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## THE STOCK IS SHIPPED

ments Still Continue, and Rains Will Revive This Industry.

iving the stock shipments aim to give all within territory of Pecos, wholesale trade as well retail.

Friday the Texas and Pacific brought down from ore for Scott & Camp 20 of stock cattle which Santa Fe carried up to Orere they were put on re.

Friday Sol Mayer shipped over the Pecos Valley ern and the Texas and railways three care of fat steers which he had ed near Toyahvale. They beauties and were coned to the Cassidy, Southern Commission Co., at Worth.

N. Couch shipped from ew spur which has been recently on his farm four north on the Santa Fe, ay, a carload of choice 53 head in all, which aved about 200 pounds each. were billed to Fort Worth Mr. Couch went with the ent.

## Friday Bridge Club.

Friday Bridge club met pleasant session last Friday afternoon, March 31st, at home of Mrs. G. C. Parker uth Pecos.

uring a short business session the following officers were ed: Mrs. W. W. Hubbard ent; Mrs. Roy E. Barr, president; and Miss Leota champ, secretary and rurer.

veral games of bridge ayed, Mrs. Delbert kins having the high score. which the host, assisted Mrs. Ora Beauchamp, served delicious apricot mause, angel food cake.

he members of the club Mesdames Barr, Beaup, Eberstadt, Hankins, ard, Hubbard, Parker, y, Starley, Weyer, Wilson Miss Beauchamp.

On occasion the guests of the were: Mesdames Moore, omb, Drane, Kerr and e next meeting of the will be with Mrs. Ed Doty riday, April 14.

## THE SCHOOL AND CITY ELECTIONS

Citizens To Be Commended On Result of School Tax Levy. Marshal's Race Close.

The election held last Saturday in Pecos, for the purpose of electing four trustees, and also to authorize the trustees to levy a school tax sufficient to carry on the schools during the next school term—1916-17—not to exceed 50 cents on the \$100 valuation.

Messrs. A. S. McChesney, E. S. Alley, Haldine McChesney, and Wm. Miller, were the officers and clerks of the election

There were 153 votes polled 147 cast in favor of the tax levy, and only six against. Dr. Camp received 151 votes B. G. Smith 152. D. W. Bozeman 148 and T. H. Beauchamp 149. A few scattered votes were cast for other parties but the four named here were duly elected.

The meeting which was held last Tuesday week at the fountain had done such good, effective work in putting the people right on the school tax issue that there was practically none of the opposition that appeared before the meeting, and this was proven by the votes for the tax, which, lacking but 3 votes, stood 25 to 1 in favor of it, showing that our citizens are strong for the maintenance of the schools even though they may have to pay a little in excess of what they paid last year. It is with pride that we record the result.

There were 8 votes cast at the Crystal Water box, all of the 8 being registered against the levy, while the trustees above mentioned received a solid vote.

This makes the grand total of votes cast in the District 161 and as there were 147 for the tax and 14 against it, it cuts the percentage down to 11 1-2 to 1, which is good, but not as it should be, for an issue of such vital importance to our community life as this one is, should have carried unanimously.

There was practically no excitement Tuesday at the City election except possibly in the race for the office of Marshal, there being four aspirants to the job, and the race was close and exciting between the two highest, M. L. Roddy finally nosing under the wire with but two votes to spare over Ed Loper, standing at the close 73 to 71.

The vote was strong, and it is evident that not many of the residents within the corporate limits, holding a receipt, overlooked the opportunity, as 229 votes were recorded, and these were cast as follows:

## CITY COUNCIL HOLDS SESSIONS

Bonds of New Officials Fixed And Many Bills Allowed Meet Again Monday.

Monday evening the city council held their regular monthly session with the following members present: E. C. Canon, Mayor; Councilmen A. G. Taggart, S. M. Prewit, and Ed Vickers; Ben Warner, Secretary.

The minutes of the meeting, which appeared in full in a recent issue of The Times, were read and approved.

A motion was made and the same duly seconded that the secretary call for bids for the cleaning of the firemen's clothing, which get rather soiled and considerably crumpled up at fires.

Reports Nos. 2 and 3 of the city treasurer, Ed Vickers, were received, examined and approved, as were also the reports of City Marshal and Tax Collector Ed Kiser.

After due consideration the following bills against the city were allowed:

E. C. Canon, Mayor, \$50; E. B. Kiser, Marshal, \$100; Ben G. Warner, Tax Collector, \$100; Pecos Times, Job Work and notices, \$14.05; Magnolia Co., gasoline, \$10.50; Ed Vickers, Treasurer, \$100; Frank Joplin, sprinkling streets \$100; Carnegie Library, maintenance \$20; Pecos Mercantile Co., for mdse and work, \$14.50; Pecos Drug Co., mdse, 70c; Zimmer Hardware Co., mdse \$1.30; H. C. Roberson, cement sidewalk, \$25.60; Ben Warner, cleaning fire hall to hold election, 50c; S. E. Eberstadt, rent for Marshal's office, two months, \$15; Hubbs and Gardner, cleaning firemen's clothes, \$10.20; City Pharmacy, supplies, \$13.75; E. B. Kiser, refund on draft unpaid, \$18.99.

Wednesday evening the city council met in called session to canvass the votes cast at the election Tuesday, April 4th, with the following present: E. C. Canon, mayor; W. H. Moore, Ed Vickers, S. M. Prewit councilmen, Ben Warner secretary; Ed Kiser, marshal.

E. L. Collings, the presiding judge of the election presented the returns to the council, and after a canvass of same the following were declared elected:

E. C. Canon, mayor; S. M. Prewit, Ben Biggs, and Ralph Williams, councilmen; M. L. Roddy, marshal.

The bond of the tax collector was placed at \$5000, and that of marshal at \$1000.

E. L. Collings, E. S. Alley, J. T. H. Lipscomb, A. S. McChesney and O. H. Green, as judges and clerks of the election were each allowed \$2 for holding said election, and Mrs. T. Y. Moorhead was allowed \$2.50 for meals for officers and clerks.

The council adjourned until Monday evening, April 10th, at which time the newly elected officers may qualify.

## Commence Concrete Work.

Contractor Hugh Roberson, with a full crew, began the work of setting the form on the 300-foot concrete road-bed just this side of the road bridge at the river, Wednesday.

Messrs. T. C. Wofford and George R. Davis of Balmorhea were visitors in Pecos last Saturday.

Four councilmen: S. M. Prewit, 206; Ben Biggs, 195; Ralph E. Williams, 193; M. H. Schermerhorn, 23; O. J. Green 9; D. W. Bozeman, 6; E. L. Collings, 2.

For Marshal: M. L. Roddy, 73; Ed Loper, 71; I. A. Hanna, 43; R. E. L. Kite, 34.

We believe that each of the persons elected will do their duty for the coming year as they see it should be done, without fear or favor to anyone

## SULPHUR MINES PROPOSITIONS

Wealth Lying Dormant For Ages Likely To Be Garnered At Last.

A number of Eastern people arrived in Pecos Wednesday, for a trip to the sulphur mining property in Reeves and Culberson counties, that is controlled by Dancy & Hines, of Philadelphia. The party consisted of the following:

H. A. Mansfield, Grenada, Miss.; Alan Jamison, Birmingham, Ala.; P. S. Autrey, Atlanta, Ga.; E. R. Carruth, Houston, Tex.; R. Von Zakobiel, Louisville, Ky.; M. F. Sherfesse, Birmingham, Ala.; and W. O. Hooten, Chattanooga, Tenn.

There is considerable interest being manifested, not only by local people, but from people from other sections, in the proposed development of the

large sulphur properties that Messrs. Dancy and Hines control. It is understood that these gentlemen have secured the services of Prof. J. C. Carrera, a widely known mining geologist, to make an investigation and report on their properties.

Prof. Carrera at one time spent several months in the famous sulphur mines of Sicily, in the interests of a British syndicate that purchased those mines, making investigations and reports that resulting in their final purchase. He is, therefore, well qualified and equipped to advise as to the proper method of extracting the sulphur from the ore, etc. Prof. Carrera is now on an extended trip in connection with this year-making investigations as to the cost of mining, treating and shipping sulphur and sulphuric acid; markets for same, cost of plant, etc.; and while his work is not completed, his preliminary reports are very encouraging.

His trip involve visits to Denver, Chattanooga, Atlanta, and other points in the East and in the South. It is understood that not only does a large market exist in the West for sulphur, but there is particularly a great demand for sulphuric acid, which is used extensively by the fertilizing factories, and by the great copper mining companies in leaching copper from the ore. This process being much superior to the method used in smelting in certain kinds of ore. It is said that one of the big copper companies, the Calumet & Arizona, leaches four thousand tons of ore daily by the sulphuric acid process, and their consumption of acid is so great that they are arranging to put in an immense sulphur mining plant on their sulphur property at Fort Stockton, the entire output of which it is said will be used in their own work.

The El Paso Morning Times, commenting on the sulphur situation near Toyah, says:

"In the interest of a newly organized syndicate of Louisiana sulphur people, Prof. J. C. Carrera left El Paso Friday on a long tour of investigation to the various sulphur plants and sulphuric acid manufacturers of the United States, Europe and Japan, gathering data useful for the operation of the deposits of sulphur owned by the syndicate and for the most modern method of extracting the sulphuric acid which will be employed in the plant to be installed near Toyah. His first visit will be to Santa Rita mines of the Chino Copper Company to inspect the steam shovel mining methods. His other points to visit will include the sulphuric acid plants of the Western Chemical company in Denver; Ducktown, Tennessee, the great sulphur mines at Sulphur, Louisiana, and Freeport, Texas, and the sulphur mines in Sicily, Italy; the great sulphuric plants of the Rio Tinto mines in Spain, and finally the sulphur mines of Japan."

## ROYALLY ENTERTAIN AGAIN

Social Sessions of Fifth Meeting Nights Are Eagerly Looked For.

On Thursday of last week, in the evening, the Pecos City Lodge No. 650, I. O. O. F., right royally entertained their families, the Rebekahs and a few visitors in their Lodge rooms.

Recently the lodge decided that on every fifth meeting night in the month they would hold these social meetings and they are certainly proving to be very entertaining and profitable. There were about 200 present on this occasion.

The speakers who "Held Forth" were the Noble Grand, H. C. Zimmer and District Deputy Grand Master, F. F. Mace, and both done themselves proud in every way.

After the speaking everyone present ate to their hearts' content delicious strawberries and rich cream, and ice cream and cake.

Another enjoyable feature of this gathering was the fine music rendered by the Pecos City band.

All went home speaking very highly of the splendid time had.

## Merry Wives Meet.

On Tuesday evening, April 4th, the Merry Wives Club entertained their husbands and families at the home of Mrs. B. Stine, with a dinner, celebrating the 14th anniversary of the organization of the club.

These annual dinners are occasions which are viewed with longing anticipation for weeks by husbands and children, for the ladies always have plenty in quantity and variety to appeal to and appease the appetite of the most fastidious and hungriest of mortals. The dinner on this occasion was no exception to the rule for one seldom sees so much and such good fried chicken, hot rolls, creamed potatoes, salads, and many other thing, including the finishing courses of ice cream and cake.

During the dinner hour much merriment was indulged in by both young and old. Afterwards tables were cleared and the grown-ups played 42, while the children romped in the yard until a late hour.

When some one finally noticed the hour, everyone hastily departed, not having realized that it would soon be morning, and hoping to be a guest when again the Merry Wives have a dinner.

## S. V. Biggs To Put in Some More Land.

S. V. Biggs, who for the past year or more has been in Denver in the real estate business, has again come to Pecos and is preparing to grub, and put into splendid shape several hundred acres of land just North of Pecos on the East side of the river, sowing most of it to alfalfa.

Sam knows how it should be and will have it in the very pink of condition for the prospective purchaser.

"The sulphur mines," said Prof. Carrera, "of the Toyah basin, will supply the entire market of the Western states with sulphur and sulphuric acid. It will cut off the import of the material from Japan into this country. Sulphur from Japan is quoted at \$32 per ton in San Francisco today. Sulphuric acid (66 deg acid) is held at \$50 per ton on contracts at the factories. One ton of sulphur makes four tons of acid. This sulphur industry to be inaugurated by the Louisiana syndicate near Toyah, will be one of the biggest things ever inaugurated in the El Paso territory. The deposits of sulphur will, in my opinion, become the most extensive and economically worked of any in the world."

## UP-TO-DATE CONFECTIONERY

"The Elite" Levy & Beck, Proprietors.—Up-to-Now Their Slogan.

The Times has just been informed of a new business enterprise for Pecos, and from the information received from the parties who are to conduct this business, it is going to be a credit to the city.

"The Elite Confectionery" will be the style of the business and Messrs. Tom Levy and V. V. Beck, the proprietors, and will be located on the corner of second and Cypress streets at the stand formerly occupied by Mr. John Lilley. These two young men are well and favorably known to the citizens of Pecos, both stand high, and are young men of splendid business ability. Mr. Levy has been with the City Pharmacy, having had full charge of the fountain of this concern, and has had many years experience in this line of work.

Beck is the stenographer to the Pecos Mercantile Company. Mr. Levy will be manager, and have full charge of the business.

Mr. Levy has just returned from Fort Worth and Dallas where he purchased a complete, high-class and up-to-date confectionery outfit, consisting of a fine fountain and fixtures, also a fine line of candies, cigars, tobaccos, and other goods.

The confectionery will have a ladies parlor and special care will be given to make this one of the most popular places in Pecos. The parlor will be separate from the other part of the store, with colonade partition between.

The "Elite" will be ushered into being with a grand opening, as soon as the fixtures arrive and are installed. The exact date will be announced.

## E. C. Doty For Clerk.

Though it has been known for some time that Ed Doty has been an aspirant for the office of County and District Clerk of Reeves and Loving counties, his formal announcement appears in our columns for the first time this week.

We take pleasure in making the announcement, at his request, and are sure that he is exceptionally qualified to fill the office he seeks.

Ed should be no stranger to any of our folks, for he has resided continuously for the past ten years in Reeves County, coming to this section from Kentucky, where Democracy is bred in as the youth grows.

During his residence here he has, more than once, had a taste of official life, having served as deputy clerk under T. H. Beauchamp and under the present incumbent, Miss Willie-de Woods. He also, at various times assisted in the capacity of deputy sheriff under the late Jno. Y. Leavell and Tom Harrison, the present sheriff.

Eight years ago he was a candidate for the office of clerk, and, though he was not elected, made one of the hardest fights that it has been our pleasure to witness. Had he had the long residence, and advantage of the intimate association with our people then as he now enjoys, we are safe in saying that the result would have been different. Ed is popular, a loyal friend, thoroughly qualified to fill the office, and is a hard worker.

We feel we can say no more nor no less than above, but add to this his own promise that, if elected, he will be found always putting forth his best efforts in the service of the people. He respectfully asks you to consider his candidacy.

A. G. Taggart returned yesterday afternoon from a couple of days' business visit at Balmorhea.

PECOS ABSTRACT CO.

(R. C. Warn, Owner.) Pecos City, Texas.

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

Our abstracts are reliable.

Weekly report by the Pecos Abstract Company of Pecos, Texas of instruments filed for record with the County Clerk of Reeves County, from March 27 to April 1, 1916:

- Sheriff to C C Connell blks 3 and 4 Shannon sub. sec 64 blk 4, H & GN. \$300.00
Mrs. N B Perkins et vir to W K Perkins N 1-2 of SW 1-4 sec 9, blk 50 tsp 8, T & P Ry Co. Deed. \$500.00
A C Binder to Harry Thompson 160 acres sec 9, blk C7 PS. Deed. \$500.00
Mattie Savage et vir to F B Hall, trustee, sec 3 blk C27 PS. D. of T. \$300.00
State to JW Goode, 95 acres sec 97 blk 13 H & GN. Certification of redemption.
M E Terry to J B Marshall, farm lots 2, 3, 4, 8, sec 81, blk 33, H & GN. \$1.00
C M Hocker to Carrie Hocker sec 28, blk 54 tsp 4, T & P. Deed, etc. \$10.00
G B Green to S T Kelsey SE 1-4 of SW 1-4 sec 44, blk 6, H & GN. Deed. \$225.00
Finley Holmes to Citizens State Bank Toyah, lots 9 and 10, blk 8, Toyah. Deed. \$10.00
S M Prewitt to Jim Payne, part blk B College Add to Pecos. Deed. \$500.00
H Beauchamp, receiver, to H F Martin, part sec 34 blk 50 tsp 7 T & P; city add lot. Deed. \$170.00
H Beauchamp, receiver, to A S Newshouser tract 32, sec 7 blk C20 PS, city add lot. \$170.00
J J Gorman to Z R Emmons as trustee sec 2 blk 72 PS. Deed of trust. \$1000.00
Benton Stone to Ben Palmer, trustee, E 1-2 sec 24, blk 56 tsp 2 T & P. D of T. \$1483.25
T L Crum to A A Eddins N 165 acres sec 13 blk C1, H & GN. \$165.00
Sheriff to J B Bray, sec 316, E 398 acres 288, blk 19 H & GN; secs 20, 22, blk C1, PS. Deed. \$350.00
E B Daniel to Howard Yost, 171 acres B. Johnson survey. Deed. \$873.30
E O Olds to T A Martin sec 34 blk 57 tsp 1 T & P. \$320.00
G Dyer Amr. to T L Crum 165 acres sec 13 blk C1, Public School. \$165.00
J C Dougherty to J R Dougherty, trustee, 122 acres sec 9, blk 3, H & GN. \$1820.00
Oil and Gas Applications.
Emma Biggs sec 42.
B T Biggs, sec 38.
S T Kelsey, sec 44.
S A Breen, sec 30.
G G Breen, sec 28.
All in block 6, H & GN.

Protect School Children. Measles, scarlet fever and whooping cough are prevalent among school children in many cities. A common cold never should be neglected as it will weaken the system so that it is not in condition to throw off more serious diseases. Foley's Honey and Tar is pleasant to take, acts quickly, contains no opiates. For sale by Pecos Drug Co.—Adv.

Notice by Publication.

The State of Texas, ) County of Reeves ) To L. A. Needham, J. B. Dandridge, P. A. Cooney, J. H. Morrow, R. G. Werner, R. A. Dewens, M. J. Zollman, Thos. B. Huff, and Z. M. Scifras.

And all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land, delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Reeves for taxes, to-wit: On Section No. 3, Block No. 3, H & G N Ry. Co. Survey, in Reeves County, Texas, for the years, 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1914.

Which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amount: \$142.69 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the April term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be held April 24th, 1916.

said suit being filed March 21, 1916, and numbered 209A on the docket of said court, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure there-of for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this 21st day of March, A. D. 1916.

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Which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amount: \$82.61 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the April term of the District Court of Reeves County, and State of Texas, to be held April 24th, 1916, in Pecos, Texas, said suit being filed March 21, 1916, and numbered 207A on the docket of said court, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure there-of for said taxes and costs of suit.

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Section 3 and 4, Block 76, Public School Land, Loving County, Texas, and a vendor's lien is retained to secure the payment of the said notes, and each of them. Plaintiff alleges that he is the owner of said notes by duly executed transfers; that the first note due January 1st, 1914, and the second note, due January 1st, 1915, are both past due and unpaid, and he has declared the entire series of notes due and payable, and has made demand upon J. J. Stein for the payment thereof, but that said J. J. Stein has failed and refused to pay same, to plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$1000.00 together with all interest. Plaintiff further alleges that on February 1st, 1913, J. J. Stein conveyed by warranty deed to R. C. Cahill the land above described, the said R. C. Cahill assuming and agreeing to pay the indebtedness evidenced by said notes, and plaintiff has demanded payment of said R. C. Cahill, but said R. C. Cahill has failed and refused to pay said notes or any part thereof, to plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$1000.00, together with all interest. Plaintiff further alleges that defendant Mrs. Ida May Sherrick, a feme sole, is claiming some right, title or interest in and to said land and asks that she be made a party to this suit, that the interests of all parties may be adjusted. Plaintiff further alleges that the vendor's lien is a valid and substituting lien, and that the attorney's fees provided in said notes have been incurred. Plaintiff prays for judgment against defendant J. J. Stein for the principal sum of \$1000.00 together with interest and attorney's fees due thereon, and for judgment against defendant R. C. Cahill on his contract of assumption for the principal sum of \$1000.00, together with interest and attorney's fees due thereon, and for foreclosure of his vendor's lien on said Sections 3 and 4, in Blk. 76, Loving County, Texas, as against each and all of the defendants, for costs of suit, and for all special and general relief to which he is entitled.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, this 13th day of March, A. D. 1916.

(Seal) WILLIE-DE WOODS, Clerk, District Court, Reeves County, Texas By LILA WILLIAMS, 17Mar 12-4 Deputy.

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

You are hereby commanded to summon J. J. Stein, R. C. Cahill and Mrs. Ida May Sherrick, a feme sole, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there is a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Seventieth Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Seventieth Judicial District to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Pecos, on the Fourth Monday in April, A. D. 1916, the same being the 24th day of April, A. D. 1916, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1915, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1525, wherein Crate Dalton is Plaintiff, and J. J. Stein, R. C. Cahill and Mrs. Ida May Sherrick, a feme sole, are Defendants, and said petition alleging that on November 27th, 1912, defendant J. J. Stein executed and delivered to O. M. Bomar four certain promissory notes, each in the principal sum of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars, due on January 1st, 1914, 1915, 1916 and 1917, respectively, bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from Jan. 1st, 1913, and 10 per cent interest on all past due interest, and further for 10 per cent on both principal and interest as attorney's fees in case of default, and each note providing that failure to pay same when due shall mature all of said notes at the option of the holder thereof; said notes being executed in part payment for the following described land, to-wit: Section 3 and 4, Block 76, Public School Land, Loving County, Texas, and a vendor's lien is retained to secure the payment of the said notes, and each of them. Plaintiff alleges that he is the owner of said notes by duly executed transfers; that the first note due January 1st, 1914, and the second note, due January 1st, 1915, are both past due and unpaid, and he has declared the entire series of notes due and payable, and has made demand upon J. J. Stein for the payment thereof, but that said J. J. Stein has failed and refused to pay same, to plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$1000.00 together with all interest. Plaintiff further alleges that on February 1st, 1913, J. J. Stein conveyed by warranty deed to R. C. Cahill the land above described, the said R. C. Cahill assuming and agreeing to pay the indebtedness evidenced by said notes, and plaintiff has demanded payment of said R. C. Cahill, but said R. C. Cahill has failed and refused to pay said notes or any part thereof, to plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$1000.00, together with all interest. Plaintiff further alleges that defendant Mrs. Ida May Sherrick, a feme sole, is claiming some right, title or interest in and to said land and asks that she be made a party to this suit, that the interests of all parties may be adjusted. Plaintiff further alleges that the vendor's lien is a valid and substituting lien, and that the attorney's fees provided in said notes have been incurred. Plaintiff prays for judgment against defendant J. J. Stein for the principal sum of \$1000.00 together with interest and attorney's fees due thereon, and for judgment against defendant R. C. Cahill on his contract of assumption for the principal sum of \$1000.00, together with interest and attorney's fees due thereon, and for foreclosure of his vendor's lien on said Sections 3 and 4, in Blk. 76, Loving County, Texas, as against each and all of the defendants, for costs of suit, and for all special and general relief to which he is entitled.

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Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, ) County of Reeves ) By virtue of a certain Alias Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, on the 22nd day of March, 1916, by the clerk of said court against A. S. Whitten and O. B. Hoover, for the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-one and 25-100 (\$3331.25) Dollars, and costs of suit, in cause No. 1534 in said court, styled Turner Wilson, et al., versus A. S. Whitten, et al., and placed in my hands for service, I, Tom Harrison, as sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 22d, day of March, 1916, levy on certain real estate, situated in Reeves County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Being the West half of the North West quarter section and the West half or the Southwest quarter Section, and the West half of the East half of the North West quarter Section and the West half of the East half of the Southwest quarter Section, all in Section No. 272, in Block No. 13, H. & G. N. Ry. Co. Survey, containing 240 acres of land.

And levied upon as the property of said A. S. Whitten and O. B. Hoover, and on Tuesday, the 2nd day of May, 1916 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. S. Whitten and O. B. Hoover, by virtue of said levy and said Alias 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 Times, a newspaper published in Reeves County.

Witness my hand this 22nd day of March, 1916.

TOM HARRISON, Sheriff Reeves County, Texas. 7Apr-15-3.

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"Gets-It" is sold by druggists everywhere. 25c, a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are hereby authorized to announce the following named candidates for the office under which their names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, to be held in July 1916.

For County Judge:  
Jas. F. Ross.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:  
Tom Harrison (Re-election).  
E. B. Kiser.

For Tax Assessor:  
W. W. Camp (Re-election).  
J. W. B. Williams.

For County Treasurer:  
Mrs. M. Middleton (Re-election).

For County and District Clerk:  
Miss Minnie Vickers.  
Sully Vaughan.

For County Attorney:  
J. A. Drane (Re-election).

The Times office got out two newspapers this week. Our friend Jim Mullane of the Van Horn Advocate has very recently recovered from a light case of smallpox. His printer after he (the printer) had sufficiently fattened, so to speak, hiked out leaving Jim in a hole and we came to his assistance. So we're late again. Mr. Mullane says he is cured, entirely, positively cured, for they dipped him six times before the inspector passed him. There is only one person whom we are acquainted with that has anything on Jim, and that's our friend, Namon, of Biblical notoriety. He went under seven times. One on you, Jim.

The rain last Friday night and Saturday was a dandy! he jigger, or whatever they measure rain with registered close to two inches in this section. It was slow, and steady and accompanied by a flurry of snow. In the mountains to the south and southwest a deep snow is recoder, and big losses in cattle, also. The reports from the flats, however, record the losses at practically nothing over what was expected under normal conditions.

The mornings, since the rain fell, are rather coolish. Just the dope, though. Every big, healthy lungfull you draw in makes you feel like running a mile or two. Beats the doc's stuff all to pieces. The fishermen, however, are kept on the shelf. They glance at the fishing poles stuck up through the cedars, and don't know "Whether they will or not."

Only six in the city voted against the school tax levy. At Crystal Water the vote was solid against. Well, the victory was a glorious one, and in regard to those who cast their votes against the tax we will take a charitable view, and like our President, don't declare on them but make them "Salute the Flag."

It has been said that with the completion of our fine new roads will come numberless automobile accidents. Maybe so, but we want the fact recorded that you will be perfectly safe in the editors car, at all times. Twin cylinders, No. 8. Can't skid nor turn turtle.

The Times has a new dress. We didn't herald the fact, but waited to see if our readers would notice the fact. Did they? You tell them! Many are the words of praise, not as to looks alone but to matter contained. We are serving the public. They're pleased, so are we. Thank you.

The Pecos Times is BETTER—Still \$1.00.

AT THE CHURCHES.

Episcopal Church.

Rev. F. W. Pratt of Carlsbad, N. M., will be in Pecos next Monday, April 10th, and will hold services at the Episcopal church at 8 o'clock in the evening.

Everybody is most cordially invited to attend, and will receive a hearty welcome.

Church of Christ.

"The Golden Rule" and "The Ideal Wife and Mother" will be the sermon subjects on next Lord's Day, morning and evening, respectively. All the services of the church will be held at the usual hours. We extend to one and all an invitation to worship with us.

Homer L. Magee

Methodist Church.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

We are counting on you to be with us next Sunday.

Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Junior Missionary Society at 3 p. m.

Young Peoples' Missionary Society at 7 p. m.

The Sunday school institute conducted this week by Rev.

C. P. Moore, was a great help to those who attended. We extend a cordial invitation to all our friends and services. Strangers welcome. James H. Walker, Pastor.

The Baptist Church.

The pastor wants recruits for his Busy Folks Class in the Sunday school. Folks who haven't time to study the lesson.

The pastor attended the monthly Tea given by the Ladies Aid at the home of Mrs. Tom Harrison last Monday afternoon. He did not know that he had been missing so much by remaining away. We may go again.

That was such a tender, spiritual session that we had at the Bible study last Tuesday afternoon. It is devoutly hoped that all our ladies will become members of the Bible study class.

The monthly tea will be had hereafter on the first Tuesday in each month instead of Monday. The Ladies Bible study class will be held on Monday as heretofore.

What a help the orchestra was to the music last Sunday! We are counting on very great things from the music both in church and Sunday school services.

It has been decided to begin a series of revival meetings at the Baptist church next Sunday week, April 16, to continue indefinitely. The services will be conducted by our home forces. The hearty, prayerful cooperation of all of our people is earnestly desired and is confidently expected.

It is always a pleasure to have visitors worship with us and a cordial invitation is extended to you to visit us next Sunday morning and evening.

G. O. Key.

With Our Exchanges.

BY D. J. M.

The U.S. Discovers Evidence of Carranza Co-Operation, says a newspaper heading. Well, maybe they do; but it is more than many of its loyal subjects even suspected.

Well, Ty Cobb and Benny Kauf tangled at Houston, and each drew a two-bagger out of four times at bat. But Ty annexed two runs, and it is runs which count in baseball. —El Paso Times.

Benny is the boy that said he is going to make the Georgia Peach look like 30 cents with the 3 punched out. He might do it—we think not. One thing is certain, though: Benjamin had better deliver THE GOODS, if he don't well, we'd hate to be in his shoes.

Honors have come fast to Obregon. He recently married the handsomest young woman in Mexico and following that event was made minister of war in Carranza's cabinet. He is now strutting and caustically criticizing the United States. He should be "called."—Austin American.

This is the one-armed gink who, when Villa was pillaging northern Mexico, had command of the de facto government's troops in that section. He gave out daily interviews to the border dailies what he was going to do to Villa when he caught him; but it is still a recorded fact that he never got out of sight of the border.

Why did not President Wilson send his trusted friend and one-time body guard, Captain Bill McDonald, to capture Villa? He is the man who, it is said, would charge hell with a bucket of water, and doubtless though, he would not find water effective in this case, he would be willing to display his bravery by swinging a rope over the shoulders of the Mexican bandit and hog-tieing him. —Texas Republic.

We haven't seen a single issue upon which the present administration has acted but that it called forth some funny (?) remark from Moose Harris of the Republic. Why should a man be sent down there of whom people can only say "he would"? when we have at our disposal of men like Fungon, Pershing, Slocum and Dodd, whose reputations stand on deeds done, not traditions.

"I am strongly opposed to any State-wide prohibition bill being passed by the Legislature because I believe that such a law is impossible of enforcement in a city the size of Baltimore and its environs. Such being the case, a law of this kind interferes with personal liberty and rights and creates hypocrisy in the people."—Cardinal Gibbons.

Thank the Lord the high dignitaries of that church do not hold the same opinion in regard to the other community vices. The law hasn't entirely done away with murder, stealing, etc., by legislating against them. Oh, rats, the gentleman knows better, but at the same time knows what a deficit the abolition of the traffic would create in certain coffers.

The semi-annual statement required of newspapers and periodicals is always the occasion of mud-throwing with a few of them. Two dailies, not far from Pecos indulge in the pastime. No, we take that back: just one of them. The other quietly saws wood. It is a safe bet that the latter comes out best with the general public, and that is best, for as far as any paper is concerned, it's the people who pays the freight, and it don't take them long to get sick, deathly sick, of newspapers harranguing in out of ten it's the under dog who does the growling.

Congressman Davis is in bad. Very bad, indeed. He acquired the title of "Cyclone" by the lightning-like rapidity with which he can jump from one party to another. Some say it was on account of the impromptu verse which he composes while on the floor making his speeches to the gallery. Anyway, in a speech recently, he undertook to desecrate the memory of the old Confederacy and he was "called". As a result the speech has been ordered stricken from the records of Congress, and draws forth the following from the Taylor County Times:

Some of the Confederate veterans' resolutions being passed on Cyclone Davis should shock his abnormal ego as nothing else has ever been able to do. Cyclone will live happier in Connecticut hereafter, we surmise.

# Attention!

## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT!

Commencing Saturday, April 8th, we are going to have a series of special sales for Strictly Cash. These sales will each last for one week only, and be on one Special Article each week, and will continue indefinitely from time to time until we notify you.

We are going to give away premiums every Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock. To every person who visits our store and spends 50 cents in cash for merchandise we will give a chance on the articles to be given away. We will also give chances to every person who pays 50 cents or more on their account. The articles we are going to give away will be on display in our windows and you can see them any time during the week. We give a ticket, the duplicate of which will be placed in a box, not to be opened until Saturday, when the first number out of the box will draw the prize, and if you hold the lucky number you will get it. The number given out each week will only be good for that certain week, as there will be another article on display the following Monday and we will have new tickets for same.

We can and will make you a saving on cash purchases, and ask you to visit our store and be convinced. Watch our windows for display of articles to be given away. We hope you will take advantage of this opportunity, as you stand a good chance as the next to get one of these prizes. If you do not win you are out nothing, as you have gotten value received for your money anyway, besides making a considerable saving on your cash purchases.

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**H. L. (Sunshine) Johnson.**  
Our community was shocked last Friday evening upon learning of the death of H. L. (Sunshine) Johnson of the Big Valley, he having passed away at 10 o'clock in the morning of that day.  
Mr. Johnson had been out chopping some wood and came into the house, telling his wife that he felt all fagged out. He sat down in a chair and she attended to him, but he passed away in a very short time while in the chair from heart trouble, before medical attendance could be secured.  
H. L. Johnson was born in Jiles county, Tennessee, May 8th, 1852, and died at Big Valley in Ward County, Texas on Friday, March 31st, 1916, at 10 o'clock, a. m., at the age of 63 years, 10 months and 23 days.  
He was married to Isora Loe June 6, 1881 and moved to this section December, 1907. To this union were born seven children, five of whom arrived to young manhood and womanhood and are still living. Craig W., who lives in San Francisco, Calif., H. W. of Pyote, Roy E., of Midland, Mrs. Lindric LaBeff and Mrs. Vane LaBeff both of Pyote. Baby and Clay both died in infancy, at Carlton, Texas. All those living were present at the funeral, except Craik W., who could not reach here in time.  
Mr. Johnson was twice married, his first wife having died July 6, 1902. He was again married June 1st, to Mrs. Emma Elliott, at Comanche, Texas, who with the five children survive him, there having been no children born to the last marriage.  
The funeral services were conducted at Pyote, Rev. J. H. Walker, Methodist pastor of Pecos, officiating for Rev. Hammock, Presbyterian pastor, who was unable to attend. The remains were followed to its last resting place in the Pyote cemetery, by a large concourse of friends.  
Mr. Johnson was well and most favorably known to nearly this entire section of the country as a kind, loving, de-

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For Sale—A work horse. Or will trade for milch cow. See Frank Joplin, Pecos, Tex. 15tf

For Sale—40 head of pigs at \$3.00 to \$4.00 each. Also a few good brood sows. Tom Benson, Barstow, Texas. 15\*2

For Sale—Mebane planting cotton seed. Zack Carr, at Barstow, Texas. 14-1

For Sale—About one ton of Mebane cotton seed at 3 cts. per pound. J. E. Hudson, telephone 93-22, Pecos, Texas.

For Sale—Six Bronze hen turkeys, July hatch, weigh 13 pounds and over; 1 Bronze robbler, weighs 23 pounds, at 5 cents per pound for the lot. J. E. Hudson, phone 93-22 Pecos, Texas.

For Sale—A fine young Jersey fresh milch cow for sale. J. B. Miller, Pecos, Texas. 14-2

For Sale—One team of mares and one colt. F. E. Marshall, Pecos, Texas. 14\*

FOR SALE—Eggs from Pure bred Rose red combs Rhode Island Reds. 5 for \$1. Mrs. J. B. Briscoe, Pecos, Texas. 3\*12

FOR LEASE—Subject to sale, surveys Nos. 31, 33, and 35, Block 1, I & G N Ry Co., fronting on the Pecos River at Riverton. Address Ira H. Evans, Agent, Austin, Texas 0-4

FOR SALE—My Runabout Car, is still in Pecos, offered at a bargain or quick sale. Address W. H. Benway, Deming, N. M. 11-4

FOR SALE—A registered yearling Hereford bull for sale. J. H. Heard, phone 91-2, Pecos Texas. 12\*4

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## Notice Beekeepers.

I purchase my Bee supplies and honey cans in car lots direct from the factories and am in position to sell you as cheap as anyone. There will also be a great saving of freight. Write me for prices.

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## Notice.

To the public:  
Notice is hereby given that I am not and will not be responsible for any contracts or debts made by either R. M. Reed or W. W. Reed, and that neither of them have any right to contract or have anything to do with my property, real or personal, wherever it may be situated.

W. R. W. C. Reed.  
Dated April 4, 1916. 15-3

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Take the Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC. You know what you are taking, as the formula is printed on every label, showing it is Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form. The Quinine drives out malaria, the Iron builds up the system. 50 cents

Judge T. B. Anderson of Barstow was in Pecos Wednesday and gives exceedingly favorable reports of the cattle conditions in Ward County. He says that the loss from the cold rain and snow last week will be so light as to be practically nil. A splendid tribute to the sun-kissed sands of the Pecos Valley.

A letter received first of the week from Will Cowan and wife that their youngest child, Will E., who was operated on in Dallas last week for appendicitis, is doing so well that all expect to be at home about Sunday.

A deep snow fell in the Davis mountains, last Friday and Saturday. George Duncan, was out in it so much looking over his cattle that he suffered a slight attack of snow blindness, and, as a result is now decorated with green blinders.

The ladies of the Methodist church will hold a parcel post and home-made candy sale on the 15th of April. Place of sale to be announced later.

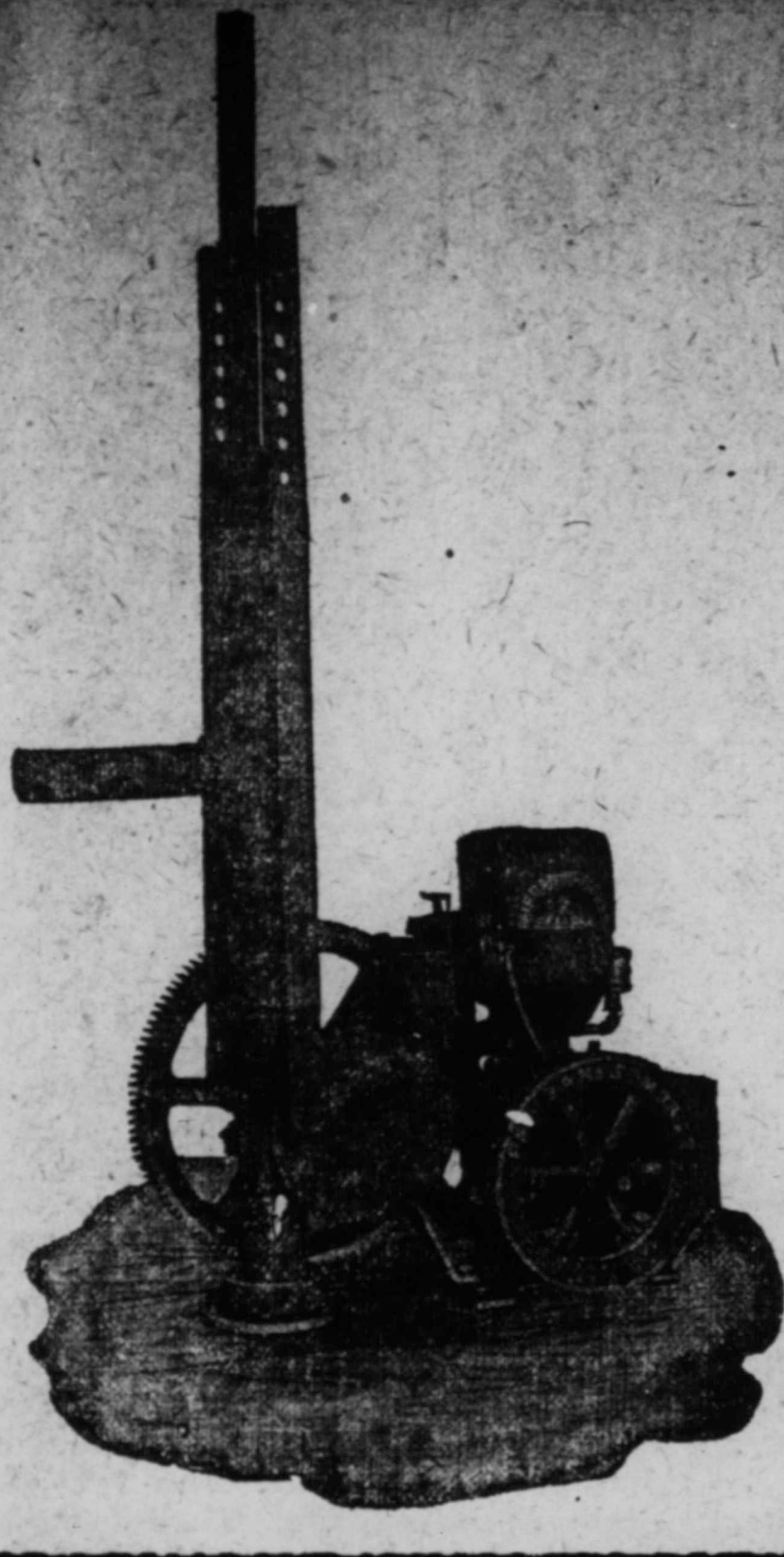
Phil Buchanan left Tuesday to take up his work with the Toyah Hotel. Phil is a most reliable, capable young man, with numerous good qualities, and we can highly recommend him to the good people of Toyah, for he always makes good at whatever he undertakes.

Mrs. Oscar King was again called to Fort Worth Wednesday by telegram stating that Mr. King was worse again. Her brother, Harry, accompanied her. Mr. Kerr informed us this morning that he received word that Mr. King was considerably better.

Dr. Roy E. Barr has moved his Dental Parlors to Room 22 of the Cowan building. This changes him from a back room to the southeast corner, where the light and air is much better and the change will be appreciated by his patrons. It is evident that the dental business is "picking up" in order to keep in stride with everything else since the recent big rain. I'll be 'here, will you? At church the fifth Sunday.

## Spring.

Spring is looked upon by many as the most delightful season of the year, but this cannot be said of the rheumatic. The cold and damp weather brings on rheumatic pains which are anything but pleasant. They can be relieved, however, by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. Obtainable everywhere.—Advt.



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## Employ Missionary.

J. A. W. Brown, who for the about eight years, has served the Kansas Christian Missionary Society, as State evangelist of Kansas, has been secured by the Pecos Christian Church working jointly with their scattered brethren in Reeves and Ward counties, to labor in these two counties to establish and care for churches. Mr. Brown arrived in Pecos Tuesday from Topeka, Kansas. He will make this place his headquarters for the present.

In behalf of the community we extend to Mr. Brown a very hearty welcome to West Texas, and wish him success in his work among us.

## Pecos To Have Go-To-Church Sunday.

At the ministers' meeting on Monday morning it was decided to inaugurate a Go-To-Church movement in Pecos.

Accordingly the fifth Sunday in this month was selected as the time when a united effort will be made to have every person in Pecos attend the services at some church. The pastors of the various churches of the town will co-operate in this move, and it is desired that all the regular church-going people of the town will aid in the movement to make the fifth Sunday in this month a red letter day for all of the churches.

There will be services at all the churches that day, and every one is expected to attend at least one of the services at the church of their choice.

## New Front Is Finished.

The work of putting a new front on the R. N. Couch building on Second street, occupied by the Coon Bakery and Farnum Millinery, has been completed the past week. The finish is a sand dash, mica stucco, a modern innovation, and very pleasing to the eye.

The stucco finishes are very popular throughout the country now, not only on business house fronts, but on residences as well, for not only is this work beautiful to the eye, but it also resists all kinds of weather and climatic conditions.

The work was done by our old friend, Wallace Roberson, who is an efficient hand at this class, as well as all other classes of cement work. H. C. Roberson, his brother, had the contract.

## New Man With Wells Fargo.

The Wells Fargo Express has been having a number of different men working for them the past few weeks. Phil Buchanan severed his connection, and Will Prewitt took his place, but the company did not retain him on account of his age, being over 50, the Buchanan worked a few days until he accepted a position with J. J. Pope, at the Toyah Hotel, then E. W. Hoyler assister with the express.

Wednesday W. C. Gorman arrived from Big Sandy to fill the place. He has had two years' experience with the company in his home town and he comes highly recommended as a gentleman who is worthy and to be fully trusted.

Mrs. Gorman will arrive in the next few weeks and will probably be accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Bettie Colvin, who may make her home here in Pecos with them.

The Times joins with the citizens in giving Mr. Gorman and also extending a most enthusiastic welcome to the rest of his family as citizens among us, trusting that they may never regret casting their lot with the Pecos people.

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C. C. Dorr one of Grandfalls prominent citizens and successful farmers came up yesterday afternoon on a business trip among some of our people.

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# Judge Riddle Endorsed For U. S. Senate

Several hundred citizens of Dallas and the surrounding territory met at the Chamber of Commerce Hall on Feb. 4th and passed the following resolutions endorsing the candidacy of Judge George W. Riddle for the United States Senate:

Whereas, Judge George W. Riddle, of Dallas, Texas, is a candidate for United States Senate; and,

Whereas, Judge Riddle has been a citizen of Dallas for many years, and has always been at the forefront in every local enterprise, as well as in all great enterprises throughout this State, and in the development of its resources, and we know him to be a man well qualified to fill said position; now, therefore, be it

Resolved: That it is the sense of this meeting that the candidacy of Judge George W. Riddle be in every reasonable way encouraged and supported, but who has an intimate

For the next few years our State will need a man in the Senate who is not only patriotic, but, who has an intimate knowledge of the economic, financial, and business affairs of our country. We need a man of initiative, and of constructive ability, a thinker, and withal a practical man of affairs, rather than the professional politician.

At this time it is costing the people over a billion dollars

a year to finance the affairs of the Federal Government, and, unless this waste and extravagance is checked, our country will be ridden with the burden of excessive taxation.

We turn toward a man of the type of Judge Riddle; a practical farmer, lawyer, banker and business man with well advanced ideas of economy, with ability to suggest and initiate commonsense, practical measures for our guidance and protection, and with the high ideals of constructive statesmanship.

His solution of the land problem by creating a system of Land Banks to lend money to home builders at a rate of four per cent., will be of immense benefit to our agricultural interests.

He favors the Federal Government building a system of National Highways, thereby more closely uniting the different sections of our country and furnishing overland transportation facilities, in this way bringing the markets of the land to the very cotton fields of the farmers, and as a result increasing the profits on all agricultural products.

His plans to develop trade relations between the United States and the South American Republic will pour wealth into the lap of this country by the millions.

His stand for a Merchant

greatly needs, is meritorious and worthy of consideration. At this time the warring Nations have laid their military hands upon their merchant ships, and, as a result thereof, American Commerce is starving and almost paralyzed, and the freight on cotton alone has been raised from \$1.75 a bale to \$15.00 per bale. Rates have increased from 100 per cent. to 1000 per cent.

If any country on earth ever needed a Merchant Marine, it is this country of ours, and Congress ought not to hesitate one moment in preparing a way for it to be brought about. Judge Riddle's stand for such a system is logical and business like, and shows his ability to grapple with the practical problems of life, and in that way make his life useful to the people that he represents.

Judge Riddle is with President Wilson for Preparedness, and so announced himself in all the leading papers of the 14th of last November, and at that time most of our public men were either silent or had declared against it.

He is always frank and honest with the people, and lets them know how he stands on every issue.

DR. JOHN S. TURNER,  
Chairman.

HON. WILL. L. CURTIS,  
Secretary.

# HONOR ROLL OF PECOS HIGH SCHOOL MONTH OF MARCH

Standing of The Pupils For Month, in Studies, Department And Promptness.—Though Nearing Close of Term, There is No Let Up in the Attendance.

F. F. MACE, Superintendent.

## High School Department.

Miss Donnelly, Miss Germany, Miss Nelson, Mrs. Hudson, Teachers.

Over 90 in Department: Lillian O'Connor, Thelma Frame, Nannie Mae Collings, Marie Grafius, Zella Clark, Pearl Swanson, Van Camp, Nora Kite, Hoyt Jones, Novella Wilson, Mabel Smith, Grace Bowles, Charles Colwell, Hilton Brown, Marguerite Glasscock, Lida Swanson, Ellen Green Sullivan, Marguerite Walker, Dewey Richburg, Bill McDermott, Edward Warn, Irene Prewit, Aileen Love, Estelle Durdin, Jewell Cowan, Carrie Glover, Carrie Wadley, James Prewit, Paulette Davis, Ruth Day, Therman Bryan, Ross Morris, Corine Miller, Della Hudgens, Julia Davis, Richard Roddy, Lorin Garrett, Barney Haygood, Finley Clark, Hillard Camp, Mitt Doll, Alice Hankins.

Above 85 in Studies: Lillian O'Connor, Marie Grafius, Van Camp, Pearl Swanson, Nannie Mae Collings, King Key, Hill Hudson, Marion Looby, Jane Looby, Henry Floyd, Nell Kerr Curtis Breedlove, Sybil Bowie, Burette Hefner, Novella Wilson, Marguerite Glasscock, Lida Swanson, Marguerite Walker, Hoyt Jones, Ruth Day, Carrie Glover, Jewell Cowan, Estelle Durdin, Lola Hines, Carrie Wadley, Aileen Love, Irene Prewit, Alice Hankins, Annie Wright, Edward Warn, Martha Nold, Veazey Kite, Mitt Doll, Milton Wadley, Hillard Camp, Frank Joplin.

Neither Absent nor Tardy: Pearl Swanson, Zella Clark, Lillian O'Connor, Marie Grafius, Marion Looby, Emmet Goode, Curtis Breedlove, Hill Hudson, Dewey Richburg, Ellen Green Sullivan, Mary Lee Richburg, Marguerite Walker, Lida Swanson, Brown Capps, Marguerite Glasscock, Amy Langham, Sybil Bowie, Burette Hefner, Grace Bowie, Mabel Smith, Hoyt Jones, Finley Clark, Barney Haygood, Lorin Garrett, Julia Davis, Della Hudgens, Lola Hines, Estelle Durdin, Ross Morris, Therman Bryan, Ruth Day, James Prewit, Carrie Glover, Carrie Wadley, Aileen Love, Frank Joplin, Milton Wadley, Mitt Doll, Martha Nold, Veazey Kite, Hillard Camp.

### Rank in Class.

11th Grade: Lillian O'Connor, 1st; Marie Grafius 2nd; Van Camp, 3rd.

10th Grade: Jane Looby, 1st; Hill Hudson, 2nd; Emmett Goode, 3rd.

9th Grade: Sybil Bowie, 1st; Marguerite Glasscock, 2; Marguerite Walker, 3.

8th Grade: Estelle Durdin, 1st; Veazey Kite, 2id; Martha Nold, 3rd.

## SEVENTH GRADE.

Cora Grace, Teacher.

Neither Absent nor Tardy: Beatrice Bowie, Zara Sims, Ida Mae Davis, Rela Kiser, Anna Boles, Anna Belle Watson, William Boles, Alpha Clark, Pauline Dendy, Walter Ruhlen, Dorisse Jones, Amber Brown, Wilbur Ward, Charles Miller.

Above 90 in Department: Hattie Durdin, Batrice Bowie, Zara Sims, Ed McMahan, Ida Mae Davis, Rela Kiser, Lee Moore, Pauline Dendy, Fern Cooper, Dorisse Jones, Gussie Richburg, Amber Brown, Annie Belle Watson, Gladys Grafius, Charles Miller, Alpha Clark, Anna Boles.

Over 85 in Studies: Pauline Dendy, Fern Cooper, Dorisse Jones, Floyd Mitchell, Amber Brown, Gussie Richburg, Hattie Durdin, Zara Sims, Annie Belle Watson.

### Rank in Class.

A Division: Fern Cooper, 1st; Pauline Dendy and Gussie Richburg, 2nd; Amber Brown, 3rd.

B Division: Zara Sims, 1st;

Hattie Durdin, 2nd; Annie Belle Watson, 3rd.

## SIXTH GRADE.

Rut Hall, Teacher.

Over 85 in Studies: Woody Cowan, 92, Hubert Bryan 85, Julia Magee 91, Mozelle Bryan 86, Eleanor Roberson 89, Elise Roberson 87, Ruby Mae Beauchamp 86.

Over 90 in Department: Louise Wadley, Betty Watson, Myrtle Ruhlen, Gladys Prunty, Ina Goedeke, Jim Slover, Billie Prewit, Jesse McMahan, Ben Krauskopf, Ira Wilcock, Hubert Bryan, Elise Roberson, Eleanor Roberson, Floena Vaughan, Viola Ward, Bill Ross, Miriam Crute, Stephen Ward, Julia Magee, Alma McMahan, Evelyn Slack, Clide Andrews, Woody Cowan, Jessie Heard, Alice Morrison, Mary Hudgens, Hazel Biggs, Ruby Mae Beauchamp, George Ross.

Neither Absent nor Tardy: Ruby Mae Beauchamp, Hazel Biggs, Mary Hudgens, Alice Morrison, Woody Cowan, Evelyn Slack, Julia Magee, Stephen Ward, Miriam Crute, Viola Ward, Floena Vaughan, Elise Roberson, Eleanor Roberson, Mozelle Bryan, Hubert Bryan, Ira Wilcock, Edwin Vickers, Vernon Curtis, Ben Krauskopf, Jesse McMahan, Billie Prewit, Jim Slover, Callie DeRacy, Betty Watson, Myrtle Ruhlen, Louise Wadley.

### Rank in Class.

A Division: Woody Cowan, 1st; Julia Magee, 2nd; Evelyn Slack, 3rd.

B Division: Elise Roberson, 1st; Eleanor Roberson, 2nd; Mozelle Bryan, 3rd.

## FIFTH GRADE.

Vernon McCarver, Teacher.

Over 85 in Studies: Frances Hubbard 93, Jennie Drummond 89, Don Kirkley 94, John Durdin 91, Lillian Otto 89, Ida B. Hines 90, George Lundy 87, Delma Alexander 89, Velma Buchanan 86, Fannie Floyd 91, Katherine Key 93, Kathleen Kite 86 Charles Hudson, 89.

Over 90 in Department: Ida B. Hines, Dayton Garrett, Delma Alexander, Keith Camp, Cliff Sims, Frances Buchanan, Frances Buckner, Tobe DeRacy, Daisy Lauchner, Jewel Downin, Mae Kiser, Esther Moorhead, Bell Clifton, Fannie Floyd, Mae Grogan, Hal Dixon, W. C. Hudson, Julia Ward, Emma Otto, Charley Lee Goedeke, Don Kirkley, Kathleen Key, Dovie Dendy, Velma Buchanan, Kathleen Kite, Orma Brown, Charles Hudson, Edmund Caroline, Donald Ruyton, Frances Hubbard, Jennie Drummond.

Neither Absent nor Tardy: Hal Dixon, Kirkwynn Kraus, Harry Lauchner, Cliff Sims, Henry Sullivan, Robbie Bowie, Fannie Floyd, Kathleen Kite, Mae Kiser, Daisy Lauchner, Albert Clark, Robert Breedlove, Tobe DeRacy, John Durdin, Edward Delaney, Wycliff Hefner, Don Kirkley, George Lundy, Delma Alexander, Velma Buchanan, Charley Lee Goedeke, Mae Grogan, Ida B. Hines, Emma Otto.

### Rank in Class.

A Division: Don Kirkley, 1st 94; John Durdin 2nd, 91; Ida B. Hines 3rd, 90.

B Division: Frances Hubbard and Katherine Key, 1st, 93; Fannie Floyd, 2nd, 91; Charles Hudson 3rd, 89.

## FOURTH GRADE.

Mrs. Cole, Teacher.

Over 85 in Studies: Cap Weyer 91, Virginia Runnels 93, Mary Stine 92, Lucile Prewit 92, Eva Richburg 92, Stella Kiser 86, Fern Biggs 89, Theodore Ruhlen 89, Grace Cooper 87, Dorothy Sisk 88, Estelle Hicks 87, Mary Moore 87, W. D. Cowan 86.

Over 90 in Department: Cap Weyer, Virginia Runnels, Mo-

la Kiser, Beau Eisenwine, Fern Biggs, Grace Cooper, Edna Boles, Florence Colwell, Otto Lundy, Adell Downing, Nina Johnson, Eva Richburg, Mary Stine, Etta Wells, Zimmer Prewit, Vervan Kite, Mary Morris, Lawrence Kite.

Neither Absent nor Tardy: Lawrence Kite, Lorenzo Avant Lucile Prewit, Etta Wells, Dorothy Sisk, Eva Richburg, Theodore Ruhlen, Charles Buckner, Edna Boles, Cap Weyer, Grace Cooper, Fern Biggs, Tom Anderson, J. W. Eisenwine, Beau Eisenwine, Warren Clayton, Stella Kiser, Mary Mount, Modena Prunty, Virginia Runnels.

### Rank in Class.

A Division: Virginia Runnels, 1st; Cap Weyer, 2nd; Fern Biggs, Theodore Ruhlen, 3rd.

B Division: Mary Stine, Lucile Prewit and Eva Richburg, 1st; Mary Stine, 2nd; Dorothy Sisk, 3rd.

## THIRD GRADE.

Mrs. Yarbrough, Teacher.

Over 85 in Studies: Josephine Crute 89, James Harrison 86, Ione Krauskopf, 88, Andrew Moran 91, Lucia Hanna 89, Minnie Pyeatt 88, Joe Brown 94, Opal Biggs 93, Nathan Poer 89, Ruth Bryan 94, Kathryn Means 94, Annie Lou Cole 92, Joseph Brocat 87, Harold Sims 93, Jesse Otto 86, Balsler Hefner 91, Harper Mitchell 86, Willie Ruth Hines 96.

Above 90 in Department: Ruth Bryan, Opal Biggs, De Ett Green, Ione Krauskopf, Callie Ross, Mary C. Heard, Loraine Joplin, Rosalie Prewit, Josephine Crute, Minnie Pyeatt, James Caroline, Nathan Poer, Nora Treas, H. P. Bryan, Harper Mitchell, Harold Sims, Balsler Hefner, Joseph Brocat, Kathryn Means, Annie Lou Cole, Nona Garrett, Hardy McMahan, James Wilcock, John Hibdon, Jesse Otto, Joe Brown, Lucia Hanna, James Harrison, Charley Fitzgerald, Andrew Moran, Cary Canon.

Neither Absent nor Tardy: Mary C. Heard, Loraine Joplin, Charley Fitzgerald, Josephine Crute, James Harrison, Ione Krauskopf, Andrew Moran, Lucia Hanna, Minnie Pyeatt, Nathan Poer, Annie Lou Cole, Kathryn Means, Joseph Brocat, De Ett Green, Grace Hubbs, Nora Treas, John Hibdon, Harold Sims, Jesse Otto, Willie McIlvain, H. P. Bryan, Balsler Hefner, Hardy McMahan.

### Rank in Class.

A Division: Joe Brown, Ruth Bryan and Kathryn Means, 1st 94; Opal Biggs, 2nd, 93; Annie Lou Cole, 3rd, 92.

B Division: Harold Sims, 1st 93; Balsler Hefner, 2nd, 91; Willie Ruth Hines, 3rd, 89.

## SECOND GRADE.

Sadie Collings, Teacher.

85 or over in Studies: Tillman Durdin 94, Frank Drummond 85, Eugene Hairston 89, Joseph Hoyler 92, Thomas Lilley 98, Jack Payne 93, Virginia Bozeman 87, Joetta Cowan 91, Emily Mount, 85, Bessie Reynolds 92, Jack Camp 93, Lester Farber 92, Jesse Hardy 85, Lester King 86, Jasper McIlvain 88, Louis Quick 94, Lucile Ruhlen 93, Blanch Bowie 94, Josie Prewit 90, Margaret Howard 94, William Adams, 87, Samuel Johnson 86, Paul Morrison 88, Harry Ross 92, Louise Buckels 89, Bettie Harrison 90, Nora H. Krauskopf 86, Edna Poer 87, Floy Vickers 90, Edwin Douglas 87, Tullus Randals 88, Dana Morris 86, Hazel Eisenwine, 85, Willie Harrison 87, Mary Magee 92, Maudie Treas 88.

Over 90 in Department: Maudie Treas, Edna Poer, Louise Starley, Mary Magee, Nora Krauskopf, Bettie Harrison, Jewel Brumlow, Dana Morris, Paul Morrison, Samuel Johnson, Floy Vickers, Lucile Ruhlen, Josie Prewit, Margaret Howard, Joetta Cowan, Jack Payne, Jack Camp, Lester Farber, Joseph Hoyler, Thomas Lilley, Blanch Bowie, Willie Harrison, Hazel Eisenwine, Louise Buckels, Harry Ross, Edward Mace, William Adams, Margie Ward, Bessie Reynolds, Emily Mount, Jacksie Floyd, Virginia Bozeman, Jasper McIlvain, Louis Quick, Tillman Durdin, Eugene Hairston, and James Hudgens.

Neither Absent nor Tardy: Lester Farber, Joseph Hoyler, James Hudgens, Jack Payne, Joetta Cowan, Jesse Hardy, Francis Hudson, Thomas Lilley, Blanch Bowie, Josie Prewit, Lucile Ruhlen, Floy Vickers, Edwin Douglas, Hazel Eisenwine, William Lauchner, Willie Harrison, Maudie Treas, Margie Ward, William Adams, Leonard Grogan, Edward Mace, Bettie Harrison, Nora Krauskopf, Louise Starley.

### Rank in Class.

A Division: Tillman Durdin, Louis Quick, Blanch Bowie and Margaret Howard, 1st; Jack Camp, Thomas Lilley, Jack Payne, and Lucile Ruhlen, 2nd; Lester Farber, Bessie Reynolds and Joseph Hoyler, 3rd.

B Division: Mary Magee, Harry Ross and Edward Mace 1st; Bettie Harrison and Louise Buckels, 2nd; Tullus Randals, Maudie Treas and Paul Morrison, 3rd.

## FIRST GRADE.

Dessie Lagle, Teacher.

85 or above in standing: Hugh Quinn Buck 89, Frank Treas 89, Jesse Hairston 90, George Young 88, Willie Lunday, 87, Anice Buchanan 87, Ed Otto 88, Santa Brocat 91, Cecil Poitervient 86, Wylie Sue Cole 88, Gordon Stine 91, Ruth Hicks 85, Rex Havis 85, Edith Hudson 88, Marvin Wells 89, Mamie Moran 92, Val Canon 92, Lillian Mount 88, Chancy Cooper 87, Ruth Newell 92, Ollin Downing 87, George Morrison 85, Naomi Payne 89, Alton Swope 90, Josephine Rodgers 95.

90 or Above in Department: Douglas Anderson, J. E. Couch, Hugh Quinn Buck, Johnnie McMahan, Willie Lunday, Ed Otto, Cecil Poitervient, Gordon Stine, Rex Havis, Val Canon, George Morrison, Alton Swope, Frank Treas, George Young, Anice Buchanan, Santa Brocat, Wylie Sue Cole, Lillian Mount, Ruth Hicks, Mamie Moran, Ruth Newell, Josephine Rodgers, Thelma Connelly, Louella Willis, Martha Smart.

Neither Absent nor Tardy: Douglas Anderson, Johnnie McMahan, Willie Lunday, Ed Otto, Gordon Stine, Rex Havis, Charles Cooke, Marion Wells, William King, Ollin Downing, Frank Treas, George Young, Anice Buchanan, Santa Brocat, Edith Hudson, Mamie Moran, Lillian Mount, Josephine Rodgers, Louella Willis.

### Rank in Class.

A Division: Josephine Rodgers, 1st, 95; Ruth Newell and Mamie Moran, 2nd, 92; Santa Brocat and Gordon Stine, 3rd, 91.

B Division: Val Canon, 1st, 92; Alton Swope, 2nd, 90; Frank Treas, 3rd, 89.

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<b>Club D</b>	<b>Club E</b>	<b>Club F</b>
BOY'S MAGAZINE - (Monthly)	WOMAN'S NATIONAL WEEKLY	NEWS ABOUT FORDS (Auto)
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### PREPAREDNESS A QUESTION OF NECESSITY

THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE SHOULD ORGANIZE.

By J. S. Cullinan, Chairman Texas Economic League.

Three important subjects which the Texas Economic League has listed for first consideration are Citizenship, Administration of Justice and Preparedness. Probably the most important of these is Preparedness.

Preparedness is the component with which we are most concerned. We prepare there will be no war, no Justice, no government.

The government is now passing through a supreme test of efficiency. It is for the citizen to say what he expects of government. In my opinion, government should do more than collect taxes and issue warnings. It is the duty of government to protect its citizens on land and sea, and our government has no right to refuse to do so than a man has a right to refuse to pay taxes. It is not a question of opinion, it is one of necessity, but no nation can protect its citizens unless it has arms.

The President is correct in his policy of preparedness and protection, no thoughtful citizen can afford to invite national peril through inactivity. When our government grants liberty and freedom of its citizens to go by default, it has violated its pledge to the people, as if it took liberty and freedom from them by force. There can be no government without force. A government without a sheriff is nothing more than a debating society, and a modern government without an army or navy is government at all. It is a help to the people.

Men are animals—not angels. They always have and they always will. The causes of war will never be removed until the human race is changed. Human nature cannot be changed from mankind, for in every generation it will be born again. Many of the causes have been added for wars. There is an old tradition that following a dance the world will either pray or perish. The League is not at the moment concerned in the psychological aspects of war, as stern realities demand first attention, for the liberties of a citizen guaranteed by the Constitution have been denied our people.

The nation's duty to protect citizens. Government is organized physical force, and without force there is no government. No man can peacefully possess a thing of value unless in the manner he can defend his title. Our government denies the citizen the right to use force, and in so doing the individual enters into contract to protect the rights of a citizen by force, and, if necessary, to kill and destroy persons or nations that interfere with the rights of its citizens. It has no option in the matter. It is its first obligation. This nation is facing a world crisis, and world opportunities. The desires of the human race are at the moment more nearly in the hands of the American people than any other earthly power, and our government should adopt a policy in dealing with the forces of civilization that will establish permanent world peace. So far as this continent is concerned, in my judgment, the twenty-one Republics should be organized for: First, peace and protection. Second, each Republic should assign not exceeding one per cent of its population to army and navy duties. Third, that at least sixty per cent of the male population of each such Republic should be trained to military discipline and duty; such training period not to exceed two years, to be held hereafter as reserves in case required for the defense of their country or the defense of the continent.

It would further seem highly desirable that applied to the United States declaration of principles be made covering Federal policies; such, for instance, as the Monroe Doctrine, from which no State should be permitted to depart after such have been voted on and approved by a majority of our people. The President's plans, as I understand them, call for an investment of \$500,000,000 over a period of five years. I do not think that is sufficient. It seems to me we should shape plans for a continuing expenditure, if need be, of \$5,000,000,000 for such period, and by co-operating with the other twenty American Republics, and possibly Canada, adopt a policy of matching dollars with the balance of the world for the purpose of defense, and protecting liberty, life and property, at much less cost than undertaking to defend the nation against one of the modern powers as now organized.

Congress, in my judgment, should issue Bonds and use the revenue from the income and an inheritance tax only for the purpose of retiring these Bonds. I would further favor universal military training for our young men, adequate provision for our first line of defense, the Navy, substantial increasing our Army, and providing for our best defense.

### BUSINESS MEN NEED SPIRIT OF '76

SHOULD LEAVE LESS MONEY AND MORE LIBERTY TO POSTERITY.

Good Citizenship Can Build an Empire Upon a Rock.

By J. S. Cullinan, Chairman Texas Economic League.

The business men of this country have been accused of being cowardly, indifferent and selfish in their relations to government, but the average business man has perhaps had less to do with shaping the political policies of the country than any other class of citizens, and therefore very little responsibility for the present state of affairs can be laid at his door. The most serious charge that can be successfully lodged against him is that he accepts slavery in preference to sovereignty in his citizenship, and there is nothing so dreadful or so difficult to overcome as voluntary servitude. But as a whole he is to be pitied rather than condemned. He cannot tell whether he is honest by consulting his conscience. He must ask his lawyer. The right to think has been legislated out of him. Individuality has been torn from him by law. He is but a ghost of the citizen created by the Constitution of the United States. Not only have liberty and freedom become vague and uncertain terms subject to contradictory interpretations of those who hold office, but so complicated has the citizen's relation to government become that human rights is a floating substance moved by the current of legal opinion, and the remedy lies in a more active, patriotic and responsible citizenship.

The business men of this nation need the spirit shown by the business men of '76, when Robert Morris, the nation's wealthiest citizen opened his purse strings and said, "I will give all I have to my country except my integrity," when John Dickinson the wealthy farmer stepped forward and said, "It's my duty to leave liberty to my children, but not my duty to leave wealth to them," and Benjamin Franklin over 70 years of age when called by the Continental Congress said, "I am old and good for nothing, I am but the rag end, take me for what you please."

Men and Money Needed

I want men to join me in the work of the Texas Economic League in giving the fag-ends of their lives and a part of their money to getting this country back to the Americanism of Washington and the liberty of Jefferson. There are many of us in Texas who need to leave less money and more liberty to our children. I believe I make no mistake in saying that the general trend of business men of wealth in this country today is to reverse the statement of Morris, Dickinson and Franklin. The readiness with which some of our citizens plead guilty to business crimes, suggest the conclusion that they are willing to give their country their integrity if they can keep their money, and it seems to be universal conceded by most business men that it is their duty to leave wealth to their children, but not their duty to leave liberty to them.

I am not one of those who believe that the solution of this problem lies in business men making laws, holding offices and sitting upon juries, although it is a laudable thing to do, and a duty that no good citizen should shirk. This country could survive the ordeal if we did not pass another law for ten years, and it was never contemplated that the people should depend upon office holders to preserve their rights. The contest for liberty has always been between government and the citizens, and bad government is always the result of bad citizenship. Neither do I believe that the liberty and freedom of this country can be preserved by endowing foundations, universities, churches, and libraries. Greece gave us the most polished and powerful products of the human race, and while the genius of her day was swaying the world, ignorant savages destroyed her government, and led her master minds captive to foreign countries—the result of bad citizenship. Palestine gave us the mightiest religious teachers in all civilization, and while the world was marveling over her faith and her miracles, infidels and heathens destroyed her Temple and threw her prophets in prison—the result of bad citizenship.

The pages of history abundantly prove that neither the fertility of the soil nor the business sagacity of the people are sufficient safeguards for the preservation of government. The Ptolemies of Ancient Egypt established a powerful dynasty in the most fertile valley on the globe, but it withered and died as a result of bad citizenship. The mighty Caesar established in the Roman Empire the world's greatest financial center and all nations and all men paid tribute to the money powers of Rome, but the nation crumbled and fell as a result of bad citizenship. Good citizenship can build an empire upon a rock, and bad citizenship will make a desert of the most fertile country on the globe.

### Talks With the Boys

By J. L. HARBOUR, IN THE VISITOR.

#### DON'T SHUFFLE.

I have heard of a successful business man who says, when employing a man or a boy, he pays about as much attention to the would-be employee's gait as to anything else. Referring to this, he says: "If a man comes into my office with a shuffling, slouching gait, I know at once that I do not want him. A man who is shuffling and slouchy in his gait is apt to be shuffling and slouchy in other ways—in his work. To my mind a whole lot depends upon a man's gait."

I think that this man was right and that a man's gait has something to do with his character. Show me a man who shuffles all over the sidewalk when he is walking, and I think I can show you a man who is shuffling in his purposes and a man who is weak of will and who cannot be depended upon. The man with a pronounced shuffling gait often says to the world, by his gait alone: "I am a good deal of a failure in life."

A man as famous as the late Mr. Gladstone, of England, once said this: "Don't shuffle. Men make shipwrecks of their lives because they shuffle."

Mr. Gladstone did not mean by this that man make shipwrecks of their lives because of the way they walk. He meant, I am sure, that men who shuffle with their purpose in life are apt to be the victims of shipwreck. He meant that a man must put his entire heart into his work and have a great deal of the quality we call "stick-to-it-iveness." He must put real character into his work. It is told of President Garfield that when he was a boy some one asked him what he intended to do when he became a man. His reply was: "First of all, I intend to be a man."

In those few, simple, direct words Garfield said, practically, that he did not intend to shuffle with his purpose in life. I saw President Garfield once, and I well remember the manliness of his appearance, and the fact that he walked like a man. One may be sure that there was nothing shuffling in his gait and that he never did anything in a shuffling way.

Another thing, boys: Don't shuffle with that imperceptible thing we call conscience. It is always dangerous, and very dangerous, to do this. Trying now and then to evade the "still, small voice" when it is trying to keep you from doing wrong is one way of shuffling with one's conscience. The oftener one does this the easier it becomes to pay no heed at all to one's conscience, and when one has shuffled with conscience to that extent, one is in a bad way, indeed. A

wise man of long ago once wrote these true words: "He that loses his conscience has nothing left that is worth keeping, therefore be sure to look to that, and in the next place look to your health. If you have it, praise God and value it next to a good conscience."

This leads me to advise you not to shuffle with your health. I was in a restaurant not long ago, and at the same table with me were two messenger boys. One of them ordered a cup of strong coffee, and the other boy said: "Do you drink coffee at noon, Hal?"

"Sure!" was the reply. "I not only drink it at noon, but I drink it in the morning; and sometimes when I am running around on a cold, rainy night I go into a restaurant and get a cup of coffee. It braces a fellow up awfully."

No doubt it does for the time being, for coffee is a very powerful stimulant. Indeed, it is so much of a stimulant that the boy who drinks it 3 times a day, or even twice, a day, is shuffling with his good health. He would be better off if he would let it alone entirely. The boy who eats and drinks recklessly is always shuffling with his health. And when a boy who is working, or any other boy, eats nothing but a piece of pie or cake and drinks a cup of coffee for his luncheon, he is shuffling with his health, and I do not need to be a doctor to prove that this is true.

A boy is always shuffling with his health when he uses tobacco in any way. The fact that tobacco users have lived to be a hundred year of age proves nothing. That which would make a physical wreck of some men might not effect another man very severely. I believe that any doctor will agree with me when I say that a boy in his teens using tobacco freely is shuffling with his health. Some boys are by reading in a poor light and subjecting their eyes to strain in other ways. I once read that in no other country in the world were there so many of the boys and girls wearing glasses as in our country. An oculist once told me that so many boys and girls in our country use tea and coffee and other stimulants, and he believed that it was due in part to this fact that so many wore glasses.

The gist of the whole thing is that one should not shuffle at all. One of my dictionaries partly defines shuffling as "a tricky course of behavior." And what boy wants to be a trickster? That is what the boy who shuffles is apt to become. It is because this is so true that I want to say to you with all the emphasis possible: "Don't shuffle!"

#### "Pageant of Civilization."

El Paso, April 5.—Probably no city in the world will stage such stupendous commencement exercises in the public schools as will El Paso when the student body of the High School joins with the pupils of the ten grade schools in the presentation of the colossal "Pageant of Civilization," a dramatization of ancient and modern history and many stories from the Old Testament.

The production will be given in the High school stadium, now in the course of construction, and which is one of the largest in the world. Fully 4,000 children will enact the various tableaux and there will be a chorus of 500, accompanied by an orchestra of 100 pieces. These will be augmented by a dancing ballet of 500. Many of the ancient dances of the nations will be presented in native costume as well as posture.

In order to present this gigantic pageant it has been found necessary to erect a big stage, 250 by 75 feet and with in this huge stage another 40 by 20, will be built. A great part of the beauty of the production will be derived from electrical effects.

In all, the pageant will be

comprised of six episodes, each composed of from one to eight scenes.

The pageant in all its episodes will portray civilization from the earliest periods to the period of modern civilization. Many of the stories of the Old Testament will be enacted in all of their reality and the hundreds who have been rehearsing for weeks will enact other historical and biblical stories, including the joyous and glittering "feast of Belshazzar," when Babylonia comes to light Greece in all its splendor and Rome in all its joy and glamor.

This stupendous dramatization of the history of civilization will mark the dedication of the colossal new stadium, which has been likened unto the famous coliseum of Rome. The exercises will occupy three nights, beginning May 25.

Special rates have been given by all railroads for the occasion.

If you cough all night you get no rest, nor does anyone else in the house. Keep within reach a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. It is then easy to stop the tickling which causes the cough, whenever it appears. Price 25c, 50c, and \$1.00. City Pharmacy.—Adv't.

### OUR PUBLIC FORUM

Peter Radford

ON GOVERNMENT BY SELFISHNESS.



Ever since the serpent in the Garden of Eden turned Hell loose on earth mankind has been ruled by emotions, good or evil—mostly evil. Trace the human race from the time history raises the curtain upon mankind to the present hour of extreme peril and we will find the frailties of human nature struggling for the mastery, and greed, properly restrained, the motive power that has moved civilization to its towering height and unrestrained, has hurled government to destruction and mankind to barbarism. Visit the cemeteries of civilization and we find written upon the time-stained monument of Egypt, pride; Macedonia, ambition; Persia, conceit; Rome, conquest; Greece, envy; and upon the tombstone

that marks the newly-made grave of the past generation, selfishness, and in this age we are chiseling as our epitaph, organized selfishness.

The peril of this nation today is organized selfishness. The individual has been swallowed up in organization and the unit of government has shifted from the citizen to class and in the transition we have lost many of the elemental virtues of the human race and developed many of the traits of the beast. Organized selfishness is leading civilization from divinity to the dens of animals. Classes, clans and sections tear at each other with the ferocity of savages and seek to disembowel and disintegrate government that dare to limit class liberty. Self-restraint is being driven from society; honesty has become a viewpoint and might a predominating factor in right. Patriotism never suffered more from commercial paralysis than at the present hour.

There never was a time in the history of the human race when creature comfort was at a higher premium or the ideals of human success more primitive than at present, for organizations that are swung around selfishness, call into action only such emotions as are felt by animals that roam the forest and selfishness suppresses the nobler qualities of human life. The squirrel that gathers a bountiful supply of nuts to its den is thrifty but it makes no contribution to society; the fox that outwits its neighbor has great ability but it has never helped others; the lion whose roar makes the animal kingdom tremble has great powers but has never used it to uplift civilization; the cannibal clans have fought desperate battles for supremacy but victory ended with the flesh pot.

Man is an animal and government should encourage and protect him in indulging every emotion that moves the heart of a beast but when a flash of divinity lit his soul, God Almighty expected something more of him than animal activity. He ought to try to do something an animal can't do. A voice should call him to nobler deeds. In society, place his fellowmen above self or class and in government "citizenship first."

A successful demonstration has been made with an apparatus by which blood may be removed from a person, cleaned, and then returned to the system. It is the combined invention of three physicians of John Hopkins University.

The Raleigh News and Observer states that during 1915 the girls of the various tomato-canning clubs throughout the State sold and put up for home production over twenty-five thousand dollars worth of that vegetable.

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Surveys Nos. 45, 47, 53, 55, W. half of 61, and 63 in Block 4.

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The surveys in these blocks are situated from 5 to 8 miles from Pecos City, in the artesian belt of the Pecos River country and will be sold as a whole or in quarter sections.

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Also surveys Nos. 31, 33, 35 and 37 (fronting on the Pecos River and 39 in Block 1, and Nos. 11, 15, and 17, adjacent thereto, in Block 2, in the vicinity of Riverton, on the Pecos River Railroad.

Also Surveys Nos. 1, 3, 5, and 19, fronting on the Pecos River, in Block 8, in the extreme northern portion of Pecos County, and partly in Reeves County.

Also 16 surveys in Block 10; 16 surveys in Block 11, and 3 surveys in Block 12; none of these river lands.

No local agents for these lands, which are handled direct by the Agent and Attorney in Fact for the owner, Thomas R. White, Jr., of New Jersey.

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About You and Your Friends

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

Give us your cash business and your CREDIT business, too—Green's Grocery. 15-2

E. R. Cox was in Pecos Tuesday circulating among his hosts of friends in Pecos. He reports that things down his way are in pretty fair shape.

Tom Levy returned home on Wednesday afternoon on No. 5, from his visit at Alvoid with the home folks, and also transacted business in Dallas and Fort Worth. He reports having had a nice time.

Are you going to attend church in Pecos this fifth Sunday?

—Before buying cream separators see me. An agent for the best make. See one in operation. W. H. Irvine, Barstow, Texas. 7tf

Born—This, Friday, morning, April 7, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kennedy, an eight-pound boy. Judging from appearances, grandpa C. M. Wilson is as proud, if not more so, than its papa, over the arrival of his first-born grandson.

Albert Pask is now operating an Indian motor cycle that he received Wednesday morning from Van Horn.

American Beauty Flour—none better—\$1.75, at Green's Grocery. 15-2

Messrs. Aubrey Wolfe and Ora Beauchamp went out to San Dia yesterday on a fishing trip and brought in 20 fine bass—one of the finest strings ever seen in Pecos.

J. T. Kesler returned home last Friday from his trip to Winder, Ga., his old home, where he had been for the past few months with a shipment of horses and mules. He disposed of most of the shipment. He reports having had a very pleasant trip.

All bills paid promptly on the first of the month are the same as cash to us, and we meet anybody's prices.—Green's Grocery. 15-2

J. M. Cooksey was a business visitor in Pecos Saturday.

Mrs. S. Frame accompanied by Mrs. Casey, left Monday for their homes at Monahans, after a short visit with the former's son, Jim Frame and family.

If you owe us, pay us, we need the money.—Green's Grocery. 15-2

T. B. Pruett went down to Balmorhea yesterday morning on the Pecos Valley Southern, to look after the Pruett Lumber Company's interests there, and found them in splendid shape.

J. S. Johnson, the hustling proprietor of the Pecos Opera House, returned home yesterday afternoon from Van Horn where he had been summoned as a witness in a suit against the T. & P. and the Santa Fe railway companies, being a witness for the defendants.

Sid Kyle came down the latter part of last week from his Loving County ranch and reports that his stock are doing nicely and that he is not losing any. He also reports that they had a fine rain last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ezell came down Monday from their ranch near Orla and visited with friends in Pecos, Tuesday morning Mrs. Ezell went out to Sagagosa for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Holbert and family and numerous friends. Mr. Ezell went on the T. & P. to see some land.

W. E. Winston and family came in Monday afternoon from the Toyah business in

—We pay cash for our goods, and sell 'em as we darn please. B. G. Smith.

T. V. Ogden of Blackwell, Okla., was a business visitor in Pecos the forepart of the week.

A. L. Williamson, one of Winkler county's recent arrivals was a Pecos visitor and he had the pleasure of making his acquaintance and were very much taken up with him, as he is a jovial, courteous, entertaining talker. Call at The Times office whenever you are in our city for our latchstring is always hanging out.

Mrs. W. F. Stephen and baby left Sunday afternoon on No. 6 for Dublin, having been called there by the illness of her mother Mrs. S. L. Jones, who has pneumonia. Mr. Stephen and the other children accompanied her as far as Barstow, returning on No. 5, which was late. Their many friends in Pecos trust that Mrs. Stephen's mother may soon fully recover.

—Goods are good as the best and prices as low as the lowest at Green's Grocery. 15-2

The ladies of the Methodist church will hold a parcel post and home-made candy sale on the 15th of April. Place of sale to be announced later.

LeGrande Merriman left on Wednesday afternoon for a few days business trip to Odesa. LeGrande is a hustler after the piano trade and is always making good.

Joe Duncan was in Pecos Tuesday from Toyah for a short time. Joe has hosts of friends here who are sure glad to see him often.

Begin now. Begin what? To get ready to go to church the fifth Sunday of April.

Miss Macie Bearden was a visitor for a short time Tuesday afternoon while enroute to her home at Sweetwater after a ten-day visit with her sister, Mrs. E. R. Cox, and family at Saragosa.

W. D. Hudson, one of Pecos' prominent cattlemen, left Tuesday afternoon on No. 5 for Santa Fe, N. M., where he went on a business trip, expecting to be gone for several days.

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Advertisers along all lines—place your wants before the people in the columns of the "Paper With a Circulation"—The Pecos Times.

E. O. Olds was down Tuesday from Angeles where he is engaged in the mercantile business and was warmly greeted by his numerous friends in Pecos. He reports that he is having splendid success with his stock raising and that he does not know of scarcely anyone up there who have been losing any cattle, just occasionally one has died.

—Bring us your produce, we pay the highest market price.—Green's Grocery. 15-2

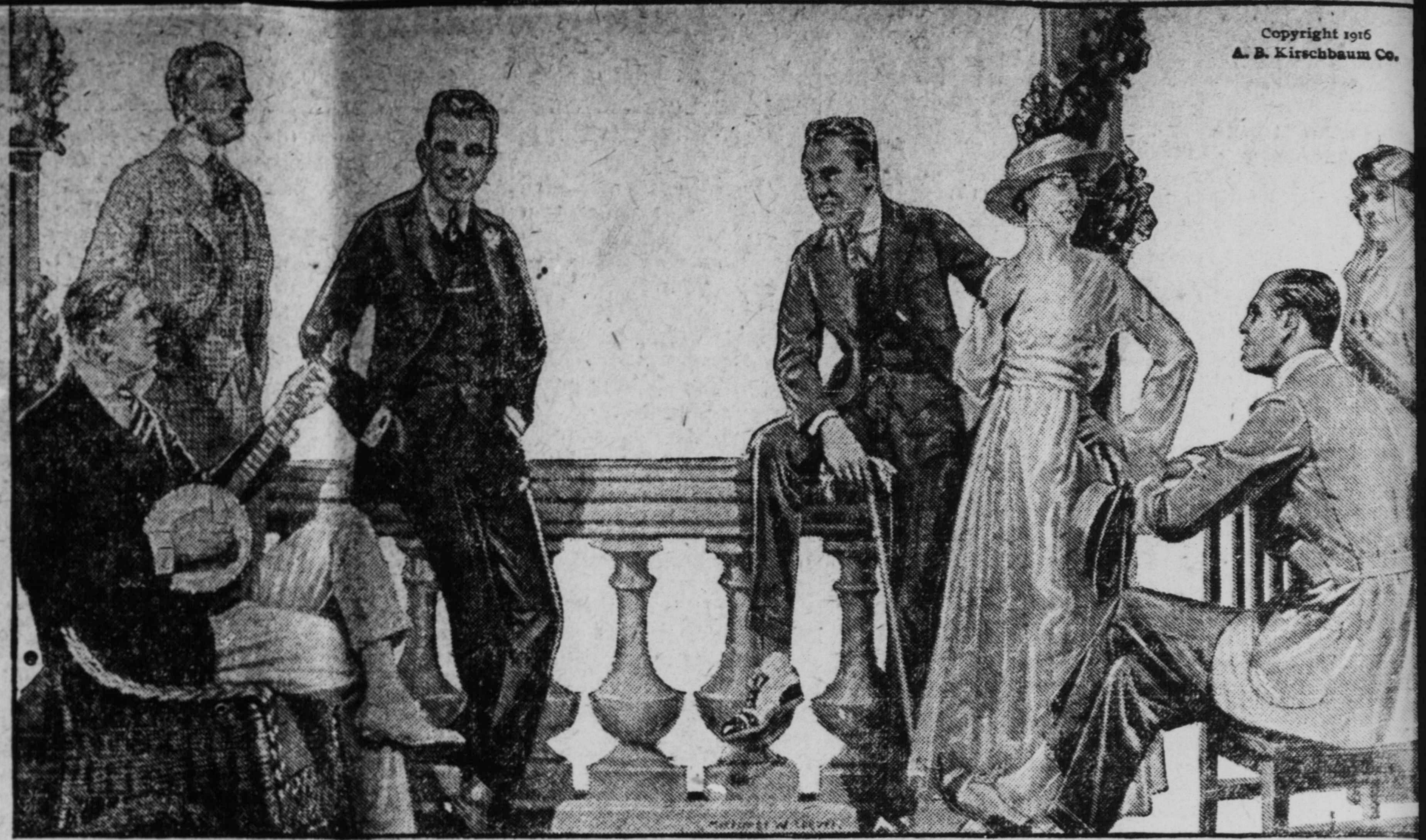
Mrs. W. H. Atwell left yesterday afternoon for her home in Dallas after a short visit with her brothers, the Snyder boys, and their families.

C. R. Troxel of Toyah was down Wednesday to meet the gentlemen who came for an inspection of the sulphur mines in Reeves and Culberson counties. They are on this trip with the intention of making arrangements for the putting in of the necessary machinery to begin, very soon, the operation of the mines, and this certainly means much to this section of the country.

Seth Lewis was in from his ranch the first of the week and reports that his losses on account of the late severe weather have been very light and cheering news to his friends.

With Croup.

Nights ago one of my children taken with croup. M. T. Davis, Barstow, W. Va., brought a bottle of Money and Tar before morning. I had letters have sale by Pe-



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GOOD STORE SERVICE

Do you really understand what it signifies? Some have an idea that it means "sending things home", or "seeing that you are promptly waited upon".

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Kirschbaum Clothes

They are absolutely pure wool 100 per cent by test.

Pecos Mercantile Company

You will be glad to meet your old friends at church on the fifth Sunday. Come.

M. R. Kirkley went over to Barstow Wednesday afternoon on matters of business, returning on No. 5 which was late.

John C. Camp left Tuesday afternoon for Marlin Wells, where he goes for treatment for rheumatism. His scores of friends trust that he may soon return fully recovered from this trouble.

F. E. Knapp of Arno was in Pecos for a short time Tuesday while on his way to Oklahoma City, Okla., where he goes to locate for the summer at least. He is engaged in the interests of the Arno Irrigation Company proposition and expects to send a large number of people down this year to look over their lands with a view of locating there.

—Let Green's Grocery figure on that cash bill. 15-2

Bob Weyer visited in Pecos Sunday and Monday with his mother, Mrs. E. G. Weyer and family and other relatives and friends. He has been located for some time past with the Western Union Telegraph Co., but was sent to El Paso to take charge of the installing of a new outfit for that city, and he expects to be there all summer if not located there permanently. He has numerous friends in Pecos who were sure pleased to see him again and learn that he was doing so nicely.

E. W. Clayton went up to Van Horn Tuesday afternoon on a business trip and it looked rather suspicious, he carrying such a large (?) grip with him.

Mrs. Monroe Kerr left yesterday for a visit with the home people at Midland.

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Best thing for constipation, sour stomach, lazy liver and sluggish bowels. Stops a sick headache almost at once. Gives a most thorough and satisfactory flushing—no pain, no nausea. Keeps your system cleansed, sweet and wholesome. Ask for Citrolax. Sold by Pecos Drug Co. (Adv.)

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John B. Howard returned from Sweetwater the first of the week where he had been attending court, and reports that the H. E. Moore case which had been transferred to that place had been dismissed upon his motion on account of faulty indictments.

Albert Cooksey was down Saturday from his ranch near Toyah circulating among his many Pecos friends and took out a load of supplies with him.

Orville King left for his ranch near Midland Saturday after a short visit in Pecos with his many friends.

—Have 40 acres of good land prepared, ready for cotton seed. Terms, equipment, water, etc., to lease on shares to right man. F. P. Burnett, Box 203, Pecos, Texas. 15\*2

Mrs. C. L. Botto, who for several days has been in Pecos visiting with her niece Mrs. M. W. Collie and family, left Saturday for Dallas. She had been to Douglas, Arizona, on a visit.

F. B. Ingle came down from El Paso Friday last and visited with his mother, Mrs. S. Ingle, and other relatives and numerous friends until Sunday afternoon.

Hon. J. D. Williamson, one of Waco's leading attorneys, was a Pecos visitor Monday and Tuesday being here on a business matter concerning one of the Sheriff's sales at the Court House. He is a most affable gentleman and made a good many friends during his short stay.

Meet me. Where? At church. When? The fifth Sunday.

—Phone 84 your for grocery wants.—Green's. 15-2

Hon. Burch Carson, the popular judge of Ward County, Judge B. W. Baker, City Attorney of Barstow, Charles Dyar, a very successful alfalfa raiser of Ward County, and Marvin Rheinart, real estate dealer, all of whom are well and favorably known to our readers were in Pecos Wednesday.

J. S. Turner, better known as "Windy", one of the original settlers of the Panama country who moved to El Paso several years ago, has returned to Pecos a sadder and a wiser man: sadder because he has lost his health in that too damp country; wiser inasmuch as he has returned to the land of perpetual sunshine. His scores of old-time friends are sure pleased to see him and glad that he has returned to stay with us.

I. T. Kesler, our hustling soda water manufacturer made a business trip over to Barstow Tuesday, taking advantage of belated No. 5, for the return trip.

Marvin Head was in Pecos Monday from his river ranch and makes the cheering report that his stock are O. K.

E. M. and H. C. LaBef and H. W. Johnson of Pyote accompanied by R. E. Johnson of Midland, were Pecos visitors Monday. The Times acknowledges a pleasant call from all these gentlemen, who were up on a business trip in connection with the latter two's father's death. They report that their mother went to Midland with her daughter-in-law for a short visit.

Have Moved to El Paso.

Tuesday, another of Pecos' best families, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Farber and children, were lost to us, they having left for El Paso, and will make that place their future home.

Mr. Farber informed The Times man that one of the main reasons for the move was on account of Mrs. Farber's health and that it was impossible to get a nurse for her here when needed. He will spend about one half of his time in Pecos, looking after the El Paso Store and the remainder of the time with the Mail Order house he has opened in El Paso.

The community is loth to lose these good people, and The Times joins in wishing them the best of success in the new home.

Jacob Farber, a brother of Ben's will have charge of the store at this place during the latter's absence.

Homer L. Magee, pastor of the Christian church, went over to Barstow yesterday and introduced Bro. Brown, who preach in that city occasionally.

Jas. Kennedy one of the efficient employees of Lakehouse ranch, was in Pecos Monday, looking fat and saucy—he must be getting pretty good chuck out there was kept busy shaking hands with his many friends.

T. V. Ogden of Blackwell, Okla., passed through Pecos Monday on his return from prospecting tour in the Pecos country.

Mrs. J. N. Heard left Tuesday afternoon on No. 5 for Midland where she went to visit with her son, Jack, and family. She may go on to Knowles, and visit her son, Top, and family. She expects to be gone about two more weeks.

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There's no reason why a person should take sickening salivates when 50 cents buys a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic perfect substitute for calomel.

It is a pleasant, vegetable which will start your liver just surely as calomel, but it does not make you sick and can not sicken children and grown folks take Dodson's Liver Tonic, because it is perfectly harmless.

Calomel is a dangerous drug, is mercury and attacks your bowels. Take a dose of nasty calomel and you will feel weak, sick, nauseated tomorrow. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tonic instead you will wake up feeling great, more biliousness, constipation, sickness, headache, coated tongue or sour stomach. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tonic acts better than horrid calomel your money is waiting for you.

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