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### SANTA FE TO BUILD WEST

Hockley and Cochran Counties May Soon Have Santa Fe Charter Amendment Filed

Austin, Tex., Feb. 14.—The Attorney General approved and the Secretary of State filed an amendment to the charter of the Pecos and Northern Texas Railroad (Santa Fe) providing for the extension from a point south of Lubbock on the Texico-Coleman cutoff to Lamesa, Dawson County, a distance of fifty-five miles.

The branch is to touch Tahoka Lynn County, it is understood. The amendment also fixes the capital stock at \$170,000. The amendment set out the Texico-Coleman cutoff, 300 miles; that from Canyon to Lubbock (completed) 105 miles; also a branch from Plainview, through Hale, Floyd, Crosby and Dickens to Dickens, seventy miles; also a branch from Lubbock due west through Hockley County to the Texas State line in Cochran County, a distance of seventy-five miles, and the Lamesa extension.

The Santa Fe's western extensions to Brady, Menardville and San Saba, from Lometa and Miles, will be in the name of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe corporation, while those in the Panhandle are built by the Pecos and Northern Texas organization of the Santa Fe system.

### Bright Prospects Statewide

From the "Weather and Crop" column of a few days ago we condense a few of the items for the profit of those who did not have the sagacity to peruse them in their entirety. From Sherman we are told that "not in years have the prospects from an agricultural point of view been as bright for Grayson and the contiguous country of the Red River belt of Texas and Oklahoma." From Jacksonville, to the southeastward, in the truck and fruit belt, we were apprised that "for the first time in many months there is now ample moisture in the ground." Still eastward, from Marshall, comes the paeon that "a big snow has caused general rejoicing among the fruit-growers of this county, as the snow seems to settle the question in the minds of many that Harrison County will have a big fruit crop now beyond doubt." And, jumping back into the interior of the State, we are told from Canton, in Van Zandt County, that "farming prospects were never better for this time of year, and there is considerable new land being cleared and put in cultivation, while all the land that has ever been cultivated will be cultivated this year, and a bumper crop is looked for." There is a column more, all of the same import, and from every section of the State. Pessimism is always a sin; in Texas, at this particular moment, it is an unpardonable sin. Dallas News.

### Editor Callahan Weds

Making a record run from Dimmitt to Hereford in a big touring car, C. S. Callahan, editor of the Dimmitt Plainsman, and Miss Mozells McCandless, were married in Hereford yesterday.

Escaping their friends, who were in total ignorance of their plans, the betrothed pair left Dimmitt yesterday morning. The driver of their car was instructed to make all possible speed, and the 22 miles were reeled off in a short while.

When Hereford was reached the automobile was halted in front of Rev. O. W. Dean's residence. The driver jumped from the machine and hurriedly summoned the minister from his study. Then, with the powerful engine of the car purring an imaginary Lohengren's wedding march, and the driver acting as best man, bride's maid and audience combined, the principals stood up in the tonneau and the ceremony was performed.

No sooner had the minister alighted from the machine, than it was off again, this time for the new home in Dimmitt. It is hinted that the fact that yesterday was Valentine Day figured in the romantic marriage. Amarillo News.

### Waters-Pierce Building

The Waters-Pierce Oil Company are putting in a large ware house and storage tanks. They will also put in a stable. The buildings will occupy three lots

and will be inclosed with a high board fence.

It is the intention of the company to put a wagon for the delivery of oil to the stores. When completed it is claimed that this warehouse and other improvements will be the best in the Panhandle, and is evidence of the fact that this company realize the importance of this point. T. F. Robbins will be manager of the business here and as he is a wide awake young man it is safe to predict that everything connected with this enterprise will come up on the dot.

### R. E. Hendry Dead

Mineral Wells, Tex., Feb. 10.—News of the death of Judge R. E. Hendry, a pioneer citizen of Mineral Wells, occurring at his home in Wichita Falls, early this morning, was received here today with genuine regret by the citizenship generally, and by the old timers in particular.

Judge Hendry came to Mineral Wells from Rusk, Cherokee County, in 1885, and after engaging in the practice of law, the abstract business and the foundation and publication of the Mineral Wells Graphic, he headed a company which acquired the Crazy Well, which institution Judge Hendry developed, and with which institution he was identified as the active head until he sold out about two and one-half years ago to a company headed by Sydney Webb of Bellevue, for a consideration of

\$80,000, and removed to his ranch near Wichita Falls, where he died this morning.

Judge Hendry was 63 years of age, and besides having an honorable record as a Confederate soldier, was the representative of this district in the Twentieth legislature.

Judge Hendry is survived by a widow and two grandchildren Misses Willie and Kathleen Benson. His only daughter, Mrs. Willie Dean Benson, died here in 1895.

The body of Judge Hendry will arrive here from Wichita Falls at noon tomorrow and the funeral arrangements will be announced then.

As Judge Hendry was looked upon as the man most responsible for the development of Mineral Wells as a health resort, the merchants have all practically agreed to close their stores in order that they as well as their employes may attend the funeral.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. P. Elliott, Monday morning, a baby girl.

### For Quick Sale

S. W. 1-4 of Sec. 422, Block 9, Cert. 143, E. L. & R. R. Co. land in Lynn County, 8 miles southeast of Tahoka, almost clear smooth table land, as good as there is in that county, \$1795 per acre due state. Price \$1600 bonus, net to owner, \$500 cash, balance four equal payments, 8 per cent. Write or wire W. W. Johnson, Hamlin, Texas. No offer less than above considered. 33-11

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