

All Authentic OIL NEWS Of Pecos Field

THE ENTERPRISE

AND PECOS TIMES

VOL. XLI. NUMBER 17.

PECOS, TEXAS, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1921.

\$2.00 PER YEAR, \$1.25 FOR SIX MONTHS.

RAMSEY BROS. PUT INTERESTS IN \$500,000 CO.

The Ramsey brothers, B. and H. B. Ramsey, have organized their oil interests in the Pecos country into what is to be known as Ramsey Oil Company.

The officers and directors are B. Ramsey, President and Manager, H. B. Ramsey Secretary and Mum Ried, vice president. J. E. Starley of Pecos is attorney for the company. The new organization has a capitalization of \$500,000. Its offices are at the Toyah Bell well at present but are to be moved to Pecos soon.

No stock is being sold in Pecos and the motive and purpose of the organization, according to its president, is to develop their holdings of about 1,000 acres in Loving and Ward counties. They own all the land contingent to the Toyah Bell well and are to devote their first efforts to development of that area. They also own the major and controlling interest in this producing well, the Ramsey brothers having made a deal several months ago with the Pecos Natural Oil Company whereby the Ramsey interests were to finish the well. The Toyah Bell Company owns one-fourth interest in the well.

The Ramsey brothers have large oil and ranch interests in California, are very business-like in all their dealings in Pecos and enjoy the confidence of business men with whom they deal in this territory.

INSPECTION MADE FOR PINK WORMS IN PECOS VALLEY

Fear of the Pink Bollworm in the Pecos Valley country has attracted again the attention of representatives of the Government here.

Messrs. Moreland, Moore and Lev Curl of the Federal Horticulture Board were in Pecos Wednesday and are inspecting cotton in this section. They came here from Carlsbad, New Mexico, where they found signs of the pink boll worm infection there. It is not known whether any exists in the Pecos country now.

OIL WELL SUPPLY COMPANY HAS SECURED SITE FOR BRANCH HOUSE

The Oil Well Supply Company of Fort Worth is the latest of the big companies to acquire a site for a branch house in Pecos.

Lands for building and equipment of this company has been leased just north of the Texas & Pacific station, near the Prewitt Lumber Company.

U. S. GEOLOGIST HAS FOUND BLACK LIME IN CULBERSON TERRITORY

Interesting samples of black lime formations from three Culberson County wells were brought to Pecos this week by H. W. Hoots, field representative of the U. S. Geological Survey in this territory. Mr. Hoots spent the past week in that area. Lime formations were encountered at the top of the ground on the C. W. Gossett location on Section 7, Block 101, and the ten inch core drill has been able only to make about 280 feet in several months of drilling. The J. D. Wesner well, also on the Mac Sayles ranch and located on Section 25, Block 100, has made very rapid drilling time, and has the hole below 1300 feet, and working in a dark grey lime formation.

The Denver Syndicate, which is drilling on Section 25, Block 66, Township 2, in the shadow of El Capitan, otherwise known as Guadalupe Peak, has pushed a core drill down to below 2700 feet, and has found lime formations almost from the surface down.

"DAREDEVIL ARMSTRONG" FLYS BY WAY OF PECOS

Frank L. Armstrong, known as "Daredevil Armstrong," accompanied by Charles Mayer, aviators, landed their airplane on the Pecos landing field Monday afternoon. They were en-route to El Paso and had lost their way, having intended to go by way of Carlsbad, New Mexico. They flew around over the town some and after getting a supply of gas and oil completed their journey to the "Gate City." Armstrong does the stunt of dropping from an airplane wing and descending by parachute.

Plans contemplate the construction of a building and the shipping of many carloads of equipment and supplies to accommodate the oil drillers of the Pecos field. It could not be learned just how much money is to be put into the Pecos Branch House.

MONDAY WAS COLDEST DAY IN THREE YEARS

According to the weather reports compiled by the Government Experiment station at Pecos, and kept in the office of the Chamber of Commerce, last Monday was the coldest day Pecos has seen in three years. The temperature registered ten above zero Monday. The lowest temperature last winter was twelve above zero. The coldest winter before last was eleven above and in 1918 it went as low as two degrees below zero.

It was cloudy for three days this week, too, which is considered a long period of cloudiness for any season of the year.

MISS KISER TREATED AT EL PASO HOSPITAL

Because of injuries received in a fall Miss Mae Kiser had to be carried to El Paso Wednesday for treatment. Her father, Sheriff Kiser accompanied her.

Miss Kiser was carried to El Paso several days ago, just after the accident and given an X-Ray examination and the doctors study of the X-Ray plates has shown that the young woman's collar bone and a bone in her shoulder were fractured. Her condition is not serious but several days stay at El Paso will be necessary for the treatment to be given.

NEW LOCATIONS ARE MADE

LAND COMMISSIONER MAPS OUT PROPOSED PARK IN MOUNTAINS

J. T. Robison, of Austin, State Land Commissioner, was a visitor in Pecos Friday, his trip here being incidental to his inspection of the proposed State Park in the Davis Mountains.

Mr. Robison has been making an extensive study of the proposed park district, meeting the land owners therein, traveling by motor and by horseback, even into some of the canyons and over some of the rough places where men seldom travel. He made a horseback ride for thirteen miles up Madera canyon, and while in that vicinity killed a big bear of which he was very proud.

The State Commissioner's map makes Gomez peak one of the points in the north boundary of the proposed park, then he draws his line to include Saw Tooth Mountain and Mount Livermore to the South, Fort Davis to the Southeast and Balmorhea also on the North boundary. His report goes to the Park Committee appointed by the legislature.

CHILD IS STIRRED TO WRITE POETRY ABOUT PECOS' BIG OIL WELL

Even the children of Pecos are interested in the oil development. One Virginia Caroline Thomas, age 8, is interested even to the extent of letting the muse stir her to an effort at poetry about the much talked Toyah Bell well.

Although amateurish, the effort at poetry shows study and maybe some day through careful training and encouragement little Miss Virginia may develop into a great literary woman. Here's her rhyme about the Toyah Bell:

"The well is flowing over the top,
Hippity hop! hippity hop!
The well is flowing over the top.
All the men run 'round with glee;
Oh gee! Oh gee!
They are so happy they can't believe
That the well is going over the top."

Virginia is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis W. Thomas of Pecos. She is in the fourth grade at school and this is her first effort at writing poetry.

COMMISSIONERS COURT ISSUES ORDER FOR IMPROVEMENT OF SPANISH TRAIL

At a called meeting of the Commissioners Court held in Pecos this week it was voted to ask for bids on the building and improvement of the Old Spanish Trail Highway from the Pecos county line to the Jeff Davis county line at Toyahvale. Bids are to be opened December 22, and call for the expenditure of approximately \$100,000.00 on this road which will be finished probably during the next twelve months.

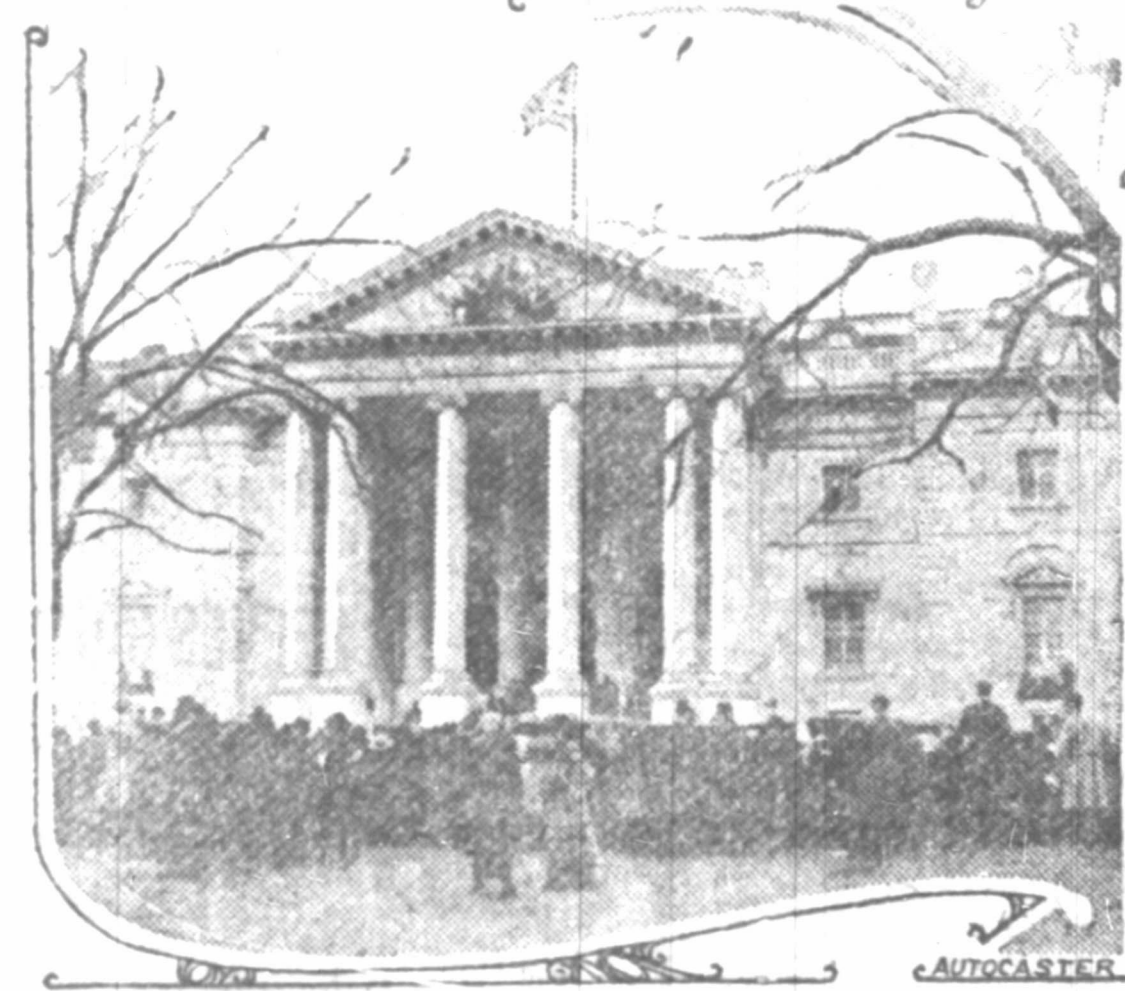
From Saragosa to Balmorhea the road is to be graded and gravelled in a first class manner. From Saragosa back to Pecos county line a good graded road is to be constructed. The State and Federal Government

furnished three-fourths of the funds to be expended. The Saragosa district has voted bonds to the amount of \$35,000 for the work.

Contractor Hamilton is said to be progressing with the work on the Bankhead Highway between Toyah and Kent. The money being spent on the Bankhead Highway together with the proposed work in the Southwest portion of the county totals close to \$400,000.00 that is being spent in Reeves county for better roads.

The Commissioners Court also approved the rolls of County Tax Assessor W. W. Camp. The regular session of the Commissioners is to be held next Monday.

"WILL THEY DO IT! DARE THEY DO IT!"



Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, where the Armament Conference is being held. Will this be a new "Liberty Bells" for all the peoples of the earth—liberty in universal world peace?

POSTMASTER URGES THAT PACKAGES BE WRAPPED WITH CARE

Postmaster McKellar, interested in the best possible postal services for the citizens of Pecos announces the warning that all packages to be mailed during the holidays should be packed and wrapped with great care. He says that to do this makes it more satisfactory for the postal force as well as making it safer for those sending packages.

He also urges packages to be sent as early as possible to help avoid congestion during the days just preceding Christmas.

Hull-less oats have been raised by the South Dakota Agricultural College after four years' work. The new oats this year yielded thirty bushels to the acre. The new grain is exceptionally valuable for hog feed.

GOVERNMENT SURVEY MAN FOR RED BLUFF TO ARRIVE MONDAY

M. H. Darton of the United States Geological Survey, who has been ordered out of the Denver office of the Reclamation Service to make a survey of the proposed Pecos Valley Red Bluff irrigation project, is to be in Pecos the coming week, according to an announcement from Secretary Sutherland of the Chamber of Commerce.

He is to reach Carlsbad Monday and is to be met there by Vernon L. Sullivan of El Paso, Engineer for the Pecos Valley Water Users Association of Texas, Secretary Sutherland, and R. N. Couch of Pecos and R. H. Grey of Beunavista.

It is expected that work on making the survey of the Red Bluff territory will progress rapidly now.

PLANS BIG DEVELOPMENT AROUND THE TOYAH-BELL

The Ramsey Oil Company has made two new locations in the vicinity of their Toyah-Bell well, north of Pecos.

The company has also, during the past few days, ordered a new sixty-horse power boiler, additional piping and other materials and has also employed G. E. Ross, formerly with other big companies, to act as production manager of the Ramsey Company. All this shows, in a practical way, that the oil in the Toyah-Bell pool is to be produced and sold as rapidly as possible and that on a big scale.

One of the new locations is four hundred feet West of the Toyah Bell producer and a Star rig is to be put on this site within a few days, according to B. Ramsey, President of the Company. This will be known as Ramsey No. 1. This rig will carry the hole down to below the water danger line and after the water is under control a big Standard rig and heavier machinery is to be put over the well to carry it on down to the producing stratum found in the Toyah Bell. Power for operations at this and the present well is to be furnished from the big boiler which is en-route to Pecos from Ranger. This will be connected with a 30 horse power engine. Because of the great depth of the well, more power is needed to proceed satisfactorily with operations there, it is stated.

Mr. Ramsey said the other location is four hundred feet north of the Toyah Bell producer.

The order for additional equipment this week for the Toyah Bell

well includes 4600 feet of 2 inch tubing, 3000 feet of line pipe and a big pump.

Cleaning out of the sand continued with the belief that the well may be given a chance to make a natural flow of the oil. But if it fails to do so the 2 inch tubing will be inserted and it is stated by those in charge that even above 1,000 barrels a day may be expected to flow by this means. And they state that because of the continuous trouble from the sand caving in that the pump may be brought into use but it is also of sufficient size to force upwards of a 1,000 barrels a day from the well. This is not only the opinion of B. Ramsey, president of the company, but is the expressed belief of other oil men who are acquainted with the conditions at the well. As long as there is action caused by the working of tools in the well the flows continue, producing at the rate of from 200 to 300 barrels per hour. During the past week some of the flows have lasted thirty minutes. One lasted an hour. It is believed by those in charge that if other means to get a natural flow fail that the action of a pump will cause a flow in addition to that which the pump lifts.

The Ramsey interests own nearly three-fourths of the Toyah Bell well, which is on a twenty acre tract, and own all the acreage in the immediate vicinity of the well and the new location is not on the twenty acre tract, it is said.

President Ramsey is happy over the results obtained so far in the Toyah Bell and is confident that still better work will be done in developing it. He is also confident that besides getting good paying producers in the other locations he has made that a gusher in all probability will be found in this pool. The Toyah Bell well is now down 4415 feet.

TOYAH BELL OIL MAKES HIGH GRADE GASOLINE TEST. SHOULD BRING \$4.50

Official analysis of recent samples of the oil from Toyah Bell well show it to be of exceeding high grade and such as will probably command a price of \$4.50 a barrel, which price the same grade of oil is bringing where it is produced in good quantities in other sections of the country.

The test shows the oil to have good gravity, showing 35 gasoline content and 40 lube.

President Ramsey said Thursday that he

had been offered \$3.00 a barrel by an El Paso company but it is believed that a much higher price can be secured from a refinery at Amarillo. He expects to get \$4.50 a barrel for the oil. The railway connection with Amarillo is satisfactory too, it is stated.

Some of the oil is being burned under the boiler at the Toyah Bell well but it is stated that it is too expensive to burn as fuel oil, since fuel oil can be bought for less than this will sell for.

PRESIDENT EPLEY OF TOYAH VALLEY SULPHUR CO. HERE

M. J. Epley, of New Orleans, president of the Toyah Valley Sulphur Company, was in Pecos Thursday enroute to the mines and production plant north of Pecos.

Mr. Epley is delighted over the progress being made at the mines and predicts still greater activities in that vicinity in the near future. The new equipment installed recently is measuring up to expectations and a full force of men continues to work at the mines every day.

"We have never laid off a man yet," declared President Epley, "but are able to keep everybody busy out there."

Large shipments of products from the mines are being made now, it is said, and the output is expected to be increased as the months pass.

The Pecos-Angeles has completed the setting of casing at 915 feet, and has resumed drilling operations. The operators plan to carry the ten inch casing deeper into the well, the string being placed in order to prevent additional caveins.

The Wesner well in Culberson county has been delayed for a short time due to difficulty in making a water shut off. This hole is down 1300 feet.

FIRE DESTROYS THE SANTA FE HOTEL AND ALL ITS FURNISHINGS

Fire completely destroyed the Santa Fe Hotel building and all contents, Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, causing a total loss of about \$5,000 to this single piece of property.

Great fear was caused for awhile concerning the little 6 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sudbrook, as his whereabouts was not known, it was feared that he had been caught in the burning building, but was discovered later in a neighbor's yard. All the upper story of the building was ablaze when the fire was discovered. It is said that the blaze originated from an oil stove left burning in one of the up-stair rooms. There was only one or two members of the family at home.

The building was valued at \$3,000 and contents about \$2,000. There was no insurance. J. H. Sudbrook owned the property. Only a quilt was saved from the burning structure.

The residence of C. Porter, next door South to the hotel, was saved by hard work by the firemen and others who rushed to their assistance. This property was damaged some but the damage is fully covered with insurance. Several other buildings caught fire on the roofs from sparks but were saved. The fire department did good and rapid work.

A TONIC

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value. Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is simply Iron and Quinine suspended in syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs QUININE to Purify it and IRON to Enrich it. Destroys Malarial germs and Grip germs by its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. 60c.

(Advertisement)

5 ACRES FOR \$50

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

D. A. DODDS, PECOS

PEARCE BROS.
EXPERIENCED
RIG BUILDERS
GET OUR FIGURES ON COMPLETE RIGS. MATERIAL. RIG IRONS. OR LABOR CONTRACTS
PECOS, TEXAS
BOX 246 PHONE 69

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

CLEM CALHOUN
ATTORNEY AT LAW
SYNDICATE BUILDING
PECOS, TEXAS

HUDSON & STARLEY
LAWYERS
OFFICE IN SYNDICATE BUILDING
PECOS, TEXAS

W. W. HUBBARD
LAWYER
OFFICE IN SYNDICATE BUILDING
PECOS, TEXAS

JOHN B. HOWARD
LAWYER
PECOS, TEXAS

J. A. DRANE
ATTORNEY AT LAW
OFFICE OVER PECO VALLEY STATE BANK
PECOS, TEXAS

BEN PALMER
ATTORNEY AT LAW
OFFICE IN FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING
PECOS, TEXAS

ROY I. BIGGS
LAWYER
PECOS, TEXAS
Office upstairs across street from Postoffice

J. G. MURRAY
FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND EMBALMER
PECOS MERCANTILE COMPANY
Phones: Day 18; Night 78

MAJ. THOS. H. BOMAR
AT HOME
Corner of Sixth and Maple Streets

JOHN F. GROGAN
DRILLING CONTRACTOR
Phone 276 P. O. Box 547

TEXAS BRANCH SEED

LABORATORY REOPENED

Miss Pearl Drummond, Seed Analyst, Bureau of Plant Industry, United States Department of Agriculture, has been assigned to the Texas Branch Seed Laboratory, operated co-operatively by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, College Station, Texas, and the Bureau of Plant Industry. This laboratory has been closed since June, owing to lack of properly trained help.

Miss Drummond arrived Friday, November 25, from the University of Missouri at Columbia, Missouri, where she has been engaged in similar work for the past year and a half.

The Texas Branch Seed Laboratory serves farmers and others in the states of Texas, Louisiana, Alabama, Mississippi, and Florida. The work consists of testing samples of planting seed for purity as to foreign material and noxious weed seeds, such as Johnson grass, thistle, bindweed, dodder, etc. The germination power of samples received is also determined when requested. In other words, the farmer, through the use of this laboratory, may know the quality and value of planting seed before planting and hence avoid spreading noxious weeds on the farm or the use of seed unfit for planting on account of low germination. Every farmer should know the germination of such seeds as corn, alfalfa and sorghum before going to the expense of planting it on his land.

Those desiring germination or purity tests can obtain service at this laboratory without cost, if samples are properly labelled and addressed to "Seed Laboratory," College Station, Texas.

SOME BULLETINS

ON FERTILIZERS

Increase of interest in fertilizers in Texas is shown by the number of letters of inquiry that are coming to the Texas Experiment Station concerning fertilizers for cotton, corn, watermelons, onions, cabbage and other crops. In view of this interest, it is well to call attention to the Bulletin of the Texas Experiment Station which can be secured free by writing B. Youngblood, Director, College Station, Texas. Bulletin No. 167 is entitled "Commercial Fertilizers and Their Use," No. 243 is entitled "The Needs of Texas Soils for Lime," No. 280 "Commercial Fertilizers in 1910-21," No. 184 "Cooperative Experiments with Corn, 1908-14," and No. 277 "Sweet Potato Fertilizer Experiments at Substation No. 2."

In 1867 we brought Alaska from Russia for \$7,000,000. Since then the territory has returned to us over seventy times the purchase price. The mining industry alone has yielded mineral products valued at \$438,160,000. Since 1880 gold production has totaled \$311,665,000, and a conservative estimate places the value of unmined placer gold at \$360,000,000. Prospects for the development of gold-bearing-quartz-vein mining are bright, and large oil production is expected in the near future.

Our last year's combined beet and cane sugar crop of 1,266,148 tons was the greatest on record, according to the final report of the bureau of crop estimates. It exceeded the small crop of 1919—a year in which weather conditions were unusually unfavorable—by 49 per cent, and the crop of the previous high record year, 1916, by 12 per cent. Last year the beet sugar crop was 1,050,021 tons, 86 per cent of the combined crop.

The United States Public Health Service has been able, since 1910, to reduce the typhoid mortality from 23.5 death per 100,000 to 9.2, in 1919, and has done much to eradicate malaria, yellow fever, cholera; lessen the seriousness of smallpox, discovered the cause of and a cure for pellagra, successfully combatted trachoma, a disease of the eye which has blinded thousands, and has developed wonderful methods in the treatment and cure of leprosy.

Teacher—Why did the people of old believe that the world was flat? Pupil—Because they didn't have a school globe to prove that it was round.

SHE BURNS MONEY ON CLOTHES



Here are two views of Mrs. Smith Wilkinson, who is acknowledged as the best dressed woman in the world, and who is coming to America shortly to show us what real gowns are. Mrs. Wilkinson started in life as a restaurant keeper in England. She and her husband expanded the business into a chain of restaurants, then into a chain of hotels and they made millions. Her whole life now is spent in buying things to wear, and wearing 'em at a cost of a million a year. Her wardrobe contains hundreds of costly gowns, priceless lace, gorgeous hats, diamond studded shoes and her strings of pearls and rubies are a huge fortune in themselves. Some of her gowns are so complicated in make and material that they take nine months to complete.

PICTURE ON LEFT—Mrs. Wilkinson in gorgeous Louis XIV creation in black velvet and just hat trimmed with spray feathers. PICTURE ON RIGHT—Mrs. Wilkinson in latest creation of fur wrap, to be fastened on hip on left.

OFFICERS ELECTED

At the business meeting Tuesday afternoon of the Womans Missionary Society of the Methodist church officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, Mrs. John Hibdon; vice president, Mrs. Emma Boles; recording secretary, Mrs. Albert Sisk; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. W. Runnels; connectional treasurer, Mrs. H. N. McKellar; local treasurer, Mrs. A. G. Waugh; superintendent of children's work, Mrs. W. M. Day; superintendent of study and publicity, Mrs. Tena Adams; superintendent of social service, Mrs. J. C. Hollebeck; superintendent of supplies, Mrs. Thos. G. Ashe; pianist, Mrs. David Tudor; agent for The Missionary Voice, Mrs. C. K. McKnight.

A teacher was trying to illustrate the outcome of laziness and idleness. She drew a terrible picture of a habitual loafer, the man who hates work, and his ultimate fate. "Now Johnnie," she said to a little boy who had been looking out of the window, and whose mind was far from the lesson of the hour, "tell me who is the wretched, miserable individual who gets clothes, food and lodging and gives nothing in return?" Johnnie's face glowed. "Please miss," he replied, "the baby!"

THE LUCK OF ANANIAS

Sunday School teacher asked a small girl the other day why Ananias was so severely punished.

The little one thought a minute, then answered: "Please, teacher, they weren't so used to lying in those days."—London Post.

THE PENSIVE NOTE

Before steel pens were invented the pinions of the goose were used to spread the opinions of another.—Detroit News.

Teacher—Why is it that the lightning never strikes twice in the same place?

Jimmy—Because after it hits it once, the same place ain't there.—National Republican.

QUITE THE LIMIT

Clicker: "He's an eccentric individual, isn't he?"
Clacker: "Rather; expects me to pay him what I owe him no matter how I raise the money."—New York Sun.

Teacher—Johnny, your conduct is outrageous. I shall have to consult your father.

Johnny—Better not, teacher—it will cost you \$2. He's a doctor.—Buffalo Express.

TO TRADE

32 Room Apartment House clear of debt, in Indiana, for Pecos Property. What have you?

5 Residences for Sale

One Furnished 4-Room Apartment House For Rent

Drilling Sites, Oil Leases in large or small tracts.

REEVES CO. OIL LAND LEASE EXCHANGE

I. E. SMITH, Manager

A WARM PAPER

75c Get K. Lamity's Harpoon 1 year or 2 years \$1.00 The Harpoon SAN ANTONIO, TEX.

OH LISTEN!

Did you know we have a complete stock of the following BUILDING MATERIALS?

LUMBER
DOORS
WINDOWS
MOULDING
PAINT
LINSEED OIL
TURPENTINE
WHITE LEAD
BARB-WIRE
WIND MILLS
ENGINES
WINDOW GLASS
PAINTED AND GALVANIZED
CORRUGATED
IRON ROOFING SHINGLES
ROOFING PAPER
BUILDING PAPER
NAILS
CEMENT
BRICK
LIME
POST
PIPE
PIPE FITTINGS
WALL-BOARD
SCREEN WIRE
BOLTS
BUILDERS' HARDWARE
RIG TIMBERS

GROVES LUMBER COMPANY

"Everything to Build Anything"

Phone #33

Free Delivery

FAMOUS TOYAH VALLEY ALFALFA HONEY

EXTRACTED

6 10-lb. Pails	\$7.80
12 5-lb. Pails	\$8.40
20 3-lb. Pails	\$9.60
12 1 1/2-lb. Fruit Jars	\$4.00

Send Check With Order

Reference—Peco Valley State Bank, Pecos

E. F. FUQUA, SARAGOSA, TEXAS

MRS. D. A. DODDS

LANDS AND OIL AND GAS
LEASES—FIVE ACRES TO
FIVE HUNDRED ACRES

MRS. D. A. DODDS

PECOS, TEXAS

Brighten Your Homes This Christmas

with "ELECTRICITY"

WIRING AND REPAIRING OF ALL KINDS
THE BRIGHT WAY, IS THE LIGHT WAY,
DURING THE HOLIDAYS

Pecos Power & Ice Company, Inc.
Phones 41 and 151

DR. W. B. LYND



Christmas

For All the Family

At Our Store

Visit Our Dry Goods
Department



Elegant gifts for men, women and children. They are practical, pleasing in appearance and the price will suit you. Try our grocery department for

FINANCIAL REVIEW

(Prepared For The Enterprise By
The First National Bank In
ST. LOUIS.)

The Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce has just published figures on United States shoe export for the nine months period of 1921. During the nine-months period of 1919, there were exported from the United States 15,669,265 pairs of boots and shoes valued at \$53,161,579. In the same period of 1920 exports amounted to 12,249,382 pairs valued at \$51,766,171; and in 1921, 7,775,873 pairs valued at \$21,679,120.

Russia in Europe, for the 1921 period, holds first place in the number of pairs of men's shoe received, Mexico second, Cuba third, Poland fourth and Panama fifth. The fields entered in 1920 showing increases in 1921 shipments are New Foundland and Labrador, Turkey in Asia and Poland and Danzig. Peru, which was 16th in rank in 1919 and 1920 is in 1921 accorded seventh place.

Cuba took the largest share of woman's shoes exported during January and September 1919, 1920 and 1921 averaging 19.9, 21.5 and 23.4 percent, respectively. Panama advanced from eleventh place in 1919 to fifth in 1921; Jamaica from tenth to sixth place.

The exportation of children's shoes to Europe, exclusive of Norway, during the 1921 period exceeded Cuban shipments by 191,456 pairs. Cuba and Europe together represent 83 percent of the total quantity of children's shoes exported in 1921. This seems to indicate two very extensive foreign fields for American manufacturers to enter.

STUDY HOME NOW—GO

TO SCHOOL LATER

Many young people would like to take a commercial course to prepare for a stenographic or accounting position but are unable to leave home to go to another city. The Texas Business College of Weatherford, Texas has solved this problem for many by providing the most practical instruction in a way that can be taken without leaving home. You can enroll for any of the courses at the school and make good progress if you can devote a little time to study each day. Class room conditions are reproduced as nearly as possible and students make good progress with the improved teaching methods in use. Write the President, T. H. Gatlin for full information about the superior correspondence courses now offered. You can start studying at home now and complete the course at the school later if you wish. And you can do this without repeating any work done at home. All tuition paid on the Home Study course will also be credited upon tuition at the school, at any time you wish to change. 1-1.

(Advertisement)
The Quinine Tonic Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, I.A.X. TIVE BUCCHO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of H. W. GROVE, Inc.

NAILING YOUR LIE BY MACHINE



Science has made another human interest discovery, this: That you may be quite able to keep your face when you tell a lie, but you can't keep your eyes normal. An invention called the "retinoscope," trained on your eyes, at once detects that you are lying. Picture shows how the retinoscope is used.

FORT STOCKTON FARMERS

For a number of years it has been the belief of not a few of our best informed men that feeding out cattle and sheep for market would be a profitable business, and especially so as we have a prolific alfalfa growing territory as well as an extensive ranching country. When both livestock and the best of feed is grown in abundance and a climate condition exists that is ideal the year round, it does seem but common-sense reasoning that feeding livestock for market could not prove other than profitable.

As to why the feeding industry here has not received more attention and carried on more extensively there seems to be no good explainable reason, other than the overlooking of a good thing that naturally existed, for it proved a success with the only man that ever tried it out—James Rooney, who for a number of years has made it a point to feed a number of cars of "hot house lambs" for the Easter market and has found it to be a profitable undertaking in every instance with but one exception, in so far as we are informed.

But we are glad to note that the feeding industry is no longer to lie dormant as it has in the past and that a number of our alfalfa growers are now, in a limited way, feeding a number of carloads of young livestock for market, and their feeding experiments are being watched with no little interest.

Those of our irrigated farmers who are now engaging in feeding are, Dan Bihl, 100 head of calves; J. L. Mitchell, 1 car of yearling steers; Lem Smith, 1 car of calves; Crenshaw & Mattison, a string of steers; J. H. Baverley, 1 car of calves; A. Frank, 1 car of calves; P. L. Stromquist, 1 car of calves; James Rooney, 2,000 head of mutton lambs. When the above named gentlemen

have completed their feeding and marketing of their live stock, the Pioneer hopes to be able to obtain and give a detailed report of the experience of each one engaged, that others contemplating a like venture may have reliable data on which to base their estimates and plans.—Fort Stockton Pioneer.

The Chinese Republic recently bestowed an unusual honor on Albert G. Bowers, of Lancaster, Pennsylvania, when it presented him with the "Decorations of the Felicitation Grain, or Beautiful Crop," its highest reward for valor. Mr. Bowers, while engaged in engineering work at Chefoo, China, resided, at the risk of his life, the passengers and crew of a Japanese steamship wrecked in a storm.

If enemy tanks ever crawl up to American trenches they will get a hot reception. The army developed a 60-caliber machine gun, built along the lines of the Browning gun, that fires a bullet that will penetrate tank armor at 200 yards. The new gun has a range of 7,000 yards.

IMPERATIVE MOOD

Mother: "Elsie, you must not slam your doll down in her cradle like that. It is just as easy to lay her down quietly."

Elsie: "It isn't when you're mad."—Boston Transcript.

A CHILD OF CONFLICT

"What are you?"
"I am a war child."
"But you are Swedish?"
"Yes. But father and mother are always at war."—Kasper (Stockholm).

"World Problems as Luncheon Topics." That is the time when world problems seem so easy to solve.—New York Post.

WILLOUGHBY
NO. ONE WELL
ISON STRUCTURE

We are working to bring in the next gusher. Our every effort is to help develop the great Pecos Oil Field. Co-operation and our share of the investors' money will be appreciated.

The
Willoughby Petroleum
Company :: Pecos, Texas

So far as we know the following sentence is the only one in the English language that can be read backward with the same meaning. It is credited to Napoleon: "Able was I ere I saw Elba."

Last year, it is estimated, more than two hundred and fifty million people traveled to and from New York City by railroad. This is an increase of almost seventeen million, or about 7 per cent over 1919.

The great American dollar is increasing steadily in value. Just now it will buy 25 per cent more than it would a year ago! Wonder if the old silver cart wheel will ever again look as big as it did back in 1913?

HOW TOWNSPEOPLE AND FARM FOLKS CAN
COOPERATE FOR BENEFIT OF EACH

PRESIDENT HOWARD, CHIEF OF FARM BUREAUS, WRITES FOR THIS PAPER ON 20TH CENTURY SUBJECT—DEVELOPING THE GREATER COMMUNITY SPIRIT.

James R. Howard, an Iowa farmer and the President of the American Farm Bureau Federation, speaks for organized agriculture. In the following article he touches on a question near to his heart—the development of a community spirit between townsmen and farmers.

By JAMES R. HOWARD
President of the American Farm Bureau Federation

Copyright 1921, by the Publishers Autocaster Service Co.

Townpeople and farmers are not two alien races but brothers facing the same problems; a spirit of co-operation between them is absolutely necessary if our nation is to reach the Promised Land of Normalcy. One of the great tasks of our national farmers' organization—the American Farm Bureau Federation—is to bring to the town man a better understanding of the farmer and the farmers' problems, while we consider it equally our task to interpret justly to the farmer the town man and his problems.

EXAMPLE OF RELATIONSHIP

The relation of the farmer and the banker serves well to illustrate our point. Certainly their problem is parallel. The banker conserves the fiscal wealth of his community, storing and distributing it as need may arise and occasion justify. It is his business to use this fiscal wealth in such a way as will create new accumulations of wealth and safeguard the interests of the community. It is the farmer's business to conserve the soil wealth of the community, distributing the products as the needs of society may indicate.



JAMES R. HOWARD

but always, if we are good farmers, having in mind an accumulation of fertility on which the drafts of future generations may be drawn. All know that the farmer is the principal producer of the fiscal wealth of the nation. The banker is interested in the fiscal wealth, and if the farmer fails to produce not only the banker's business but all business suffers. The farmer's problem is, certainly, the townsman's problem. The period of stagnation from which we are just emerging is but sad proof of this.

FARMER WILL NOW HELP

For several decades cities and towns have had various forms of organizations to work on economic and social problems. They have accomplished much. Most of this time the farmer has been unorganized. His own problems have been neglected and he has been in no position to aid the townsman. That time has passed.

American agriculture is now organized as agriculture never before in the history of the world was organized. Problems peculiar to the agricultural industry are being at-

tacked; much has been done in finding their solution.

And not only is the farmer in a position to aid himself, but he now comes to the aid of his town brother. In a national way such programs as good roads, reduction of freight rates, taxation—all problems of vital concern to the town man—are receiving the heartiest support from organized agriculture.

THIS IS COOPERATION!

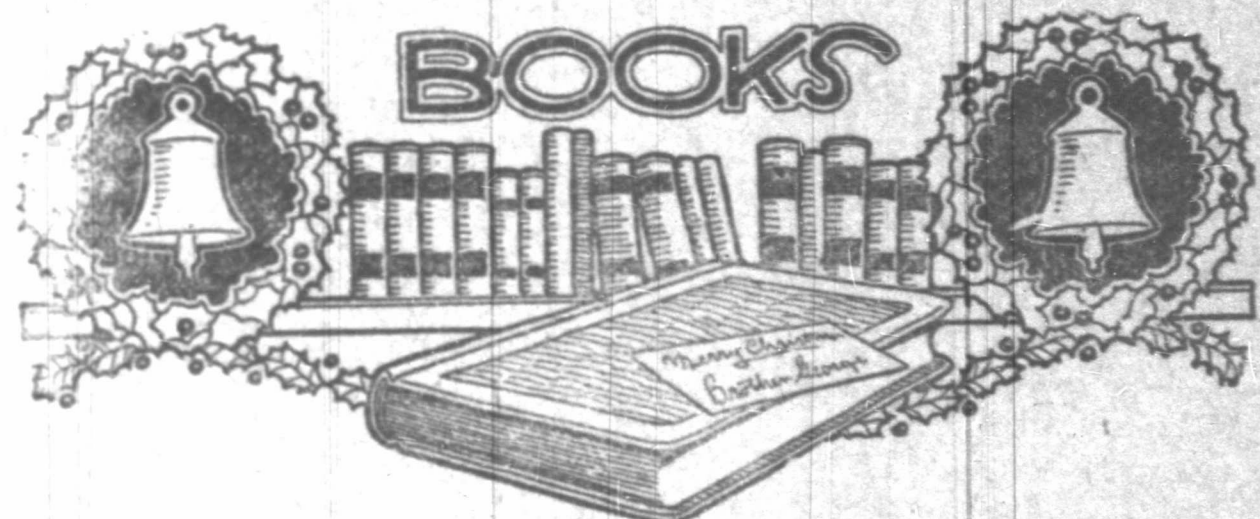
In the local units opportunity is afforded for the closest co-operation. Schools, roads—the particular features on which such a co-operative spirit might be developed, are immaterial. Only yesterday from down in Missouri came the story of one example of town-country co-operation. Through its agricultural committee the commercial club of Columbia, Missouri, is furnishing a market news service to farmers. The plan is to list free of charge any grain, livestock products, farm machinery of all kinds, and even land or farms that the owner would buy or sell. The committee believes that owing to the almost prohibitive high freight rates existing today, that it is to the advantage of the producer to sell or buy whenever there is an opportunity near at home.

SCHOOLS COME FIRST

When the question is asked me, "In what particular can country and town best co-operate," the word school immediately comes into my mind. Country and town co-operating in the establishment of consolidated schools find a common ground. Even closer the tie can be drawn by making the consolidated school a real live community center. My own home is on a farm out in Iowa, five miles from the town of Clements. There we have that real community spirit. We have a park—a community park built by farmers and townpeople—and it is a real park.

Townpeople and farmers are not two alien races, but brothers facing the same problem.

J. R. Howard

Christmas Always
Brings Thoughts of Books

The two go together—for how can we hope to better stay in the thoughts of our friends—than through a good book as a remembrance gift!

In our book offering for Xmas giving this year is found every imaginable kind of reading—from kiddie rhymes to Oxford Bibles! Books for father, mother, sister, brother, sweetheart and the kiddies.



FOUNTAIN PENS
EVER SHARP PENCILS
CHRISTMAS CARDS
A Good Variety to Choose
From

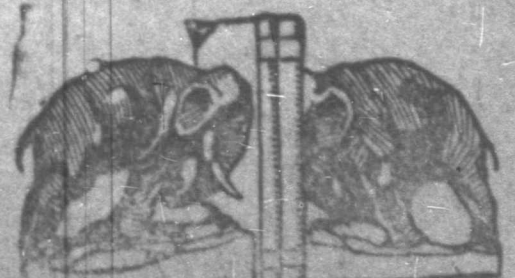
Some Other
Suggestions

CUTEX SETS
MANICURE SETS
PERFUME SETS
MARY GARDEN
DEJER KISS
CARESS
HAUBIGANT
IVORY SETS
TOYS
DOLLS



BOOK ENDS

Bronze book ends as beautiful as is humanly possible to make them—Keep your books out where they will tempt you to read them.



CITY PHARMACY

THE ENTERPRISE

Pecos Valley News, established 1887; Pecos Weekly Times established 1897; Reeves County Record, established 1910; consolidated Nov. 23, 1912. The Enterprise absorbed Pecos Times June 1, 1917.

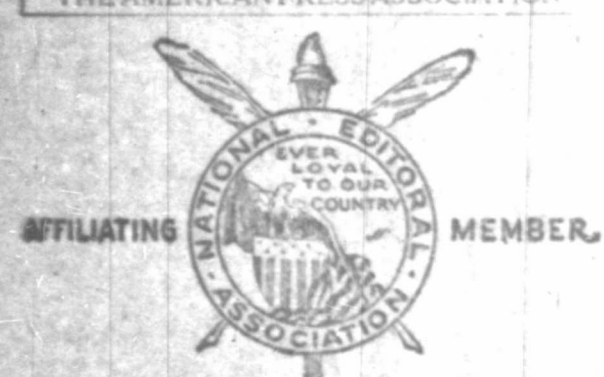
PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY
JOHN HIBDON
EDITOR, OWNER AND PUBLISHER
ADVERTISING RATES

Display, per inch, flat 50c
Readers, per line 10c
Classified, per word 1c
Minimum 25 cents paid in advance.

Copy must be in the office not later than Wednesday noon to insure publication in current issue.
SUBSCRIPTION RATES
One Year, \$2; Six Months, \$1.25.

Published in Advance
No subscription taken for less than six months.
Entered as second class matter October 22, 1915,
at the postoffice at Pecos, Texas, under the Act of
March 3, 1879.

Foreign Advertising Representative
THE AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION



CONCERNING INQUIRIES

The Enterprise office receives many letters and telegrams asking about developments in the oil field, the veracity and integrity of men and companies doing business in the field and many other questions that would take the full time of an extra stenographer to answer.

It is the desire of The Enterprise to be as courteous and helpful as possible to all honest inquirers. Yet it can not afford to answer so many questions which are answered in our news columns. Neither do we propose to give a Dun and Bradstreet service as to the financial standing, nor the personal worth of men in the oil and real estate business. We have been answering question of a general nature, replying to every letter and telegram we can possibly find time to answer but they are getting too numerous now. We publish the news in as fair and unbiased manner as is possible. Like any other reputable paper we tell nothing but the truth in our columns so far as we know. News as it appears in the columns of the paper comes from many sources. There may be a variety of opinions in an issue or happening. The newspaperman considers all the reports he hears and the opinion of men he interviews, then sums it up and the story in print comes as near hitting the bull's eye for truthfulness as does the average report circulated on the street, and often times is more accurate, for efforts are made to get the truth for the news columns. It is the desire of the paper of course to publish everything that is encouraging to the community and its interests and everything that is of such a nature is published as long as it is within the bounds of reason and veracity. Of course it would not do for a newspaper man to publish everything he hears and knows. But it is that which is constructive and helpful and necessary in informing that enters the news columns, so far as honest effort and business sense will allow.

So if inquirers are not satisfied with the news they receive in the paper they need not expect a long letter in answer to inquiries they write, for it is not possible to furnish this every time unless we were able to employ a stenographer expressly for that purpose.

THE COUNTRY EDITOR

"Consider the editor. He wears a purple and fine linen; his abode is among the mansions of the rich. His wife hath her limousine, and his first-born sporteth a racing car that can hit her up in forty flat. Lo, all the people breaketh their necks to hand him money. Nih!"

"Behold, the child groweth up and gradueth. And the editor putteth into his paper a swell notice; yea, a peach of a notice. He telleth of the wisdom of the young woman, and of her exceeding comeliness. Like unto the roses of Sharon is she, and her gown is played up to beat the band. The dressmaker getteth two-score and four iron men, and the editor getteth a note of thanks from the S. C. G."

"The daughter goeth on a journey. The editor throweth himself on the story of the farewell party; it runneth a column solid, and the fair one remembereth him from afar with a picture postal card that costeth six for a jitney."

"Behold, she returneth and the youth of the city fall down and worship. She picketh one and lo! she picketh a lemon. But the editor calleth him one of the promising young men and getteth away with it."

"Flowery and long is the wedding notice which the editor printeth. The minister getteth ten bones. The groom standeth the editor off for a twelvemonth subscription."

"All flesh is grass, and in time the wife is gathered into the silo. The minister getteth his bit. The editor printeth a death notice, two columns of obituary, three lodge notices, a cubit of poetry and a card of thanks. And he forgetteth to read proof on the head, and the darn thing cometh out, 'Gone to Her Last Roasting Place.'"

"And all that are akin to the de-coated jumpeth on the editor with execrable imprecations. And they pull out subscription hammer generate—The A"

SIGNS OF THE TIMES



SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Texas,
County of Reeves.

By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, on the 31st day of October, 1921, by Clerk of said Court against W. C. Welborn for the sum of Fifteen Hundred Sixty and 08/100 (\$1560.08) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 1889 in said Court, styled Clay Cooke versus W. C. Welborn, et al and placed in my hands for service, I, E. B. Kiser as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 6th day of December, 1921, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Reeves County, described as follows to-wit: All of Section No. 245, Blk. 13, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey, in Reeves County, Texas; and that said Attachment lien is a valid and subsisting lien as against the said Ira C. Welborn.

It is therefore ordered, and decreed by the Court that the Plaintiff, Clay Cooke, do have of and recover from the defendant Ira C. Welborn, the sum of Fifteen Hundred Sixty and 08/100 Dollars, with interest thereon from this date until paid at the rate of 6 percent per annum, and all costs of suit in this behalf expended, but that on execution is sued hereon personally against the said defendant, other than the order of sale hereinafter directed.

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that said attachment lien, upon all interest of said Ira C. Welborn in said Section No. 245, Blk. 13, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey, as same existed on January 20th, 1920, be and the same is hereby foreclosed, and that the Clerk of said Court issue an Order of Sale directed to the Sheriff of Reeves County Texas, commanding him to seize and sell the above described real estate as under execution and out of the proceeds thereof to pay and satisfy this judgment and all costs incurred herein and costs of said sale, and the excess if any shall be paid to the said Ira C. Welborn.

And levied upon as the property of said Ira C. Welborn. And on Tuesday, the 3rd day of January, 1922, at the Court House door of Reeves County, in the Town of Pecos, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I will sell said Premises at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Ira C. Welborn by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Pecos Times and Enterprise, a newspaper published in Reeves County. Witness my hand, this 6th day of January, 1921.

E. B. KISER,
Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.

A report from the Pacific Commercial Advertiser published in Honolulu records a rainfall of 590 inches for thirteen months ending Feb. 3, 1921, on the summit of Mt. Waialeale, island of Kauai, one of the Hawaiian group. The precipitation was caught in a 900-inch copper gauge belonging to the United States Weather Bureau.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take LAXATIVE PROMO QUININE (Tablets) 10
drops the fourth and fifth days and works off the
Cold. L. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 25c

LANDS

Along the Pecos Valley Southern R. R. offer opportunities unsurpassed to the man of ordinary means. Farming is done by irrigation. A large portion of the land is underlaid with an inexhaustible supply of water, which is found at a depth of 110 to 200 feet and when drilled rises to within 12 to 35 feet of the surface where pump is set, and continuous pumping will not lower.

In the Balmorhea district water for irrigation is furnished by mammoth springs and reservoir. Never a shortage of water. The soil is exceptionally productive. Alfalfa, cotton, cantaloupes and fruits return good profits. Farmers in 1921 made money.

Climatic conditions are very favorable to the growing of crops. A delightful place to live.

Improved and unimproved lands for sale on easy terms.

CODE OF MORALS FOR SCHOOL GIRLS WINS APPROVAL OF BOARD

Recently the girls of Point Pleasant High School, Virginia, under the direction of Miss Hannah Hood, graduate of Gouches College, adopted a new code of morals including some of the ideas which the girls will strive to attain. The code was approved and adopted by the State Board of Education and is sent to all public schools and co-educational colleges in that state, with the recommendation that the provisions be made effective.

Here is the code recommended:

1. We approve of a plain and simple dress for school.
2. We feel that lightweight georgettes and chiffons are undesirable for school wear.
3. We disapprove of soft, clinging material which reveal the form.
4. We disapprove of extreme low necks and formal evening gowns.
5. We approve of dress lengths being regulated to fit the physique of the individual.
6. We disapprove of rolled and "loud" hose.
7. We consider silk hose unnecessary for school wear.
8. We believe school shoes should be comfortable, with low heels.
9. We disapprove of the use of eyebrow pencil, lipstick, rouge and heavy face powder.
10. We believe in chaperons for all parties, including auto rides.
11. We approve of the "hand-off" policy in friendship between boys and girls.
12. We believe no girl should accept presents or auto rides from strangers.
13. We believe every girl should be especially particular in selecting subjects and words when conversing with a boy.
14. We believe slang should be excluded from our speech.
15. We believe no girl should take part in gossiping.
16. Every girl who comes to school immodestly attired will be sent before a committee composed of the lady members of the faculty.

CITATION

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

You are hereby commanded to cite all persons interested in the estate of Homer L. Magee, deceased, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Reeves County, to be held at the Court House thereof on the 2nd Monday in January, A. D. 1922, the same being the 9th day of January, A. D. 1922, to Contest, should they desire to do so, the application of Juliet J. Magee filed in said Court, which will then and there be acted on for the probate of the last will and testament of said Homer L. Magee, deceased, filed with said application, and for letters testamentary upon the Estate of said Homer L. Magee, deceased.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day, of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon showing how you executed the same.

Witness S. C. Vaughan Clerk of the Court of Reeves County.
Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Pecos, Texas, this 7th day of December, A. D. 1921.

(Seal)
S. C. VAUGHAN,
Clerk County Court Reeves County.

I hereby certify, that the above and foregoing is true and correct copy of the Original Citation now in my hand.
E. B. KISER,
Sheriff Reeves County.

By R. G. MIDDLETON, Deputy
Citation, Estate of Homer L. Magee, deceased.

Issued 7th day of December, 1921.
S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk.

The largest ruby in the world, the great Moson Tarsa ruby, was carried around in its rough state nearly twenty years by a Hungarian laborer of Omaha as a lucky pocket piece. He had found the stone near a little stream in Hungary and brought it to this country in 1903. The stone weighs 23.9 carats and is valued at \$500,000.

\$300,000 worth of wines and liquors were recently stolen from the cellars of the country estate of Joseph E. Leiter, millionaire clubman of Washington, D. C. The robbery was effected by drilling through a three-inch steel door with an acetylene torch. The loot was then carried away in motor trucks.

The railroad trip of Marshal Ferdinand Foch from New York City to Kansas City, as a guest of the American Legion, cost but \$1. John F. Cannon, general manager of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, said the \$1 would be split by his road with the Pennsylvania in order to comply with a ruling of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Texas,
County of Reeves.

By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Johnson County, on the 1st day of November, 1921, by the Clerk of said Court against H. C. Bedinger for the sum of One Thousand Five Hundred and Fifty-Five (\$1555.00) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 10075 in said Court, styled F. E. Johnson versus H. C. Bedinger and placed in my hands for service, I, E. B. Kiser as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 2nd day of December, 1921, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Reeves County, described as follows, to-wit:

The South One-Half of all that tract or parcel of land known and described as Section No. 6, in Block No. 55, Certificate No. 4064 T. & P. Ry. Co. Grant in Reeves County, Texas. The same being the same land formerly sold by the State of Texas to Mrs. Mary Lou Prewitt.

And levied upon as the property of said H. C. Bedinger. And on Tuesday, the 3rd day of January, 1922, at the Court House door of Reeves County, in the Town of Pecos, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I will sell said premises at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said H. C. Bedinger by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Pecos Times and Enterprise, a newspaper published in Reeves County. Witness my hand, this 2nd day of December, 1921.

E. B. KISER,
Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.

3%

LOANS

EDWIN S. MAYER

Investor's Agent

3 First National Bank Bldg.

P. O. Box 694

PECOS, TEXAS

VULCANIZING AND TOP TRIMMING

Money Back Guarantee on Tube and Casing Work How Are These Prices For

QUALITY TIRES?

Not Seconds
30x3 Non-Skid
\$10.75 and \$10.95
30x3 1/2 Non-Skid
\$12.75 and \$13.75

Eat At

The Johnston Cafe

"The Place of Quality and Service"

We Serve the Best the Market Affords At Popular Prices

AN OPPORTUNITY OF A LIFETIME

Has it occurred to you that Opportunity is knocking at your door. Many people have been made rich by buying the right oil property at the right time. The Toyah Bell No. 2 is an assured paying producer, with prospect of making several thousand barrels per day when properly developed. Yet land and leases have not advanced beyond the reach of the small investor. Now is the time to buy.

We have lands and leases ranging from close up to this wonderful well to several miles distance. We can fit your pocketbook in either large or small tracts. We also have good tracts near other drilling wells. Tell us what you want, we have it or will get it.

SPECIAL—5000 acres in a body, carries 15-16 of the minerals, well located, good oil prospect, in fee for \$4.50 per acre bonus, can give terms.

We have complete standard rig over good hole, all necessary equipment ready for work, plenty of acreage. Want to make contract for completion of this well.

If you have property in this country you want to sell, give us description, prices and terms.

S. T. HOBBS & CO.

Office: First National Bank Bldg.

P. O. Box 116.

Phone 206

Pecos, Texas.



Did you ever stop to think how a bit of knit goods—a sweater—makes boys out of every man in your family? It is a fact. Every man likes a sweater—he dotes on 'em and he never feels better than when he dons a sweater and is out in the open.

For a Christmas present—sure to please—pick out a sweater—here—for dad, big brother and little brother.

All that is new in weavings and colors.

Toliver Dry Goods Store

YOU NEED US!

We Solicit Business
Relations With You
Either In Person or
By Correspondence.

BARNUM & THOMPSON

ARTHUR B. THOMPSON

CLASSIFIED

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Forty units Toyah-Bell. First money order for \$16.00 gets it. Need money.—J. M. Williams, 2017 Spring, Little Rock, Arkansas. 11*

FOR SALE—Eighty acres leased oil lands, fully paid and recorded, situated in Ward County, Texas. Make offer. A. O. Noreen, Agent, Petaluma, Calif. 15-6t*

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

FOR SALE—6-room house. Will sell cheap to settle estate. Phone 137, Pecos, Texas, or Mrs. S. E. Wilson. 15-tf

FOR SALE—Drilling tools, Standard rig, casing, all big hole stuff good for new, complete two full outfits for sale cheap for cash. Casing all sizes write or wire, W. P. Danham, Copernicus Cove, Texas. 8-tf

FOR SALE—Two lots No. 13 and 14, in block No. 9, Pecos, Texas. L. P. Todd owner, 4632 Vermont Place, Los Angeles, Calif. 17-4t*

OIL LEASES

FOR SALE—Texas Pacific Leases, rentals paid to Dec. 1921, in Block 54, Township 4; Block 53, Township 4; Block 55, Township 5; Block 54, Township 5; Block 58, Township 6; Reeves County, write for prices and description.—J. E. Bowen, 1101 Montana, El Paso, Texas. 8-tf

PAINTING AND PAPERHANGING
A. L. Oliver—Painter & Paperhanger. Paint any color, \$3.50 per gallon. Wall paper at lowest prices.—Phone 331. 35-tf

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Pair eye glasses, gold frame with celluloid rim, double lens. In an S. T. Muck case. Return to J. G. Murray at Pecos Mercantile Co., and receive liberal reward. 3t

WANTED—A furnished house or rooms. Apply at this office. 1t*

WANTED—All Story Magazine of dates February 19 and 20, 1921. Will either buy or borrow. Call at this office. 17-2t.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms for couple—Chas. F. Manahan. 16-tf

FOR RENT—Bed room, at corner of 7th and Elm St. Phone 273. 1t.

WILL Consider option on 160 acres for a drilling contract. North one-half of section 34; block 29; Loving county. Abstract and titles brought down to date. J. T. Oakley, 412 La. Leaz St., El Paso, Texas. 16-4t

Ladies and children's day Tuesday and Thursday. Every week at Stephen's Barber Shop. 1t.

The stock of gold in the United States on October 1, 1921, amounted to \$3,464,418,000, about 43.3 per cent of the world's total, assuming that the total stock amounts to about \$8,000,000,000, the latest estimate.

Say your hair is falling out? Phone 52. 1t.

Prices slashed on Ladies Coats—Pecos Mercantile Co. (Advertisement)

An ironing board used as a bridge between two buildings, one of which was afire, saved the lives of two women in New York City. One of the women, an aged paralytic, had to be carried across by a policeman.

If you can't come to us. We'll come to you, just phone 52. 1t.

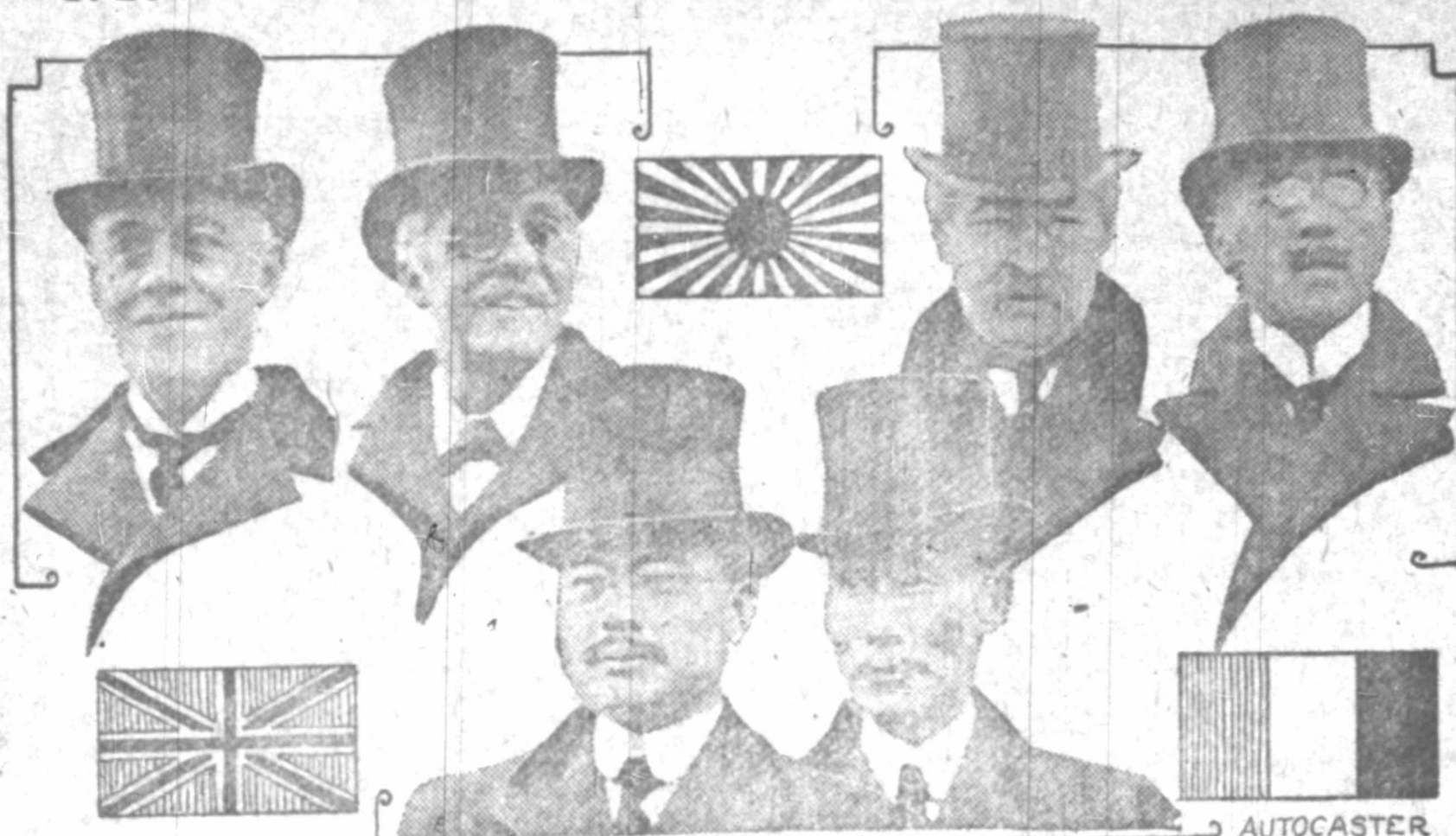
Mrs. Cornelia Adair, owner of the JA Ranch near Clarendon, Texas, died at London, Eng., Sept. 22, age eighty-four years. The JA Ranch was one of the largest in the country, extending into several West Texas counties.

Prices slashed on Ladies Coats—Pecos Mercantile Co. (Advertisement)

The City of Chicago has paid to the Pennsylvania Railroad \$180,000 damages as payment in full of a judgment for failure to provide adequate protection for the company's property during the railway strike called by Eugene Debs. in 1894, twenty-seven years ago.

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

SPECIAL WASHINGTON SNAPSHOT OF ARMAMENT CONFEREES



Here are photographs taken in the streets of the chief delegates of the principal foreign nations now in disarmament conference at Washington. At the left are Sir Auckland Geddes (left) and the Rt. Hon. Arthur J. Balfour, British delegates. At the right, Premier Briand (left) and Albert Sarraut, for France. In the middle Baron Shidehara (left) and Admiral Kato, for Japan.

NEW STYLES TO HAVE LONGER SKIRTS BUT LOWER WAIST LINES

Cleveland, O.—According to the decision of the National Cloak Suit and Skirt Manufacturers Association, in convention here Saturday, styles for the summer of 1922 will be slightly different from those of last summer.

Oriental styles and low waist lines, with wide graceful sleeves and the skirt slightly longer, but still short enough to maintain the youthful appearance, were recommended, for the coming spring and summer. The combination of matelasses, plaids, satine or taffetas, with plain cloths, are suggested, with ornaments of cut steel nail heads, Angora wool, braids, stitching, leather trimming and buckles.

Soft, roomy sport coats will be popular. Some are to be belted while others are to fall in loose lines. Patch pockets and notched "throw" and soft-rolling collars are expected to be in demand. Bloused coats with wide voluminous sleeves and two signs. Three piece suits are expected to be popular, the dress made on straight hanging lines to be worn with a jaunty little loose-type of coat or a "smart" little cape.

SOFT WATER WELLS IN THREE LOCALITIES MAY SUPPLY PECOS PEOPLE

Three sources of soft water are being considered by The Pecos Ice and Power Company in the plans to secure for the town a good supply of water that will be suitable for all purposes.

Several days ago it was announced by Manager Niedercorn of the company that a test would be made of the "P" wells sixteen miles northeast of Pecos. As yet this test has not been made, but Mr. Niedercorn said Wednesday that he is considering some other sources which would probably make it less expensive to secure the needed water supply. It is reported that wells on the Pat Wilson ranch have a good supply of soft water. While this would have to be piped as far as that from the "P" wells it is said that the expense of laying and maintaining the pipe line to the Wilson wells would be more satisfactory because the line could be extended along the T. & P. right of way. It is also said that there are some wells of good water on another ranch, east of Barstow and between the Wilson and the "P" wells. It is believed that from one or more of these sources an ample supply of soft water may be secured for Pecos.

EXPERIMENT STATION REMOVAL CONSIDERED

A. H. Leidigh and A. M. Connor of the U. S. Government Bureau of Soils, V. R. Youngblood, general manager of the Experiment Station of Texas, were in Pecos this week in connection with the work of the local Experiment Station. They are visiting several other places in this section and it is understood that proposals for removal of the station from Pecos are being considered. It is said that Balmorhea has been bidding for it.

The visiting officials were accompanied, in their trips of inspection, by Milo C. Beck of the Bureau of Soils, who has just completed a soil survey of this section and has prepared a soil map of this territory.

REDUCED RATES FOR RAILWAY TRAVELERS

The news of holiday excursion rates to be given by the railroad this year will be welcomed by many One and a half fare for round-trip to all points in Louisiana and Texas as has been announced by the Texas and Pacific officials, this rate to apply from December 21 with final return limit January 3. Other roads are expected to make a similar announcement soon. This is the first time since the war that holiday excursions have been run.

Another announcement to be welcomed by the traveling public is the new Federal law repealing war tax on Railway and Pullman tickets, this becoming effective January 1, 1922. The tax on railway tickets is eight percent.

For the holidays Pullman reservations can be had on all trains out of Pecos.

WORK ON RIVER WELL TO BE RESUMED SOON

Work on the River Well, twelve miles east of Pecos is to start again the coming week, according to information reaching Pecos. A telegram has been received from C. A. Owens, president of the Arthur Pitts Oil Company, stating that he has completed financial arrangements whereby the well can be completed.

The hole has been drilled to 2300 feet, finding the salt rock and the potash formations that have distinguished the Toyah-Bell and the Pinal Dome wells.

S. W. Whan is the contractor employed to complete the River well and he is expected to arrive from Big Spring Monday.

TRAIN SCHEDULES

TEXAS & PACIFIC	
Westbound:	
No. 1, Sunshine Special,	
Arrives	5:53 a. m.
No. 5	1:05 p. m.
Eastbound:	
No. 2, Sunshine Special	
Arrives	12:59 a. m.
No. 6	3:29 p. m.
PECOS & SANTA FE	
Daily Except Sunday.	
No. 91 Arrives:	
Mountain time	11:55 a. m.
Central time	12:55 p. m.
No. 92 Leaves:	
Mountain time	2:35 p. m.
Central time	3:55 p. m.
PECOS VALLEY SOUTHERN	
Motor Car:	
Leaves	7:30 a. m.
Arrives	12:20 p. m.

FOCH'S HIGHEST DECORATION



Little Miss Adrienne Meyer pinning on Marshal Foch's breast the double bar cross of the National Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis. It is said that the old man has never been so pleased since his arrival in America.

All prices on Ladies Suits cut 25 to 40 per cent. Pecos Mercantile Co. (Advertisement)

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 9c. (Advertisement)

All prices on Ladies Suits cut 25 to 40 per cent. Pecos Mercantile Co. (Advertisement)

Silk woven from spider webs by the French in Madagascar is beautiful and strong. Female spiders, about three inches long, spin from 300 to 400 yards of web every day. The thread spun by this spider is as strong in proportion to its size as the finest steel cable.

No Profit Sale on Ladies Dresses—Pecos Mercantile Co. (Advertisement)

If your scalp itches, phone 52. 1t. (Advertisement)

No Profit Sale on Ladies Dresses—Pecos Mercantile Co. (Advertisement)

SANTA CLAUS MAKES APPEARANCE IN PECOS

Santa Claus has made his appearance in Pecos and left his pictures and other reminders of the fact that Christmas is almost at hand. The stores are full of beautiful things—such as may be appropriate for Santa to give to his many Pecos friends this Christmas time. There are unusually large stocks of goods in the stores, to choose from and the prices are more like pre-war times than they have been in several years. Everything in the way of practical gifts, toys and Christmas reminders are to be found in Pecos stores and from these stocks one may find what he desires without resorting to the risky business of placing mail orders with houses where distance and time prevent careful inspection. Besides, you'll feel better if you can patronize home merchants.

REMOVAL SALE!

On January 1st we move to the Pecos Mercantile Company's Building.

To Reduce Stock, will sell all Trimmed Hats at One-Half Price, beginning at once.

MISS LILLIE POE

PECOS, TEXAS

ARTHUR E. HAYS

THE PECOS OIL MAN

Phone 44

Office Upstairs in First National Bank Building

OIL AND GAS LEASES

FOR

IRRIGATED FARMS AND REAL ESTATE

SEE ME!

DRILLING BLUE SHALE AT WILLOUGHBY WELL

The Willoughby No. One Well on Section 2, Block C-13 Reeves County, is now drilling in blue shale. The first sixty-five feet of the formation was cretaceous line rock, from sixty-five feet to eighty-five feet blue shale then ten feet of lime under which the drill went into blue shale and is still in this formation. Late last week the entire string of drilling tools were lost but they were recovered within a few hours. New drilling cable and a new sand line were ordered by telegraph from El Paso and were received Monday of this week. On Wednesday the well was drilling at 116 feet but while drilling has been continued throughout the week the exact depth is not known as The Enterprise goes to press. This well is said to be on good structure and is being watched closely.

BRIEF SESSION HELD IN

THE DISTRICT COURT

District Court held only a brief session in Pecos this week. A few minor civil cases were disposed of. Court will reconvene December 19.

BIG BLUE HERRON IS KILLED ON THE PECOS

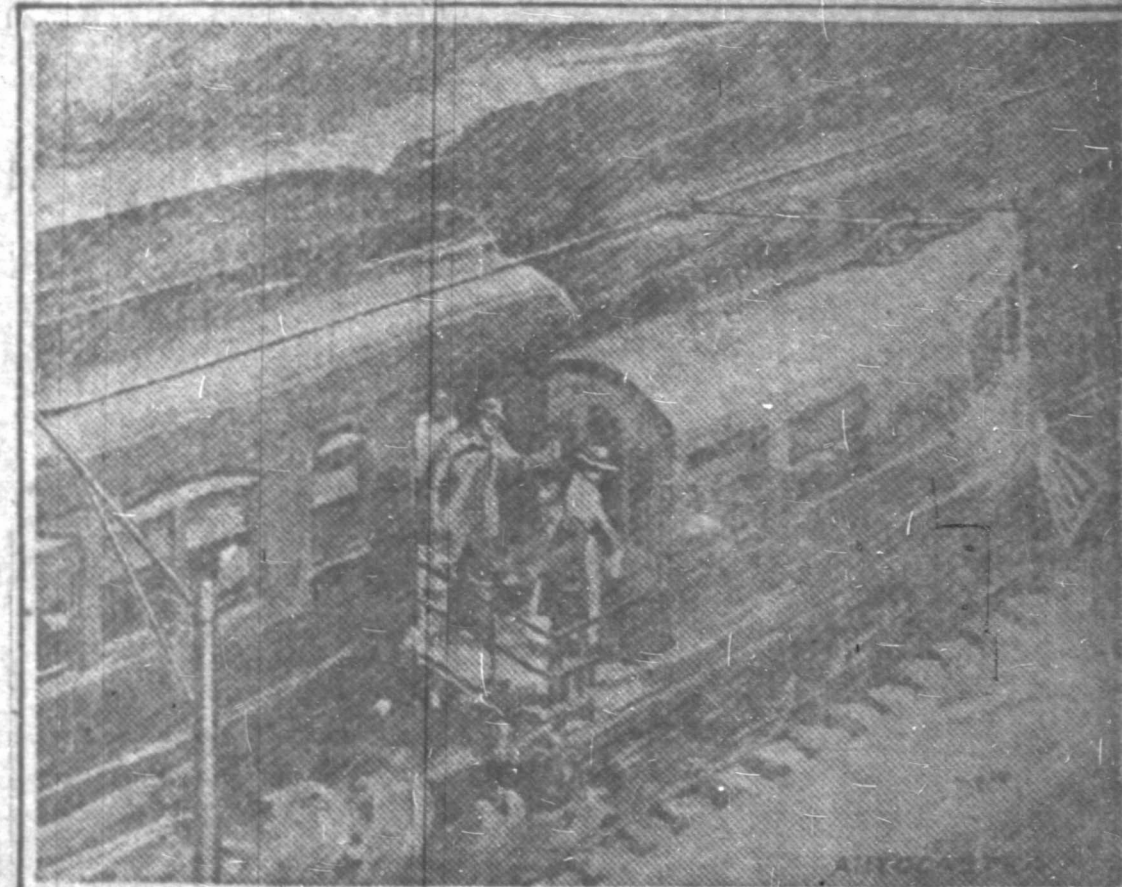
What is thought to be perhaps the largest bird of the crane species ever killed in this section of the country was killed on the Pecos river Wednesday by W. A. Chastain of Springfield, Illinois. The bird is said to be what is called the Great Blue Heron. He is very beautiful and is colored white with blue specks. He measured 69 inches from tip to tip of wings and 58 inches from toes to tip of beak. The bird was killed with a shot gun at a distance of about a hundred yards. Mr. Chastain is interested in the oil game and will be in Pecos another week, while a local taxidermist mounds the big bird.

DRILLING NOTES

Difficulty in rebuilding the engine at the Bell No. 1, has caused considerable delay in starting operations. A line was taken to the well today, and the work of putting the derrick in shape for action is expected to be completed by the end of the week.

Stephen's Barber Shop has moved one door East. (Advertisement)

HOW'S THIS FOR HAIR LIFTING?



Stepping off a limited passenger train going 60 miles an hour sounds like suicide, but railroad scientists are experimenting so that people can be transferred from swift trains to local trains. A trolley track runs parallel with the main line. The trolley car, operated with power motors, speeds up as the limited approaches, and when both are under the same rate of momentum, a trap connection is let down from the platform of the trolley car to the platform of the train car and the passengers pass over. The trap is then raised, the motorman slows down to a stop at the next station and the transferred passengers alight. We print the above picture, by special arrangements, from the coming issue of Popular Science Monthly.

HOME SWEET HOME by F. Parks



THE BIBLE

The Bible is a universal book, having been translated in part into over 700 languages, and having a circulation of over 25 millions a year. It shows itself very much a living book, and is never out of date in its application. Its principles anticipate every condition that arises. Above all, it speaks with an authority different from that of a man-compiled book would ever attain.—Alpine Avalanche.

The following verse from Ezra, seventh chapter and twenty-first verse has all the letters of the alphabet except "J." "And I, even I, Artaxerxes the King, do make a decree to all the treasurers that are beyond the River, that whatsoever Ezra, the Priest, the scribe of the Law of the God of heaven, shall require of you, it be done with all diligence."

Better production in the United States last year totaled 1,400,000,000 pounds; lard production, 1,936,000,000 pounds; and margarine production, 370,700,000 pounds.

LINCOLN'S POLITICAL RELIGION

"Let every American, every lover of liberty, every well wisher to his posterity, swear by the blood of the revolution never to violate in the least particular the laws of the country, and never to tolerate their violation by others. As the patriots of seventy-six did to the support of the Declaration of Independence, so to the support of the Constitution and laws let every American pledge his life, his property and his sacred honor. Let every man remember that to violate the laws is to trample on the blood of his father, and to tear the character of his own and his children's liberty. Let reverence for the laws be breathed by every American mother to the lisping babe that prattles on her lap; let it be taught in schools, in seminaries, and in colleges; let it be written in primers, spelling books and almanacs; let it be preached from the pulpit, proclaimed in legislative halls, and enforced in courts of justice. In short, let it become the political religion of the nation."

ROOMS FOR RENT—Mrs. Ed Vickers, phone 167.

NO TITTING MATTER

A few days ago, in a nearby State, a young man of 59 years was arraigned before the bar of justice for assault and battery. It developed in the testimony that the defendant had rather boastfully proclaimed himself champion horse-shoe pitcher of his precinct, and that the complainant laughed scornfully.

"He guffawed, yer honor," said the defendant.

"Well, it warn't no titting matter, yer honor."

"I'll say it was not," agreed the judge, and then he proceeded to lecture the titterer about the ill advised sport making of so honorable and scientific a game as pitching horse-shoes.

And the judge showed good sense. Horse-shoe pitching is a great game. Vice-President Marshall once declared that what this country needed was to get back to the days of a good five-cent cigar. I think he might have added, and the good old fashioned games of yesteryear, of which horse-shoe pitching is the premier.

It may surprise some folks to learn that there is a National Horse-Shoe Pitchers' Association, with rules, regulations and by-laws, official weight shoe, regulation post and sized courts, etc. And that in some states tournaments are held, with all the enthusiasm, rooting and suspense concomitant with baseball and horse racing. It's a fact.

On Saturday afternoon let the gang assemble down back of the blacksmith shop for the weekly games. After a few preliminaries, the real champions lock shoes and the excitement is on. There'll be a lot of disputing and arguing about whose shoe is nearest the post, and always the yard stick from the City Furniture Company will have to be brought into play to settle the dispute. The players will talk to their shoes and gloat over each triumph, and there'll be a running rapid-fire of repartee on the side-lines. The winner will be a hero and the loser will be given the horse-laugh, and everybody will have a good time.

This game of horse-shoe, is no titting matter. It is the sport of presidents. Not a few of the greatest horse-shoe pitchers have lived in the White House and become men of National and International influence.—Exchange.

THE SCOFFERS

It's interesting to go into the pages of history and see just how each new invention has been received, and it is illuminating because it shows that these men—the inventors—had the courage of their conviction and went ahead in spite of what the people thought.

When the first telephone line was built, from Boston to Providence, it was called "Vail's side-show." Fulton's steamboat was known as "Fulton's Folly," etc. Every great invention or discovery has been received with scoffing and derision. Men have been declared insane because they had the courage to announce and defend the results of their efforts, others have been imprisoned, some have been stoned to death.

But progress never ceases. The man who is afraid of what people will say, or listens to the advice of well meaning friends, seldom accomplishes anything. The doer of things is the man who knows, and knows he knows, and is willing to stand by his own judgment.

Progress doesn't mind the scoffers; it rolls over them and flattens them out.—Southwestern Machinery.

THE JOKE ON HIM

The bride and groom, followed by the usual shower of old shoes and rice, boarded the train. The traveling man across the aisle enjoyed the fun to his heart's content. After the train had started, the groom tried to clean up the rubbish left by the merry-makers. He opened the window and threw out the old shoes and rubbish. The traveling man was so amused that he forgot that he was sitting there in his stocking feet. Later he came to his senses and then he found that the groom had mistaken the only pair of shoes the traveling man had with him for some that the merry-makers had left.—Exchange.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

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

Uncle John's Ash

YOU HAVE ELEVEN TOES. COUNT 'EM BACKWARDS--10--9--8--7--6 AND FIVE ARE ELEVEN.



Women's lot is a weary one at best. But with backache and other distressing kidney ills life indeed becomes a burden. Doan's Kidney Pills have made life brighter for thousands of women. Read what Mrs. J. H. Shepherd, Baird St., Midland, Tex., says: "Quite a few years ago I had occasion to use Doan's Kidney Pills. I had a great deal of trouble with my kidneys and back. At times my back would feel so sore and lame, the least work would be a drudgery. I would have headaches and on stooping over, I would get so dizzy, everything would turn black in front of me. I was caused a lot of inconvenience to the too frequent action of my kidneys, and I was all played out, with no ambition to do anything. I started taking Doan's Kidney Pills and they cured me entirely. I haven't been troubled since."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Shepherd had. Frost-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

ARTHUR E. HAYES

THE PECOS LAND MAN
OIL LEASES A SPECIALTY

When you are in the market for or want to know anything about

OIL LEASES, FARM OR RANCH LANDS
OR TOWN PROPERTY

SEE ME

Arthur E. Hayes

Pecos, Texas

OFFICE PHONE 44.

ALL TITLES GUARANTEED

Office Located in First National Bank Building

To Stop a Cough Quick

take HAYES' HEALING HONEY, a cough medicine which stops the cough by healing the inflamed and irritated tissues.

A box of GROVE'S O-PEN-TRATE SALVE for Chest Colds, Head Colds and Croup is enclosed with every bottle of HAYES' HEALING HONEY. The salve should be rubbed on the chest and throat of children suffering from a Cold or Croup.

The healing effect of Hayes' Healing Honey inside the throat combined with the healing effect of Grove's O-Pen-Trate Salve through the pores of the skin soon stops a cough.

Both remedies are packed in one carton and the cost of the combined treatment is 35c.

Just ask your druggist for HAYES' HEALING HONEY.

HOUSEWORK IS A
BURDEN

Women's lot is a weary one at best. But with backache and other distressing kidney ills life indeed becomes a burden. Doan's Kidney Pills have made life brighter for thousands of women. Read what Mrs. J. H. Shepherd, Baird St., Midland, Tex., says: "Quite a few years ago I had occasion to use Doan's Kidney Pills. I had a great deal of trouble with my kidneys and back. At times my back would feel so sore and lame, the least work would be a drudgery. I would have headaches and on stooping over, I would get so dizzy, everything would turn black in front of me. I was caused a lot of inconvenience to the too frequent action of my kidneys, and I was all played out, with no ambition to do anything. I started taking Doan's Kidney Pills and they cured me entirely. I haven't been troubled since."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Shepherd had. Frost-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

No Worms in a Healthy Child

All children troubled with Worms have an unhealthy color, which looks like a raw blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TARTAR-EMETIC TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will catch the worms, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or digest the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Price 25c per bottle.

Habitual Constipation Cured

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

FRUITS THAT BEAR AND SHRUBS THAT BLOOM

Every product of the soil has gone down in price except fruit. We have a fine stock of fine trees of surebearing varieties—fruits, pecans and berries, selected out of hundreds of varieties we have tested since our first Texas Orchard was planted in 1858. (Nursery established in 1875.) LET US MAKE YOUR HOME GROUNDS BEAUTIFUL FOREVER. We have the best kinds of Flowering Shrubs, Roses, Evergreens, Shade Trees, Bulbs and Vines. Ask for catalog and any information we can give you. We pay express or parcel post.

THE AUSTIN NURSERY

F. T. RAMSEY & SON, Austin, Texas.

Use The Enterprise Classified Ads.

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

Surveys Nos. 45, 47, 53, 55, E. half of 61, and 63, in Block 4; and Nos. 45, 47 and W. half of 29 in Block 5.
The surveys in these blocks are situated from 5 to 8 miles from Pecos City, in the arroyo belt of the Pecos River country and will be sold only in whole sections.
Also, surveys No. 49 in block 6 and Nos. 9, 13 and 15 in block 7.
Also, surveys Nos. 1, 3, 5, and 7, fronting on the Pecos River, in Reeves County, and Nos. 19 (a river survey) Pecos County.
Also 12 surveys in block 11 and 3 surveys in block 12. None of these are river lands. All are in Pecos County.
All these lands are under lease for oil, gas and mineral purposes and any sale of same will be made subject to such lease.
J. G. LOVE of Pecos is agent for the sale of all these lands situated in Reeves County and application should be made to him for the purchase of same.
There is no bond given for the sale of the lands in Pecos County, and parties desiring to purchase any of same should apply to the undersigned.

EUGENE CARTLEDGE, Agent and Attorney in Fact.
AUSTIN, TEXAS

To Acreage Owners
and Buyers:

The PECOS VALLEY OIL FIELD is coming to the front.

The PECOS VALLEY will be a big oil field shortly.

Many fortunes are made or lost in a new oil field, and the man that has first hand, reliable information, makes the money.

Real EXPERT information is necessary and worth a lot of money at the proper time.

If you own acreage here and your residence is elsewhere, you need expert advice from now on.

If you figure to buy oil properties here, you need expert advice also.

For the last two years I have been at the services of one of the oil corporations here, the first corporation to make extensive geological surveys of his field and open and prosecute drilling operations in Reeves, Loving and Ward Counties.

I have obtained day by day, by personal experience, work, study and association with some of the best Geologists that have made various surveys of this field, in formations and data of immense value.

A special Geological report and survey on a certain tract of acreage, would cost hundreds of dollars, and not all oil investors or oil property owners can afford to employ and pay big prices to technical experts to secure special reports on what they want when they want to buy or sell, unless it involves a large amount of money. They generally rely upon public information, friends advice, hearsay, luck or promoters' literature, etc, and most of the time buy valueless properties or sell valuable acreage at the wrong time.

On account of my work in this field, the experience and knowledge I have of it, my past experience in other fields, and my constant study and observation of all development work now going on, am prepared to give CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION on any piece of prospective oil property, or any well in this field, by mail or wire, at any time, for \$5.00, and such information, if taken as they are, can be worth a lot to you, or save you from loss at the present or in the future.

If you are an oil man you need my advice and wires more than anyone else as they will be worth hundreds of dollars to you in railroad fares and time.

When you come to the conclusion that you need disinterested expert advice, and you must have it in a hurry, write me what you want to know enclosing money order or check for \$5.00, state if you want an answer by mail or wire, and I will give you the information and advice you ask, based on my own knowledge of actual facts and conditions as they are.

Reports and surveys of any tract at prices to be agreed upon.

A. V. DE PASCALE

Oil Scout and Engineer
PECOS, TEXAS

Use SAPOLIO

For Every Room in the House

In the kitchen SAPOLIO cleans pots, pans, oilcloth and cutlery; in the bathroom SAPOLIO cleans porcelain, marble, tiling—the wash basin and bathtub; in the hallway SAPOLIO cleans painted woodwork, doors, sills and concrete or stone floors. See that the name SAPOLIO is on every package.

ENOCH MORGAN'S
SONS CO.
Sole Manufacturers
New York U.S.A.



LIFT CORNS OR
CALLUSES OFF

Doesn't hurt! Lift any corn or callus off with fingers



Don't suffer! A tiny bottle of Frezzone costs but a few cents at any drug store. Apply a few drops on the corn, callus and "hard skin" on bottom of feet, then lift them off.

When Frezzone removes corns from the toes or calluses from the bottom of feet the skin beneath is left pink and healthy and never sore, tender or irritated.

(Advertisement)

ASPIRIN

Name "Bayer" on Genuine



Warning! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for twenty-one years and proved safe by millions. Take Aspirin only as told in the Bayer package for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago and for Pain. Handy tin boxes of twelve Bayer Tablets of Aspirin cost few cents. Druggists also sell larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacid-ester of Salicylicacid.

(Advertisement)

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

A CASE IN WHICH

MONEY TALKS

According to the Texas Chamber of Commerce, it takes the proceeds of 2,500,000 bales of cotton to purchase from other States foodstuffs consumed in the State in one year which could be produced at home. Investigating the subject from every angle, the Chamber of Commerce sums up the figures obtained from dairy products, poultry products, canned and dried fruits and vegetables and other foodstuffs annually to the value of \$187,000,000 in excess of what is produced at home. This does not include purchases of those commodities which are foreign to Texas or can be produced elsewhere at less cost.

Statistics now available show that Texas consumes 502,000,000 pounds of pork products of which amount 277,000,000 pounds are imported; that we import 20,000,000 pounds of butter and vast quantities of canned and condensed milk and other dairy products to the value of \$30,000,000 and that the balance of trade in many other commodities which can easily be produced on our own farms runs the total up many millions of dollars.

If Texas could devote her acreage to cotton and sell at cost-plus it might well be argued that we could afford to buy our foodstuffs. Inasmuch as Texas can grow all the cotton there is a demand for at a profitable price on less than one-fourth of her cultivated acreage, would it not be good business to devote our other acreage to the production of food in sufficient quantity to satisfy the home demand? The sum of \$187,000,000, the price we pay producers of foodstuffs in other States every year, less cost of production, would provide most of the comforts of life while the proceeds of the cotton crop could be added to the bank account or used in buying more homes and developing them to a higher state of efficiency. The things that Texas farmers could do with \$187,000,000 additional money every year are so numerous that it is idle to speculate. We must first get into the habit of living and boarding at home before we can spend the money to be saved by graduating from the single crop idea into the broader school of intelligent diversification.—Farm and Ranch.

10,000,000 KILLED—

MILLIONS PERISHED

According to the most authoritative statistics on the great World War, it is shown that about 10,000,000 were killed in battle, while countless millions perished as the indirect cause of the awful conflict, and the cost of the war totaled \$186,000,000,000.00.

PARENT-TEACHER

ASSOCIATION

The Parent-Teacher Association held a meeting Friday afternoon of last week in the High School Auditorium with the president, Mrs. R. N. Couch, presiding. An interesting program of music and talks was given. The talk by Prof. Rutledge on "Observations made at the recent State Teachers Institute held in Dallas," which he attended was very interesting and inspiring. Then the count of parents present was taken—the grade having the greatest number of parents in attendance to be rewarded with a half holiday. The sixth grade were the winners. The association is federated with the Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Association and a constitution and by-laws necessary to meet the requirements of the federation were adopted. The purpose of the association is for the up building of our schools and for the joint cooperation of parents and teachers in the advancement of our children. All patrons of the school are invited to become members of the association and to attend its meetings, which are held once a month during the school year at 3:30 o'clock on the first Friday afternoon at the school building.

THEN AND NOW

"Seems to me you ought to be out looking after your best girl on Sunday afternoon," the visitor addressed the young man.

The young man in question looked at his watch. "Plenty of time, yet," he answered, "it's only 2:00 o'clock now. I never go to see 'em until about 7:00."

"Pretty late, it seems to me," remarked the visitor.

"Well, you see, it used to be when you went to see a girl and take her riding Sunday afternoon, she used to say: 'Well you come on up to our house to eat.' Now, when supper time rolls around, they say, 'Well, where are you going to take me to eat today?'"—Indianaapolis News.

SAFETY FIRST

"What's the first thing to do when you buy a new car?"

"The first thing I do is to hide the tool kit so the neighborhood engineering experts can't get at it."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP

We, the undersigned subscribers, have this day entered into a limited partnership, agreeably to the provisions of the Revised Statutes, Title 102 relating to a limited partnership and do hereby certify that the name of the firm under which said partnership is to be conducted is A. S. Justice; that the general nature of the business to be transacted is the buying and selling as agents for others, all kinds of real and personal property, including oil and gas leases and assignments and the buying and selling, by said partnership, of all kinds of real and personal property including oil and gas leases and assignments. And the same will be transacted in the City of Pecos, County of Reeves, and State of Texas, and that the name of the general partner of said firm is A. S. Justice of Brewster County, Texas, now temporarily at Pecos, Texas, and the special partners are John Perkins and I. L. Martin, Jr., both of the County of Brewster and State of Texas, that the capital contributed by said special partners is the sum of \$75.00 each, in cash, that the period that said partnership is to commence is the 10th day of November, 1921, and that it will terminate on the 10th day of November, A. D. 1922.

A. S. JUSTICE,
General Partner,
JOHN PERKINS,
Special Partner.
I. L. MARTIN, JR.,
Special Partner.

14-6t

TECHNICAL TERM

Snowball: "Say dar, Rastus, Ford dem dice! Ford dem dice!"

Rastus: "Whufoh' yo' you means, Ford dem dice?"

Snowball: "Yo' knows what Ah means; Ah means shake, rattle and roll, niggah; shake, rattle and roll!"

CALOMEL USERS

TAKE AWFUL RISK

Very Next Dose of Tracherous Drug May Start Terrible Salivation.

The next dose of calomel you take may salivate you. It may shock your liver or start bone necrosis. Calomel is dangerous. It is mercury, quicksilver. It crashes into sour bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

If you feel bilious, headachy, constipated and all knocked out, just go to your druggist and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents which is a harmless vegetable substitute for dangerous calomel. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't start your liver and straighten you up better and quicker than nasty calomel and without making you sick, you just go back and get your money.

Don't take calomel! It can not be trusted any more than a leopard or a wild-cat. Take Dodson's Liver Tone which straightens you right up and makes you feel fine. No salts necessary. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and can not

TEXAS STANDARD FORM
LEGAL BLANKS

THE ENTERPRISE HAS IN STOCK AND
FOR SALE A COMPLETE LINE OF
THE FOLLOWING BLANKS

Contract
Bill of Sale
Warranty Deed
Stock Mortgage
Quit-Claim Deed
Oil and Gas Deed
Affidavit in Effect
Chattel Mortgages
School Land Deed
Power of Attorney
Vendor Lien Notes
Transfer of Royalty
Sale Option Contract
Mineral Transfer Deed
Affidavit to An Account
88 Form Oil and Gas Lease
Permission to Take Deposition
Assignment of Oil and Gas Lease
88 Form Producers' Special Lease
Release of Mortgage or Deed of Trust
Petroleum and Gas Prospect Application
Mettalic and Non-Mettalic Mineral Application
88 Form Trans-Pecos Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease

THE ENTERPRISE IS PREPARED TO PRINT
ANY OTHER BLANKS ON SHORT NOTICE

JUST SO IT'S PRINTING, THE ENTERPRISE
CAN DO IT AND DO IT JUST A LITTLE BET-
TER THAN THE OTHER FELLOW. THERE'S
A NIFTY, PLEASING APPEARANCE ABOUT
EVERY JOB TURNED OUT OF THIS OFFICE
—AND YOU AND THE ONE TO WHOM YOU
WRITE OR SEND PRINTED MATTER KNOW
IT IS AS GOOD AS THE BEST

THE PECOS ENTERPRISE

CIRCULATION
80,092

(P. O. Dept. Figures)

13,190 over second

Texas Paper

52,275 over next

Fort Worth paper

You
Save

\$3.25

This Year on

A
TEXAS-OWNED
Independent
Growing
Newspaper

Bargain Days

NOW UNTIL DECEMBER 15th

Regular Price \$10.00

Reduced To— \$6.75

One Year

Daily and Sunday

By Mail Only, You Save \$3.25

THE RATE IS LESS THAN LAST YEAR

Star-Telegram

LARGEST CIRCULATION IN TEXAS

Not Only a Complete News, Newspaper, but an
Entertaining Newspaper. Maintains Eight Leased
Wires; Eight Pages. Comics Sundays; Eight Page
Colored Magazine. The Texas Newspaper with a
Direct Leased Market Wire with New York City.
Many Staff Correspondents, Many
State Correspondents.

The Home of Your Favorites
JIGGS—MUTT and JEFF
ANDY GUMPS and Others

A Full Page Daily of the Funniest Comics on Earth.
That is Covering Much Ground. It is a Broad State-
ment. Make Us Prove It. Compare with Others.
You be the Judge.

DAILY ONLY

(No Sunday)

Regular price

is \$8.00, Bargain

Days price is

\$5.60

Xmas \$2.40

Subscriptions

on

Bargain Days

accepted

at

this office

Patronize your

Old Home Town

Paper Agent.

He Can

GUARANTEE

Proper Dates.

Society

WATTS-DECK WEDDING

Chas. W. Watts and Miss Florence Deck both of El Paso were married in that city November 23, Father Ray officiating. The wedding was the result of a ten years courtship. Both were prominently known in Pecos and have a host of friends here. Miss Deck was formerly manager of the Pecos Western Union office, which place she held three years. Mr. and Mrs. Watts will reside in El Paso. Among the Pecos friends who witnessed the ceremony was Mrs. Ima Wilson.

LEAGUE PROGRAM DECEMBER 11.

Song.
"Scripture Reading, Luke 9, 57-62, read by William Adams.
Prayer.
Song.
Leader's Talk, Mr. A. C. Waugh.
"Consecration"—Majority Thurston.
"Selfishness"—Miss Hope.
"Consistent Christian Living"—Miss Mabel Smith.
"Things That Help Us to Remember and Do"—Oscar Thurston.
Song.
Benediction.

CHRISTIAN LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

The Christian Ladies' Aid Society met in their regular monthly business and social meeting Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. B. R. Stine as hostess at her home. Final plans were perfected for the annual Christmas bazaar given by this society and arrangements were also made for the completing of the packing of the Christmas box of the pretty and useful articles for the orphans in the Juliett Fowler home at Dallas which is maintained by the Christian church, and which home is said to have at this time more orphans than any previous time. After the pleasant and helpful session a delicious salad course was served.

BRIDGE CLUB

A delightful affair of last week was the meeting of the Thursday Bridge Club with Mrs. G. C. Parker. Attractive Christmas decorations were used and at the tea hour a dainty refreshment plate was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Mable Beauchamp.

A number of invited guests enjoyed the afternoon with the members.

Miss Elsie West is planning to spend a few days visiting in the mountains.

MISS BUENA PAYNE ENTERTAINS

CLASS WITH A FAREWELL PARTY

Miss Buena Payne, who is to leave soon to spend the holidays at home at Clyde, Texas, gave a farewell party for the members of her Sunday School class of 13-year girls Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Will Cowan.

Many interesting games were played and delightful refreshments were served.

Members of the class present were Misses Lorena Bowic, Verna Garrett, Willie Mae Moreland, Anne Mae Prewitt, Ruby Pore, Virginia Cowan, Annice Buchanan, Lillian Mounts, Edith Hudson, Jessie Sue Anderson and Louise Buckles. The five visitors present were Misses Mamie, Murriel and Edna Moran, Catherine Reeves and Myrtle Cowan.

As a token of remembrance Miss Payne gave each girl a package to be opened Christmas.

ARRIVAL OF MATERIAL RENEWS ACTIVITIES

Arrival of a carload of casing and water line pipe for the Laura of the Sunshine Oil Corporation, of a new line for the Trans-Pecos, and of a carload of casing for the Owens well in Culberson County, will permit work to be started on all of these wells.

Due to caveins at the Laura, on top of new string of casing is to be put down to a string of tools caught in the hole, to prevent other caveins, while the fishing job is continued. The piping is to permit the laying of a water line from the Santa Fe tracks to the well.

The Trans-Pecos has been shut down for the past ten days awaiting the arrival of a new line. The well is 1460 feet deep.

Casing is being hauled to the Owens No. 2, in Culberson county, where a 2400 foot hole has been drilled into a lime formation, and stopped in a black lime until the casing could arrive. Conditions at this well are reported to be exceedingly favorable.

MAN ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF

PASSING CHECK WITHOUT FUNDS

Deputy Sheriff Middleton arrested R. E. Harris Thursday on the charge of passing a check on the Pecos Valley State Bank in which he had no account. It is alleged that the man gave the check, \$16.65, in payment for a casing and gasoline at a Pecos garage and then went to Barstow and sold the casing for \$7.50. He was placed in the Reeves county jail.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Johnson and son visited a few days in El Paso the latter part of last week.

PERSONAL

Miss Lucy Ligon is visiting in the mountains this week.

Mrs. Ima Wilson returned Saturday from El Paso where she spent her vacation of two weeks, granted by the Weston Union Telegraph Co.

Mrs. C. D. Barlow of Balmorhea was in Pecos Thursday, the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. M. E. Randolph.

J. C. Short who owns land on Toyah Creek, and moved with his family to Wichita Falls some two years ago, came in Wednesday to look after his farm and see after improvements he is having put thereon. Mr. Short is looking good and asked how long he would be here remarked: "I am afraid to say since my wife reads The Enterprise and will know my plans." He will probably be here a week or two. On arrival here Wednesday The Enterprise was the first he visited and he did not forget to extend his subscription to the amount of \$2.00 either.

Dr. J. A. Leeman this week received a message to the effect that his brother-in-law, Dr. Jim Terry, passed away at his home in the State of Oklahoma Sunday, heart trouble, with which he had been troubled for years being the cause. The Enterprise extends sympathy to the bereaved.

Billy Leeman came in from El Paso the first of the week ill with pneumonia and he and his wife are now at the home of his father, Dr. J. A. Leeman. He has been ill for about a month but is now improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hayden, two sons and two daughters have moved to Pecos from Plainview to spend the winter. Mr. Hayden is interested in the oil field.

Mrs. Roy Wilcox and baby son, left Thursday for Sandy Spring, Oklahoma, where she will visit two months with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barnes came in this week from Paducah, Ky., where they have been for some months, and will spend the winter in Pecos.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. McCall Friday, December 2, a daughter.

Attorney Jno. B. Howard spent the forepart of the week in El Paso before the court of Civil Appeals, and looking after other matters.

Ben F. Ballard and William Lehn of Santa Rosa, California, passed through Pecos Friday. They are interested in the oil development of this country. Mr. Lehn is a big vineyard man of the Santa Rosa country and appeared interested when the qualities of the Pecos country for vineyard growing were mentioned.

PECOS WOMEN HAVE A SUCCESSFUL HUNT

What is reported to have been one of the most successful and enjoyable hunts made by any crowd of Pecos citizens this season was that made Tuesday by four prominent women of the town—Mrs. W. W. Dean, Mrs. John B. Howard, Mrs. O. J. Bryan and Mr. J. E. Starley.

They motored out into territory South of town, reported to be good ground for quail hunting. They killed a number of quails and rabbits; and the most interesting moment of the hunt was when Mrs. Howard, with a single shot, killed a wolf, one of the largest seen in this section in a long time.

MISSIONARY PROGRAM

The following program will be given at the Methodist church Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock:
Leader—Mrs. Hollebeke.
Subject—Social Evangelism in Korean Rural Communities.

Hymn—516.

Bible Lesson—Acts. 26; 1-23. 2nd Cor. 11; 23-33.

Prayer—Mrs. Boles.

Duet—Mrs. David Tudor and Mrs. H. B. Prickett.

Seeing Korean Rural Community Needs through the eye of our Missionaries.

In the Choon-chun District—Mrs. Ashe.

The Worsen District—Mrs. Thurston.

Recitation—Norabel Hollebeke.

In the Char Won District—Mrs. Love.

Hymn—107.

Prayer—Rev. Thurston.

PRUETT LUMBER CO.

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

ALL KINDS OF BUILDING MATERIALS.

THE PECOS VALLEY STATE BANK

PECOS, TEXAS

Member Federal Reserve Bank

GUARANTY FUND BANK

A Safe Place For Your Funds

For Quick Action On Leases

EITHER BUYING OR SELLING SEE

O. J. Green & Company

At Green Mercantile Company

LEASES OF ALL KINDS—DON'T FORGET TO LOOK OVER OUR LIST OF CITY PROPERTY

LET'S GO

SANTA CLAUS HEADQUARTERS

THE PECOS MERCANTILE COMPANY



VISIT TOYLAND IN OUR BIG STORE

You'll find here all kinds of toys including Jumping Dogs, Balking Mules, Windmills, Tops, Dolls, Dishes, Doll Furniture, Horns, Drums, Pianos, Blocks, Balls, and all kinds of Rubber Toys.

TREE ORNAMENTS OF ALL KINDS—GOOD SUPPLY OF CANDLES

In Our Hardware Department



Community Plate Silverware—guaranteed 50 years—Universal Percolators and Teapots, Wearover Aluminum Cooking Utensils, Pyrex Oven Glassware, Homer Laughlin Dinnerware, Universal Thermos Bottles, Alladin Thermos Jugs, Keen Kutter Carving Sets, Sharpleigh Coaster Wagons Dan Patch Autos, Tricycles, Velocipedes, Roly Autos, Kiddie Cars, Dawson Air Rifles, Roller Skates, Tool Kits for Boys.

Winchester Rifles, Winchester Shot Guns, Winchester Pocket Knives Winchester Flashlights, Safety Razors, Kelly Bros. Spurs and Bits, Navy Saddle Blankets.

Practical Gifts For Everyone To Wear



For Him

Sweaters, Shirts, Gloves, Ties, Bath Robes, Hose, Overcoats, House Shoes, Auto Robes, Traveling Bags, Leather Puttees

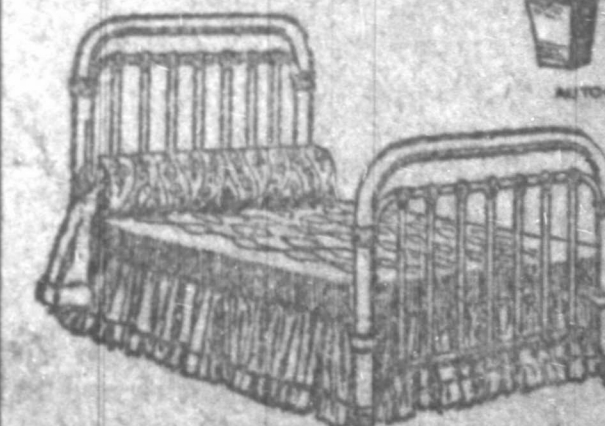
For Her

Sweaters, Silk, Kimonos, Silk Hosiery, Silk Underwear, Gloves, Waists, Bath Robes, Toilet Articles Stationery, Table Damasks

In Our Furniture Department

Big Comfortable Chairs for Dad and Mother always head the list at Christmas time.

Still there are other pieces that run a close second choice. Before buying your gifts just come and look through our big department.



Cabinets, Library Tables, Duofolds, Make your selection now—We will hold it for Christmas Delivery.

Get prices on Roomy Chairs, Rugs, Stoves, Pillows, Cedar Chests, Sewing Tables, Writing Desks, Book Cases, China Cabinets, Beds of all kinds, Hoosier Kitchen

A Large Supply of All Kinds of Candies, Nuts, Fruits and Eats of All kinds For the Christmas Table. Visit Our Grocery Department

THE PECOS MERCANTILE COMPANY