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RANCH NEAR MARFA SELLS FOR \$55,000

Other Land Sales Reported. Schools Close for Year. News Notes.

Marfa, Tex., May 6.—The largest land deal ever made in Presidio county was closed by Woolley & Ballou, of Marfa, who sold to W. P. Fischer, of Fort Worth, and Raymond Fitzgerald, of Sweetwater, Texas, the two adjoining ranches of Meade Wilson and John Love, about 16 miles west of Marfa, including all horses and cattle. The total consideration is \$55,000. These ranches are well watered. The purchasers will take possession June 1st.

Brown, Bogel & Balke have sold to Judge Gariand and son, of San Antonio, Texas, ranch interests 50 miles south of Marfa, for a consideration of \$15,000. A. M. Porter has sold to Mrs. Mary Lee Greenwood and Hart Greenwood an 80 acre tract of land four miles west of Marfa.

M. D. Jordan, who is in from the Jordan Marble quarry near Marfa, reports that a contract has been made with Wilcox & Dill, contractors, of Marfa, to erect a large warehouse at Piasano station, to which point the output of the quarry is hauled for shipment.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Buntin, of Shafter, were in Marfa en route to El Paso for a visit. Miss Alice Lovelace, who has been teaching at Penitents school for the past two years, has gone to her home in San Marcos, Texas. She will return in September to become one of the faculty of the Marfa high school.

Mrs. R. B. Russell and Miss Mary Rowan gave an informal high tea party in honor of Miss Lovelace. Four tables were arranged. Miss Larena Shannon won the prize. A large number of guests were present.

CELEBRATE CINCO DE MAYO AND RAINFALL AT ALPINE

Celebration Closes Saturday With Big Horse Race; Reta Reported General Over Section; News Notes. Alpine, Tex., May 6.—The celebration marking Cinco de Mayo was well attended, 40 people coming from Sanderson, and others from the surrounding country. The free for all horse race had four entries and three starters. The Sanderson horse was an easy winner. The bay horse belonging to Jim R. Wilson and used as a delivery horse for the Alpine Mercantile company, was unharnessed and came in second, a full neck ahead of the sorrel mare owned by Eura Phelps. The baseball game was postponed until Friday on account of the rain. The big horse race will be held Saturday.

Alpine was visited by a rain Thursday evening. It was accompanied by some hail, but not enough to do any great damage. The Pruettts who are ranching north of Alpine, report fine rains Wednesday night and Thursday as well. The rain Thursday night also extended west as far as Valentine, C. S. Webb, ranching in the J. B. Irving pasture, also reports a fine rain Wednesday morning. Mrs. A. J. Allen and children from Sanderson are visiting Mrs. Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Crawford. O. C. DeWitt and his wife are here from Marathon. John Martin was arrested on a charge of aggravated assault.

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PLANTERS WIN A FIGHT WITH FACTORY

Will Get Market Price for Cottonseed, Contracted for Much Lower.

Terreon, Mex., May 6.—According to telegrams from Mexico City, the suit between the cotton planters of the Laguna district and the Laguna Soap and Glycerine factory has been decided in favor of the planters by the supreme court of Mexico.

At the time of the organization of the soap company, which is now capitalized at \$5,000,000, the planters throughout this district subscribed for a great deal of the stock and signed contracts to furnish all the cotton seed they produced to the factory at a stipulated price for a period of 25 years. The price of seed has, in the meantime, advanced to nearly double the price named in these contracts, and the hacendados determined to make an effort to have them rescinded.

A test was taken into court by one of the largest and most wealthy cotton planting firms in the Laguna district, with the soap company as defendant. The case has been in the courts for some months.

Yesterday telegrams began to arrive announcing the final decision in favor of the planters. It is said the main clause which will release them from their contracts is that of the commercial code, which clearly states that no contracts can be made legal for a period exceeding 10 years, and all of these between the ranchers and factory have now been in vogue for over 12.

SUICIDE PACT VICTIMS BURIED SIDE BY SIDE.

Services Held in Bisbee—Man Bitten by Cat Summons Physician—Many Other Accidents.

Bisbee, Ariz., May 6.—The relatives of Miss Margaret Matheson and Harvey Hughes have agreed to accede to the request made in the farewell note asking that they be buried side by side in Bisbee. Hughes shot the girl and then killed himself.

John Buxton was bitten on his left hand by a cat, and medical attention became necessary.

A cavela at the Oliver shaft caught Frank Rulles, who was working there. He was taken to the hospital, being badly injured.

Chas. Maddern sustained injuries to his shoulders while at work at the Holbrook shaft. He was removed to the Copper Queen hospital.

A fall of lumber at the "Irish Mac" shaft of the Calumet and Arizona caused a fracture to the left arm of J. J. Ryan, a well known miner.

While engaged in cleaning out a boiler at the Cole shaft of the Superior and Pittsburg, fireman E. Castillo was severely burned. Tom Arnold, who is employed by the Calumet and Arizona company, is seriously ill with typhoid fever. Several other cases have been reported.

The board of trade has asked the aid of solicitors of the different stores for the census enumeration.

A Russian, refused to give to census enumerators French any information about himself, believing he would be sent to war. He said that a few years ago, when in Russia, he was sent to war immediately after going through the same formalities. Finally he answered the questions.

Hiram Brown, John Foster and Ed. Shipp, members of the rough riders in the Spanish war, have been invited to attend the reunion of the regiment in New York, which will take place upon Columbus' anniversary from Europe.

Wm. Crawford, H. M. Gallagher and Geo. Knowles have been transferred to the local accounting department of the Copper Queen. They were at Douglas. H. P. Lundington has resigned his position as telegraph operator at the Western Union office and will leave for El Paso, where he will remain for several days, visiting his friends, then going to New Orleans.

Hoval A. Smith has returned from El Paso.

HEAVY RAIN FALLS AT VALENTINE; SOME HAIL.

Larazo Balza and Helmer, Charged With Smuggling, Plead Guilty—General News.

Valentine, Texas, May 6.—The finest rain of the season has fallen in Valentine, running one-fourth inch deep on the level. Some hail fell, but no damage was done. The ranchmen all report a splendid water fall, the surface tanks being filled.

Larazo Balza, a Mexican, and his assistant, who were arrested and taken to Marfa, charged with cattle smuggling, pleaded guilty to the charge and were sent to El Paso for further action. Mrs. W. F. McPee is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Finley. Mrs. J. M. McReynolds is visiting at the ranch home of Miss Miriam Moore. C. E. Conroy, of Dr. George R. Gray, leave tonight for El Paso, where they will purchase fixtures and stock for the new drug store. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Mabry have returned from El Paso.

The Mexicans celebrated Cinco de Mayo by giving a dance in the McArdley building.

Ford Bell is in Clarendon, where he went with the Medley herd of cattle, which he purchased.

Lee Evans, who passed through Valentine, en route to his ranch, reports a heavy rain at Double Wells, all the tanks and watering places being filled.

MAN DIES AT COLONIA DIAZ; BUYING UP MULES.

Colonia Diaz, Mex., May 6.—C. E. Jorgensen, who has been ill for some time with grip, died from its effects. He leaves a large family. Mr. Corland, from Colonia Garcia, has been here buying mules for a company in Madera. The wind still continues to blow, and the outlook is for a very dry and hot year. The alfalfa crop turned out better than expected.

The people had a good time the 5th of May. They went to the grove, about three miles from town to spend the day and had a ball in the evening.

M. L. Glinewell, who has been very sick, is much improved. The health of the people is better. On account of not having the proper deeds and transfers, some persons here will most likely lose their water. It seems some of the rights have been sold twice.

BUYING CATTLE AT ALTO.

Alto, N. M., May 6.—Len Sherwin, of Sterling, Colo., and A. T. Roberts, of Carlsbad, are here buying cattle from Lane Hightower, Phillips and Feeder. Will Marr has moved his family here. James Reeder has gone to Carlsbad. Ollie Jackson has gone to the Capitan mountains for some cattle.

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When you select your articles for the Sunday dinner you will find an unlimited quantity of everything the season affords by coming here. For Saturday only we will give some special values in various articles. Bear in mind that regardless of the low price you will get Nations' quality---the finest in the Southwest.

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Hills Bros. highest grade coffee, (Regular price 45c per lb.) 3 lbs. \$1.00	Nations' Rolled Roast, per lb. 15c
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	Blue Valley Butter 35c



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Cattle Shippers Are Large—Champion Bean Raiser Puts Down Wells For Irrigation.

Deming, N. M., May 6.—Hon. H. R. Pattengill delivered his lecture, "Gomption With a Big G," to a crowded audience in Clark's opera house. The Swastika club furnished the music and the school children gave several very pleasing drills.

According to a statement made by S. Clark, freight agent of the Santa Fe, there has been a very heavy movement of stock from and through Deming during the last week. Four train loads of stock went out last night over the Santa Fe alone. Three hundred empty stock cars have gone to Silver City to be loaded.

J. J. Jacobson, who raised the big bean crop last year, having shipped over 80,000 pounds, is installing two big irrigation wells on his ranch 15 miles north of Deming. Mr. Jacobson gets some water for irrigation from the overflow of the Mimbré, and from a dam which impounds the flood waters, but he feels that the most dependable supply after all is to be found in the pumping plant.

Al Watkins entertained a picnic party at one of his ranches southwest of Deming. The following were members of the party: Mrs. Morris Nordhaus, Mrs. Dominick, of Kansas City; Mrs. Ray Walker, Miss Elizabeth Waddill.

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BOY DIES AFTER SHORT ILLNESS; WOMEN MEET.

Second Freight Train Wreck Occurs In Santa Rosa Yards In Week—Personal and General News.

Santa Rosa, N. M., May 6.—Randolph Page, the 17-year-old son of P. R. Page and wife, of Vaughn, formerly of this city, died at Buchanan, N. M., after a short illness. His body was brought here for burial. The schools were dismissed during the funeral.

Two cars loaded with wine and oranges were damaged in a wreck in the E. P. & S. W. yards. The goods had just been reloaded, having been in the wreck near here this week.

Attorney E. R. Wright has returned from a business trip to Carrizozo.

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STRUCK WITH TIMBER, BITES HIS TONGUE.

Valentine, Tex., May 6.—While working on the McArdley building, W. S. McBride, a carpenter, was struck by a heavy timber, resulting in his biting his tongue almost in two. A number of stitches were made by Dr. George H. Graves, who cared for the injured man.

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WOMEN INCORPORATE NEW MEXICO TELEPHONE CO.

Santa Fe, N. M., May 6.—Three women have incorporated the Roy Telephone company, of Roy, Mora county, with a capitalization of \$50,000. The incorporators and directors are: Adina Buschkevit, Alice M. Tyler and Ada P. Shutt.

PIONEERS WILL CELEBRATE ON TUESDAY.

Will Exhibit a Collection of Relics, Etc and Discuss Plans to Have a Museum.

The annual meeting of the Pioneers' association will be held at Washington park next Tuesday at 1 o'clock. The executive committee says: "We have secured several relics which have been donated, and have many more promised as soon as we have a place to preserve them. Let us work to that end. A number of our members have promised liberal contributions for the erection of a building, if we can get a place to put it. We tried to get the city to allow us to erect a building for our purpose on Cleveland square, but they would not grant us the privilege, for the reason that they thought El Paso was already short on park

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