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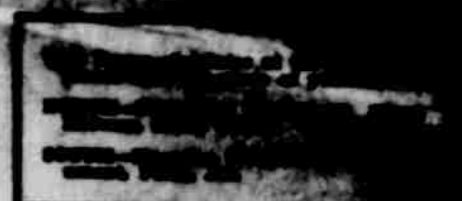
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# The Lovington Leader



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## REMOVING VICTIMS OF STEAMER DISASTER

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The side of the boat had become as a deck—a place where the rescuers might stand.

The scene was confusing.

Policemen, officers, firemen, soldiers, divers, men in bathing suits—life guards—priests, reporters, physicians and others jostled and bumped each other.

Every second came the cry: "Stretchers!" and a dozen men would rush toward the spot. Then came the warning, "Gangway! Gangway!" and four men would go by carrying a still, blanket-covered figure.

Now and then a policeman walked through the crowd, carrying a bundled corpse of a child in his arms.

Here two men were pumping air to a diver down in the depths, there a group waited, pulling on ropes, watching someone down below—ready to haul up another body when the signal came.

Office of Church.

A priest stood by one such hole. There was a shawl round his shoulders and he held an umbrella.

"I have given them all conditional absolution," he said; "some who came out alive, but almost dead, received the last sacrament, the viaticum."

"All ready upstairs!" came the shout from below.

The firemen pulled on the ropes. The body came up bit by bit.

"Stretchers!" bawled someone, and in a trice there were two stretchers waiting.

The hand of the priest made the sign of the cross as the body came into view and his lips muttered:

"Ego te absolvo a peccatis tuis, in nomine Patris, et Filii, et Spiriti Sancti, Amen!—I absolve you from all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost. Amen!"

It was the body of a young girl, dressed in a white dress. There were white pumps on the feet and white silk gloves on the arms. She held clasped in one hand a gold watch. It was opened.

"Ah, poor soul!" said the priest. "She was holding her sweetheart's watch, perhaps, and they were chatting together when the boat overturned."

Up came the man from the hold—

## PICTURE OF THE RESCUE SCENES

Life Guards and Divers, Priests and Physicians Labor to Save Victims.

## MORGUE IN A WAREHOUSE

How After Row of Bodies Fill Great Rooms as Waiting Crowds Weep and Curse—Pathetic Scenes Are Witnessed.

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## WOMAN TELLS OF DISASTER

Mrs. William Peterson Says She Was Separated From Husband and Child.

Chicago.—Among those rescued was Mrs. William Peterson.

Mrs. Peterson was on the second deck with her husband, a fireman at the Western Electric company; her daughter, Ruth, eight years old, and a son, William, four years old.

## FOUR INCHES OF RAIN

WASHOUTS TIE UP TRAFFIC IN NEW MEXICO.

Unusually Heavy Rains in Rio Grande Valley Destroyed Wheat Fields and Damaged Other Crops.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

Albuquerque, N. M. — Unusually heavy rains in the Rio Grande valley and tributary watersheds washed out the Santa Fe railroad in at least three places, destroyed wheat fields and did considerable damage to other crops. So far as known, no lives were lost.

At Socorro the lower end of the town was threatened by the Rio Grande, which washed out the Santa Fe between that city and Lemitar and came down the valley above the railroad embankment. Irrigation ditches were washed away and a large area of wheat land flooded, ruining the crop.

Magdalena was cut off from railway connection by a washout a mile below Water cañon, nine miles east.

At San Marcial conditions were reported very bad. Telephone communication was cut off, and there was but one telegraph wire into the town.

At Silver City four inches of rain fell in the forty-eight hours ending Sunday night, putting two feet of water into the downtown streets. Three streets were washed out. Protective measures, taken after the disastrous flood of ten years ago prevented damage to buildings.

The Gila, Mangas and Mimbres rivers were out of their banks and communication with the Mogollon mining district north of Silver City cut off.

The Santa Fe's branch from Deming to Silver City was washed out.

## Roberts Chosen to Succeed Himself.

Las Vegas.—The board of regents of the New Mexico Normal University adopted the report of Dr. Frank H. H. Roberts, president of the institution, re-electing him to office for a period of three years at a salary of \$4,000 a year. Dr. Roberts was commended for the growth shown in the school under his administration. The increase of \$500 was voted unanimously. The report shows the increase during the past five years, of every aspect of the state institution. The student body, the summer school, tuition fees, money handled, appropriations and graduates each is taken up, and statistics for the period from 1910 to 1915. The growth in every branch has been extraordinarily rapid.

## Treasurer Makes July Apportionment.

Santa Fe.—An apportionment of \$106,000 from July tax receipts was made by Deputy State Treasurer Frank Marron. The state purposes fund receives \$27,413; road fund, \$9,138.25; state institutions, \$15,577.44; charitable institutions, \$3,198.02; current school fund, \$4,569.13; and interest fund, \$18,276.52. Of the \$27,413 apportioned for state purposes the salary fund is credited with \$20,245.64; the penitentiary receives \$6,307; the insane asylum, \$6,408, and the university, \$4,810.75.

## Held on Stamp Theft Charge.

Santa Fe.—Frederick Dry, stamp clerk at the postoffice at Albuquerque, is under bond of \$1,500 on a charge of embezzling \$600 worth of stamps, following his arrest by Postoffice Inspectors Booth and Frawley. His case will be laid before the next grand jury. Roy H. Flamm, general delivery clerk in the Santa Fe, N. M., postoffice, is accused by postoffice inspectors of opening registered letters.

## Tax Rolls Show Increase.

Santa Fe.—The Grant county tax rolls for the year 1914, which are now being totaled by County Assessor James A. Shipley, and his chief deputy, Robert Jones, which will be forwarded to the State Tax Commission, show a total assessed valuation on all kinds of property of \$22,222,205, as against \$19,918,019 for the year 1913, a net increase of \$2,304,186.

## Denia Onions Doing Unusually Well.

Roswell.—This is one of the best years for Denia onions that has been experienced since this crop began to be planted in the Pecos valley, according to statements from many growers. The crop is maturing splendidly.

## Flood Causes Death of Aged Man.

Albuquerque.—Jose Ignacio Rodriguez, 77, was killed by the collapse of the rear wall of his home, an adobe house, which had been weakened by persistent heavy rains.

## Apache Indian Gives Self Up.

Santa Fe.—Tomasso Pansy, an Apache Indian wanted on charges of murder and rape, has surrendered at the Apache Indian agency at Dulce, Rio Arriba county, according to information received at the United States marshal's office here.

## Big Cabbage Crop.

Santa Fe.—Two carloads of cabbage have been shipped from an eight acre plant by E. P. Link of Las

## STATE NEWS

OF INTEREST TO ALL NEW MEXICO PEOPLE

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

COMING EVENTS.

Aug. 2-4.—State Good Roads meeting at Albuquerque.

Sept. 12-14.—San Juan County Fair at Farmington.

Sept. 22-24.—San Juan County Fair at Aztec.

Sept. 25-30-Oct. 1.—Northern New Mexico Fair at Raton.

Sept. 25-Oct. 1.—Alfalfa Festival and Flower Show at Artesia.

The dove season opens Aug. 16.

The Clovis-Portales road is nearing completion.

A new school building is to be erected at Carson.

Work on a new school building has been started at Clovis.

The First National bank of Fort Sumner has changed hands.

Taos people expect a telephone line will be built into that city.

The new Methodist National Sanitarium at Silver City opened Aug. 1.

There is talk of establishing direct mail service from Roswell to Lovington.

Twenty-nine Normal students graduated with high honors at Silver City.

A Silver City Angora goat raiser shipped 1,400 head to Kansas City in one day recently.

Rains put an end to the largest forest fire in the Albuquerque district within two years.

There will be a special term of the Federal Court at Santa Fe beginning Monday, Sept. 6.

Luna county electors will vote on a proposition to issue \$100,000 road bonds on Sept. 14.

An electrical storm of unusual violence killed four cattle at the Plaza Largo, near Tucumcari.

Pecos valley peach growers state that the hot, dry weather will result in unusually sweet peaches.

The hearings in the New Mexico Texas boundary suit are to be resumed toward the end of September.

Grasshoppers are doing considerable damage to field crops and gardens in certain localities in the state.

Mrs. Arline Meier, of Raton, because of despondency, drank carbolic acid and died before a physician arrived.

Two men arrested by Deputy Game Warden Garton were taken to Mogollon and contributed \$30 for shooting turkey out of season.

Prof. J. W. Rigney, county agricultural agent, has given a demonstration at Dexter of the "hopperdozier" in the extermination of grasshoppers.

The executive committee of the National Historical Society elected ex-Gov. L. Bradford Prince of Santa Fe, a life member and vice president.

Buck Miller was thrown from a pitching horse at Carlsbad and received injuries from which he never rallied and died at the Anderson sanitarium.

Governor McDonald, State Engineer Ervren and Land Commissioner Ervren were among those who attended the Good Roads meeting at Albuquerque.

William Chisholm has filed suit in the Federal Court for \$35,000 damages against the El Paso & Southwestern Railway for injuries sustained at Torrance.

The call for the meeting of the New Mexico Wool Growers' Association at Albuquerque during fair week urges reorganization and changes in by-laws and rules.

An increase of \$2,122,911 compared with the final assessment of 1914 is shown by the 1915 tax roll of Dona Ana county, received by the State Tax Commission.

Walter E. Bell, a fireman employed by the Chino Copper Company at Santa Rita, was run over by an engine and so badly injured that he died several hours afterward.

A suit for \$25,000 damages against the Victor American Fuel Company of Gallup, resulting from the death of Stephen Mellicie, a miner, was filed in the United States District Court at Santa Fe.

Word comes from the Pecos and Mesilla valleys that alfalfa is still too low to permit of profitable shipping. Only \$7.25 per ton is the maximum offered and farmers continue to store the alfalfa.

On the Bishop farm in the Dexter district of Chaves county a "hopperdozier" is reported to have gathered a crop of forty bushels of grasshoppers. The hoppers will be dried for chicken and turkey feed.

The boys and girls of the state who are interested in farming and livestock growing are to have a special department at the state fair this year and an encampment on the grounds at which they will be the guests of the fair during the entire week.

That the charge for the care and feeding of county prisoners held at the state penitentiary at Santa Fe is not restricted to 50 cents a day by the county salary law passed by the last Legislature, is held by Attorney General Clancy in an opinion given John B. McManus, penitentiary superintendent. He penitentiary authorities have been charging counties 75 cents a day.

John N. Logan, mail carrier on the star route between Moriarty and Curry, who was last seen at Moriarty,

## BECKER DIES IN ELECTRIC CHAIR

EXECUTION TAKES PLACE AFTER WIFE'S PLEA TO GOVERNOR WHITMAN IS REJECTED.

OSKING, N. Y.—Police Lieutenant Charles Becker, twice convicted of investigating the murder of Herman Rosenthal, gambler, was electrocuted at Sing Sing prison at 5:45 o'clock Friday morning. Becker died proclaiming to the last his innocence of the crime charged and his devotion to his wife, who labored until the last hope was gone to obtain a commutation of his sentence to life imprisonment.

Becker was strong to the end. During the last hours he spent in the cell after his wife left him forever he sat in deep meditation on the edge of his couch until he was called to the death chair.

Becker died with a picture of his wife pinned over his heart so that all witnesses might see the face of the woman, love of whom he had expressed in his last written statement.

Becker did not make a speech from the chair.

His last words to Deputy Warden Johnson, regarding the statement, were: "Let these words go to the public as though I had spoken them."

At 4:30 o'clock Becker gave out the following typewritten statement as his dying declaration, signed in his own bold handwriting:

"My Dying Declaration: Gentlemen: I stand before you in my full senses, knowing that no power on earth can save me from the grave that is to receive me. In the face of that, in the teeth of those who condemned me and in the presence of my God and your God, I proclaim my absolute innocence of the foul crime for which I must die. You are now about to witness my destruction by the state which is organized to protect the lives of the innocent. May Almighty God pardon every one who has contributed in any degree to my untimely death. And now on the brink of my grave, I declare to the world that I am proud to have been husband of the purest, noblest woman that ever lived—Helen Becker. This acknowledgment is the only legacy I can leave her. I bid you all good-by. Father, I am ready to go. Amen."

"CHARLES BECKER."

## RUSSIANS IN RETREAT

Country Around Warsaw Is Laid Waste to Cover Retreat of Slaves to New Defenses.

London, July 31.—The Russians now are facing the problem of evacuating Warsaw and the surrounding country without loss to their armies, while the Austro-German forces are making a supreme effort to get across their line of retreat. The Teutons are said to have met with partial success in this attempt, a Berlin official report stating that Field Marshal Von Mackensen, resuming the offensive, had reached the Chelm-Lublin railway, about midway between those two cities, and that southeast of this, as far as the Bug river, the Russian front had been "shaken."

According to dispatches received here, the country around Warsaw which the Russians are leaving to the invaders has been put to the torch, while the city itself has been denuded of everything that might be of use to the Germans if it falls into their hands.

It may even be some days before the Teutonic forces occupy the Polish capital, if they finally do, for the Russians are fighting more than a rear guard action.

Wilson to End Mexico Strife.

Washington, July 31.—Definite steps toward restoration of peace in Mexico will be taken immediately upon President Wilson's return to Washington. What specific action the President may have decided on has not been disclosed, but it was authoritatively stated that the executive departments of the government were preparing to carry out promptly the program determined upon. Only an unexpected move in Mexico itself to end the strife, it is said, would further delay affirmative action by the United States to restore constitutional government in the war-torn republic.

Flood Sweeps Train in Ditch.

Colorado Springs.—Several persons are reported injured in a wreck of Santa Fe express No. 6, one mile west of Crews and about nine miles south of Colorado Springs. The train was struck by a flood of water which overflowed a small arroyo at that point, striking against the side of the track and carrying away the rails. The train consisted of two baggage cars, five coaches and five sleepers.

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## Agricultural Committee Meets.

The Agricultural Committee met Tuesday of this week with quite a number of ladies and gentlemen present. After an enthusiastic meeting it was decided that for the hundreds of compliments paid their display last year by both the home folks and those abroad they would put forth every effort to make even a better one at this time. They also expressed a desire to have all the farmers or truck growers on the Plains to join in with them in this exhibit, and show to the visitors what our Plains country can do. Mrs. E. D. Oliver was re-elected as their president and a few of the committees were appointed but not all, as they wanted more representatives from other places before electing the final committees.

It was voted to have another meeting next Monday afternoon Aug. 9, at 3 o'clock at the Leader office and all are invited to be present whether they have anything special to exhibit or not. Come and help those who have. We believe all present voted to be willing to work for the honor of blue ribbons only, without further prizes unless voluntarily offered. Remember the date of meeting Monday Aug. 9.

## Old Soldiers To Have Reunion

There will be an Old Soldier Reunion held in connection with the Lovington Picnic and Barbecue which will be one of the striking features of the occasion. All old soldiers are invited whether they were the wearers of the blue or the gray. Also wives, widows and daughters of old soldiers are especially invited. The program will be as follows.

All old soldiers on their arrival in Lovington will proceed to head quarters (which will be named later) and enroll their names on Friday Aug. 20, at 10 o'clock. Form in line in front of the Bank for parade, march north up main street to end of park, then around the park to south entrance through gate to the tabernacle, where they will be addressed by Judge Grantham of Carlsbad, N. M. after which dinner will be served to the crowd.

## Lovington To Have Parcels Post Display

It has been decided that the post office at Carlsbad, Roswell and Lovington will put on a Parcels Post display at the Lovington picnic and barbecue. Having competent persons there to show and instruct people in the sending of parcels post packages. Showing them the various ways in which packages can be sent, from the smallest article to the heaviest weight that can be sent in this manner. Even to the packing of eggs and butter for mailing. Various containers for such articles will be on exhibition, and every detail of the subject will be given to those who are interested.

Farmers, truck growers and dairymen should especially be on hand to gain such information as would aid them in disposing of their over supply with which our market is crowded. There will be many packages displayed and an average summing up of the vast amount of such parcels as are sent and received at the offices represented.

## B. S. S. C. Entertain. Aug. 4, 1915

On the night of Aug. 4th, the Baptist Sunday School Class entertained the Young Peoples' Co-operative Class at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Graham.

At the appointed hour guests began to arrive, pass up the walk, and under the little Japanese lanterns that hung over head from the porch and on into the rooms decorated with freshly cut flowers, where they were met with a friendly greeting by their hostess, and her assistants.

While all were assembling, an informal good time was indulged in, after which ushers changed the couples about creating a general conversation that all seemed to enjoy very much. Ere long Mr. C. L. Creighton master of ceremonies, passed papers and pencils to each couple on which to write some letters as he would call them. And which, when read correctly, formed a little poem written in the old English style of the first printing, when all letters were set straight along without any spacing between words and people had to make them out as best they could. All save one or two mastered the puzzling feature and quite a good deal of amusement was had.

Next the Lovington Leader had the honor of being the paper selected to be cut into pieces to be again matched together for partners for refreshments. And for a few minutes quite an interesting time was experienced in the hunting of partners. Then the hostess led the way to the dining room where on a snow white table were placed dishes of delicious ice cream with lovely sliced cakes, and from a wreath of cut flower which hung from the ceiling, streamers of white and gold twined with fresh ivy leaves extended to the four corners of the table, with the little favor cards on which were printed in gold lettering the initials of their class and the date Aug. 4th 1915, occupied the center of the table.

After refreshments the soft, sweet tones of the piano were wafted out on the still night air accompanied by a choir of well trained voices which was pleasing to the musically inclined. Then followed some readings given by Miss Della Jobe, Miss Katharine Staton, Miss Ruby Holfield and a class prophecy by Miss Ethel Caudill which were all well rendered and very interesting. At this point we thought the evening's program was at its close, but

after a series of songs that Mr. Creighton was not to be left off the list without a farewell reading, he was finally persuaded to give one of his "star pieces." The Little Bird Sat on the Cow-shed and Scratched its Neck" which ended the evening's program with much merriment and laughter.

We then bade our hostess and friends good night with a thought that even though we had our little souvenirs it would not take that to remind us of one of the most pleasant evenings ever spent in the little town of Lovington.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

William B. Hamilton 027164  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 28, 1915. Notice is hereby given that William B. Hamilton, of Lovington, N. M. who on April 11, 1913 made Hd. E. Serial No. 027164 for SW 1/4 Sec. 19; and NW 1/4 Sec. 30 Twp. 15-S. R. 37-E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before E. M. Love U. S. Commissioner in his office at Lovington, N. M. Sept. 8, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: David L. Haywood, Eugene H. Price, Robert F. Love, Edmond O. Ault, all of Lovington, N. M.  
Emmett Patton, Register.  
Aug. 6-Sept. 3.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Sarah C. Stripling 025869-025753  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 28th, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Sarah C. Stripling, of Knowles, N. M. who on March 15, 1912 and Aug. 1, 1913 made Orig. and Add'l Hd. Entries, Serial Nos. 025869-025753 respectively, for NE 1/4 Sec. 30; W 1/4 Sec. 1; NE 1/4 Sec. 1; Lot 3; Sec. 20; NW 1/4 Sec. 20, Twp. 16-S. R. 39-E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before D. H. Coleman U. S. Commissioner in his office at Knowles, N. M. Sept. 9, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Claude C. Stephenson, Allen J. Heard, Philip S. Bennett, Olin G. Hardin, all of Knowles, N. M.  
Emmett Patton-Register.  
Aug. 6, Sept. 3.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Robert I. McCulley 025870-026416  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 19, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Robert I. McCulley, of Lovington, N. M. who, on March 15, and Sept. 3, 1912, made Orig. and Add'l Hd. Entries, Serial Nos. 025870 and 026416, respectively, for E 1/2 W 1/2 Sec. 1; and NE 1/4 Sec. 20, Twp. 16-S. Rge. 38-E. N.M.P.M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before D. H. Coleman, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Knowles, N. M. on Sept. 9, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: James D. Shaw, John W. Welch, William J. Eller, these of Knowles, N. M. William C. Cureton, Lovington, N. M.  
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### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, ROSWELL, N. M.

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, by virtue of Acts of Congress approved June 21, 1898, and June 20, 1910, and acts supplementary and amendatory thereto, has filed in this office selection lists for the following described lands:  
List No. 5411, Serial No. 030425-SW 1/4 Sec. 35, T. 15 S.; W 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 35, T. 15 S.; NE 1/4 Sec. 1, T. 16 S.; R. 33 E. N. M. Mer. 360 acres.  
List No. 5412, Serial No. 030636-Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13, Sec. 5, T. 16 S.; R. 34 E. N. M. Mer. 290.71 acres.  
List No. 5413, Serial No. 030627-Lot 14, 8 1/2 Sec. 5; Lots 1, 2, Sec. 6, T. 16 S.; R. 34 E. N. M. Mer. 451.44 acres.  
List No. 5414, Serial No. 030628-Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 Sec. 6, T. 16 S.; R. 34 E. N. M. Mer. 418.36 acres.  
List No. 5415, Serial No. 030629-Lots 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, E 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 6, T. 16 S.; R. 34 E. N. M. Mer. 423.79 acres.  
List No. 5416, Serial No. 030630-All of Sec. 28, T. 16 S.; R. 33 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.  
List No. 5417, Serial No. 030631-N 1/2 Sec. 33, T. 15 S.; Lot 1, Sec. 1, T. 16 S.; R. 33 E. N. M. Mer. 366.27 acres.  
List No. 5418, Serial No. 030632-Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, Sec. 1, T. 16 S.; R. 33 E. N. M. Mer. 459.71 acres.  
List No. 5419, Serial No. 030633-Lots 13, 14, 15, 16, N 1/2 SW 1/4, NW 1/4 Sec. 1, T. 16 S.; R. 33 E. N. M. Mer. 250 acres.  
List No. 5421, Serial No. 030640-Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, Sec. 4, T. 16 S.; R. 33 E. N. M. Mer. 474.36 acres.  
List No. 5422, Serial No. 030641-Lots 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 8 1/2 Sec. 4; Lot 1, Sec. 6, T. 16 S.; R. 33 E. N. M. Mer. 569.13 acres.  
List No. 5423, Serial No. 030642-Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, Sec. 6, T. 16 S.; R. 33 E. N. M. Mer. 469.91 acres.  
List No. 5424, Serial No. 030643-Lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, E 1/2 SW 1/4, SE 1/4 Sec. 6, T. 16 S.; R. 33 E. N. M. Mer. 479.22 acres.  
List No. 5425, Serial No. 030644-Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, NE 1/4 Sec. 7, T. 16 S.; R. 33 E. N. M. Mer. 319.52 acres.  
List No. 5426, Serial No. 030645-E 1/2 W 1/4 Sec. 7; N 1/2 Sec. 1, T. 16 S.; R. 33 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.  
List No. 5427, Serial No. 030646-S 1/4 Sec. 8; N 1/4 Sec. 9, T. 16 S.; R. 33 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.  
List No. 5428, Serial No. 030647-S 1/4 Sec. 9; W 1/4 Sec. 10, T. 16 S.; R. 33 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.

Protests or contests against any or all of such selections may be filed in this office during the period of publication hereof, or at any time thereafter before final approval and certification.  
EMMETT PATTON, Register.  
July 30, Aug. 27.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Edward C. Estes 024562-026202  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 22, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Edward C. Estes of Lovington, N. M. who on March 15, 1911 and on July 1, 1912 made Orig. and Add'l Hd. Entries, Serial Nos. 024562-026202 respectively, for SE 1/4 Sec. 7; and NE 1/4 Sec. 16 Twp. 17-S. R. 37-E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before E. M. Love U. S. Commissioner in his office at Lovington, N. M. Sept. 1, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: John D. Graham, Dan Blair, Leman Glascock, Kenneth L. Cunningham, all of Lovington, N. M.  
Emmett Patton-Register.  
July 30, Aug. 27.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Kenneth L. Cunningham 025994  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 22, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Kenneth L. Cunningham of Lovington, N. M. who on April 19, 1912 made Hd. E. Serial No. 025994 for S 1/2 Sec. 20 Twp. 16-S. R. 37-E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before E. M. Love U. S. Commissioner in his office at Lovington, N. M. Sept. 1, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Archie D. Wood, James S. Anderson, Dock Townsend, Elbert C. Estes, all of Lovington, N. M.  
Emmett Patton-Register.  
July 30, Aug. 27.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

William W. Balch 024058  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 24, 1915. Notice is hereby given that William W. Balch, of Midway, N. M. who on Dec. 10, 1910 made Hd. E. Serial No. 024058 for NE 1/4 Sec. 7; and NW 1/4 Sec. 8 Twp. 15-S. R. 34-E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before E. M. Love U. S. Commissioner in his office at Lovington, N. M. Sept. 4, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: John R. Ely, William B. Baker, Clement Hennington, Jasper A. Syfrett, all of Midway, N. M.  
Emmett Patton-Register.  
July 30, Aug. 27.

Judge Bingham, one of the agricultural commissioners has secured a building for the agricultural exhibit during the picnic.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

027437  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, at Roswell, N. M. June 30, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Mary A. Abshier, of Knowles, N. M. widow of Alfred W. Abshier, deceased, on July 2, 1913, made Hd. E. Serial No. 027437, for SW 1/4 Sec. 17, and NW 1/4 Section 20, Twp. 16 S Range 39-E. N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before D. H. Coleman, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Knowles, N. M. on Aug. 10, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Phillip S. Bennett, Bernard Nally, Charley Hardin, and Boone Hardin, all of Knowles, N. M.

Emmett Patton, Register.  
July 9-Aug. 6.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

023277  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 6, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Elmer H. Russell, of Lovington, N. M. who on Sept. 6, 1910, made Hd. E. Serial No. 023277, for N 1/2 Sec. 26, Twp. 16-S Range 37-E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Edward M. Love, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Lovington, N. M. on Aug. 11, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: James D. Shaw, John W. Welch, William J. Eller, Emmett Richardson all of Lovington, N. M.

Emmett Patton, Register.  
July 9-Aug. 6.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Edward M. Love, (025757)  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 9, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Edward M. Love, of Lovington, N. M. who, on Feb. 23, 1912, made Hd. E. Serial No. 025757, for NE 1/4 Sec. 23; and NW 1/4 Sec. 24, Twp. 16-S, Rge. 36 E. N.M.P.M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before N. L. Hibbets, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Plainview, N. M. on Aug. 17, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Vincent G. Dismore, Alver C. Marshall, John G. Scott, John E. Stokes, all of Lovington, N. M.

Emmett Patton, Register.  
July 16-Aug. 13.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Louis O. Cunningham (025664)  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 9, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Louis O. Cunningham, of Lovington, N. M. who, on Feb. 5, 1912, made Hd. E. Serial No. 025664, for NW 1/4 Sec. 19, Twp. 15-S. Rge. 36 E. N.M.P.M. has filed notice of intention, to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Edward M. Love, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Lovington, N. M. on Aug. 18, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Andrew J. Scaff, James L. Roed, Frank E. Beckwith, Charles Fairweather, all of Lovington, N. M.

Emmett Patton, Register.  
July 16-Aug. 13.

### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

United States Land Office  
Roswell, New Mexico, May 13, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, by virtue of Acts of Congress approved June 21, 1898 and June 20, 1910 and acts supplementary and amendatory thereto, has filed in this office selection lists for the following described lands:  
List No. 5718. Serial No. 031766-S 1/2 N 1/2, S 1/2 Sec. 3, T. 19-S. R. 34-E. N. M. Mer. 480 acres.

Protest or contest against any or all of such selections may be filed in this office during the period of publication hereof, or at any time thereafter before final approval and certification.

Emmett Patton, Register.  
July 16, Aug. 13.

### Notice of Intent to Make Final Proof

Whereas it is necessary that the County Board of Finance hold a meeting, notice is hereby given that said Board will convene at the Court House at Carlsbad, at 10 A. M. on the 31st day of July, 1915, to transact such business as may lawfully come before said Board.

All banks in Eddy County are hereby notified that they may file with the Board of Finance, on or before said date, their written proposals to receive public monies on deposit, together with an agreement to pay interest on daily balances of such monies at a rate of 3 per cent per annum, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 15 of the Session Laws of New Mexico, of 1915, and said proposals will be opened and considered at such meeting of the Board.

C. W. Baerman  
Chairman, Eddy County Board of Finance

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C. W. Baerman  
Chairman, Eddy County Board of Finance

Mrs. Oscar Thompson and L. R. Burleson left for Bastrop, Tenn. Wednesday morning in answer to a message that Mrs. Thompson's brother Mr. Burleson was very low.

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C. E. Stiles, Prop.

W. O. W.

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No. 84.

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A. N. Marchman, C. C.

F. J. Robinson, Clerk.

W. C. HOWARD

ABSTRACTS

Lovington, N. M.

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W. P. Allen of Midway presented the Leader with some fine plums as samples from his orchard which measured 51-2 inches in circumference.

Water melons seem to be a little late this season, having seen our first on sale Monday Aug. 2nd. But never mind for we think there will be plenty by picnic time. Aug. 19, 20 and 21.

J. H. Graham sold to John Richards of Stanton, Texas, all his yearling steers including a few older ones numbering about 140 head. Mr. Richards topping the herd which included quite a number of the yearlings at \$40.00 while for the remainder he gave \$35.

**FOR SALE OR RENT:**—Good place one mile from Lovington. Inquire Dr. A. A. Dearduff.

Mrs. W. T. Dillard of Abilene, Texas, stepped in our office last week and added her name to our list of subscribers. She is a sister to Mrs. Jim Anderson of this place. Her husband W. T. Dillard has been holding a protracted meetings at various points on the Plains during the past few weeks.

Mrs. Josephine Camp has lately sold to O. N. Blair her 160 acre tract of land including her leased range. Having sold her cattle before hand to Dow Wood. She and her daughter intend leaving for Lake Wood, in the Pecos Valley in two or three weeks.

**PIGS FOR SALE:**—Thorough bred Duroc, William Crockett Plainview, N. M.

Miss Marguerette and Francis Cleghorn accompanied by two of their little brothers are visiting their sister Mrs. T. D. Boyd of Midway.

"Dad's Last Stand" Keeps Popcorn, Peanuts, Fruit and Candies. And Bananas once a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hodge passed through Lovington Monday, on their return from Santa Rita, N. M., to their home at Tuscola, Texas.

We learn that the dance hall and cold drink stand have already been leased for the picnic.

Carpenters are busy putting up various things for the picnic and barbecue occasion. A large crowd is expected and a good time in general is anticipated.

Mrs. Chas. Fairweather and two children were brought to town last Friday, thought to have been poisoned by eating canned tomatoes. They were quite sick for a few days but are up and about again now.

Top Heard of Seminole, Texas, was in our little city Tuesday.

Rev. Downing, Superintendent of the Home Missions of El Paso Presbytery, will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian church next Sunday at eleven o'clock. All are cordially invited.

Man and wife Wanted Permanently. Neat appearance. No children. Lovington Hotel.

**WANTED:**—Extra help during picnic. Ladies or girls preferred.

Mrs. Sam Hodge, of Santa Rita, N. M. sister to Mrs. Arthur Fisher, of this place and once a resident of Lovington, living on a claim near Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Scaff, is here on her first visit since she and her husband left some five years ago. You can imagine quite a number of changes have taken place in our town and country during her absence. She intends remaining over for the picnic.

A little son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bud Markley July 31.

Rev. Downing Superintendent of the Home Mission of El Paso, will lecture Sunday evening at the Presbyterian church. His subject, "The Holy Land."

Del. Chappell of Stanton, N. M. left for Abilene, Texas, Tuesday for a short visit.

Chas. Browning and wife have moved into the John Frier house this week.

Mrs. Murphy took a spin to the S. O. Love place this week.

Clims and Walter McGonagill accompanied by their mother Mrs. G. M. McGonagill were up from their ranch Wednesday.

Earnest Best and J. M. McCreger of King was down Wednesday of this week.

The little child of Rev. J. H. Clouse has been sick but is better at this writing. (Wednesday)

W. G. D. Kilgore formerly of Coleman County, Texas, is in Lovington this week.

Mrs. N. J. Click was reported quite sick Wednesday. Her daughter Mrs. Cousineau going to her at once.

Mrs. M. F. Harrington accompanied Rev. L. O. Cunningham to Seminole this week for a visit to her grand daughter Mrs. Ione Pittman.

F. M. Kindel is down from Hammon, Okla. to visit his children at this place.

C. L. Creighton and Mr. and Mrs. E. Sewall left Thursday morning for a trip to visit Mrs. Sewalls and Mr. Creightons parents in Tex.

Miss Ada Pittman of Lake Arthur, N. M. is spending two or three weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Heard at the Highlonesome ranch.

A. L. Anderson of Amarillo, Texas, was in our little city Thursday. He is a prospector and while awaiting some repairs for his Cadillac car is looking around. He likes our country fine and our town especially.

J. W. Caudill and family left for Lockney, Texas, last week to visit their daughter Mrs. Hughes.

Mr. Miller, brother to Chas. Miller of Knowles is out prospecting.

Mr. and Mrs. James and son Joe of Tatum, N. M. parents and brother to Prof. James of this place left for Ft. Stockton, Texas, to visit relatives at that place.

Miss Mae Geer, of Carlsbad, sister to Mrs. Barr of this place is here on a two weeks visit.

C. P. Chappell and family went to their place at Stanbro Saturday returning Monday.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
Edward H. Chick, 026227  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 17, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Edward H. Chick, of Lovington, N. M. who on July 10, 1912 made H. E. Serial No. 026227 for S 1/2 Sec. 9 Twp. 16 S. R. 35 E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before E. M. Love U. S. Commissioner in his office at Lovington, N. M. Sept. 1, 1915.  
Claimant names as witnesses: James Gilley, Albert Love, Warren T. Lay, Cebe O. Gilley, all of Lovington, N. M.  
Emmett Patton Register, July 30, Aug. 27.

**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**  
United States Land Office,  
Roswell, N. M. July 22, 1915  
Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, by virtue of Acts of Congress approved June 21, 1898 and June 20, 1910, and acts supplementary and amendatory thereto, has filed in this office a selection list for the following described lands:  
List No. 125, Serial 030257, Military Institute.  
All of Sec. 35, T. 16 S. R. 34 E. N. M. SW 1/4, W 1/2 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 25; N 1/2 Sec. 31; N 1/2 Sec. 33; All of Sec. 1; N 1/2, SW 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4, SW 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 34; All of Sec. 35, T. 17 S. R. 34 E. N. M. S 1/2 Sec. 3, T. 18 S. R. 34 E. N. M. Mer. 4431.55 acres.  
Protests or contests against any or all of such selections may be filed in this office during the period of publication hereof, or at any time thereafter before final approval and certification.  
Emmett Patton—Register, Aug. 6—Sept. 8.

## U.S. Weather Bureau

**STATION NEAR KNOWLES July 1915**  
Mean Temp. 77  
Max. Temp. 100  
Date 11th.  
Min. Temp. 54  
Date 5th.  
Total Precip. Inches 1.58  
No. of Days Clear 17  
" " Partly Cloudy 11  
" " 3  
Dates of Hail 3rd.  
Auroras 6, 27, 28.  
Prev. Direct. of Wind S.W.  
The storm the night of 3rd. did much damage to stock, crops and property.  
P. S. Bennett, Observer.

## Baptist Annual Meeting At Monument

The Annual Camp Meeting and Baptist Association that convened at Monument, N. M. for the past two weeks, came to a close Sunday. According to the report of attendants, it was a glorious success. There being thirty-five conversions and reclamations. Thirty-one of which were united with the four different churches represented.

O. L. Vermillion, State Evangelist, conducted the services assisted by Rev. J. H. Clouse, pastor in charge. O. L. Vermillion is a strong man spiritually and of strong convictions. His power to grasp and maintain the attention of the audience was remarkable, and people went from far and near to hear him.

Among those present were E. B. Atwood State Secretary of Albuquerque, J. L. Rupard Sunday School and B.Y.P.U. representative, Rev. R. L. Duckett, and Rev. D. Y. Musick.

A Sunday School was organized at that place for the morning, and a B.Y.P.U. for the afternoon.

The next session of the Association will be held at Highlonesome beginning Thursday night before the first Sunday in August 1916, the annual camp meeting being held in connection. Rev. J. H. Clouse was elected Moderator and Rev. D. Y. Musick assistant Moderator of the Association and Rev. R. L. Duckett Clerk.

Revs. J. H. Clouse and O. L. Vermillion went from there to Highlonesome and are holding services there which are reported to be progressing nicely.

Submitted.

The local U. S. Land Office is nowadays receiving numerous inquiries if it is a fact that there is no more land to be had by homesteaders in Chaves and Eddy Counties.

The report of the local land office shows the following unappropriated and unserved lands in Chaves and Eddy Counties July 1, 1915:

Surveyed	Unsurveyed	Total
930,270	474,716	1,454,986
1,789,680	1,045,782	2,844,462

## Hotel Arrivals

Miss Lillian Vinson Coleman, Tex.  
A. F. Peters Cleveland Ohio  
P. H. McNewart Texico, Tex.  
P. L. Britton Lubbock, "  
J. K. Wilkinson Plains, "  
W. C. Wooldridge Midland, "  
Jno. De Grnard and wife, "  
John Bryan Artesia, N. M.  
Geo. McElwan "  
Dr. Wm Bloss Stanton, Tex.  
Chas. McDonlad Roswell, N. M.  
W. L. Button Roswell, N. M.  
J. T. Heath Ballinger, Texas  
E. M. Dobbs Dallas, "  
L. B. Carait Dallas, "  
E. Lee Brown Lubbock, "  
W. G. Hutchings Roswell, N. M.  
A. L. Anderson Amarillo, Tex.

A petition is being circulated for a rural route out of Lovington to the Echo neighborhood, which from our last account was meeting with quite a good deal of approval.

Miss Newma Shepard is spending a few days at the J. H. Graham ranch the guest of Miss Eliza and Rebecca Graham.

They are improving the appearance of Lovington Cafe this week by the way of ceiling and papering.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Walter W. Brown (025163-02887)  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 16, 1915.  
Notice is hereby given that Walter W. Brown, of Knowles, N. M. who, on Sept. 8, 1911, and on July 19, 1912, made Orig. and Add'l. H. E. Entries, Serial Nos. 025163, and 02887, respectively, for NE 1/4 Sec. 15; and NW 1/4 Sec. 14, Twp. 17 S. Rge. 37 E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wm. G. MacArthur, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Monument, N. M. on Aug. 24, 1915.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Walter T. Tomlinson, Oscar E. Greene, William H. Wimberly, Young Holloway all of Knowles, N. M.  
Emmett Patton Register, July 23-Aug. 20.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
Charles D. Ham (025415)  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 16, 1915.  
Notice is hereby given that Charles D. Ham, of Lovington, N. M. who, on Nov. 24, 1911, made H. E. Serial No. 025415, for W 1/2 Sec. 35, Twp. 15 S. Rge. 35 E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before E. M. Love, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Lovington, N. M. on Aug. 25, 1915.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Monroe M. Dunham, Robert Cox, William B. Marshall, James M. Marshall, all of Lovington, N. M.  
Emmett Patton Register, July 23-Aug. 20.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
Henry W. Mobley (024757-026299)  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 15, 1915.  
Notice is hereby given that Henry W. Mobley, of Knowles, N. M. who, on May 10, 1910, and Aug. 2, 1912, made Orig. and Add'l. H. E. Entries, Serial Nos. 024757 and 026299, respectively, for the E 1/4 SW 1/4, and the NW 1/4, Sec. 33, Twp. 16 S. Rge. 38 E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make Final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before D. H. Coleman, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Knowles, N. M. on Aug. 24, 1915.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Van O. Willhoit, James D. Merrill, David B. Willhoit, Henry M. Smith, all of Knowles, N. M.  
Emmett Patton Register, June 23-Aug. 20.

**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**  
United States Land Office  
Roswell, New Mexico, July 2, 1915.  
Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, by virtue of Acts of Congress approved June 21, 1898 and June 20, 1910 and acts supplementary and amendatory thereto, has filed in this office selection lists for the following described lands:

List No. 128, Serial No. 031579.—Military Institute.—All of Sec. 14; NE 1/4, W 1/4 NW 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, S 1/2 Sec. 28, T. 21 S. R. 33 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.  
List No. 129, Serial No. 031580.—Military Institute.—NE 1/4 NW 1/4, S 1/2 NW 1/4, S 1/2 Sec. 34, T. 22 S. R. 35 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.  
List No. 130, Serial No. 031581.—Military Institute.—All of Sec. 12, T. 23 S. R. 34 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.  
List No. 131, Serial No. 031582.—Military Institute.—All of Sec. 12, T. 23 S. R. 34 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.  
List No. 132, Serial No. 031583.—Military Institute.—All of Sec. 12, T. 23 S. R. 34 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.  
List No. 133, Serial No. 031584.—Military Institute.—All of Sec. 12, T. 23 S. R. 34 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.  
List No. 134, Serial No. 031585.—Military Institute.—All of Sec. 12, T. 23 S. R. 34 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.  
List No. 135, Serial No. 031586.—Military Institute.—All of Sec. 12, T. 23 S. R. 34 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.  
List No. 136, Serial No. 031587.—Military Institute.—All of Sec. 12, T. 23 S. R. 34 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.  
List No. 137, Serial No. 031588.—Military Institute.—All of Sec. 12, T. 23 S. R. 34 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.  
List No. 138, Serial No. 031589.—Military Institute.—All of Sec. 12, T. 23 S. R. 34 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.  
List No. 139, Serial No. 031590.—Military Institute.—All of Sec. 12, T. 23 S. R. 34 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.  
List No. 140, Serial No. 031591.—Military Institute.—All of Sec. 12, T. 23 S. R. 34 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.  
List No. 141, Serial No. 031592.—Military Institute.—All of Sec. 12, T. 23 S. R. 34 E. N. M. Mer. 640 acres.  
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