

SILSBEE

What's Doing Over at the Pleasure Resort on the Shore of Blue Lake

Miss Mary Van Arman was an Imperial visitor last Monday.

Master Harry Fuller returned last week from San Diego where he had spent his summer vacation.

Miss Florence Pyle is home again from a visit of several weeks spent with her sister, Mrs. James Pinkney, at Brawley.

Mr. and Mrs. Pinkney of Brawley visited Mrs. Pinkney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Pyle, at Silsbee, last Sunday.

Mr. H. C. Griswold returned last week from a vacation trip of some weeks spent in San Diego and the beach towns. He just missed the worst of the hot weather.

Weston R. Vanderpool went out last week to get a few breaths of sea breeze. He could have got "something equally as good" if he had only remained at home a few days longer.

The social at Mr. Rumsey's hall last Tuesday evening was well attended and a pleasant evening was spent by all. Games, in which all joined, were played, ice cream and cake were served and everyone enjoyed themselves.

The overflow is slowly receding but not fast enough but what a great deal of land will be under water when it is time to sow crops. It is still over a large area west from Blue Lake and seems to be falling very slowly out there.

It is reported that as soon as the water goes down Mr. Jones will rebuild his headgate in New river and carry out his plan to irrigate from that stream. It is said that he is sending over a pile driver now to put in the foundation.

The summer came to an abrupt end last Monday, the wind coming up from the west in the afternoon in real old fashioned style. By Tuesday morning it was fall of the year and we all knew the long hot summer was a thing of the past for this year. There may be a few warm days after this but it will only be for a few days at a time and the nights will all be cool.

The wild ducks are coming in by the thousands, Blue Lake is covered with them, they are in New river, the overflow, in the canals and everywhere. There is danger of their being so numerous as to seriously damage crops. No one is allowed to shoot them and they seem to know it so they just bob their heads and quack at you.

The largest and most successful surprise party of the season was the one given for Miss Crystal Woodward by Mrs. John Jackson on last Friday evening. Miss Crystal was sent away for the afternoon and early evening on some pretext, and when she returned she found about ninety people there to meet her. As a surprise it was a complete success and every one of the large crowd spent a most pleasant evening. Games were played, the graphophone rendered excellent selections, charades were played and all had a splendid time. Ice cream, cake, iced lemonade and melons were served in great abundance and when at an early hour the

next morning the happy party broke up to each wend their way home, it was with many thanks to Mrs. Jackson for her pleasant and bountiful hospitality.

One of the pleasantest parties of the summer was the ice cream social at Mr. and Mrs. Hardings Thursday evening. Mrs. Harding has spent most of the summer visiting in the east and only returned home a short time ago. She has therefore missed a great deal of the pleasure enjoyed by the Silsbee people this summer. However, she took her place in line as soon as she got home, and the ice cream and cake she served to her guests was of the very best. The pleasant evening spent by the large number of people who partook of her hospitality will be long remembered by all.

Silsbee neighborhood is rapidly establishing a reputation for hospitality and good fellowship. The past month has been hot and the weather oppressive but it has been one of exceptional

activity in social circles in our neighborhood. In that kind of weather nothing is more appropriate nor grateful to the palate than ice refreshments. To this end a succession of ice cream parties have been given, the housewives vying with each other in the quantity and quality of these tempting viands supplied. The result has been that Silsbee people have had a most enjoyable season and have solved the problem of how to pleasantly spend the summer on the desert. Not less than twenty of these parties were given during August. If a fellow can get filled up on ice cream twenty times during the month he should be able to stand any degree of hot weather.

Got off Cheap

He may well think he has got off cheap, who, after having contracted constipation or indigestion, is still able to perfectly restore his health. Nothing will do this but Dr. King's New Life Pills. A quick, pleasant, and certain cure for headache, constipation, etc. 25c at all druggist; guaranteed.

Like Finding Money

Finding health is like finding money — so think those who are sick. When you have a cough, cold, sore throat or chest irritation, better act promptly like W. C. Barber, of Sandy Level, Va. He says: "I had a terrible chest trouble, caused by smoke and coal dust on my lungs; but, after finding no relief in other remedies, I was cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds." Greatest sale of any cough or lung medicine in the world. Sold by all druggists; 50c and \$1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

DESERT LAND, FINAL PROOF— NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Los Angeles, Cal., August 11, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that Louis Salzgeber, of Tropic, Cal., has filed notice of intention to make proof on his desert-land claim No. 1484, for the E½ of SE¼, Sec. 6, Twp. 15 S., R. 15 E., S. B. M., before Register and Receiver at Los Angeles, Cal., on Monday, the 18th day of September, 1905.

He names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land:

J. H. Blodgett, of Holtville, Cal.; William Bauman, of Holtville, Cal.; Edwin Mead, of Holtville, Cal.; Dewitt Cox, of Holtville, Cal.

A. J. CROOKSHANK, Register.

Aug. 19, Sept. 16

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned citizen of the United States is in possession of the tract of land described as the SW¼ of SE¼, and SE¼ of SW¼, Sec. 12, Twp. 16 S., R. 15 E., S. B. M., according to the survey made in 1900 by the Imperial Land Company and commonly called the Imperial survey. I hereby certify that I have been in possession of said land since Aug. 1, 1905, and that there is no adverse claim or possession to said land in opposition to mine. I also certify that the numbers properly describing said lands in the United States records have been used by other people and applied to other lands two miles east of the lands occupied by me. And I further certify that it is my bona-fide intention to enter said above-described lands under the desert land act as soon as the new survey of these lands provided for by the Act of Congress dated July 1, 1902, Statutes at Large Vol. 32, part 1, page 728, shall be completed and the correct map of these lands filed in the U. S. Land Office at Los Angeles, Cal.

Signed, R. C. STARNER.

Witness: J. H. HUFF.

Imperial, Cal., August 29, 1905.

sept 2-23

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned citizen of the United States is in possession of the tract of land lying between the South line of the SW¼ of Sec. 34, and SE¼ of Sec. 33, Twp. 15 S., R. 15 E., S. B. M., according to the Eastside or Bothwell survey, and the north line of Sec. 1, Twp. 16 S., R. 15 E., S. B. M., according to the survey made in 1900 by the Imperial Land Company and commonly called the Imperial survey. Said tract of land is shown on the map of Imperial Valley published by the U. S. Department of Agriculture in their soil survey of the Imperial area, 1904, and is about one-half mile wide, north and south, and one mile long, east and west. There are no numbers or descriptions in the U. S. land records by which said lands can be entered, consequently no entry can be made at the present time. I hereby certify that I have taken possession of this tract of land on this 5th day of September, 1905, and that there is no adverse claim or possession to said land in opposition to mine. I further certify that it is my bona-fide intention to enter said lands under the land laws of the United States as soon as the resurvey of this tract provided for in the act of Congress approved July 1st, 1902, Statutes at Large, Vol. 32, Part 1, page 728, shall be completed and the correct map describing these lands filed in the United States Land Office.

Signed, Mrs. E. A. DUNDON.

Witness: C. J. SCHENCK.

Holtville, Cal., September 5, 1905.

sept 9-30

HEADQUARTERS

FOR

Split Red Cedar Fence Posts

and

For The Best Quality In Lumber

at

The Most Economical Prices

IMPERIAL LUMBER AND COMMERCIAL COMPANY

J. E. HEBER, Manager

Yards at Brawley, Heber and Imperial Main Office: Imperial, Cal

You Can Make Money

If you use McCormick Headers to cut your Kaffir Corn. It is a generally admitted fact that Kaffir Corn can be grown to better advantage in this Valley than in any other portion of the United States, but heretofore the expense of harvesting has been so great that there was no profit left. By means of the McCormick Header the farmers have surmounted this obstacle and saved to the Valley one of its most profitable industries. By using the McCormick Header corn can be harvested as economically and as readily as wheat or barley.

Owing to the peculiar construction of this header the knife can be elevated fully six feet from the ground, and it is the only header of which this is true. The McCormick Co. did not know that this was true of their Header until some farmer with a mechanical turn of mind discovered the fact, but they are glad that it is true, for they appreciated that it makes the worth of their header to the farmer at least double that of any other. All crops can be harvested with one machine. Come and see them.

Eagle Hart Kaffir Corn Headers \$25

EDGAR BROS.