are far between, and our American deserts have, year after year, taken their toll of human life. The recent work of the United States Geological Survey in mapping certain desert areas in the Southwest and in erecting at suitable places signposts giving directions and distances to springs and waterholes is therefore of special interest. In 1917 the Geological Survey, under authority contained in an act of Congress making a small special appropriation, erected signposts in the most dangerous parts of our southwestern deserts, giving directions and distances from watering place to watering place. The results of this life-saving work of the geological survey are being published in a series of guidebooks.

One of these guidebooks, the third of the series, by C. P. Ross, has just been published. It describes desert watering places in the lower region, Arizona, including approximately the triangular area between Phoenix, Yuma, and Parker. It contains three large maps of the region, shaded to indicate the relief and showing the location of the roads, the wells, springs, and other watering places, and the signposts erected by the geological survey. The maps are the most complete and accurate yet published for this region. The relief shading brings out strongly the larger features of the topography and makes the maps readily understandable, even by those who have no technical training.

The paper contains detailed logs of the roads in the region, including automobile routes but those of branch roads that leads to remote parts of the desert, which are seldom visited and little known. These logs show in heavy type the points at which water can be contained. There is also a list of watering places, with brief information as to their location and availability.

The introductory part of the guidebook contains detailed information regarding difficulties encountered in traveling through the desert and suggestions for surmounting them. Anyone who intends to travel in this region should consult one of these guidebooks. Copies of this publication, which is numbered Water-Supply Paper 490-C and entitled "Routes to desert watering places in the lower Gila region,

Arizona," have been sent to the post offices, the Chamber of Commerce, and the principal hotels and garages in the region and can be consulted at many of these places.

OBSERVING OLE

"Some girls' faces ain't worth the skin they are painted on."

ORDER IN THE COURT ROOM

"Get the prisoner's name and then tell his mother."

"Plais, y'r honor, don't you think his mother knows his name."

NOTICE TO WAR SAVING STAMPS OWNERS

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A GUARANTY FUND BANK
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This is one of the finest productions we have ever had the pleasure of booking and we do not hesitate in recommending it to our patrons.
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"On With the Dance," "Pecks Bad Boy," "Male and Female," "Foolish," "Vives," "In the Name of the Law."