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# CARRIZOZO NEWS.

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## PROCEEDINGS OF BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session at Lincoln N. M., on January 4 1909.

Present:—R. H. Taylor, Chairman; R. A. Duran, member. C. W. Wingfield was sworn in as one of the members of the board. Board then proceeded to organize and upon motion, duly seconded, Mr. R. H. Taylor was elected as Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year.

The Bond of J. G. Riggle approved and sworn.

Toreteo Lucero's Bond as Probate Judge approved.

Bond of R. A. Hurt as Assessor approved.

Bond of Exchange Bank of Carrizozo, N. M., for \$11,000.00 for deposit of County funds approved.

Bond of Peter A. Schmidt as Deputy Clerk approved.

Bond of John A. Haley as Supt. of Schools approved.

Board adjourned to 1 o'clock P. M.

Bond of First National Bank of Roswell; N. M., for \$11,000.00 as depository of the funds of Lincoln County approved.

Bond of T. W. Watson for \$18,000.00 approved.

Bond of F. E. Theurer for \$6,000.00 as surveyor approved.

In the tax matter of Albino Romero, he being the head of a family, is hereby ordered to correct the Tax roll accordingly.

In the erroneous taxation of John J. Hicks on real estate, is hereby exempt for \$200.00 and the Collector and Treasurer is hereby to correct the Tax roll accordingly.

Tax matter of H. A. Scott assessment of Block 64, Lot 10, Capitau, erroneous, and Treasurer ordered to correct tax roll.

Butcher Bonds of V. A. Lucier and O. C. Henton are examined and approved.

In the matter of the Petition of J. W. Prude for a road franchise, by agreement, the same was laid over until the regular April meeting.

The resignation of Robert Brady as constable of Precinct No. 2, is hereby accepted.

The report of the Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 13, is rejected by the Board and the Clerk is ordered to notify the said Justice to collect the fine of \$50.00 in

case of Territory vs W. C. Tonhill, and deposit the same with the County Treasurer at once.

Report of the Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 10 approved

In the matter of the road petition of N. B. Taylor, P. N. Skow and others for a public road, described as follows: Beginning on the NE. corner of Sec. 31, Twp. 7, Rge. 11, thence east on section line between 29—32, 28—33, 27—34, 26—35, is approved; the said road to be sixty-six feet wide and the County Surveyor is hereby ordered to make a survey of said road and file his report with this board as soon as practicable.

Board adjourned until 8 o'clock A. M., January 5, 1909.

January 5, 1909, Board met at 8:40 o'clock, all members present.

The county printing was awarded to the Carrizozo News for the ensuing two years; Taylor and Wingfield voting "Aye" and Duran voting "Nay".

Wm. J. Doering is hereby appointed as the inspector of Weight and Measurers of Lincoln County and is to qualify under the law and enter upon his duties at once.

A quarterly report of J. M. Penfield as Treasurer and Collector is approved.

Mr. Fred gives notice that he takes exception to District Court in regard to the Printing.

Report of Road Supervisor District No. 2, approved.

Report of Road Supervisor District No. 3, approved.

Board adjourned until 1 o'clock P. M.

Board convened at 1 o'clock P. M., all members present.

The county Surveyor is ordered by the board to go over the Big Hill as well as over the lower river route on Lincoln and Roswell road and make estimate of the cost of repairing and grading same and to get up specifications concerning said work and make report to Board Jan. 18, 1909.

The tax matter of El Paso and N. E. R. R. Co., claiming an excess valuation of \$2,000.00 is rejected by Board.

The Tax schedule has been examined and found correct as is given by their agent.

In tax matter of Harry Chant it appears to the board that he was the head of a family and is entitled to an exemption of \$200.00. The Treasurer and Collector is hereby ordered to correct the er-

ror and it is ordered by the board that a warrant be drawn for \$2.31 to reimburse the above Harry Chant of first half of his taxes of 1908.

The matter of road Petition of Fred Pfingston, C. A. Stevens and others, praying for a road from Capitau to Parsons is denied by the Board.

It is ordered that a warrant be drawn in favor of H. A. Scott for the sum of \$2.20 to reimburse him for taxes paid on an erroneous assessment.

It is ordered by the Board that a warrant be drawn for \$4.20 in favor of Albino Romero to reimburse him for taxes paid on an erroneous assessment.

Board adjourned to meet Jan. 6, 1909, at 8 A. M.

January 6, Board convened at 8 A. M., all members present.

Bill of Clement Hightower, Justice of the Peace, approved.

Justice of the Peace report of Precinct No. 1, approved.

The following bills were allowed out of the wild animal fund:

A. L. Slack, bill of \$2.00	allowed	21.00
S. H. Blackwood, bill of 21.00	"	2.00
M. C. Black, bill of 49.00	"	11.00
A. P. Stewart, bill of 80.00	"	4.00
Mike Buckman, bill of 3.00, allowed.		
H. B. Morris		1.00
J. J. Hicks		61.00
M. C. Black, bill of 61.00	"	4.00
Buck McKinney		153.00
G. M. Hughes		101.00

Board adjourned to 1 P. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, all members present.

In the matter of the White Oaks-Lincoln road, there being a protest filed against the petition filed by S. T. Gray and others. Testimony being submitted; the controversy being that a certain part of the above said road is situated on and across Sec. 36, Twp. 8, Range 14. The petitioners desiring to have the road around a certain fence on said Sec. Twp. and Rge. while the protestant desire to have the road remain on the old road through said Sec. Twp. and Rge. On this issue a hearing was had. The board takes the matter under advisement. It is the unanimous decision of the Board that Mr. Titsworth remove the fence at once, this decision being based upon Chapter 124 of the laws of 1905.

At this time a petition is brought before the Board from residents of Twp. 10, Rge. 9, Twp. 10, Rge. 10, S. ½ Twp. 9, Rge. 9, S. ½ Twp. 9 Rge. 10 and pray the Board to establish a vot-

ing precinct to be known as Precinct No. 15, and also the appointment of a Justice of the Peace. The Board being fully advised that the petition is within the statutes does hereby create and establish the above described Territory into a Precinct of this County to be known as Precinct No. 15 of the County of Lincoln. Township Justice of the Peace and Constable in Precinct No. 15 will be appointed on January 18, 1909.

Bill of Robert Hart for \$9.35 approved.

Bill of M. Gamson for \$6.00 rejected.

The following bills were allowed out of the Wild Animal Fund:

Fernan Escobar	\$1.00	Joe Salome	2.00
Faustino Salado	2.00	W. H. Willy	1.00
J. H. Perry	42.00	T. C. Jacobs	3.00
Will Hunt	1.00	D. B. Perkins	66.00
Geo. W. Huges	96.00	C. D. Wilson	25.00
Sol Fresnoz	50.00	J. M. Minter	70.00
P. J. Kayle	10.00	Geo. Hall	20.00

In the Tax matter of D. D. Able he being the head of a family is allowed his exemption and the treasurer ordered to correct the tax roll accordingly.

The following bills were allowed out of the Road and Bridge fund:

Nate Kamp, supervisor District 3	\$102.50
Oliver Peaker	101.00

Report of supervisor Dist 1 laid over on account of incompleteness of report caused by sickness.

The following bills were allowed out of the Court House and Jail funds:

Jesus Mirabel, for wood	190.00
Joe Salome, supplies	25.00
T. W. Watson, medical services	5.75
H. Lutz & Co., supplies	7.75
Arason Bros.,	111.45
J. M. Dow, Oct 1 to Dec. 1, as jailer	134.55
E. C. Smith, salary as jailer	15.15
J. W. Owen, boarding prisoners	172.50
Blanchard Bros., repair work	10.45
J. W. Laws, examining insane patients	5.00

The following bill was allowed out of the General School funds:

Syl G. Anderson, salary as postage	104.00
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Board adjourned until 7 o'clock A. M. January 7, 1909.

Board opened as per adjournment.

The following bills were allowed out of the General County fund for Registration Boards:

Precinct No. 1.	
W O Norman	\$3.00
Fre. Gonzales	\$3.00
Precinct No. 2.	
Holt. Brady	\$3.00
Leopoldo Gonzales	\$3.00
Precinct No. 3.	
Leopoldo Pacheco	\$3.00
Casimiro Barola	\$3.00
Precinct No. 4.	
E. W. Holburt	\$3.00
Cres. Salas	\$3.00
Precinct No. 5.	
Felix Perea	\$3.00
H. B. Roberts	\$3.00
Precinct No. 6.	
P. A. Scott	\$3.00
Adonios Montoya	\$3.00
Precinct No. 7.	
M. D. Guebara	\$3.00
Geo. G. Thorp	\$3.00
Precinct No. 8.	
Jones Taliaferro	\$3.00
Juan L. Reyes	\$3.00

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## 2700—HOUSEHOLD—A ABOUT PERFECTION IN SOUP.

Try the French Method of Preparing It with Vegetables.

While this has been given before in these columns, it is such a satisfactory soup that I want every housekeeper, young or old, to add it to her stock recipes, and pass the secret on its making on to her friends, says a writer in the Chicago Inter Ocean. The ingredients required are: Two cupfuls each white turnip cut in cubes and potatoes cut in cubes, one cupful carrot cut in cubes, one cupful leeks (the white part), one large onion, a clove of garlic, one eschalot, a tablespoonful salt, three tablespoonfuls butter, one teaspoonful sugar, a third teaspoonful of pepper, and two quarts of water. Cut the onion fine and cook in the butter for half an hour. This must be done slowly, protecting from scorch. Then add the boiling water and carrots and cook half an hour longer. Add turnips, potatoes and seasoning and cook an hour. If you have parsley or cerfeuil add a tablespoonful minced about ten minutes before serving. This soup is improved if some bone or trimmings of meat be added, but this is not essential. A most delicious cream vegetable soup is made by rubbing a portion of the soup and a little salt to season. Let come just to the boiling point and serve with fried or toasted bread.

## The Home.

Keep tacks in bottles. It saves opening many boxes to find a particular kind.

When cleaning house use plenty of turpentine in the scrub water. It means certain death to moths.

Left-over cereals need not be wasted. They are excellent fried like mush and eaten with sirup or honey.

Covering the pan when fish is frying is apt to make the fish soft. A solid, firm meat, that is at the same time flaky, is what the good cook likes.

Ammonia should not be used in the evening or near a fire, nor should the bottle be allowed to remain uncorked. It is inflammable and its fumes are not specially healthful.

A loaf of bread will keep fresh much longer if placed in a covered stone crock. Wrap in a large cloth to exclude air and keep the crock in a cool place. It is nicer than a tin vessel and much better than keeping bread in the refrigerator.

### Mustard-Making.

In making mustard it is a good plan to add a pinch of salt before mixing in the water. A spoonful of vinegar should always be used to moisten the dry mustard in the first instance, while a better result can be attained by stirring in warm water instead of cold when the mustard is not required in haste.

### Chopped Beef Bake.

Take two pounds of chopped beef and three tomatoes, add pepper and salt to taste, add three onions chopped fine, then put meat in pot, sprinkle flour over meat, and set in oven to bake three-fourths of an hour, and serve. This is a cheap and wholesome dish.

### Peach Dessert.

Peel nice peaches, roll each one in powdered sugar, prepare a soft icing of confectioner's sugar, roll the peaches in this till well coated, then roll again in grated cocoanut. Serve on china plates with lady fingers or some nice wafers. Canned peaches may be used if fresh ones are not in season.

### Honey Muffins.

Sift together 1½ pint flour, two teaspoons salt. Work in two tablespoons butter; beat and add three eggs, one teacup honey and half a pint of sweet milk. Pour in hot buttered muffin pans and bake in a hot oven.

## JUST A TEST.



"Goodness, sonny, what's the trouble?"  
"Nawthin'. I just wanted to see if I had forgotten how to cry—boo-hoo!"

### INTOLERABLE ITCHING.

Fearful Eczema All Over Baby's Face—Professional Treatment Failed.

### A Perfect Cure by Cuticura.

"When my little girl was six months old I noticed small red spots on her right cheek. They grew so large that I sent for the doctor but, instead of helping the eruption, his ointment seemed to make it worse. Then I went to a second doctor who said it was eczema. He also gave me an ointment which did not help either. The disease spread all over the face and the eyes began to swell. The itching grew intolerable and it was a terrible sight to see. I consulted doctors for months, but they were unable to cure the baby. I paid out from \$20 to \$30 without relief. One evening I began to use the Cuticura Remedies. The next morning the baby's face was all white instead of red. I continued until the eczema entirely disappeared. Mrs. P. E. Gumbin, Sheldon, Ia., July 13, '08."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

### The Inauguration.

Good people all, of every sort, give ear unto our song. Hike this way sure on March 4 and bring your folks along.—Washington Herald.

Thanks for your invitation, Jim; 'twould please us to be there.\* Dost have the price in pocketbook to pay our railroad fare?—Birmingham Age-Herald.

### Important to Mothers.

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The way to gain a good reputation is to endeavor to be what you desire to appear.—Socrates.

### The Land of England.

Twelve thousand seven hundred and ninety-one persons own four-fifths of the soil of England, their aggregate property, exclusive of that within the metropolitan boundaries, being 40,180,775 acres. In point of fact, the number of owners of four-fifths of the English land is nearer 5,000 than 12,000. Of these 500 are noblemen, and four or five of these swallow up the rest.—New York American.

### Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surface. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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CURES WHERE ALL ELSE FAILS  
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**MAPLEINE**

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Softy—Why shouldn't I, old chap? He isn't in twade, and he doesn't work faw a living.—Penny Pictorial.

ONLY ONE "BROMO QUININE"  
That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.

And it sometimes happens that a man is married to his boss.

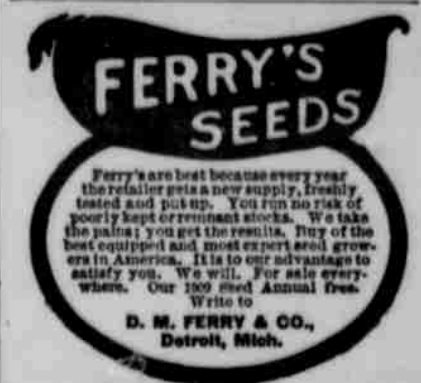
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The American Hereford Cattle Breeders' Association will offer Fifty head of Registered Hereford Bulls and Heifers, selected from some of the best herds in the country. All choice individuals.  
For catalogue and particulars, address,  
C. R. THOMAS, Secretary,  
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50 SHORTHORNS 50

THURSDAY, JANUARY 21

The American Shorthorn Cattle Breeders' Association will offer 50 head of Registered Shorthorn Bulls and Heifers, selected from the best herds in the country. All choice individuals.  
For catalogue and particulars, address,  
B. O. COWAN, Asst. Sec'y,  
17 Exchange Ave.,  
CHICAGO, ILL.

50 GALLOWAYS 50

FRIDAY, JANUARY 22

The American Galloway Cattle Breeders' Association will offer 50 head of Registered Galloway Bulls and Heifers, selected from best herds in the country.  
For particulars and catalogue, address,  
ROBERT W. BROWN, Secretary,  
17 Exchange Ave.,  
CHICAGO, ILL.

### SALE PURE BRED BERKSHIRE HOGS

Thursday, January 21st, 10 a. m. Forty Registered Berkshires, Henry & Beggs, Fort Logan, Colorado.

### SALE PURE BRED SHEEP

There will be offered at Private Sale a Large Number of Choice Pure Bred and Registered Sheep of Various Breeds.

## THE FOURTH ANNUAL NATIONAL WESTERN STOCK SHOW

Will be held in the New National Amphitheatre just completed at a cost of \$200,000. Capacity 10,000 people. Exhibitions day and evening. LOW RATES ON ALL RAILROADS.



# FOND OF ATHLETICS

PRESIDENT HAS SET GOOD EXAMPLE FOR CABINET MEN.

His Fondness for Healthy and Manly Sports Has Been Contagious with Advisers—Wilson Not a Sport.

Washington.—Not the least good that Theodore Roosevelt, as president of the United States, has done his countrymen has been to quicken by precept and example their love and appreciation of healthy, athletic and manly sports. As a hunter, a horseman, a pedestrian, a tennis player, a boxer, an exponent of jiu jitsu—in short, a follower of every wholesome form of exercise and manner of sport—the president has set an example that has been contagious and that will bear good fruit for many a day to come.

The eight serious and one jocund gentlemen who stand at all times



Camp of Secretary Straus at Big Island Pond, Me.

ready, if not anxious, to lend their counsel to the president regarding the piloting of the ship of state are not unlike him in respect to their fondness for athletic recreation.

Secretary Straus, who has had considerable experience in the service of his country both at home and abroad, and who is now at the head of the many-sided department of commerce and labor, is an ardent fisherman and an enthusiastic pedestrian. He found ample opportunity to gratify both his fishing and walking propensities during the past summer.

The entire month of August was spent in the Maine woods, in company with William Loeb, Jr., secretary to the president. There, in a little cabin of logs, which Secretary Straus asserts cost him the munificent sum of \$450, far from civilization and close to the heart of nature, where the deer came curiously up to investigate the intruders and the brook trout rose greedily to the fly, a happy party enjoyed to the full the unconventional delights of a genuine outing. The camp can be reached only after a considerable tramp through the woods, at that time in the full glory of their richest foliage, so that on arrival at the unostentatious but hospitable portals the newcomers were in fit mood to appreciate the dainties spread before them, dainties typical of the region and the environment.

The camp possesses every convenience that the "simple life" requires, and afforded ample accommodation not only for Secretary Straus, Mrs. Straus and their young son, but also for Secretary Loeb and several other guests.

The most striking feature is the central hall, with its stone chimney, where on a wide open hearth spruce, pine and maple logs blazed cheerily and gave out needed warmth, especially in the mornings and evenings, while in Washington people were seeking the parks and housetops to get refuge from the humid heat.

"I feel that the head of this department ought to know something about fishing," said Secretary Straus, almost

naively, "as the bureau of fisheries is under his jurisdiction, and in order to learn about fishes you must love the sport of taking them."

One would have to go far to find a more ardent sportsman and outdoor athlete than the postmaster general of the United States, George von Lengerke Meyer of Hamilton, Mass. With him athletic exercise is little short of a religion, and with his 50 years sitting lightly on him he can outride and outwork most younger men. He is an accomplished and daring horseman.

James Wilson, secretary of agriculture, is no sport. When he wants recreation he exchanges one kind of work for another, and even when at home in the bosom of his family he is not wont to indulge in cards or checkers or chess or any other of the games commonly resorted to for recreation and amusement.

Victor Howard Metcalf, the recent secretary of the navy, is as fond of sport as when at Yale he led his boat crew to victory, but he now finds recreation in other ways. Fishing, hunting and mountain climbing formed his chief amusements during his vacation last summer.

## YOUNG RULER OF OLD CHINA.

Hsuanlung Said to Be Unusual Child for One of His Age.

London.—The accompanying picture is made from a photograph represented as being the first authentic one of Hsuanlung, China's new emperor. Hsuanlung will not be three years old until February 11 next, yet this portrait might readily be taken to be that of a boy of ten or twelve.

The infant emperor is Pu Yi, a son of Prince Chun, the next younger brother of the late Emperor Kwangsu. Kwangsu married a niece of the dowager empress 20 years ago, but there was never any issue from the union. Prince Chun is regent.

Pu Yi's coming to the throne is said to be the beginning of the end of petticoat rule in China. The Dowager Empress Tau Hsi died on November 15 last, on the day following the death of Emperor Kwangsu. She had ruled with an iron hand for half a century. Pu Yi's stepmother, the Dowager Empress Yehonala, it is reported, has already been made to understand that she would better keep her hands off affairs of state, and has quietly withdrawn into the background of the court.

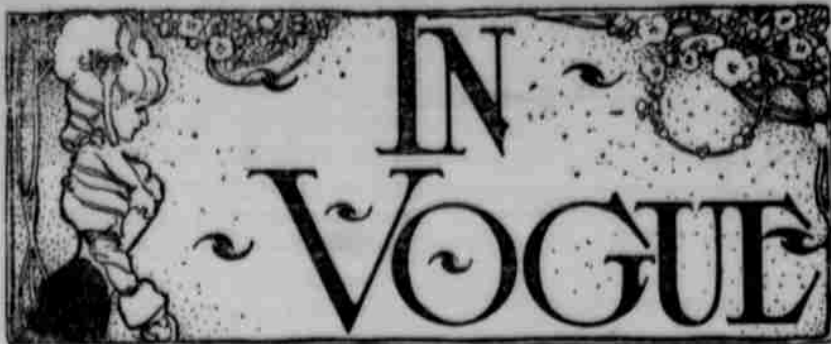
Pu Yi is described as a healthy lump of a youngster, who seems to understand but one thing that has happened in the tremendous change which has come in his life, and that is that he has been separated from his old nurse. He made the palace ring with his howls for the first few nights after he had been removed from the custody of his family. Being the emperor, he was of course privileged to cry as loudly as he could and keep everybody else awake. If one of the imperial nurses were caught spanking him it would no doubt mean that her head would answer for it in the next hour.

## Rubber Industry Growing.

Official reports give a good idea of the extent to which the rubber-planting industry has grown in the federated Malay states during 1907. Not far short of 50,000 acres were planted, an increase of 46 per cent. over the figures of the previous year, and by December, 1907, practically 180,000 acres and 27,500,000 trees had been planted. The output of dry rubber increased by 144 per cent., being 1,017 tons.

## Many Were Close to Death.

One of the steam shovels engaged in work on the Panama canal, in the operation of which more than 300 employees were engaged, recently lifted out a quantity of dynamite which is described in an official report as being "more than a bushel." What would have happened if the shovel had struck the dynamite instead of the earth around it is easy to imagine.



## DESIGNS IN LINENS

CONSIDER UTILITY AS WELL AS DAINTINESS.

Very Fine Bureau and Sideboard Covers Entail Heavy Laundry Bills—Good Ones That Can Be Made at Home.

Every housekeeper appreciates the difficulty of keeping the covers of bureaus and sideboards spotless. The woman who has enough fresh covers to do away with hasty laundering is yet to be found.

As frequent changes are necessary, the average housewife should sacrifice her love of daintiness to utility. Sheer linen scarfs inset with lace and hand embroidery are lovely, but distinct luxuries in this day of soot and big laundry bills.

Have them by all means if you can afford extra sets for special occasions; if not, choose covers that are serviceable as well as good looking.

Among the best for general utility are the plain scarfs of heavy linen or fine pique that can be made at home for nothing but the cost of the materials. White linen is probably the most used, the pique is preferable, as it wrinkles less quickly.

The simplest, most effective, and, at present, the smartest of these heavy covers are those in pique, embroidered on the edges with a heavy, graceful scallop and with no other trimming but a large monogram directly in the center of the front, about two inches in from the scallop.

Pad the scallop heavily with darning cotton, using a chain stitch, and buttonhole closely to form a strong edge. The monogram, if one cannot draw it in for herself, can usually be designed for about fifty cents. The size for the bureau scarf is useful for towels, pillow cases and can even be used on the largest napkins; as the one monogram can easily be transferred with impression paper, the initial cost is worth while.

At the same time, it is well to have two smaller monograms made to match, one for the pincushion top and smaller napkins and the smallest to be used on handkerchiefs and lingerie. It is quite the thing just now to have a distinctive marking and use it on all one's belongings.

How the monogram is worked depends upon the style chosen. Some are done entirely in solid embroidery, others are combined with seeping. Care should be taken to do the padding smoothly and heavily. In working the satin stitch do not use too heavy a cotton and be careful about the slant of the stitches and to keep the edges even.

The woman who has leisure will find it convenient to cut her covers to fit a special bureau or sideboard and make at least two for each one; three is better yet. The scallop can be run on the four sides or on the ends and front, as preferred.

The pincushion tops are also scalloped and have a monogram in the center. The square or round ones are better liked at present than the oblong.

Sometimes these tops are made with a bottom that laces to the top through eyelets; more often the top is cut to fit and is held to the satin-covered cushion by tiny white pins.

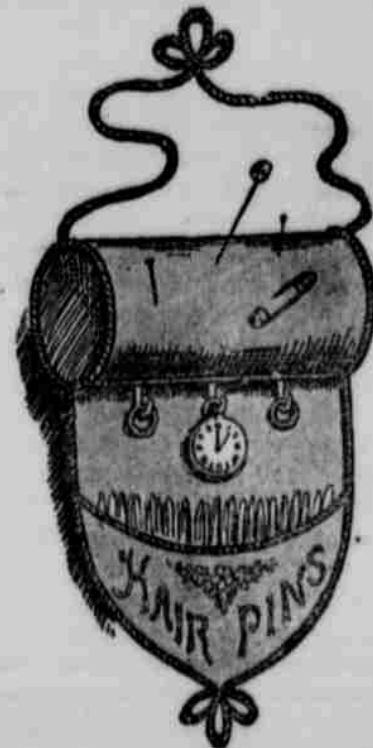
A specially good-looking one and easily laundered was for a round cushion. The top was a circle big enough to fit over the cushion and come half way down. The edge had a small scallop with a monogram in satin stitch in the center. Underneath was a small ruffle of pique scalloped on the edge. This was sewed in a circle, finished with a narrow band that just fitted on the sides of the pincushion when slipped over the top.

The effect is elaborate, yet both pieces could be washed with only the trouble of pulling out a few pins.

## WALL POCKET FOR TRINKETS.

Useful Device for Hair Pins and Other Small Articles.

The accompanying illustration shows a very useful device in the way of a wall pocket, combining in one and the same article three distinctly different things. The roll-shaped cushion at the



top has a deep pocket suspended from its lower edge, and in this pocket a continual supply of hair pins can be kept always at hand. Along the upper part of this pocket, three large dress hooks are sewn, and covered with silk to make them more decorative, and from these a watch and other trinkets may be safely suspended. The whole thing should be mounted at the back on cardboard, and it may be covered with silk or art linen as preferred, and edged with strong silk cord, one loop of which is used to hang the pocket either against the wall or across the corner of a toilet glass. On front of the pocket the words "Hair Pins" are embroidered in some contrasting color, surmounted by a spray of flowers.

## Irish Linen the Best.

In buying table linen remember that Irish linen is considered the best. The French loses its gloss, which is its chief beauty, and the Scotch is partially bleached with chlorine, which weakens the fiber. The Irish is grass bleached and improves with time. Many housekeepers claim that the stores of household linen should be kept in piles on shelves rather than in drawers, where they are likely to become tumbled. If kept on shelves they should be protected from dust by thin curtains.

## THE CARRIZOZO NEWS

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NO. A. HALEY, - - - Editor.

### SUBSCRIPTION RATES:

One Year, - - - - - \$1.50  
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### A DYING WAIL.

Last week our neighbor, and would-be competitor, thought he had a grievance, and made an attempt to injure Robt. H. Taylor and C. W. Wingfield, county commissioners. He took up most of his valuable (?) editorial space, which, in the past, had been devoted to clippings from his exchanges, with an absurd, childish, unjustified attack on these men, because they failed to give the "Leading Paper in Lincoln County," locally known as the author of "The Home of the Apple," the county printing, and wound up his puerile screed with a threat of annihilation, or something similar.

It was a statement not warranted by the facts—an argument without reason—and is entitled to and will receive no serious consideration from those who understand the case.

Taylor and Wingfield need no defense before the people who know them best. They have lived in Lincoln county for many years, and are recognized as two of the squarest and most honorable citizens in New Mexico. Both have held office here before, and no man can honestly and truthfully say that either has not been upright and honorable in the discharge of official duty. The "Leading Paper of Lincoln County" is an original in this.

The county printing was let to the News in a perfectly fair and legal manner, and at a price considerably below commercial rates; and the stock it proposed to furnish—and the Board knew its capacity and willingness so to do—was so far superior to that of the other bidder that the Board would have been justified in accepting the bid of the News at double the rates proposed.

The Outlook did bid for the printing. Is Mr. Fred, who is clinging with a very uncertain tenure, or the Outlook reliable and responsible? What would his or its contract be worth, under present or past management, to any responsible business man? Men who have dealt with him and it can, no doubt, furnish the answer. As to the soundness of the Outlook, its history is the best evidence.

Who were or are the Outlook's

stockholders? What have they to show for the stock? Who started it? Who run it? Who is now running it? Who now owns it? Who pays the taxes and its debts? Its former editor is on the dodge, and the present one will soon be on the bum unless someone who got a rake-off from first stock sales or other transactions of the lamented first cause, and original chief justice of Carrizozo, brings relief.

We have not sought this controversy—and it is of slight interest to our readers—but have taken it up like any other disagreeable thing because justice to others and fairness to the public required it. It was only in answer to the dying wail of an inanimate nothing that should have been "still-born."

New styles spring gingham  
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100 pieces of the newest designs  
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much, and we will un-  
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For Banquet and Dinner Parties.

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the market affords.

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dol. And then the quicker you take  
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lets," physica, etc., are not likely  
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a partial digester—and physica are  
not digesters at all.

Kodol is a perfect digester. If  
you could see Kodol digesting every  
particle of food, of all kinds, in the  
glass test-tubes in our laboratories,  
you would know this just as well  
as we do.

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cure a sick stomach—but in order  
to be cured, the stomach must rest.  
That is what Kodol does—rests the  
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Go to your druggist today and get a dol-  
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# **HOMESTEADERS MAY LOSE THEIR LANDS.**

Washington, Dec. 24.—Thousands of settlers on western public lands will have trouble in completing their claims in the United States general land office. Many of them, through no fault or neglect of their own, will lose their farms entirely, together with the improvements they have made on them. The reason for this situation is found in the recent classification by government geologists of large areas of public lands as coal lands. Lands which contain deposits of coal, and which are classed as coal lands under the law cannot be entered as homesteads. Settlers occupying such land, having not completed their titles, will be denied final papers.

This surprising information is contained in a paper submitted to the national conservation commission by Timothy J. Butler of the law division of the general land office, and has the approval of Commissioner Dennett of the land office.

At the present time there are pending before the general land office approximately 5,000 homestead entries in support of which final proof has been submitted and which embrace lands that have been classified by the geological survey as coal lands. It is estimated that there is an equal number of homestead entries where proof has not been made which will come under the coal land classification.

The settlers have taken up homesteads innocently, without intention of violating the law, in pursuance of the natural homemaking instincts, and after having performed all that the government requires of them under the homestead law, the government has found itself unable to protect them in their rights to their improvements and to the use of the surface of the land, as there is no provision of law whereby a title to the surface of the land may be granted without granting title to all that lies beneath the surface.

## **TEACHERS EXAMINATION.**

All teachers holding permits, and all who are without certificates and who desire to teach, are required by the Superintendent of Public Instruction to pass an examination; and January 15 and 16 has been named as the date. All permits will expire on January 15, and are not subject to renewal. The examination will be conducted at Carrizozo on the dates named.

JNO. A. HALEY,  
Supt. of Schools.

Seed Rye at Skinner's,

## **Notice for Publication.**

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,  
December 5, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Giuseppe Tatti, of Capitan, N. M., who, on December 10, 1901, made Homestead Entry No. 2195, Ser. No. 02719, for 8 1/4 SE 1/4 SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 15, and NW 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 22, township 8 S, range 13 E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register or Receiver, at their office at Roswell, N. M., on the 22nd day of January, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Enrique Silva, Adan Padilla, Manuel Herrera, Julian Serna, all of Capitan, N. M.  
12-11-08 T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

## **Notice for Publication.**

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,  
December 5, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Marvel H. Lane of Angus, N. M., who, on March 11, 1902, made Homestead Entry No. 2374, Ser. No. 02723, for northeast quarter, Sec. 24, township 10 S, range 18 E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Kimbrell, probate clerk, at his office at Lincoln, N. M., on the 22nd day of January, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: J. E. West, Holland Box, Monroe Howard, W. H. Marr, all of Angus, N. M.  
12-11-08 T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

## **Notice for Publication.**

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,  
December 5, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Adan Padilla, of Capitan, N. M., who, on July 29, 1902, made Homestead Entry No. 2377, Ser. No. 02718, for SE 1/4 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 SE 1/4, sec. 11, NE 1/4 NW 1/4, NW 1/4 NE 1/4, sec. 14, township 8 S, range 13 E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register or Receiver, at his office at Roswell, N. M., on the 22nd day of January, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Joe Tatti, Julian Serna, Margarito Silva, Victoriano Artiago, all of Capitan, N. M.  
12-11-08 T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

## **Notice for Publication.**

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,  
December 5, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Rafael Sanchez, of Glencoe, N. M., who, on August 18, 1902, made Homestead Entry No. 4488, Ser. 04455, for NW 1/4 NW 1/4 sec. 4, and NE 1/4 NE 1/4 sec. 5, township 11 S, range 15 E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Kimbrell, probate clerk of Lincoln county, at Lincoln, N. M., on the 18th day of January, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Jose Manuel Sanchez, Abel Mirabel, Prospero Gonzales, Jose Benavides, all of Glencoe, N. M.  
12-11-08 T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

## **Notice for Publication.**

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,  
December 5, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Denecio Trujillo, of Capitan, N. M., who, on May 26, 1902, made Homestead Entry No. 2564, Ser. No. 02118, for N 1/4 NE 1/4, SW 1/4 NE 1/4 and NW 1/4 SE 1/4, sec. 27, township 8 S, range 15 E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Kimbrell, probate clerk, at Lincoln, N. M., on the 18th day of January, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Manuel Torres, B. H. Mueller, Estanislado Trujillo, all of Lincoln, N. M.; and Robert A. Hurt, of Capitan, N. M.  
12-11-08 T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

## **Notice for Publication.**

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,  
December 5, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Isaac N. Kemp, of Capitan, N. M., who, on July 18, 1903, made Homestead Entry No. 4404, Ser. No. 00939, for southwest quarter, sec. 15, township 9 S, range 14 E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Clement Hightower, U. S. Court Commissioner, at his office at Capitan, N. M., on the 19th day of January, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Robt. A. Hurt, Thomas H. Moore, D. J. M. A. Jewett, Seaborn T. Gray, all of Capitan, N. M.  
12-11-08 T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

## **The Exchange Bank, Carrizozo, New Mexico.**

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#### PERRY AND ADAMS WIN.

Monday's election in Carrizozo was a stirring event, the interest and excitement being fully equal if not greater than at the general election in November. Two hundred and forty-seven votes were cast, and the work for the various candidates never lagged, and the excitement continued until the ballots were counted and the names of the victorious candidates announced.

There were two candidates for justice of the peace—William Kahler and S. W. Perry—and three for constable—John Adams, C. W. Hyde and P. C. Baird. The result for justice was: William Kahler, 113 votes; S. W. Perry, 129; for constable, John Adams, 110; C. W. Hyde, 65, and P. C. Baird, 70. Under the law, the newly elected officers will assume their respective stations on the first Monday in February.

#### GONE NO SANTA FE.

Judge John Y. Hewitt stopped over in Carrizozo Wednesday night, on his way to Santa Fe, where he goes to assume his duties as Councilman from this district. He left last night on No. 4, but before leaving met with the members of the Chamber of Commerce, and matters of public import were discussed. The Chamber was very favorably impressed with Mr. Hewitt's position in many matters of legislation both general and local, and confidence was expressed in his ability to accomplish the desired results.

On account of the mild fall and winter weather, we are somewhat overstocked on quilts and blankets, and will make special inducements to intending purchasers.—Ziegler Bros.

Rambling over the Carrizozo flat at night, though no more dangerous, is not like taking a constitutional along the streets of Dublin. If anyone doubts this statement, ask our foreman who has tried both, and who has an Irish propensity to head in the wrong direction.

#### Forfeiture Notice.

To John S. Lennox, Sierra Blanca, Texas, and assigns.

You are hereby notified that J. Jas. E. Hurt, your co-owner in the mining claims known as The Pittsburg Iron Placer, Pittsburg Iron Lode, Pittsburg Iron Lode No. 1, Great Eastern Iron Lode, and Greenville Iron Lode, situated in the Capitan Mining District, Lincoln county, N. M., as appears in the records of Lincoln county, N. M., have expended during and for the years 1907 and 1908, the sum of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars in labor in order to hold said claims under the provisions of Sec. 2321 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

Therefore, if, within ninety (90) days after the expiration of this publication, you fail or refuse to contribute your proportion of such expenditure, being three hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents (\$333.33), together with the cost of this publication, your interest in the aforesaid claims becomes the property of the subscriber, your co-owner.

First pub. Jan. 15, 1909.

JAS. E. HURT.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE THE EXCHANGE BANK, CARRIZOZO, NEW MEXICO.	
At the close of business, December 31st, 1908.	
RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, - - - -	\$150,872.16
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures, - - - -	18,361.35
Cash and Sight Exchange, - - - -	64,034.19
	\$233,267.70
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock, - - - - -	\$40,000.00
Undivided Profits, - - - - -	8,461.82
Deposits, - - - - -	188,153.04
Due Other Banks, - - - - -	1,652.84
	\$233,267.70

I, Frank J. Sager, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANK J. SAGER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of December, 1908.

[SEAL]

W. M. REILLY,

Notary Public.

Correct, Attest:  
GEORGE L. ULRICH, {  
JEFFERSON RAYMONDS, } Directors.

#### Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,  
December 28, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Roland H. Box, Jr., of Angus, N. M., who, on December 20, 1901, made Homestead Entry No. 2210, Ser. No. 08350, for W $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 17, and W $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 20, township 10 S., Range 14 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Clement Hightower, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Capitan, N. M., on the 23rd day of February, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: E. A. Crawford, of Angus, N. M.; C. B. Lane, of Alto, N. M.; Will Marr, of Angus, N. M.; M. C. West, of Angus, N. M.

1-15-09

T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

#### Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,  
December 26, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Marshall C. West of Angus, N. M., who, on December 20, 1901, made Homestead Entry No. 2209, Ser. No. 08358, for E $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 17 and E $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 20, township 10 S., range 14 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Clement Hightower, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Capitan, N. M., on the 19th day of February, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: E. A. Crawford, of Angus, N. M.; C. B. Lane, of Alto, N. M.; Will Marr, of Angus, N. M.; Roland H. Box, of Angus, N. M.

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Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,  
December 26, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Eli A. Crawford, of Angus, N. M., who, on December 20, 1901, made Homestead Entry No. 2211, Ser. No. 04575, for northwest quarter, section 19, township 10 S., range 14 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Clement Hightower, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Capitan, N. M., on the 19th day of February, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: E. T. Lane, of Alto, N. M.; W. H. Marr, of Angus, N. M.; J. L. Crawford, of Angus, N. M.; John West, of Angus, N. M.

1-15-09

T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

#### NOTICE.

IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

In the Matter of  
The Last Will and Testament of ANAMARIA FAGARDA, Deceased.

Take Notice, that the last Will and Testament of Anamaria Fagarda, deceased, will be probated before the Probate Judge of Lincoln County, N. M., on the 9th day of January, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, or as soon thereafter as a hearing can be had, at the courthouse, Lincoln, N. M.

Any and all persons who may desire to contest the validity of said Will and Testament, will be heard by the court.

Dated December 15th, A. D., 1908.

W. E. KIMBRELL,

Probate Clerk

## A Big Clean-Up Sale

is now in progress at Ziegler Bros.

We have started a Clean-Up Sale and expect to see things go.

## Quilts and Blankets

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LADIES' UNDERWEAR, HATS, GLOVES,  
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# CALL FOR BIDS.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners will receive sealed bids for prisoners' supplies as hereafter enumerated, on February 15, 1909, at 11 o'clock a. m.

- 6 doz. boxes matches, Search-light;
- 1 doz. suits underwear, medium weight, cotton, asst. sizes 32 to 38.
- 1 doz. pr. overalls, cheap; sizes 32 to 38 waist measure;
- 3 doz. pr. cotton socks;
- 1/2 " each men's shoes, asst., Nos. 7, 8, 9, common shoes;
- 2 doz. men's shirts, size 15 to 17;
- 1 box laundry soap;
- 2 doz. cakes lava soap;
- 1 bolt toweling;
- 1 box candles.
- 10 lbs. Duke's Mixture tobacco;
- 2 caddys Battle Ax chewing tobacco;
- 1 doz. double comforts;
- 1 " single "
- 10 gal. coal oil;
- 2 doz. tin cups; 2 doz. tin plates;
- 1/2 doz. large tin dairy pans, 8qt;
- 1/4 " stew kettles, 1 each, 5, 6 and 8 qt;
- 1 only enamel 21 qt. dish pan;
- 6 yds. oil cloth; 2 doz. large tin spoons;
- 1 only No. 2 lamp complete;
- 1 gal. harvester oil;
- 1 only squirt oil can; 1/2 doz. heavy brooms;
- 1 doz. cuspidors, tin; 1 only 4 1/2 ft. one man cross cut saw.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

J. G. RIGGLE, Clerk,  
By PERRY A. SCHMIDT,  
Deputy.

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# BUSINESS NOTICES.

FOR SALE—Or will trade for team, wagon and harness, a house and three lots in the McDonald addition to Carrizozo.—See A. G. Emerson. 8-4t

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In order to dispose of the balance of our Winter Goods and make room for our immense Spring Stock, which will begin to arrive early in February, we have decided to give the people of Carrizozo and vicinity the advantage of buying for the next 40 days, Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats, &c., at prices never before equalled in Lincoln County. We will not waste time in going into details of this immense **SLAUGHTER SALE OF HIGH GRADE MERCHANDISE.** A call will convince you that we make good on every price quoted. Come and see for yourself and be convinced that we actually do as we advertise.

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Mayer High Top Tan Boots, former price \$7.50. Sale price \$4.75  
Mayer Dry Sock Shoes, former price \$5.00. Sale price..... \$3.75  
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Corresponding reductions in all other lines of Shoes.

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Men's Duck Coats, blanket and sheep lined, reduced all along the line. The \$3.00 kind, at this sale..... \$1.95  
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The celebrated Jack Rabbit brand of Corduroy Pants has just been received. A large shipment of the kind that usually sell at \$3.50 and \$4.00. While they last, all one price..... \$2.25

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A clean-up on Men's Hose. All our Men's Fancy Hose, the 35c and 40c kind, latest stripes and checks, go out during this sale. Four pairs for..... .90

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The largest stock of Men's Hats in town. The latest shapes as well as the latest styles. All marked at prices that will surprise you. All \$3.50 Hats now..... \$2.50  
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The balance of our Winter Suits are placed on sale at prices that will make them go.

## Ladies' Winter Suits.

All our \$25.00, \$22.50 and \$20.00 Suits during this sale... \$14.75  
All our \$18 and \$16 Suits are reduced to..... \$12.50

## Ladies' Skirts.

Every Skirt in the House reduced in price. We must clean up on the few left over.

## Ladies' Misses and Children's Cloaks.

The knife is driven deep into every garment in stock. Cost is not regarded. "Close them out" is the watchword, and they must go.

## Ladies' Winter Underwear.

Ladies' Winter Underwear, in wool and fleece-lined, Union and separate piece suits. Prices cut in two. Space will not permit us to quote prices. Everything in this line must be closed.

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A few prices mentioned to give you an idea of the values we offering all over the Store.

Standard Prints, all kinds, per yd..... 5c  
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" " regular 10c sellers..... 6½c  
Canton Flannels, Tickings, Drillings, all reduced in proportion.

Percales, former price 15c & 12½, now 8½c  
Sheeting, Pillow Tubing, Table Linen, Napkins, White Goods, India Linens, Long Cloths, Nansooks. Everything reduced. Nothing reserved. Come and see the values we are offering.

Towels and Toweling, bleached and unbleached Muslins, Quilts and Blankets. All must go during this Great Reduction Sale.  
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This Great Mid-winter Clearing Sale begins on SATURDAY, JAN. 16, and will continue every day until SATURDAY, FEB. 20. Don't forget. over days of bargain giving, during which time you will have an opportunity to buy Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Household Goods at prices never before heard of in Carrizozo.

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Sol C. Wiener was down from White Oaks last night.

C. M. Booker, who conducts a store at Bonito, is in town today.

Dr. E. J. Cowart of Capitan, is a visitor in town and will remain until Monday.

Mrs. John Martin, of Roswell, is visiting her sister Mrs. Ira O. Wetmore.

Harkey and Barlow shipped several car loads of goats Tuesday to eastern markets.

Miss Corinne Hulbert, of Pecanoh, is visiting Mrs. Frank English of this town this week.

E. L. Gumm was up from Salinas one day this week. Auld Lang Sine calls Pete back occasionally.

Wayne Van Schoyck returned to White Oaks Tuesday from Corona, where he had gone to make a shipment of wool.

In the justice election at Nogal Monday, J. E. Koonce was reelected justice of the peace and John Littleton constable.

Robt. H. Taylor, Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, was down from White Oaks a couple of days this week.

Clement Hightower and Newt Kemp were elected justice of the peace and constable, respectively, in the Capitan precinct Monday.

R. D. Armstrong was elected Justice of the Peace and Harry Gallacher Constable of the White Oaks precinct, at Monday's election.

Miss Bethel Phillips, who had been the guest of Miss Grace Spence for a week, left on Sunday's train for her home in Alamogordo.

Peter Burleson was up from Lincoln last Friday with another load of fine Pearmain apples, for which his orchard is justly celebrated.

L. R. Lamay and W. M. Ferguson were down from the Mesa yesterday, disposing of some of the products of the farm and trading with our merchants.

Harry Gallacher and sister, Miss Maggie, were down yesterday from White Oaks. Miss Maggie will remain and take the teachers' examination now in progress here.

A. G. Cornell, executive special of the Kansas City Life Insurance Co., was in Carrizozo yesterday, looking after the interest of his company, which has many policy holders in this section.

J. J. Aragon, of Aragon Bros., Lincoln, came over on Monday's Capitan train, and went to El Paso on that day's Limited. He

expected to be gone a week or ten days, looking after his investments in the Pass city.

Miss Alda Anglin, who has just closed a three months' term of school at Oscura, was in Carrizozo last Friday. Miss Anglin expects to soon go to the home of Mr. Tom McDonald, near the San Andres, where she has engaged to teach a private school.

W. D. Gray left Tuesday morning for Mason county, Texas, on a two week's visit to his mother and other relatives. Mr. Gray's mother is over eighty years old, and in response to her expressed desire to see her son once more he hastened to his old home.

A regular teachers' examination is in progress today at the school house, and to be concluded tomorrow. There are a number of applicants from different sections of the county on hand—some of whom are now teaching under permits and others who desire to teach before the summer normal convenes.

The Kansas City officials passed through Carrizozo Wednesday night having in charge a man who fourteen years ago broke jail after having been sentenced to hang for murder. The man was captured in California, where, af-

ter his escape, he had married and has now a wife and five children. The condemned man's family accompanied him.

Sheriff Stevens passed through Carrizozo Wednesday on his return to Lincoln from Las Cruces. He had in charge a prisoner who had been apprehended at the latter place who had been indicted in this county on the charge of attempted rape and assault and battery. The prisoner's name is Manuel Sanchez, and the crime for which he was arrested is alleged to have taken place here more than a year ago. Sanchez had an accomplice who so far has eluded the officers.

J. K. Martin met with a serious and painful accident Wednesday of this week, while engaged in shoeing a mule. The rope with which he was holding the mule became entangled around his wrist, the mule began running, dragging Mr. Martin with it. After dragging his victim over several vacant lots, the mule hit a bee-line for El Paso avenue, circled around by the postoffice, and was finally captured in the rear of the Trading Co. store. Mr. Martin was released, and an examination showed that he was pretty badly bruised, from the effects of which it will take him several days to recover.



## CARRIZO NEWS

CARRIZO - NEW MEXICO

### What Kind Is Worst?

Many a nervous woman has occasion to consider what kind of a noise is most likely to banish sleep. It is not strange that the crusade against unnecessary noise should be led by a woman, and that she should find thousands of eager supporters among her sex. The country and the city present different problems to the seeker for quiet. The steady roar of the city street is often less trying than the persistent crow of the early-rising rooster or the clang of the cow-bell. The neighbor who sifts coal ashes before light belongs to the same class with the one who narrates his family affairs at dawn under the window in a loud and cheerful voice. The shriek of the whistle, the call of the newsboy, the rattle of the milk-cart are all "trial-some," as a certain old lady used to say of her children, but, says the Youth's Companion, perhaps the most unforgivable noise for a sensitive person is one which recurs at slightly irregular intervals, and for a long period. The drip of a water-pipe, the whine of a dog, the slam of a blind—these are the noises which destroy temper and sleep, even for well women. When one has struggled through a night tortured by such objectionable clamors, one realizes the full meaning of the poet's dream of peace, where "Silence like a poultice comes, to heal the blows of sound!"

His yellow-tinted imperial highness Pu-Yi, emperor of the Chinese and therefore the little brother to most of the heavenly bodies, has 30 nurses on his staff. In addition to the nurses there are probably as many bottle-holders, an equal number to hand royalty his rattle and another relay to say "Da da" to keep him in good humor. It must be more or less annoying to a baby to be an emperor. The job may suit him in later life, but as an infant he is prevented from chasing alley cats and enjoying most of the other joys of childhood. The only sport we can see for him as he goes along consists in throwing things at 30 nurses. In amusement of this sort he would have a cinch over all the other little boys in the world, for spanking him in return for the compliment would be such a rank case of leze majesty that no one would think of suggesting it.

Art connoisseurs and critics in London are exercised just now over the authorship of a portrait of a lady in the exhibition of old masters, organized by Messrs. Agnew for the benefit of a charity. The portrait is about 150 years old, beautifully painted and in the most perfect condition. It is obviously English, yet no one can guess the identity of the admirable artist by whom it was produced. It is curious that in England, of all places, an artist could escape recognition, but the guesses of the beat judges cover a wide field and have really unearthed names which are unfamiliar to most of the brotherhood of art writers. The special portrait has the ear marks of the Royal Academy, but it is difficult to determine the academician's name.

Marechal, the Jockey club chef whom the king of Spain has captured and set up in the royal palace at Madrid, is said to be unrivaled in the preparation of grouse and carp. Wonder some New York hotel manager doesn't offer Marechal a million and have a little more romance and poetry in cookery. He would come for a consideration.

## THE WIRE CUTTERS

By GRACE MacGOWAN COOKE

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The dust rose in choking clouds; they were dancing upon an earthen floor, and the salutations at a cowboy ball are apt to be vigorous.

Elmer Holden leaned upon a table in the entry, then looked up with alien eyes upon the flannel-shirted, tall-booted men; he surveyed with little more favor the few women present. The west is a siren that grips you hard, or stokens you; and Elmer Holden, three months from his Ohio home, was trying to persuade himself that he was at the point of nausea.

Suddenly the dust was laid and with a half-smothered exclamation of astonishment, Holden recognized the girl he had traveled with from Chicago to Socorro; the girl who had been companionable, kindly, ready to listen to his plans and aspirations, but who had refused to give her name, asserting with cheerful good humor that they were certain to meet again. And here she was!

It is not etiquette to seek introductions at a cowboy dance; so much Holden—tenderfoot as he was—knew. As her partner resigned her, he made his way to the girl and boldly claimed her for the next dance, whatever it might be.

"I think you promised it to me the last time I met you," he ventured, and there was a laughing challenge in his eyes.

When the dance was over, his partner declared herself too tired to dance again, and they went together to the porch of a little adobe.

"You knew you were going to see me again; you meant it, when you said we were to be near neighbors?" said Holden.

"Yes, I knew I was to be your near neighbor—your nearest neighbor," returned the girl, with a sudden rush of color.

"Spiritually—yes. Materially—I wish you were. I've certainly got the toughest set on the ranch next me that you ever heard of."

They fell naturally into their old relation. The girl knew the country and the life; Holden did not; he hastened to bring her his perplexities and problems for consideration. He did not know how suddenly white she had grown when she answered:

"The Bradleys? Do you find them such awful people?"

"Oh, I was warned—I was told that I'd have trouble with Jeff Bradley, and that the only chance for peace was to make it so hot for them they'd be glad to let me alone."

"What have these desperate Bradleys done to you?" the girl asked with a touch of asperity.

Holden felt that he was accused of having quarreled with the Bradleys because he had expected to. "Jeff tried to borrow money of me the first week I was here," he began. "He thought I was tenderfoot enough to lend it to him. The younger boys, Alfred and Harry, annoy me any way they can—drive cattle through my range, and water them at my fenced tank."

"Are you fencing the big tank?" inquired the girl, in a startled tone.

"Yes, I'm having a ten-wire fence put up across that pasture that will shut out the Bradleys, I rather think!"

The girl rose with a little constrained laugh. "So you don't want any Bradleys on your ranch?" she commented. "I'm tired; I believe I'll go in."

"Oh, come," he remonstrated, "come, my kind little friend—my only one, almost—you're not going to run away and leave me like this—you haven't even told me what your name is, nor where I'm going to call on you—for

you know I'm coming, don't you?"

The girl glanced up at him. In the half-light that came through the small windows she did appear worn and tired. "Anybody here will tell you my name," she said, nervelessly. "It isn't important about me. I—there was a little catch in her voice, and then she resumed—"I think I ought to tell you, Mr. Holden, that this thing of fencing a smaller owner out from a tank which has always been upon the open range—a tank which never goes dry—is a cruel piece of business. The Bradleys may be as contemptible as you think—I'm not defending them. The sister does the best she can; and I know she hopes great things for the little fellows, Alf and Harry. Jeff Bradley is a bad lot," with sudden bitterness; "but—well, I wouldn't fence them out from the tank; he's sure to make reprisals. And a quarrel like that—"

Somebody inside called out: "Miss Mary! Mary Armitage!" and the girl turned, flashing a wan little smile at her companion. "I must be going," she said.

Holden followed her to the door, protesting. "But am I not to see you again; to be let to call upon you?"

"I'll be back in a moment," said Miss Armitage, and was gone. Nor could Holden find her again.

"Mary Armitage," returned Holden's ranch boss, in answer to his inquiries. "No, she doesn't live out here any more; she's been teachin' in Socorro for six months. She jest come down for the dance at De Freese's, I reckon. Her and Billy De Freese's wife is great friends."

Holden's trouble with the Bradleys now began to usurp an entirely undue proportion of his attention. As the tangle grew more hateful to him, drew tighter about him, its ugly features rendered uglier by his own distrust of all advice and suggestions that came from his men, he brooded more and more upon the thought of Mary Armitage.

Even after his first talk with the girl, Holden would not have had the fence put up, but that he was ashamed to retreat.

The first night after the big ten-wire fence was in place, Holden's ranch boss, who may be supposed to have had some personal feeling in the matter, suggested that they divide their force into watches and patrol the fence all night.

"If they're going to cut that there fence," he opined, "to-night's the night they'll cut it. When it's stood there a week they're more likely to let it alone."

Holden agreed in a half-hearted fashion; but all day long the thought of the fence and the armed men riding before it in the dark haunted him with a sense of impending tragedy. So much was he oppressed by it that he left the supper-table, and with a brief: "I'll ride down to the big tank—you fellows follow when you're ready," came to view his own unfortunate handiwork.

It was light when he left the ranch-house, and it was black dark when he reached the boundary, so suddenly does night come in that southwestern plains country which has no twilight.

Holden dismounted and left his pony to graze with bridle trailing. Suddenly he stood rigid. There were voices—lowered, whispering, but still audible—near the fence, and about 50 feet beyond him. He stole forward with straining eyes—surely there were two patches of denser black moving close to his fence, and on the other side.

He was close enough to be actually

sure that there were two of them—he was almost upon them—when one form disparted itself from the other and ran back into the engulfing darkness of the Bradley pasture.

Had Elmer Holden not been a tenderfoot he would not have run recklessly in upon a wire-cutter, in the screening darkness of night, and without a gun drawn. As it was, he put out a hand, found all ten wires cut, stepped through the gap, and shouting: "Throw up your hands! I've got you!" grappled with and held a slender form that stood passive in his grasp.

His hand had caught a slight shoulder; it traveled down the arm, and found a pair of wire-clippers in the small hand.

"Alf—Harry—whichever one you are—I've got you; you needn't try to squirm away; here are the clippers in your hands!"

He had possessed himself of the wire clippers, and dropped them into his pocket; now he crossed the wrists of his strangely unresisting captive and started back toward the pony. "Come along!" he ordered. "I'm going to settle this thing here and now."

"Elmer!" remonstrated a well-remembered voice.

"You here, Mary—Mary Armitage!" he faltered.

"Don't call me that," the girl remonstrated. "Give me the name that every one uses, the name that you despise—call me Mary Bradley."

Holden reeled and clung to the post beside him for support. Had she married that abject creature—Mary—his Mary?

"Jeff was cutting the wires," the girl's voice went on with gathering composure. "I followed him from the house and found him at it. I was searching for the clippers when you—" she sobbed—"caught me!"

Holden groaned and covered his eyes with his hands. "The sneak!" he ground out beneath his teeth. "He ran and left you to bear the brunt of it. My men will be here in a few moments—I must get you away. Oh, my Lord! what a mess—what a mud-dle!"

He went heavily toward her, put out his hand and took hers as gently and quietly as a mother leading a little child. "Here are the clippers," he said, fishing them from his pocket and presenting them. "Mary, I was going over to Socorro to-morrow to ask you to be my wife—instead of that man's—oh!"

The girl halted and laughed, a queer little laugh that was a mixture of relief, embarrassment and not without the sound of tears in it.

"I thought you knew," she said, softly. "That I was generally called Mary Bradley, because Jeff Bradley is my step-brother—but Alf and Harry are my own. They are Armitages. I've tried—nobody knows how I've tried—to straighten things out here. Jeff is no good—but I couldn't run the ranch alone with just my little brothers, and I've been teaching over at Socorro to help out."

"Mary!" cried Holden, ardently. "After all, I may ask the question I was going over to Socorro to ask—"

A party of mounted men swept down upon the two—Holden's cowboys!

"Hi! hi, cap! They've cut it. We rid through the gap," called one of them.

"No," returned Holden, his arm about the shrinking girl at his side, secure in the sheltering darkness. "Go back! I cut it myself."

And bending to whisper softly, he murmured in Mary's ear: "A man and his wife are one, you know."

### Brutal Siberian Tribes.

A party of prospectors just returned from Anadir, Siberia, relates some gruesome tales of the habits of the natives in that section relative to the manner in which they dispose of their aged and infirm. During the stay of the party three men and one woman were done to death by their nearest relatives, and their bodies were laid on the tundra for the ravens to clean up.



# NATIONAL FOREST FOR FLORIDA

FIRST RESERVATION TO BE  
CREATED EAST OF THE MISSISSIPPI.



LIVE  
OAK TREE WITH  
SPANISH MOSS.



GOOD REPRODUCTION  
OF LONGLEAF PINE.

To Florida goes the distinction of getting the first national forest created east of the Mississippi river. President Roosevelt has just signed a proclamation setting aside and naming the Ocala national forest in Marion county in eastern Florida and another proclamation creating the Dakota national forest in Billings county, North Dakota. Inasmuch as the last named national forest is the first in North Dakota, the two proclamations add two more states to the list of those wherein land will be put under scientific forest administration. There are now 19 states, and Alaska, having national forests.

Before the creation of the Ocala, in Florida, the two forests in Arkansas, the Ozark and the Arkansas, were the easternmost national forests. Practically all the other national forests are in the Rocky mountain and the Pacific coast states. The Florida forest has an area of 201,480 acres, of which about one-fourth has been taken up under various land laws. It covers a plateau between the St. John's and Ochlawaha rivers and at no point is an elevation exceeding 150 feet above sea level obtained. The area is by nature better fitted for the production of forest growth than for any other purpose. Nearly all of the area, however, seems particularly well adapted to the growth of sand pine, which is even now replacing the less valuable species, and with protection from fire almost the entire area will in time undoubtedly be covered with a dense stand of this species. The longleaf pine, a much more valuable commercial tree than the sand pine, appears rather sparsely on this forest and is confined principally to the lower flat lands along the streams on the borders of the forest.

In addition to the pines and scrub growths, bald cypress, cabbage palmetto and tupelo gum, gradually changing to water oak, ash, elm, magnolia, hickory and maple are found bordering the numerous ponds and lakes which are scattered abundantly throughout the confines of this forest.

Fire has played a very important part in bringing about the present

CABBAGE PALMETTO, SABAL PALMETTO, BANK OF KISSIMMEE RIVER



poorly forested condition of the Ocala, as year after year large fires have burned uninterruptedly over this tract, killing all vegetation and consuming the humus of the soil. Naturally protected portions which have not been subject to the flames prove positively, however, that the soil will rapidly respond to a little care taking and that the prevention of fires would eventually mean the reforestation of practically the entire area.

No sawmill operations have been conducted on the area included in the Ocala national forest. Turpentine by boxing is carried on over contiguous areas and through the careless and antiquated methods used the future pine crop of the adjoining region is greatly jeopardized. The soil is of little value for agricultural purposes and about the only crop which can be produced that will be of lasting value is sand pine, and with proper care and attention there should in time be a valuable forest of this species.

The new Dakota national forest consists of 14,080 acres in the Bad Lands region. It is located in Billings county and lies an equal distance between the Northern Pacific railroad on the north and the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul on the south. Its creation is important for it means that an experimental field for forest planting has been secured in North Dakota, the least forested state in the Union, having only one per cent. of tree growth. The forest service expects to establish forest nurseries with the hope that in time to come the area may be reforested by artificial means. This feature is expected to prove a very good ob-

ject lesson to the settlers, who, it is hoped, will in turn plant windbreaks around their farms.

The forest is very open and for the most part contains a scattering stand of western yellow pine timber. Along the creek bed are found ash, box elder, cottonwood, elm and birch. Cedar breaks are also found on precipitous slopes bordering the streams. Western yellow pine is the only merchantable species, however, on the forest and the average stand per acre is not over 2,000 feet. The reproduction of pine is fairly good wherever mature trees occur, but owing to the open condition of the forest and the dense growth of grass it is for the most part unsatisfactory.

There is but little timber that will be sold from the forest at the present time, since this area is very isolated, being surrounded on all sides by vast plains. Many homesteaders have in the past come to this forest for timber for logs to build their houses.

No sawmill operations have ever been conducted on the area. When the Northern Pacific railroad was being built a larger number of trees were cut for railroad ties, and together with the logs which have been procured for house building by settlers, this is the only use which has been made of the timber on the forest. It is understood that the logs used in the construction of President Roosevelt's cabin, which now stands in the state capitol grounds at Bismarck, N. D., were obtained from the area now included in the Dakota national forest.

Gov. Burke of North Dakota is very much interested in this forest and thinks it will be of inestimable value to the people who live in the region where the forest is created.

Both of the new national forests, the Ocala in Florida, and the Dakota, will be put under administration by the forest service as soon as possible.

## HER BROTHER'S WIFE.

Once there was a woman who had a married brother whom she took to task for his failure to contribute liberally to the support of their mother.

"It seems to me, John," she said, "that you might give a good deal more than you do to ma. She needs a new set of furs, and here's a hat that she has set her mind on, but I can't afford to buy it for her."

"I'd like to give her more than I do," John replied, "but my wife would object."

"Why let your wife know anything about it? What she doesn't know won't hurt her."

"That's so. I might do it in that way. I suppose you would feel that your husband was doing the right thing if he contributed to his mother's support without letting you know about it. Every man owes more to his mother than he can ever—"

"Why do you suggest such a thing? If Henry did that how could I ever trust him again?"

Moral: Fix it to suit yourself.—Chicago Record-Herald.

## His Mother Explains.

"Say, ma."

"Don't call me ma. Say mother. What is it?"

"What's a green old age?"

"When a man who is bald and wrinkled and tottering marries a young woman who wouldn't look at him a second time if he didn't have lots of money," the lady replied, casting a stealthy glance at her husband, who was busy reading the stock quotations. "It may be said that he has lived to a green old age."—Chicago Record-Herald.

## French Ingenuity Triumphant.

All the women prisoners at the Clarksburg sessions recently appeared in the dock wearing their hats. The rule of "no hats" was strictly enforced, but their absence in no way troubled the women. Indeed, one balanced a hat more than six feet in circumference without the slightest trace of anxiety. How she did it only a woman could tell.—London Chronicle.

## GOOD BLOOD PAYS.

The Lesson That the Western Stock Show Association is Trying to Teach.

There is an old saying in England among stockmen that "the bull is half the herd." This is as true as any old saw ever uttered, but the stockmen of this country are still learning this fact by experience. The main object of the National Western Stock Show is to educate the stockmen of the West to the fact that there is good profit in good blood and in order that they may profit by the lesson in a practical way the association has enlisted the assistance of the Pure Blood Record Association to provide a few really choice animals in the various breeds that can be sold to western breeders at a low price. The public sales to be held at the stock show in Denver during the week of January 18th, are selected from the best herds in America and are sold not for the purpose of making a big profit, but to introduce the breeds into the West. The buyers make their own prices. The animals are selected by a committee and are not only typical of the breed they represent, but are choice individuals.

The American Shorthorn Breeders' Association will offer in this sale about fifty-five head of choice young bulls, from such herds as those of F. W. Harding of Wisconsin, N. P. Clarke, T. J. Wornall & Sons, C. E. Leonard & Son, D. R. Hanna, Carpenter & Ross of Ohio, A. C. Shellenberger, W. A. Forsythe, H. M. Hill, Henry Stunkel, Chas. Wells & Son, B. N. Newby, Fremont Watts.

These names are well known to Shorthorn breeders through the whole country and they represent the best of the Shorthorn herds of America.

The Hereford Association is arranging a sale of choice things fully equal to the Shorthorn offerings. The very best breeders and herds of the country will be represented. The same may be said of the Galloway breed and of the Aberdeen Angus.

This feature of the big stock show is the business end and the annual dispersal of these well bred cattle through the West means millions to the live stock industry of this section in the future.

The new building for the stock show is completed. It represents an investment of \$200,000 and will comfortably seat over 6,000 people. The big arena will be constantly occupied with stock during the week of January 18th-23rd and the indications are that the show will be the greatest ever held West of Chicago.

## Special Holiday Rates.

The Colorado & Southern will make a special rate of one fare for the round trip to all points in the state. Tickets on sale Dec. 24 and 25 and Jan. 1 and in addition, from all points to Denver and return Dec. 27th and 28th. Final limit January 4th.

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# PROCEEDINGS OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

(Continued from first page.)

Precinct No. 9		
Newt Kemp	3 00	Geo. Montgomery 3 00
Henry Silva	3 00	
Precinct No. 10		
Prospero Gonzales	3 00	J. V. Tully 3 00
J. P. Allison	3 00	
Precinct No. 11		
J. E. Koonce	3 00	Arthur May 3 00
T. W. Henley	3 00	
Precinct No. 12		
H. Conbruck	3 00	J. B. Burrell 3 00
J. W. Stevens	3 00	
Precinct No. 13		
W. T. Crabtree	3 00	T. M. DuBois 3 00
H. F. Adams	3 00	
Precinct No. 14		
J. H. Canning	3 00	J. A. Haley 3 00
D. F. Goff	3 00	

The following bills of \$2.00 each were allowed out of the General County Fund for judges and clerks of election:

Precinct 1. Clifford Hulbert, Florencio Chavez, Higinio Salazar, J. C. Bennett, and P. A. Schmidt.
Precinct 2. J. M. Pauley, Teotilo Salas, Refugio Torres, H. Doyle Murray L. H. Bradstreet.
Precinct 3. Leopoldo Pacheco, Higinio Sanchez, Antonio Cordoba, Jose Candelario, Jose Varela.
Precinct 4. Manuel Romero, Sisco Gonzales, Martin Chavez, J. H. Lindley, Fred Romero.
Precinct 5. August Chavez, Felix Perez, Juan Chavez, Trujillo, Aurelio Sanchez, Gregorio Sedillo.
Precinct 6. Dan Vigil, Jose Chavez, S. G. Beard, Adonio Montoya, Hector Chavez.
Precinct 7. C. L. Kennedy, A. T. Stewart, Ignacio Gonzales, A. H. Norton, Geo. Thorp.
Precinct 8. R. D. Armstrong, Felix Guebara, Roy Trent, Allen Hightower, John Gallagher.
Precinct 9. J. W. Manningill, S. T. Gray, Luther Gillmore, J. T. Hale, E. E. Hartill.
Precinct 10. Abel M. Y. Trujillo, Rafael Sanchez, R. Braken, Will T. Coe, Howard Avenet.
Precinct 11. Joe Cochran, Henry Emerson, J. E. Koonce, T. W. Henley, Cal. Emerson.
Precinct 12. H. R. Robinson, T. J. Grafton, T. M. Brown, Sam Kelsey, John White.
Precinct 13. J. W. Potter, J. C. Trap, J. L. Jones, A. B. Cross, W. M. Roseworth.
Precinct 14. S. W. Perry, Frank J. Sager, William Kahler, O. L. Henry, C. H. Brown.

The following bills were allowed out of the general county fund:

W. J. McAdams Deputy Sheriff Service	\$120 70
J. E. Koonce, Justice Peace fees	6 70
H. Salazar Salary and postage	55 00
Lewis Torres, Deputy Sheriff fees	4 00
R. A. Duran, salary as Commissioner	50 00
Fro. Gomez Justice of Peace fees	30 00
Soc. New Mex. co for vts. and measures	3 00
J. A. Talley for carrying ballot box	2 88
B. F. Yates witness in millage	4 00
J. S. Beatty, Constable fees	3 00
Alec Jenkins, Interpreter	6 00
Fro. Gonzales for carrying ballot box	1 80
Geo. Akar, Deputy Sheriff fees	13 75
Joe Long Sheriff fees	55 35
P. C. Baird, Guard	42 00
A. M. Baird, Guard	28 00
W. M. Barnett, Guard	10 00
S. T. Gray carrying ballot box	1 80
H. T. Mark D. At. Attorney	150 00
Bourne and Bailey carrying ballot box	1 50
Nicolaus Lacer ballot box to T. W. Watson	4 20
Aurelio Sanchez	4 20
J. M. Dow Interpreter	2 00
H. Guio Lucero, witness fees	1 70
P. L. Krause Choman, salary and millage	60 00
J. M. Penhild, expenses as Treasurer	26 25
R. H. Taylor salary and millage	61 40
J. E. Koonce carrying ballot box	3 12
H. H. Mueller Interpreter	2 00
Dr. E. B. VanArstel order by dis. court	10 00
Refugio Torres, witness	1 70
Ignacio Ojiler, witness	1 70
New Mex. Print. Co. Tax Cert.	13 00
C. L. Kennedy carrying ballot box	4 80
W. E. Kimbrell Pro. Clk. salary, expenses	120 85
Geo. Kimbrell Interpreter	37 00
J. A. Haley Co. printing 1907	117 85
" " " 1908	82 20
Jose Torres carrying ballot box	10 50
Cresencio Uderos millage and witness	5 70
Newt Kemp deputy sheriff fees	32 25
Fred Romero carrying ballot box	3 00
Clement Hightower Justice Peace	16 00
" " carrying ballot box	8 10
Joan Bartlett deputy sheriff fees	18 00
J. W. Owen sheriff fees	379 85

The bill of W. J. McAdams in the case of Territory vs J. H. Potter, rejected.

Bill of Chas. Ailburn as peace officer at election rejected.

Bill of Faustino Salsido as peace officer at election rejected.

Board adjourned until 1 o'clock P. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment all members being present.

It is ordered by the board that the Treasurer transfer \$150.00 from the General road and bridge fund to the road fund of District No. 3.

It is ordered by the board that the Treasurer transfer \$150.00 from the county general fund of 1906 to county general fund of 1907.

It is ordered by the board that the treasurer transfer \$300.00 from the Court house and Jail fund to the General County fund 1907.

It is ordered by the board that the treasurer transfer \$1200.00 from the general Road and Bridge fund to general county fund 1907. There being sufficient funds in the general county fund of 1905 the board hereby orders that 10 per cent be paid on indebtedness as the same appears in the minutes of January 6, 1908 and that no warrant be issued for less than \$1.00.

The following bills were paid out of the Assessors funds:

Robert A. Hurt, commission	\$9 25
Porfirio Chavez, commission	\$94 75

Miguel Luna is appointed road supervisor for Road District No. 1 and is to file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$1,500.00 with this board that his compensation shall be \$2.50 for each and every day actually spent in the performance of his duties.

Oliver Peaker is appointed as supervisor of District No. 2 and is to file at once a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$1,500.00 with this board and that his compensation shall be \$2.50 for each and every day actually spent in the performance of his duties.

Newt Kemp is appointed as supervisor of District No. 3 and at once is to file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$1,500.00 with this board and that his compensation shall be \$2.50 for each and every day actually spent in the performance of his duties.

Board adjourned to 8 A. M. Board met pursuant to adjournment all members present.

The Clerk is hereby instructed to advertise for bids for prisoners supplies for the year 1908, as per list filed in Clerks office.

Board adjourned to 1 o'clock P. N.

There being no further business the board adjourned until January 18, 1909.

J. G. RIGGLE, Clerk,  
PETER SCHMIDT,  
Deputy Clerk.

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