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TERRIBLE TORNADO

SCORES KILLED BY TORNADES IN CENTRAL WESTERN STATES.

Forty Estimated to Have Died at Cincinnati and Fifty Injured; Storms Take Heavy Toll of Life in Missouri, Illinois, Kentucky, Indiana and Tennessee, Property Loss Millions.

TRAINS DELAYED BY FURY OF STORMS, CAUSING LOSS OF LIFE—HOUSES LEVELLED AND CROPS DESTROYED

Cincinnati, July 8.—The greatest calamity that has ever befallen Cincinnati happened in ten minutes last night when a fierce tornado struck the city at about 9:30. There were many boats on the river, including the tug Dick Fulton and the steamer Convery. Thirteen of the crews are missing and it is believed many more were drowned.

Along the river the damage done was large, houses being wrecked and destroyed. The police and firemen are digging in the ruins, assisted by volunteer workers and a number have been rescued alive. A number of bodies have been taken out of the ruins and it is believed many more are buried beneath the falling buildings. Some of the injured rescued had been buried for hours.

Hundreds of plate glass windows outside show cases and signs were destroyed and it is believed the damage will run well over a million dollars. Hundreds of automobiles were overturned and even trees uprooted.

Cincinnati, Ohio, July 8.—A terrible storm struck this city last night doing a great amount of damage and taking a heavy toll of life that is hourly mounting. The police estimate that forty persons perished and twenty are already known to be dead. Fifty were injured. The damage amounts to at least a million dollars. Three persons are missing.

Along the river there was a heavy fatality and the police are at work dragging the stream, finding a number of bodies.

In Tennessee eleven are known to be dead, among them members of the Baum and Cohen families, relatives. Three were hurt and three killed when a heavy train was blown from the tracks of the Pennsylvania road in a suburb of this city. The train contained many famous horses going from the Lorton track to Windsor, Canada, and a number of these were killed.

STRIKES MOBILIZED MO.

Mobile, Ala., July 8.—A fierce tornado struck this city late yesterday and injured twenty-three persons, including five women, when a Wash train was derailed by the storm. Five coaches went into the ditch.

FIVE AT CAROLTON, KY.

Louisville, Ky., July 8.—It is reported here that five were killed at Carrollton, Ky., when a tornado struck that place. Excepting along the Ohio river Kentucky did not suffer much elsewhere. There was a near-cloudburst at Louisville, but there was no loss of life.

ONE DEAD IN INDIANA.

Vincennes, Ind., July 8.—There was one fatality here through the storm sweeping this section. A young girl was killed here and several were injured at Lawrenceville, Illinois, where twenty houses were leveled to the ground. Crops were destroyed in this part of the state and a local distillery was destroyed.

DEATH IN MISSOURI.

St. Louis, Mo., July 8.—Several persons are reported to have been killed in St. Charles county and elsewhere nearby. The storm did damage in Missouri that will reach to nearly a million dollars. Three are reported to have been injured fatally and eighteen seriously. The hardest hit places were O'Fallon, Gilmore, D'Arbonne, Wentzville and St. Charles.

CRANK TRIES TO KILL MORGAN.

A crank named Frank Holt last Saturday shot and wounded J. P. Morgan, the great financier, in the groin and thigh, at the latter's home in Glen Cove Long Island. He was overpowered by Morgan and his wife while holding a revolver in each hand and the servants bound and hog tied him after nearly killing him with a big chunk of coal. He shot and killed himself Wednesday night of this week in the county jail after making several other attempts to open a canteen in his arm. He was a resident of Dallas, Texas, where his wife resides. He seemed to think if he could kill Morgan the war in Europe would stop, for he alleged that Morgan furnished the cash to England to finance the war. Cecil Spring-Rice, the British diplomat, was at the Morgan home at the time of the almost tragedy.

CLIMBED TO CEILING AND FELL ON HEAD.

Glen Cove, N. Y., July 7.—After an investigation of the circumstances surrounding Holt's death, William Hulse, warden of the Nassau county jail at Mineola, issued the following statement today:

"Holt met death by plunging from the top of the bars of his cell. He fell eighteen feet."

FIXING GERMAN NOTE.

Washington Doesn't O. K. the First Draft, and Gerard is Given the Dope by Wilson.

Washington, July 7.—Further messages from Ambassador Gerard were today transmitted to President Wilson at Cornish, N. H., outlining the point of view of the German government on submarine warfare as embodied in a rough draft of the German note to the last American note.

The dispatches tended to show that Germany is anxious to bring about a compromise on the question of her submarine campaign and there were indications in official quarters that the proposals in their present form are not acceptable to the United States. Just what means would be adopted to inform Germany of the disapproval of the United States is not apparent. It is believed, however, that Ambassador Gerard will be instructed within a day or two to make clear in advance of the receipt of the formal and final copy of the German note that he is unable to make any comment.

Although from press dispatches and other sources it appeared that the German proposals were unsatisfactory, the situation was not regarded in well informed quarters as hopeless, much encouragement being drawn from the fact that a tentative draft of the note was submitted to the American ambassador. This, it was believed, indicated that if the preliminary draft was not satisfactory there might be changes made designed to meet the American point of view on submarine warfare.

It was believed that President Wilson would today direct Secretary Lansing to instruct Ambassador Gerard respecting the proposals already made.

Officials here generally declined to express any opinion on the suggestions made by Germany in the tentative draft informally submitted to Ambassador Gerard. It was not understood that Germany had requested Ambassador Gerard to learn the views of this government, but merely had transmitted a rough memorandum of the proposals so the United States could, if it chose, make comment.

It is considered most likely that the United States will decline to enter into a discussion while awaiting Germany's reply. Almost a month has elapsed since the American note was sent.

GEORGE POWELL KILLED AT KENT.

Commissioner Fred G. Irby Surrenders to Sheriff at Van Horn.

—El Paso Herald.
Van Horn, Texas, July 5.—George Powell, who lived near Kent, Tarrant county, is dead and nearly \$5,000 bond of \$5,000 on the charge of killing him.

Commissioner Irby came to Van Horn at 7 o'clock last night and surrendered to sheriff John A. Morine. He waived an examining trial and gave bond in the sum of \$5,000 for his appearance. Mr. Irby told the sheriff he had shot Powell, who, he said, had threatened his life. Powell, who was a crack shot with a pistol, had told Irby two days ago that he would kill him, the commissioner told the sheriff. It is said Powell had been drinking since June 25.

Commissioner Irby told the sheriff he was at the depot when the Texas & Pacific train came into Kent Saturday. He had his rifle with him. As he got out of his auto he saw Powell coming, with his hand on his hip, and about eight feet away. The threatening look and action of Powell led Irby to think he meant to shoot him, and Irby fired first.

It is said Powell said as he fell: "You got me first."

MANY ATTEND FUNERAL OF GEORGE T. POWELL AT KENT.

Pecos, Texas, July 7.—The funeral of George Turner Powell, who was shot and killed by Fred G. Irby at Kent on July 4th, took place at Kent yesterday. A large number of people were there. The X ranch and several other large ranches were largely represented.

Mrs. J. W. Lytle and W. A. Collins, of Pecos, took charge of the remains and Rev. Mr. Dowling, of Barstow, officiated at the grave.

Young Powell was a favorite with the townspeople and the ranchmen alike. He was on his way to California and it is claimed he had not been drinking that day but he was talking with some young women and boys, when Mr. Irby drove up in his car. Eye witnesses of the killing, it is said,

Little Pitchers.
"Grandma, are you with the circus?"
"Of course, not, child! What makes you ask such a thing?"
"I heard pa say that when you came to visit us we'd have an elephant on our hands."—Baltimore American.

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searched the body immediately and found he was wholly unarmed.
Young Powell came out from Detroit Michigan, about a year ago, and took up some school land in Culberson county, which he was living out.

BRAINARD-KNORR.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Brainard have issued invitations for the wedding of their daughter, Ruth, to Mr. J. W. Knorr, July 15th. The wedding will take place at the Brainard home in Roselawn and the young people will make their home in Carlsbad.—Artesia News.

CARLSBAD V ROSWELL GREAT WOOL SALE

Report of the Two Games From Carlsbad's Standpoint. The Carlsbad Team a Hummer.

Playing their first game together the Carlsbad team lost the first game to Roswell July 4th by a score of 5 to 2. A total disregard for team work and failure to hit with men on bases was mainly responsible for the loss of the game. No less than seventeen players were left stranded on the bases during the game, the much needed hit never being forthcoming with men in scoring position.

Stewart pitched a cool, heady game and should have won. His control was perfect and his change of pace was baffling to the opposing hitters. With proper support and a few timely hits from his teammates he would have won easily.

A morning lecture in the hotel by Managers Allen and Nichols and Captain Brainard to the team on inside baseball, team work and "pep" and other things necessary to win ball games had the desired effect. The Carlsbad team took the field Monday afternoon full of fight and ginger and outplayed the Roswell club in every department of the game. The loss of the second game by a score of 4 to 3 can be attributed entirely to a decision on a line drive which went foul down the right field line. So certain was the Carlsbad players that the ball was not fair that no play was made on the ball. Two Roswell men on base at that time scored and when the Roswell umpire declared the ball a fair hit it cost Carlsbad a victory.

Roswell did not score an earned run during the game while Carlsbad scores were made by timely hitting and daring base running. Two of Roswell's runs were made on the foul ball and the other two were given to them when with men on third and two out on two occasions the Carlsbad outfield dropped fly balls allowing the Roswell runners to score.

The score was tied in the fifth inning when Foster dashed home while the Roswell first baseman held the

BIG RAIN ON FOOT HILLS.

Boyd Aker, who has the contract for the mail to Queen at present, states that he encountered much water at Moseley about eighteen miles southwest of Carlsbad which flooded the road on to the Snooks Gordon wind mill. The rain fell Monday night and from others it is learned that all the hill country north and south for several miles received a good rain. Mr. Aker states that the work on the Queen road has benefitted it very much.

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750,000 POUNDS OF WOOL SOLD.

Two Dozen Clips Are Sold to Buyers Representing the Big Houses in Boston, Mass.

C. H. D'BREMOND LEADS THE LIST, RECEIVING 24 CENTS.

Price Generally Paid Is Good, Ranging Upward From the Base of 20 Cents—Much Remains to Be Sold.

—Roswell News, July 2.

This city is looming large in the limelight as a market for wool, some three-quarters of a million pounds of the staple being sold within the past few days, representing about one-fourth of the total amount in storage, the remainder of which will be sold within the next month.

The prices obtained for these sales are regarded as very satisfactory, being from 2 to 3 cents in advance of anything that has been sold this year by the local growers. The sales have been negotiated by the Roswell Wool & Hide company, representing the growers.

The first effort of the selling agency was to conduct a public auction, at which many eastern buyers attended. The offerings and the price expected by the growers did not effect any sales at the auction and the event was declared off. The buyers remained in the city, however, and picked some two dozen clips, approximately three-quarters of a million pounds.

Those who have sold within the past few days and the prices obtained are given herewith:

Coffin Bros.	21 3-4c
C. de Bremond	24c
P. Cassabone	21c
P. Louissena	21c
M. Chaves & Son	22c
E. Etcheverry	20c
John Cauhope	21c
J. W. Turknett	22 1-2c
T. C. Tillotson	22 1-2c
T. J. McKnight	22 1-2c
C. T. Adams	21 3-4c
L. Pacheco	21 1-2c
O. Calouette	21 1-2c

A NICE

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FINEST ICE CREAM IN TOWN

Drugs — Sundries — Fountain Drinks

ball. A play was made for Fessler at the plate but he slid safely around the catcher. Two scores were made a moment later when Owen and Seaton scored on an infield hit. Seaton was on second and his scoring from that base on a hit to the infield was a daring and brilliant piece of baseball. The score remained tied from the fifth to the ninth innings, when with two men out and a Roswell man on third, a fly to the Carlsbad outfield was dropped and the runner scored, winning the game for Roswell.

Stewart worked both games for the local club and pitched great ball, not passing a man in the entire eighteen innings. The highly touted Jennings was walloped by the locals for at least ten safe hits and was not as effective as White who pitched the first game for Roswell.

Roswell comes here Sunday, July 10th, for two games. If the team can arrange to remain over for a game Monday the two games will be played Sunday and Monday afternoons. If not the teams will play a doubleheader Sunday afternoon. The management of the local club is trying to avoid playing games on Sunday if possible, but that day seems to be the only one on which other clubs can come here. However as many week day games will be arranged as possible.

Umpires: Rule and Engle.

Will Johnson	21 1-4c
Harry Thorne	20 5-8c
J. Reynolds	21 5-8c
Eggrum & Abbey	20 1-8c
J. J. S. Smith	20c
Paul Wilson	20c
Seth Alston	20c
H. B. Byrd	20c
J. L. Gunn	20c
J. M. and W. R. McKnight	21c

Arrested at Hagerman Upon Ugly Charge.

Hagerman, N. M., July 6.—C. K. Crawford and B. J. Billington, both well known in this section, were arrested a few days ago on a complaint filed by J. N. Boren charging criminal assault on one of Boren's daughters. Crawford was bound over to await the action of the grand jury, bond being placed at \$750, and pending the furnishing of this bond he has been taken to jail at Roswell. Billington, after his arrest by Constable Perry, requested to be allowed to attend to some business matters here, and his request was granted. He did not show up at the time set for his preliminary hearing, and officers are now searching for him.

The Galicias.
There are two Galicias in Europe. One forms a part of Austria, while the other is a province in Spain.

LATE WAR EVENTS

CANNING DEMONSTRATIONS IN EDDY COUNTY.

Miss Dora Ross and Mr. W. T. Conway, both of the Extension department of the New Mexico Agricultural college will be in Eddy county next week and will give a number of canning demonstrations throughout the county.

A demonstration will be given in Carlsbad in the Auditorium of the High School on next Wednesday afternoon, July 14th, beginning promptly at two o'clock.

They will can fruits and vegetables, using the hot water bath and steam pressure methods. This demonstration is very timely and ought to be attended by every woman in this community.

Cand From George Frederick.

Marysville, Wn., 7-2-15.
Dear Friend: We are still having a fine time. The scenery is fine here. New Mexico has the climate but 100 years behind times on good roads. Oregon and Washington have hard packed gravel roads just like paved. An auto should last 15 years here. The last three days have been very hot. Will spend the 4th at Seattle. Expect to leave here the 10th for Winnipeg, Manitoba, and will be in Chicago the 15th. Hope Carlsbad people are all well and enjoying the HOT weather.

Sincerely yours,
GEO. J. FREDRICK.

DEATH OF MRS. SETH FERREL.

Death of Mrs. Seth Ferrel occurred Tuesday at the Palace hotel.

Mrs. Seth Ferrel was brought to Carlsbad Sunday from the Farrell ranch by Jack Farrell in their car. Mr. and Mrs. Seth Ferrel had been staying out at the Farrell ranch with their son, Frank Ferrel, and family. Mrs. Seth had been suffering with indigestion for some time and while out feeding the chickens fell in the yard in a fainting condition and after she was carried into the house, seemed to get no relief, so they hastened to town and secured a physician and nurse, wired her daughters in El Paso, Mrs. E. R. Ardoin came at once.

Mrs. Ferrel died suddenly, had been talking of her children and grandchildren, and died of acute indigestion in a very few minutes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferrel were married in Walla Walla, Washington, in 1862 when Washington was a territory. They were married fifty three years.

To this union five children, four girls and one boy, was born. The four girls were born in Walla Walla, Washington, and the boy, Frank Ferrel, the youngest child, was born in California. The family moved to Texas in 1882 locating first at Abilene and from there went to Snyder, Texas. They moved to Pecos, Texas, a few years later and lived in and around that place for twenty years.

They celebrated their golden wedding in Pecos the five children many of a grand children, and some of the great grand children being present. A party was made at this time.

Mrs. Ferrel leaves a husband, four daughters and one son—Mrs. E. R. Ardoin, El Paso, Texas; Mrs. Mary Patterson, El Paso, Texas; Mrs. J. H. Patterson, Snyder, Texas; Mrs. W. T. Reeves, of Frederick, Iowa; and Frank Ferrel at the Farrell ranch. Twenty-eight grand children and eight great grand children.

Mrs. Ferrel was a christian woman a member of the Methodist church for fifty-one years.

They have many old friends and neighbors in and around Pecos that will join their friends and family here in mourning her loss.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church at 6:00 o'clock Thursday. The body lay in a beautiful casket, surrounded by many floral tributes from friends and relatives.

The burial services were conducted by Rev. J. T. Redmon, brought comfort to the hearts of the sorrowing family. Some of her favorite songs were sung. One the children called "mother's song"—"Jesus is all the World to Me," the others were: "Asleep in Jesus," and "Rock of Ages," tenderly sung by the Methodist ladies.

Interment was made at the Carlsbad cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. George Beckett, Howard Craven, J. F. Flowers, D. G. Grantham, Beaty Wilson, M. B. Butcher.

Blacksmith at Clovis Dies as Result of Blow With Hammer.

Clovis, N. M., July 6.—After lying seventy-eight hours in an unconscious condition in the Santa Fe Hospital of this city, during which time an operation was performed in an effort to save his life, A. S. Combe, who was head blacksmith at the Santa Fe shops of this city, succumbed to injuries which he received at the hands of T. M. Dickens, blacksmith helper, with whom Combe was working when the former struck him on the head with a hammer, crushing his skull. Dickens stated upon interview that he was provoked beyond endurance by the abusive language of the head blacksmith and resented same in the manner stated.

Dickens has been bound over to the grand jury on a charge of murder. Bond has been fixed at \$7,500.

NOTARY PUBLIC at the Current office. Notary always in.

Paris—A favorite pastime of soldiers at the front is reported to be the carving of rings out of the aluminum fuses of unexploded German shells. They are highly prized as souvenirs. Dunkirk, France—British officers and soldiers from the devastated countryside which now constitutes the battered front between their army and that of the Germans, frequently express surprise that some steps have not been taken to remove the civilian population from the immediate area of fighting. The clearing out of civilians, they declare, would simplify military operations, and reduce the opportunity for successful spying by the Germans.

London—The war is exercising a decidedly democratic influence on the manners, customs and habits of English folk who are commonly regarded as belonging to the big "S" section of society. Before the war it was considered most undignified for anybody with any pretensions to gentility to be seen carrying a parcel in public. But now even dukes and duchesses to say nothing of "honorables" and untitled respectabilities, may be seen openly and unashamedly carrying parcels in Piccadilly or Regent street with an air which implies the proud consciousness that they are getting a good example.

London—A private dispatch from Paris states that the illness of King Christian of Greece, according to rumors current in the lobby of the chamber of deputies, was in reality due to a dagger wound. The British Press bureau, on being asked to pass this dispatch for publication, stated: "We see no sufficient reason to stop publication of this matter, but the responsibility for the accuracy must rest with the publisher."

Paris—War has had contrary effects on the postal service of France. Obstructions to commerce and industry resulted in a great decrease in business correspondence, but this is more than compensated by the increase in personal letters between members of dispersed families and the soldiers and their relatives. In a single day the postal department handled 14,000,000 letters, 780,000 registered letters and packages, 135,000 newspapers, and 57,000 postal orders. The volume of matter has steadily increased since December.

London—Lord Norbury, former chief justice of the court of common pleas, has taken employment as a fitter in an aeroplane factory in a London suburb. He will put in thirteen hours daily at his work. At the same time, Lady Norbury had begun work as a waitress in a soldiers' coffee canteen at Euston station.

FIGHTING AT MEXICO CITY.

Pitifully Hungry, Its People Are Still Dodging the Bullets of War-ringing Factors.

Washington, July 7.—Increasing anxiety was felt in official circles today over the situation in Mexico City, from which place no word had come of the results of the fighting said to have again begun between the Carranza and Zapata forces in the outskirts of that city. Meager official advices received here reported a renewal of the fighting, but gave no indications of how it was progressing.

With reports at hand describing conditions in the Mexican capital as "pitiful" and rapidly growing worse, on account of the shortage of food, officials today anxiously awaited the outcome of the latest fighting because of its possible effect on the safety of foreigners there. It was hoped that United States Consul General Shanks and Charles J. O'Connor, in charge of American relief measures in Mexico City, would soon be able to arrange for the transportation of food supplies to aid the famine-stricken population of the capital. Mr. O'Connor, of the Red Cross, reports that the relief problem is an immense one.

Six Americans, captured in a fight between Carranza and Villa troops at El Refugio, Coahuila, have been deported from Mexico, according to a dispatch received today at the Carranza agency. The dispatch also said five thousand head of cattle being driven by Villa forces to the American border for export were also captured.

HOPE CELEBRATES.

The big barbecue, bronco busting, goat roping at Hope was attended by 2,000 people from all over the valley. Fifteen beavers and many muttons were barbecued. Eight long tables were arranged in a big walnut grove where every one had plenty to eat.

A big platform was built upon which twenty-five or thirty couples could dance at one time. Among those that went from Carlsbad in their cars were: C. N. Jones and family, and Misses Ada Gordon and Lucy Jones; Frank Jones and son, Elmore; Bill Jones and family; also Mr. and Mrs. Shaffer; Carl Livingston, his mother, Mrs. Morgan Livingston, and Miss Myrtle Ward; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Livingston; Willard Bates and family and Mr. and Mrs. Less Bates; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Christian and daughter, Miss Leila; Will Purdy and family and Mrs. E. Purdy; Mrs. S. T. Bittling; Mrs. Will Hicks and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Braden; Miss Simons and Roy Waller; possibly others that we did not get.

Points for Mothers

Moral Failings of Nervous Children.
Stealing is not as common as untruthfulness and usually takes the mild form of the pilfering of jellies or sweets. Thus frequently we find the physical basis right there in the demand of the system for more sugar. Some children will take from others what they consider trifles merely from a desire to possess and would not think of appropriating anything of great value. Such a child does not consider this a form of theft and if rudely awakened to the fact that it is will suffer marked nervous shock. In a hysterical desire to ingratiate themselves with parents or teachers some children will steal money and other valuables, but always with a desire to give it to others and reserve none for themselves.

Now, in dealing with any of these forms of theft the child must not be accused of being a thief; neither must his act be called theft. It must be clearly shown to him that the act is not right; that he has no right to anything which belongs to another, and then the promise may be exacted that he will respect these rights in the future. The child should not be impressed with the full gravity of the offense because he will then be in dread of the punishment which he sees meted out to ordinary thieves. But the parent must not overlook even apparently harmless pilfering of sweets. A continuance of such habits may lead to the taking of valuables, and it must be checked as soon as possible.

A Mother's Seven Commandments.
Make love to every one, including your own children. If you say pretty things to the kiddies they will say pretty things to you.

The larger number of children in a family the better are the opportunities for a natural education. Your youngest child is always the brightest, because one child learns from another quicker than from an older person.

Never say "don't" to a child. If he becomes mischievous try to interest him in something else.

Never force a child. There is no danger of overburdening his brain with knowledge as long as he is interested. When you see you are tiring him let him rest.

Keep your children cheerful and happy by being cheerful and happy yourself. A disposition can be made in youth.

Not every mother is adapted to educate her own children, but all who can should do it.

All mothers should believe in the fairness and should make their babies believe in them. As long as they are your friend you will be happy.

Give Children Plenty of Sleep.

Modern education imposes upon children who are industrious, but show an in-reasing mental strain, and such children require much time for sleep. The matter of sleep can be overdone as well as underdone. "Early to bed" is always a good principle and applies to all children. "Early to rise" is also a good principle for most children, but not for all. The child who is drowsy and languid in the morning, who begins his day lacking freshness and spirit, should be allowed to sleep longer in the morning until it has been determined what the definite cause may be, and irrespective of the baneful effect of loss of sleep upon the health of the child a pupil suffering from such loss cannot be sent to his instructor except with the assurance that his best mental work cannot be accomplished.

Disturbed Sleep.

When a child awakens frequently this is generally due to nervous irritability. Not infrequently this depends upon poor or improper nourishment.

Careful consideration should be given to the question of diet, for it may be insufficient in amount or of such character that it is not easily digested. Fully half the instances of disturbed sleep are due to this one cause.

If the sleeping apartment is overheated or is poorly ventilated so that the child is robbed during sleep of good fresh air or the bed coverings are insufficient or uncomfortable this will result in disturbed sleep. Naturally with these causes present any undue excitement will aggravate the trouble.

Moral Responsibility.

At seven a child should know clearly the difference between right and wrong. We do not mean by this that he can then decide finer questions of duty and morals, but he will be able to discern what is right from what is not, and, having that power, he is accountable for his acts, if normally developed. If there is a failure at this age to discern these clearly the child should receive the benefit of a thorough physical examination to discover the fault.

Help For Mothers.

For sore throats beat the white of a fresh egg with half a teaspoonful of sugar. Then squeeze the juice of half a lemon into this. Give a teaspoonful every hour.

For a sprain beat the white of an egg with a teaspoonful of salt. Dip cloth into this, then bind on sprain. As soon as cloth dries saturate it again.

WHAT GOOD ROADS MEAN.

The final report of the joint congressional committee on federal aid to good roads set forth the advantages of good roads thus: "Systematic efforts and co-operation of nation, states and counties will make American highways the best in the world, bring remote agricultural lands within practicable hauling distance from railroads, materially raise the value of farm property, enhance the margin of profit on farm products, vastly increase the average daily attendance at rural schools, raise the standard of rural education, make the motor truck an economical vehicle for American farmers, lighten the labors of American horses, save wear and tear of harness and wagons, and add to the comfort and happiness of all rural residents."

ADVANTAGES OF WIDE TIRES.

They Pull More Easily Than Narrow Ones and Make Better Tracks.

"Wide tired wagons pull more easily than narrow tired ones 90 per cent of the times when they are used," says F. A. Wirt, instructor in farm mechanics in the Kansas State Agricultural college. Professor Wirt has just completed experiments with wide and with narrow tired wagons.

Narrow tires pull harder than wide tires, says Professor Wirt, because the narrow tire cuts deeper into the top soil. The wide tire does not cut so deep and makes a better track on roads which are traveled while the ground is soft. The wide tire packs the surface into a firm roadbed.

The experiments show that in corn fields, plowed fields, field lanes and on pasture and alfalfa land the draft on the wide tire is considerably less, no matter what the condition of the soil.

In places where the mud is deep and rolls up on the wheels in ruts made by narrow wheels, or in a surface of mud with a hard ground beneath, the narrow tire will pull more easily. The narrow wheel fits the rut, on the hard bottom of which it runs, and it collects less mud than the wide tire.

Width of tire and height of wheel have a great effect upon the draft. The usual width of the narrow tire is one and three-fourths inches, while the wide tire is usually three or four inches wide. The tires used in the tests were one and three-fourths and four inches wide respectively. Six inch wheels are used only on low trucks.

A farmer who can afford only one wagon will find many factors entering into his selection. If he has to go on the roads in all kinds of weather he will find the narrow tires better because they will collect less mud when the roads are bad. On the other hand, if he goes only when the roads are good or uses the wagon in the fields a great deal he will find the wide tire will be preferred because of the light draft and less damage to the fields.

One of the main points in favor of the wide tire is that their use greatly improves the roadbed, as they will pack the top soil, making the roadbed firm, and thus enabling it to drain well in time of rain. The wide tire will not cut up the meadow or field as does the narrow tire. This is also important, as a smooth surface in the meadow is much easier to mow over.

Oiling Streets and Roads.

The advantages of oiling city streets are strikingly illustrated by a recent statement relative to the saving effected in the cost of sprinkling, repaving and cleaning streets in the city of Oakland, Cal. During the year 1910-11 the cost of sprinkling, according to the statement referred to, amounted to \$86,613. The corresponding expenditure during the season 1911-12 was \$81,496, during 1912-13 it was \$67,858 and during 1913-14 \$56,492, while the estimated cost for the season 1914-15 was placed at \$45,615. In discussing these figures it was stated that the fiscal year 1910-11 included a wet winter, when the rainfall was particularly heavy, and that, in addition, during May and June, 1911, certain retrenchments had to be made on account of lack of funds, so that the total expenditure for sprinkling was less than might reasonably have been expected. On the other hand, the years of 1911-12 and 1912-13 were extremely dry, and had no oiling been done the annual cost of sprinkling might well have been nearly \$100,000. Attention was also called to the fact that the area sprinkled in 1910-11 was smaller than the present area sprinkled. Since July 1, 1911, the street department has oiled over ninety miles of macadam roads, and to this is attributed the reduction in the cost of sprinkling as well as very material savings in the costs of repaving and cleaning.

DRAG THE ROADS.

When the smiles of spring appear,
Drag the roads.
When the summer time is here,
Drag the roads.
When the corn is in the ear,
In the winter cold and drear,
Every season of the year—
Drag the roads.

When you've nothing else to do,
Drag the roads.
If but for an hour or two,
Drag the roads.
It will keep them good as new,
With a purpose firm and true.
Fall in line, it's up to you—
Drag the roads.
—Kansas Industrialist

FARMER'S PACKING HOUSES

Important Factors Which Can Not Be Disregarded—Adequate Supply of Stock an Essential—Federal Meat Inspection.

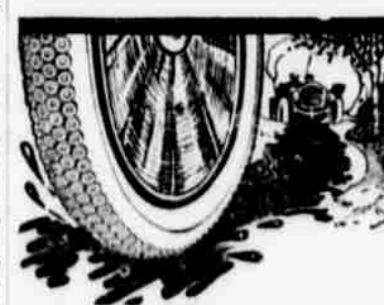
Farmers' cooperative meat-packing companies recently have been organized in a number of communities in Wisconsin, Iowa, and Minnesota and more than a score of others are reported to be contemplated. Such marked interest in the possibilities of co-operation in the packing business is being manifested in various sections of the country that the Department of Agriculture is making a study of the movement to determine what conditions are essential to the success of this plan of co-operation and to give rational counsel in the matter wherever help is requested. Specialists of the department's Office of Markets and Rural Organization, working in conjunction with the Bureau of Animal Industry, call attention to a number of important factors which can not be disregarded without danger of disappointment, if not disaster.

In the first place, it is said that communities in which cooperative packing houses are proposed should understand that one of the requisites for interstate shipment of meats from any plant, whether cooperative or privately owned, is government inspection of the plant and of the animals and meats handled. Regulations of the United States Department of Agriculture provide that an authorized Federal inspector or inspectors be stationed at every plant engaged in interstate business. Before granting inspection privileges to a plant, however, the government requires the plans and specifications of the plant, including sanitary arrangements, to conform to official standards. By communicating with the department regarding this matter and with officials of the State agricultural college and experiment station or others who are in a position to give official aid, serious mistakes may be avoided by communities which are on the point of organizing such an enterprise. The importance of this point is evident, in view of the fact that most of the companies recently organized, it is said, were promoted by persons from outside of the communities concerned. The Department of Agriculture is prepared to furnish advice relative to proposed plans and welcomes inquiries regarding these matters wherever it can be of service to the farmers of any locality or to officials of cities contemplating the establishment of municipal abattoirs.

The Reason.
"I see they hated that new student yesterday by rubbing jam through his hair."
"That was because they wanted his first sweet impressions to stick."—Baltimore American.

The Christ Life.
I believe, after my eighteen years of experimenting, that it is both possible and right to live like the lilies of the field and the birds of the air; to sell all that one has and give to the poor, without expecting a return; to allow all that one has to go from one unprotected. I believe this to be possible and right to do, but I know that I personally cannot do it, partly because I am lazy, selfish and heartless, but I think even more because I am weak and apprehensive and because lifelong habits of thought and action now become instinctive prevent my living by the truth I recognize.—Margaret Stickney Kendall in Atlantic Monthly.

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THIRD INSTALLMENT

SYNOPSIS.

In her apartment at the Leland Elms, daughter of Lord Ashleigh, is murdered and the Ashleigh diamond necklace stolen. The New York police place the case in the hands of Sanford Quest, known and feared as the master criminologist of the world. He takes Lenora, Elms's maid, to his own apartments and through hypnotism and the use of electro-telepathic appliances discovers her connection with the crime, recovers the diamonds and arrests the murderer, Macdougal. Lenora's husband, though nearly trapped to his death in a tough tenement house while engaged in the work, Lenora becomes one of Quest's assistants. The detective is called in to investigate the theft of the skeleton of an ape, Lord Ashleigh. Macdougal escapes while on his way to prison. A string of diamonds is mysteriously stolen from Mrs. Rheinholdt during a reception.

THE POCKET WIRELESS.

CHAPTER VIII.

Mr. Sanford Quest sat in his favorite chair, his cigar inclined toward the left-hand corner of his mouth, his attention riveted upon a small instrument which he was supporting upon his knee. He glanced across the room to where Lenora was bending over her desk.

"We've done it this time, young woman," he declared triumphantly. "It's all O. K., working like a little peach."

Lenora rose and came toward him. "Is that the pocket wireless?"

He nodded. "I've had Morrison out at Harlem all the morning to test it," he told her. "I've sent him at least half a dozen messages from this easy chair, and got the replies. How are you getting on with the code?"

"Not so badly for a stupid person," Lenora replied.

Laura, who had been busy with some papers at the farther end of the room, came over and joined them. "Say, it's a dandy little affair, that. Mr. Quest," she exclaimed. "I had a try with it, a day or so ago. Jim spoke to me from Fifth avenue."

"We've got it tuned to a shade now," Quest declared. "Equipped with this simple little device, you can speak to me from anywhere up to ten or a dozen miles."

Quest rose to his feet and moved restlessly about the room.

"Say, girls," he confessed, "this is the first time in my life I have been in a fix like this. Two cases on hand and nothing doing with either of them. Criminologist, indeed! Whose box is this?"

Quest had paused suddenly in front of an oak sideboard which stood against the wall. Occupying a position upon it of some prominence was a small black box, whose presence there seemed to him unfamiliar. Laura came over to his side and looked at it also in puzzled fashion.

"Never saw it before in my life," she answered.

Quest grunted.

"H'm! No one else has been in the room, and it hasn't been empty for more than ten minutes," he remarked. "Well, let's see what's inside, anyway."

He lifted off the lid. There was nothing in the interior but a sheet of paper folded up. Quest smoothed it out with his hand. They all leaned over and read the following words, written in an obviously disguised hand:

You have embarked on a new study—anthropology. What character is strikes you most forcibly in connection with it? Cunning? The necklace might be where the skeleton is. Why not begin at the beginning?

The note was unsigned, but in the spot where a signature might have been there was a rough pen drawing of two hands, with fingers extended, talon fashion, menacingly, as though poised to strike at some unseen enemy. Quest, after their first moment of stupefaction, whistled softly.

"The hands!" he muttered.

"What hands?" Lenora asked.

"The hands that gripped Mrs. Rheinholdt by the throat," he reminded them. "Don't you remember? Hands without arms?"

There was another brief, almost stupefied silence. Then Laura broke into speech.

"What I want to know is," she demanded, "who brought the thing here?"

"A most daring exploit, anyway," Quest declared. "If we could answer your question, Laura, we could solve the whole riddle. We are up against something, and no mistake."

"The hand which placed that box there," Quest continued slowly, "is capable of even more wonderful things. We must be cautious. Hello!"

The door had opened. The professor stood upon the threshold.

"I trust that I have done right in coming up," he inquired.

"Quite right, professor," Quest assured him. "They know well enough downstairs that I am always at home in you. Come in."

I am anxious to learn," the professor said.

there is any news—of my skeleton."

"Not yet, professor, I am sorry to say," Quest replied. "Come in and shut the door."

"There is a young lady here," he said, "who caught me up upon the landing. She, too, I believe, wishes to see you."

He threw open the door and stood on one side. A young woman came a little hesitatingly into the room. Her hair was plainly brushed back, and she wore the severe dress of the Salvation Army.

"Want to see me, young lady?" Quest asked.

She held out a book.

"My name is Miss Quigg," she said. "I want to ask you for a subscription to our funds."

Quest frowned a little.

"Very well, Miss Quigg, you shall have a donation. I am busy today, but call at the same hour tomorrow and my secretary shall have a check ready for you."

The girl smiled her gratitude.

The professor laid his hand upon her arm as she passed.

"Young lady," he observed, "you seem very much in earnest about your work."

"It is only the people in earnest, sir," she answered, "who can do any good in the world. My work is worth being in earnest about."

"You compel my admiration. My most respectful admiration. May I, too, be permitted?"

He drew out a pocketbook and passed over toward her a little wad of notes.

"It is so kind of you," she murmured. "We never have any hesitation in accepting money. May I know your name?"

"It is not necessary," the professor answered. "You can enter me," he added, as he held open the door for her, "as a friend—or would you prefer a pseudonym?"

"A pseudonym, if you please," she begged. "We have so many who send us sums of money as friends. Anything will do."

The professor glanced around the room.

"What pseudonym shall I adopt?" he ruminated. "Shall I say that an oak sideboard gives you five hundred dollars? Or a Chippendale sofa? Or," he added, his eyes resting for a moment upon the little box, "a black box?"

The two girls from the other side of the table started. Even Quest swung suddenly around. The professor, as though pleased with his fancy, nodded as his fingers played with the lid.

"Yes, that will do very nicely," he decided. "Put me down—'Black Box,' five hundred dollars."

The girl took out her book and began to write. The professor, with a little farewell bow, crossed the room toward Quest. Lenora moved toward the door.

"Let me see you out," she said to the girl pleasantly.

Lenora opened the door. Both girls started. Only a few feet away Quest was standing, his head a little thrust forward. For a moment the quiet respect of his manner seemed to have deserted him. He seemed at a loss for words.

"What do you want?" Lenora demanded.

"I was waiting for my master," Craig explained.

"Why not downstairs?" Lenora asked suspiciously. "You did not come up with him."

"I am driving the professor in his automobile," Craig explained. "It occurred to me that if he were going to be long here I should have time to go and order another tire. It is of no consequence, though. I will go down and wait in the car."

Lenora stood at the top of the stairs and watched him disappear. Then she went thoughtfully back to her work. The professor and Quest were talking at the farther end of the room.

"I was in hopes, in great hopes," the professor admitted, "that you might have heard something. I promised to call at Mrs. Rheinholdt's this afternoon."

Quest shook his head.

"There is nothing to report at present, Mr. Ashleigh," he announced.

"Dear me," the professor murmured, "this is very disappointing. Is there no clue, Mr. Quest—no clue at all?"

"Not a ghost of one," Quest acknowledged. "I am as far off solving the mystery of the disappearance of your skeleton and Mrs. Rheinholdt's necklace as I have ever been."

The professor took a courteous leave of them all and departed. Lenora crossed the room to where Quest was seated.

"Mr. Quest," she asked, "do you believe in inspiration?"

"I attribute a large amount of my success," Quest replied, "to my profound belief in it."

"Then let me tell you," Lenora continued, "that I have one, and a very strong one. Do you know that when

the professor's servant, Craig, was there, listening?"

"Inspector French has had his men watching Craig ever since the night of the robbery," Quest remarked. "What's that? Answer the telephone, Lenora."

Lenora obeyed.

"It's Inspector French," she announced. "He wants to speak to you."

Quest nodded and held out his hand for the receiver.

"Hello, French!" he exclaimed.

"Anything fresh?"

"Nothing much," was the answer. "One of my men, though, who has been up Mayton avenue way, brought in something I found rather interesting this morning. I want you to come round and see it."

"Go right ahead and tell me about it," Quest invited.

"You know we've been shadowing Craig," the inspector continued. "Not much luck up till now. Fellow seems never to leave his master's side. We have had a couple of men up there, though, and one of them brought in a curious-looking object he picked up just outside the back of the professor's grounds."

"What is the thing?" Quest asked.

"Well, I want you to see whether you agree with me," French went on. "If you can't come round, I'll come to you."

"No necessity," Quest replied. "We've got over little difficulties of that sort. Laura just took on the phototelephone," he added, holding the receiver away for a moment. "One moment, French. There's that right," he added, as Laura, with deft fingers arranged what seemed to be a sensitized mirror to the instrument.

"Now, French, hold up the article just in front of the receiver. There, that's right. Hold it steady. I've got the focus of it now. Say, French, where did you say that was found?"

"Just outside the professor's back gate," French granted. "But you're not kidding me—"

"It's a finger from the professor's skeleton you've got there," Quest interrupted.

Quest hung up the receiver. Then he turned toward his two assistants.

"Another finger from the professor's skeleton," he announced, "has been found just outside his grounds. What do you suppose that means?"

"Craig," Lenora declared confidently.

"Craig on your life," Laura echoed.

"Say, Mr. Quest, I've got an idea," Quest nodded.

"Go right ahead with it."

"Didn't the butler at Mrs. Rheinholdt's say that Craig belonged to a servant's club up town? I know the place well. Let me go and see if I can't join and pick up a little information about the man. He must have a night out sometimes. Let's find out what he does. How's that?"

"Capital!" Quest agreed. "Get along, Laura. And you, Lenora," he added, "put on your hat. We'll take a ride towards Mayton avenue."

CHAPTER IX.

The exact spot where the bones of the missing skeleton was discovered, was easily located. It was about twenty yards from a gate which led into the back part of the professor's grounds. Quest wasted very little time before arriving at a decision.

"The discovery of the bones so near the professor's home," he decided, "cannot be coincidence only. We will waste no time out here, Lenora. We will search the grounds. Come on."

It was hard to know which way to turn. Every path was choked with tangled weeds and bushes. They wan-

dered about almost aimlessly for nearly half an hour. Then Quest came to a sudden standstill. Lenora gripped his arm. They had both heard the same sound—a queer, crooning cry, half plaintive, half angry.

"What's that?" he exclaimed.

Lenora still clung to his arm.

"I hate this place," she whispered. "It terrifies me. What are we looking for, Mr. Quest?"

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BEING SHOWN AT THE AIRDOME

SEE IT at AIRDOME WEDNESDAY

BEING SHOWN AT THE AIRDOME



"The Hut, Professor! The Hut is on Fire!"

far as the hedge, which they skirted for a few yards until they found an opening. Then Quest gave vent to a little exclamation. Immediately in front of them was a small hut, built apparently of sticks and bamboos, with a stronger framework behind. The sloping roof was grass-grown and entwined with rushes. The only apology for a window was a queer little hole quite close to the roof.

There was a rude-looking door, but Quest, on trying it, found it locked. They walked around the place, but found no other opening. All the time from inside they could hear queer scuffling sounds. Lenora's cheeks grew paler.

"Must we stay?" she murmured. "I don't think I want to see what's inside. Mr. Quest!"

She clung to his arm. They were opposite the little aperture which served as a window, and at that moment it suddenly framed the face of a creature, human in features, diabolical in expression.

"Say, that's some face!" he remarked. "I'd hate to spoil it."

Even as he spoke it disappeared. "We've got to get inside there, Lenora," he announced, stepping forward.

She followed him silently. A few turns of the wrist and the door yielded. Keeping Lenora a little behind him, Quest gazed around eagerly. Exactly in front of him, clad only in a loin cloth, with hunched up shoulders, a necklace around his neck, with blazing eyes and ugly, gleaming teeth, crouched some unrecognizable creature, human, yet inhuman, a monkey, and yet a man. There were a couple of monkeys swinging by their tails from a bar, and a leopard chained to a staple in the ground, walking round and round in the far corner, snapping and snarling every time he glanced towards the newcomers. The creature in front of him stretched out a hairy hand towards a club, and gripped it. Quest drew a long breath. His eyes were set hard.

"Drop that club," he ordered. The creature suddenly sprang up. The club was waved around his head. "Drop it," Quest repeated firmly. "You will sit down in your corner. You will sleep."

The club slipped from the hairy fingers. The tense frame, which had been already crouched for the spring, was suddenly relaxed. The knees trembled.

"Back to that corner," Quest ordered, pointing.

Slowly and dolefully, the ape-man crept to where he had been ordered and sat there with dull, non-comprehending stare. It was a new force, this, a note of which he had felt—the superman raising the voice of authority. Quest touched his forehead and found it damp. The strain of those few seconds had been intolerable.

"I don't think these other animals will hurt," he said. "Let's have a look around the place."

The search took only a few moments. The monkeys ran and jumped around them, gibbering as though with pleasure. The leopard watched them always with a snarl and an evil light in his eye.

They found nothing unusual until they came to the distant corner, where a huge piano box lay on its side with the opening turned to the wall.

"This is where the brute sleeps, I suppose," Quest remarked. "We'll turn it around, anyway."

They dragged it a few feet away from the wall, so that the opening faced them. Then Lenora gave a little cry and Quest stood suddenly still.

"The skeleton!" Lenora shrieked. "It's the skeleton!"

It was a skeleton so old that the bones had turned a dull gray. Quest glanced towards the hands.

"Little fingers both missing," he muttered.

"Remember the message?" she exclaimed. Where the skeleton is, the necklace may be also."

Quest nodded shortly. "We'll search."

They turned over everything in the place fruitlessly. There was no sign of the necklace.

"You get outside, Lenora," Quest directed. "I'll just bring this beast round again and then we'll tackle the professor."

Quest turned towards the creature, which crouched still huddled up in its corner.

"Look at me," he ordered.

The creature obeyed. Once more its frame seemed to grow more virile and natural.

Craig sprang in, no longer the self-contained, perfect man-servant, but with the face of some wild creature. His shout was one almost of agony.

"The hut, professor! The hut is on fire!" he cried.

His appearance on the threshold was like a flash. They heard his flying feet down the hall, and without a moment's hesitation they all followed. The professor led the way down a narrow and concealed path, but when they reached the little clearing in which the hut was situated, they were unable to approach any nearer. The place was a whirlwind of flame. The smell of kerosene was almost overpowering. The wild yell of the leopard rose above the strange half-human gibbering of the monkey and the hoarse, bass calling of another voice, at the sound of which Lenora and even Quest shuddered. Then as they came, breathless, to a standstill, they saw a strange thing. On the side of the hut fell in, and almost immediately the leopard with a mighty spring, leaped from the place and howling into the undergrowth. The monkeys followed but they came straight for the professor, wringing their hands. They fawned at his feet as though trying to show him their scorched bodies. Then for a single moment they saw the form of the ape-man as he struggled to follow the others. His strength failed him, however. He fell backwards into the burning chasm.

The professor bade them farewell an hour later, on the steps of the house. He seemed suddenly to have aged.

"You have done your best, Mr. Quest," he said, "but fate has been too strong. Remember this, though, it is quite true that the cunning of Har too may have made it possible for him to have stolen the skeleton and to have brought it back to its hiding place, but it was jealousy—cruel, brutal, foul jealousy which smeared the walls of that hut with kerosene and set light to it. The work of a lifetime, my dreams of scientific immortality, have vanished in those flames."

He turned slowly away from them and re-entered the house. Quest and Lenora made their way down the avenue and entered the automobile which was waiting for them, almost in a silence. The latter glanced toward his companion, as they drove off.

"Say, this has been a bit tough for you," he remarked. "I'll have to call somewhere and get you a glass of wine."

She tried to smile but her strength was almost gone. They drove to a restaurant and sat there for some little time. Lenora soon recovered her color. She even had courage to speak of the events of the afternoon when they re-entered the automobile.

"Mr. Quest," Lenora murmured, "who do you suppose burned the hut down?"

"If I don't say Craig, I suppose you will," he remarked. "I wonder whether Laura's had any luck."

They were greeted, as they entered Quest's room, by a familiar little ticking. Quest smiled with pleasure.

"It's the pocket wireless," he declared. "Let me take down the message."

He spelled it out to Lenora, who stood by his side:

Have joined servants' club disguised as your butler. Craig frequent visitor here ten years ago, comes now occasionally. Thursday evenings most likely time. Shall wait here on chance of seeing him.

"Good girl, that," Quest remarked. "She's a rare sticker, too."

He turned away from the instrument and was crossing the room toward his cigar cabinet. Suddenly he stopped. He looked intently towards the sideboard.

"What is it?" Lenora asked.

He did not answer. She followed the direction of his gaze. Exactly in the same spot as before reposed an



It Was, Mrs. Rheinholdt's Necklace.

other but somewhat larger black box of the same shape and material as the previous one.

"Say, who put that there?" he demanded.

Lenora shook her head. "I locked the door when we went out," she assured him.

Quest took the box into his hands and removed the lid. It seemed half full of cotton-wool. On the top were a few lines of writing and beneath them the signature of the parted hands. He read the form out slowly:

Drop all investigation. The hands that return these jewels command it.

Quest raised the cotton-wool. Beneath lay Mrs. Rheinholdt's necklace. (TO BE CONTINUED.)

HELLEBORE FOR FLIES

New and Effective Method of Destroying Larvae—No Risk to Live Stock or Damage to Crops Involved.

—U. S. Department Agriculture.

A safe and effective weapon against the typhoid or house fly has been found in powdered hellebore by scientists of the department. Flies lay their eggs chiefly in stable manure. Powdered hellebore mixed with water and sprinkled over the manure will destroy the larvae which are hatched from the eggs. Since powdered hellebore is readily obtainable, this puts in the hands of everyone a remedy for one of the pests that has been found dangerous as well as troublesome. Powdered hellebore, however, will not kill adult flies, which must be trapped.

It has long been known that flies breed in manure, but previous methods of destroying the larvae by use of strong chemicals have been open to the objection that the treatment under some conditions lessened the fertilizing value of the manure or actually injured vegetation. This is not true of powdered hellebore. Government experiments have shown that the hellebore is entirely decayed in the course of the fermentation of the manure, and that even in excessive quantities it does no harm to the larvae it is intended to destroy. Chickens kicking in manure treated with it suffer no ill effects.

One-half pound of powdered hellebore mixed with 10 gallons of water is sufficient to kill the larvae in 8 bushels, or 10 cubic feet of manure. The mixture should be sprinkled carefully over the pile, especial attention being paid to the outer edges. In most places hellebore is obtainable in 100-pound lots at a cost of 11 cents a pound. This makes the cost of the treatment a little less than seven-tenths of a cent per bushel of manure. A liberal estimate of the output of manure is two bushels a day per horse. The money involved is therefore trifling in comparison with the benefits to the individual and the community from the practical elimination of the disease-spreading fly.

Although fresh manure is the favorite breeding spot, flies lay their eggs in other places as well, such as out-houses, refuse piles, etc. In these places, from which no manure is taken to spread on the fields, considerable saving may be effected through the substitution of borax for powdered hellebore. Applied at the rate of 3.62 pounds for 8 bushels of manure, borax is as effective as powdered hellebore in killing the larvae but costs less than half a cent for each bushel of manure treated. In larger quantities, however, or when the manure itself is spread at a greater rate than 15 tons to the acre, some damage to crops may result. Large quantities of manure are often used by market gardeners and others, and it is always danger of carelessness in applying the borax. The use of hellebore is therefore recommended for the treatment of manure. Borax is recommended for all other refuse in which flies may lay eggs.

Scientists who have been working for years to eliminate the fly are convinced that the use of one or the other of these simple measures is a public duty wherever manure and refuse exist. Sanitarians, however, strongly advise the removal of refuse heaps or other unnecessary rubbish or breeding places for flies. In breeding places which cannot be thus disposed of, such as manure or stables, the daily use of powdered hellebore will keep the flies from breeding in these favorite breeding grounds. The best results are obtainable in a community where everyone cleans up his premises, traps or kills the flies, and systematically treats the manure and other breeding places with powdered hellebore.

The fly is not only a nuisance to human beings and live stock; it spreads disease and filth and is a menace to public health which can not be tolerated in the face of a demonstrated remedy. Details of the experiments with other information on the subject are contained in a professional paper, Bulletin 215 of the department.

THE MAIL ORDER CITIZEN.—William Allen White in Emporia Gazette.

The man who buys his goods at a mail order house and expects his neighbors at home to buy goods of him, or to buy labor of him, or to buy professional services of him, economically is a leech. He is sucking industrial blood out of the town, and gives none back. He sends his profits out of town, like a Chinaman, and has no more right to a standing in the community than a foreigner. We are all neighbors industrially, in our home town, and the man who sends away for his goods is not one of us. He is of another industrial system and deserves no local support. The fact that this is economically wrong is recognized by the mail order houses themselves. They protect their customers as thieves by offering to keep people from knowing where the mail order goods come from. The mail order houses have no "tags" on their goods.

They say in their catalogues that none of their goods are marked and that no one knows where they were bought. If it is proper to hide the place of purchase on an article, it is wrong to buy the article at that place. Only the man who steals is ashamed to say where he got anything he has. There is such a thing as "tainted" dry goods, "tainted" groceries and "tainted" furniture. All of such that are not bought at home, of men who befriended you, of men to whom you owe a living; are "tainted" because they come unfairly.

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COUNTY DIVISION SCHEME.

A resolution was offered in the Wednesday meeting of the County Board by Commissioner Wright to change the commissioners districts, one to include all the territory east of the Pecos and another to take in the territory one mile north of Lakewood, and west of river, and the other from a line north of Lakewood to the county line on the south and west of the river. This would put more than two thirds the area of the county in the district east of the river and one eleventh in the northwest corner with the balance south of Lakewood or less than one fourth in the Carlsbad district. This would give the north-west corner one third of the road funds and one third of the control of the management of the whole county while that portion east of the river would have only one third of the road funds to build roads with and considerably over two thirds of the area of the county to build roads in and would elect but one commissioner who would have but one third voice in the management of the county while representing two thirds of the area of the county.

This looks like an attempt to revive the old county division scheme which has been dead and buried for a number of years, and is calculated to stir up strife and sectional feeling over a matter in which nine-tenths of the people of the county are entirely satisfied. As it is the plain country that have representation on the board as it formerly had, by electing a commissioner in any one of the three districts which run entirely across the county.

To show clearly how unequal the proposed division would be, let us divide the county into two parts and you will see that the plain district would contain 122 townships, the Carlsbad district about 70 townships and the Artesia district about 15 townships being less than one-eleventh the area of the county.

It is unnecessary to state that the board refused to entertain any such an unfair and unequal redistributing scheme which is obviously to the interest only of one eleventh of the county. If any change is to be made it would be more sensible to move the line dividing districts No. 1 and 2 north about six miles which would pass directly through the center of Carlsbad the same as is done in Chaves county with Roswell the county seat. This would make but a very imperceptible difference in the area of the districts while it would even up the population in the districts considerably.

There is considerable fear at present that the German reply to the last note of the United States may not be satisfactory and that after all diplomatic relations with Germany may be severed. The English diplomats, such as Cecil Spring-Rice can influence the president to break with Germany it will be done and that is the class that seems to have the ear of the president at present.

The taxes advertised against C. N. James and L. F. Davidson were paid the past week and have been requested to be removed from the delinquent tax list, but as all the list has been printed it was impossible to remove the names.

The same crank who tried to kidnap J. P. Morgan also tried to blow up the capital at Washington and succeeded in doing considerable damage and after he had done all he could finally deliberately committed suicide. If all the cranks would be as accommodating they would cause less expense for conviction.

It would seem from the many violations of the law that many are not aware that the taking of a bicycle motor cycle or auto for a short drive and returning same lays the offender liable to a fine of from \$50 to \$100, but such is the case. Justice P. H. Richards believes all should be made aware of the law for if any are brought before him he will be compelled to assess the fine.

Huerta, ex-dictator of Mexico, was placed in jail in El Paso, Texas, with five of his companions. He will be tried in San Antonio for breach of neutrality shortly.

During the past week or two the Albuquerque Journal has been publishing in its editorial column editorials from the editors of the leading weeklies of the state, the subject being "What New Mexico Most Needs." The following editorials were published this week:

CO-OPERATION NEEDED IN NEW MEXICO.

If every city, town and county in New Mexico would unite in a movement to advance the interests of the state at large there would be added an impetus to the growth and prosperity of New Mexico that would be marvelous.

Co-operation in community building, whenever practiced, has had excellent results. There is no reason why the plan should not work well with counties, cities and towns. With all of New Mexico working toward a common end success as a natural consequence would reward such effort.

The workings and strife engaged in between rival communities benefits neither, but, on the other hand, regards both. What one gains by such methods, militates against the other. Therefore the argument for a get-together propaganda is the more insistent, so much so that it assumes the proportions of a demand.

New Mexico is a big state. It has more room to grow than has perhaps any other state in the union. Aside from spurs now and then, the state has made no consistent and organized effort to get ahead, to build for the future.

If the newspapers of the state as a whole would seek to further the interests of their own particular communities and those of the commonwealth at large, instead of exploiting the misfortunes and the mistakes of certain sections, much good would be accomplished and a friendly spirit engendered.

The Albuquerque Morning Journal has always lived up to its name as a state-wide newspaper. It mixes in the troubles of no section; takes up the fights of no faction, but treats all communities alike. It is this spirit that makes the paper popular throughout New Mexico.

Co-operation, we repeat, is what New Mexico needs. It is the remedy to rejuvenate the state and its people. Let's try it.

DON W. LISK,

Editor Silver City Independent.

WHAT NEW MEXICO MOST NEEDS

The crying need of New Mexico is the eradication of race prejudice. The state at present is in the throes of heterogeneous citizenship, a people made up of many and diverse ideas of right and wrong. To many the very element appears to be obnoxious, and still if the people who take this position could look into the future they might see that their progeny must live among the descendants of the native people who have first claim upon New Mexico, and that the charitable and broad view that holds makes for none. If the so-called American element would see to it that the native element receive the same consideration in education they themselves desire, and take every opportunity to aid the education of the youth of their native neighbors, all would be more prosperous. If they could see that there is no more of bad and as much of good in them as in their own element, that the little children of the natives learn just as fast and if taught how to read and write will make the best of citizens. If all could be brought together, the American element of the young would learn Spanish while the native would become an American in fact. In this section of the state it is seldom we find the natives taking any part in public matters simply because they are as good as told to herd together and not mingle with the balance of the people. If the people of New Mexico want to produce criminals they have only to continue to ignore and shun the native children, then in the course of time the state will be more noted than at present for its large per cent of murders and other crimes. If the American element would make taxes higher they can do so allowing a large per cent of the poor of either the natives or Anglo-Americans to grow up in ignorance and indifference. They can see the seed and reap the whirlwind if they so desire. A means to ease to the education of the natives in the sections where the so-called Americans predominate and to

church, preferably the church of the parents, where they can learn the commandments and imbibe a knowledge of God and the certainty of retribution for wrong acts committed, is what New Mexico most needs.

WM. H. MULANE,

Editor Current, Carlsbad, N. M.

WHAT NEW MEXICO NEEDS MOST.

The imperishable wealth of New Mexico is beyond human comprehension. It is the main factor in the product of perishable, consumable wealth. The other factor of such perishable wealth is human effort. Imperishable wealth cannot be increased or decreased by human effort, while the quantum of perishable wealth depends upon human effort, human labor.

The direction of human effort in the production of perishable wealth depends upon the environment in which such human effort is expended. If the social environments are favorable, such human effort applied to the imperishable wealth will produce the greatest product of perishable wealth; if unfavorable, the product will be short of the normal quantum. In truth, such social environment may reach such a degree of unfavorableness as to render much of such human effort void, absolute human waste.

God, in his creative wisdom, has given New Mexico the two great factors in the production of perishable wealth, namely, imperishable wealth, such as land with all its contents, water, atmosphere, sunshine, mois-

ture, etc., and human labor, human effort. The former factor must be accepted and used wherever, and as found in nature and is subject neither to increase nor decrease by either wisely directed or misdirected human effort; therefore, social environments cannot affect this factor of perishable wealth whether such environments be favorable or unfavorable, but may affect the second factor of such wealth by interfering with its naturally free and unhampered activity.

The social environments of human effort, human activity, are the institutions of man, chief of which is the institution of civil government. If civil government be rooted and grounded in truth, equality, justice and righteousness it will establish, maintain and promote favorable environments under which human effort will bring forth its greatest products as the second factor of perishable wealth.

More than anything else, or all things else, does New Mexico need a civil government rooted and grounded in truth, liberty, justice and righteousness. Such civil government would secure and perpetuate the social environments of peace and plenty as the natural products of human effort wisely directed to the end of all human aspiration and hope, namely, life, love, liberty, freedom, fruition, fructification and happiness. Without peace and plenty of perishable wealth all human association must be more or less miserable.

New Mexico has not such a civil government nor is she alone in this undesirable condition. In this respect, she is by no means a star of the first magnitude in the blue of this great nation. Her children are bond children, not of the free woman but of the bond-woman. Space forbids enumeration and argument here, but these are tenable truths. New Mexico needs freedom from these bonds and chains upon her human effort. Only a conception and full realization of the truth can free her of these clanking chains, and such a conception and realization can and will come to her only through her press; therefore, New Mexico's most urgent, immediate need today is, a united daily and weekly press capable of sowing the unvarnished, untainted truth; a daily and weekly press uninfluenced by greed and tainted money; a daily and weekly press uncontrolled by Mammon and his political minions; a daily and weekly press that will not lick the boots of parasites in human association; a daily and weekly press that will not cringe under the scourge of scorpion gold; a daily and weekly press that will not be Friday to foreign, unwholesome, unhealthy institutions and interests; a daily and weekly press that will not embolize upon her eunuch-like false and lying doctrines as facts of truth; a daily and weekly press that has the courage of truthful service to humanity in all that factors in the democracy of human association, in all that tends to the uplift and progress of the human race; a daily and weekly press that flashes burning message of philosophy, civic, economic, social truths and righteousness; a daily and weekly press with clean hands, clear brains, pure in heart, fearless in soul, constant in purpose and tireless in effort.

Under the benign influence of such a united daily and weekly press, New Mexico, with her God-given, natural, imperishable wealth, mast, and soon would, evolve all the greatness of righteous possibilities in human association with environments of peace and plenty. Under such influence, the political pewit would pass away as the misty dawn before the dazzling light of the king of day. Under such influence, the establishment of an equitable, righteous regime of civil government would not only become a human possibility but would soon be a fact of and potent factor in human association in equity and righteousness in this great state of human possibilities from righteous human effort. With the passing of the political pewit, the evolution of righteous civil government and the social environments of peace and plenty would mark a new epoch on the scroll of events punctuating the unfolding of man to the wise and genial purposes of his Creator under the soft, redolent blue of New Mexico's starry firmament.

G. W. GUYER,

Editor Clayton Citizen.

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EXHIBITS OF PRODUCTS.

(A. M. Hove.)

Every community in the Pecos Valley needs freshen up its exhibit of farm, orchard, and garden products this season. Every variety of crops grown here may be shown to advantage in glass. The last season's display is losing color and form and is ready to be dumped. Bright, sound products in clean jars with neat, new labels always attract attention.

Every community needs a display of products for home use. It costs little and is good advertising. But better still, spend a little more money and send an exhibit to the various fairs this fall. It is effective advertising.

To secure good specimens of fruit and vegetables, attention to the matter is necessary all season. The Pecos Valley grows so great a variety of good things to eat that by systematic selection a most attractive assortment may be arranged.

Brush up the glass jars and bargain with the druggist for plenty of formaldehyde, glycerine, and other preserving dope for the peach, plum, cherry, prune, grape, nectarine, pear, apple, berries, cantaloupe, beet, onion, and so on down the long list of products that thrives in the Pecos Valley.

HOUSE BILL LEGALLY PASSED—IS DECISION OF SUPREME COURT

The decision of the New Mexico supreme court that House Bill No. 204, the "traveling auditor bill," was legally passed by the state legislature, and that notwithstanding the notorious and flagrant actions of the senate majority in connection with the passage of that bill and in the changing of the record, its validity cannot be attacked, will come, we believe, as a profound and tremendous shock to the people of the state of New Mexico, which seems to take it hard.

We assume that the members of the supreme court, men whom we properly assume to be of unwavering impartiality and entirely unaffected by political considerations or affiliations, have correctly interpreted the law and the constitution of the state. They are men learned in the law who have devoted weeks of deliberation and conscientious study to the question at issue—one of the biggest questions we believe, with which this august body has ever confronted.

It is unnecessary to review here what the legislature majority did in the closing days of the last legislature. The facts are known to every voter in the state. The people of New Mexico are familiar with the absolute, ruthless, unscrupulousness which marked the actions of the senate majority; the open insolence with which they threw their jagged record in the face of the public; they know how that record was hawked around over the state; they know that the final record of the traveling auditor bill occurred after the constitutional time for the session; they know the record was changed to make the passage legal; they know the members of the senate "worked over" the record after the session had closed to make it fit the facts; they know that these men, defying every rule of public propriety and official decency, said to the people of New Mexico:

"What are you going to do about it?"

The supreme court of New Mexico says that the people of New Mexico can do nothing about it.

The New Mexican believes that the decent people of this state can find a way to prevent a recurrence of this deep disgrace. We believe that not all the decisions ever handed down by ever legally sound, can prevent a people from finding ways and means of enforcing honesty in the making of their laws. We are confident that there is a means of remedying an outrageous but flagrant wrong. If not the present is enough, let the gravest menace to the welfare of New Mexico be the voice of the people. If we cannot get rid of a corrupt and dishonest legislature, let us make a mockery of honesty, let us let rid of the lawmakers, driving them out of public life. The people of this state have been insulted and deceived by the action of the republican majority of the state senate. Their rottenness has been flaunted in our faces; and the supreme court holds us but helplessly do nothing.

What are we going to do about it? A legislative session, which during the coming campaign should receive the most careful and prayerful consideration of the people of the state. The problem of legislative honesty has been growing worse in this state for years past. It has come to a pass where it must be solved. The supreme court, whose opinion we respect and accept, declares the law affords no relief. And if not, we must assume, absolutely and beyond the shadow of a doubt, that we are going to put men in the halls of legislation who will regard the unwritten law of public decency as equally binding with the fundamental law of the state.—Roswell News.

BIG STORM ON PLAINS.

From reports coming in from the Plains the north eastern portion of the county was visited Saturday and Sunday by a storm the extent and effects of which were never before known in that country. The storm of Saturday night came with wind and hail and is said to have killed about 300 sheep of Mr. Johnson, northeast of Lovington. The hail and wind continued on in a southeasterly direction and seven windmills were demolished in the path. Near Nadine the house occupied by Mrs. Owen was blown down and Mrs. Owen injured so as to be unable to attend a case that was to be tried in Carlsbad tomorrow. The storm extended over so much territory that it is impossible to learn all the particulars.

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THE CARLSBAD REPORT.

The News has been deeply interested in the comment being made for and against the report of the Revaluation Board of the Carlsbad Project. When it first appeared it seemed to us that the facts in the case might have been stated with equal force, with enough emphasis to impress the department officials, without infringing on the realm of the melodrama or ending up what should have been a statement of facts with the startling expression, "God pity the water users under the Carlsbad Project." As was foreseen at the time by intelligent Carlsbad people, the report was widely copied and special stress laid on that last statement. The Irrigation Age, a magazine which is frequently consulted by homeseekers who wish to learn something of the irrigated sections of the west, published the report as legitimate news, which it is, and untold harm resulted therefrom. That a board appointed and authorized by the Secretary of the Interior would present matters in such an unfavorable light is enough to frighten away any homeseeker unacquainted with the facts. It will be hard to convince the least skeptical that the only object of the board was to make the report strong enough to force the government to make certain concessions to the water users.

To anyone who compares the connection of the Carlsbad farming section today with what it was eight or ten years ago after the break in the dam had brought ruin and desolation to a great country it would appear that the board was needlessly wrought up over a matter of reduced payments which will certainly be equitably adjusted by the Department. The report, in some of its saner paragraphs, states as fact that large sums of money have been expended which should never have been charged to the land owners, and gives figures to prove the statement. That set of figures alone should be sufficient to bring the matter to the attention of the Department, and the burst of sympathy at the end of the report will add nothing to its effectiveness.

The facts boiled down amount to this: The Carlsbad water users have been overcharged.

They wish to settle their account with the Reclamation Service on a fair and honest basis.

"They do not wish to pay for the mistakes of the Reclamation Service."

As a straightforward business proposition they do not want to pay twice for their water, any more than they would want to pay double for their groceries or clothing.

They are objecting to overcharges on water the same as you would object to an overcharge on a ton of coal.

But as for calling upon Divine Providence or mankind for pity, that is all nonsense. Instead of pity, the Carlsbad water users want a business-like administration of their project and a fair return for their money.—Artesia News.

ROOF GARDEN BAND ORCHESTRA CONCERT.

The management of the Firemen's band will, tonight, give those who are regular contributors to the support of the band a free picture show with the evening's musical program as usual, to be given on the Airdome Roof Garden. This, no doubt, will meet with popular approval for the general public will have the benefit of the concert while the regular contributors are entitled to some recompense occasionally for their generosity in sustaining the band for so many years. All contributors and their families will be admitted free to one of the best programs ever given in a picture show. The pictures will be "The Flash," and "Won With Dynamite" three reels of the most entertaining moving pictures for only cents to the general public. This show in connection with the band orchestra will be the best of its kind ever. The roof garden is cool when all other places in town are almost as hot as will be attested by all who have attended the moving pictures the past week at the Airdome.

PERRY KEARNEY, PIONEER, DIES

Was Founder of Town of La Luz and Former Owner of Kearney Ranch.

Alamogordo, N. M., July 7.—Funeral service for Perry Kearney, one of the pioneer settlers of this section, will be held here tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock and interment will be made in Mount Vista cemetery. Kearney died at Dawson, N. M., Monday afternoon, of Bright's disease. He was about 65 years of age. Rev. James E. Conder, pastor of the M. E. church, south, will preach the service at the Garden chapel and the Masonic bodies will conduct the service at the grave. He was a member of the blue lodge, the Royal Arch and the Knights Templar, of Alamogordo.

Mr. Kearney came to New Mexico in 1874, as a teamster with the celebrated Pat Coghlan.

MAY SELL OUT DELINQUENT LIST.

Donna Ana County Has \$200,000 in Delinquent Taxes; Gets 90 Cent Offer.

Las Cruces, N. M., July 7.—The Donna Ana county commissioners met at the court house for the purpose of adjusting the delinquent tax list. Donna Ana county has nearly \$200,000 due from delinquent tax payers. The commissioners have a proposition from an eastern firm to sell all of the tax list for 90 cents on the dollar. They are seriously considering the matter and in the event that they accept the offer, the cash will be paid over to the commissioners at once. Under the law, any tax payer who fails to come in and redeem his property within three years will lose the title and it is thought that delinquents will make a special effort to pay up at once.

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DELINQUENT TAX LIST FOR THE YEAR 1914.

Eddy County.

The delinquent tax list of known and unknown owners of real estate and property of Eddy County, as shown by the tax rolls of said county, and as levied and assessed against said property for the year 1914, now due and unpaid.

State of New Mexico,
County of Eddy, ss.
Office of Treasurer and
Ex-Officio Tax Collector,
To THE DELINQUENT TAX PAYERS OF EDDY
COUNTY WHOSE NAMES APPEAR IN THE FOLLOW-
ING LIST:

Notice is hereby given that the following alphabetical list contains the names of the owners of property upon which taxes are delinquent, as shown by the tax rolls of Eddy County for the year 1914, and opposite each name is set forth the amount of the tax delinquent upon the property of the person so named, as shown by said tax rolls of Eddy County, together with the interest due thereon and the costs of publication.

NAME	ORIG. TAX	INT.	PUB. COST	TOTAL TAX
Carlbad School District.				
Alewine, B. J.	7.50	.08	.30	7.88
Bartlett, B.	10.45	.10	.30	10.85
Beckett, G. A.	30.40	1.82	.30	32.52
Brice, C. R.	21.12	1.27	.30	22.69
Brice & Hull	44.26	.44	.30	45.00
Brown, W. G.	115.08	6.90	.30	122.28
Buchanan, Mollie C.	65.88	3.95	.30	70.13
Campbell, Samuel	4.78	.28	.30	5.36
Chamber, J. C.	40.18	2.41	.30	42.89
Christian, H. F., Spcl.	322.10	19.33	.30	341.73
Christian, Mary A., Spcl.	237.96	14.28	.30	252.54
Church, C. D.	37.45	.37	.30	38.12
Clark, H. H.	37.73	2.26	.30	40.29
Cloud, John C.	10.22	.60	.30	11.12
Collier, L. M.	8.51	.09	.30	8.90
Daugherty, N. T.	76.28	4.58	.30	81.16
Dean, W. W., Spcl.	218.50	13.11	.30	231.91
Doepf, Dr. F. F.	133.61	1.33	.30	135.24
Domini, F.	4.08	.24	.30	4.62
Fairchild, O. M.	12.24	.73	.30	13.27
Finlay, W. A.	88.35	.88	.30	89.53
Force, W. G.	17.80	1.07	.30	19.17
Fox, Mary Eddy	3.40	.20	.30	3.90
Geraghty, E.	1.37	.08	.30	1.75
Harbert, C. J.	38.82	2.33	.30	41.45
Hardy, Miss Zuleika	27.24	1.63	.30	29.17
Hill, S. W.	33.64	2.02	.30	35.96
Hoose, E. M.	20.02	1.20	.30	21.52
Hueser, J. H.	10.01	.20	.30	10.51
Hull, W. H.	114.40	6.86	.30	121.56
I. O. F. Lodge, Carlbad	119.18	7.14	.30	126.62
James H. E.	7.11	.07	.30	7.48
Jones, C. N.	25.08	.25	.30	25.63
Jordan, Est. of C. A.	45.64	2.73	.30	48.67
Kerr, Monroe T.	24.52	1.47	.30	26.29
Kerr, Est. of Mary J.	13.62	.82	.30	14.73
Kindel, T. J.	11.41	.11	.30	11.82
Kirkpatrick, E. S.	14.30	.14	.30	14.74
Kuykendall, J. D.	22.47	1.35	.30	24.12
La Huerta Co.	51.70	3.10	.30	55.10
Lewis, J. W.	28.78	1.61	.30	29.69
Lewis, C. C.	247.02	14.82	.30	262.14
Lichte, H. P.	6.82	.41	.30	7.53
Marshall, F. B.	84.92	5.10	.30	90.32
Marshall, F. B.	4.09	.24	.30	4.63
Mason, Lodge of Carlbad	147.10	8.83	.30	156.23
McLennan, C. H.	128.44	7.71	.30	136.45
McLennan & Tracy	23.84	1.43	.30	25.57
McLennan, W. P., Spcl.	201.30	12.08	.30	213.68
Mitchell, S. D.	23.84	1.43	.30	25.57
Monaghan, A.	73.40	4.40	.30	78.10
Morgan, D. W.	20.44	1.20	.30	21.94
Mudgett, W. P.	48.72	.49	.30	49.51
Mullane, Wm. H.	45.81	.46	.30	46.57
Obenmus, R.	156.62	9.39	.30	166.32
O'Quinn, A. R.	17.30	1.04	.30	18.64
Osborn, L. S.	791.42	57.49	.30	849.21
Pendleton, G. M.	35.42	.35	.30	36.07
Pecos Valley Trust Co.	391.58	23.49	.30	415.37
Pentowsky, Est. of F. V.	44.94	2.70	.30	47.94
Pope, W. J.	64.24	3.15	.30	67.69
Reed, Guy A.	29.76	1.70	.30	31.76
Reed, W. T.	40.66	2.44	.30	43.40
Reed, W. T., Spcl.	210.16	12.61	.30	223.07
Reiff, Mrs. W. C.	8.90	.53	.30	9.73
Robb, Mrs. Mattie	8.90	.53	.30	9.73
Robb, H. E.	54.82	3.27	.30	58.39
Robb, H. E., Spcl.	25.88	1.35	.30	27.73
Quinones, Juan	8.60	.09	.30	8.99
Sickles, C. H.	5.28	.05	.30	5.63
Simpson, W. W.	47.92	2.88	.30	51.10
Simpson, A. L.	25.00	1.50	.30	26.80
Slocum, Mary G.	20.44	1.22	.30	21.96
Smith, T. J.	2.50	.15	.30	2.95
Stamp, Mrs. Anna	17.02	1.02	.30	18.34
Stewart, M. C.	21.82	.22	.30	22.34
Stone, Mrs. Flora	138.44	8.30	.30	147.04
Sutherland, D. B.	30.02	1.80	.30	32.12
Swigart, L. A.	22.41	.22	.30	22.91
Thayer, Mrs. J. O.	42.56	.43	.30	43.29
Tracy, Olive C., Spcl.	225.18	13.51	.30	238.99
Tracy, F. G., Spcl.	176.26	10.58	.30	187.14
Tracy, F. G., Spcl.	171.26	10.27	.30	181.83
Walterscheid, W. M.	56.52	3.39	.30	60.21
Weaver, F. P.	14.11	.84	.30	15.25
Westaway, R. H.	93.02	5.58	.30	98.90
Woerner, W. G.	124.96	7.50	.30	132.76
Wright, Claud F.	20.79	1.25	.30	22.34
Zimmerman, F. R.	19.68	1.18	.30	21.16
Subsequent Assessments.				
Anzell, Lewis	51.14	3.07	.30	54.51
Blackmore, T. F.	12.94	.77	.30	13.84
Emerson, M. A. & E. F.	29.96	1.80	.30	32.06
Harris, H. H.	36.70	2.20	.30	39.20
Hubbard, H. D.	179.40	10.76	.30	190.47
Wallace, J. E.	59.16	3.55	.30	63.01
Blocker, Mrs. Sophia	24.10	1.45	.30	25.55
Bitting, Est. of S. T.	2.04	.02	.30	2.36
School District No. 1.				
Amerine, J. W.	.62	.04	.30	.96
Bales, W. D.	48.36	2.92	.30	51.58
Bland, J. M., Spcl.	38.16	2.29	.30	40.75
Calvani, Torillo	6.50	.40	.30	7.20
Cunningham, M. N.	28.25	.28	.30	28.83
Diofendorf, Dr. L. F.	71.46	4.29	.30	76.05
Ellsworth, B. H.	60.44	3.63	.30	64.37
Force, W. G.	87.62	2.26	.30	90.18
Fulling, G. W.	36.10	2.17	.30	38.57
Gomez, Romelo	12.20	.12	.30	12.62
Geer, Mrs. Elizabeth	35.72	2.25	.30	38.27
Geer, A. C.	56.64	3.40	.30	60.34
Hall, W. W.	62.78	3.17	.30	66.25
Hardy, Miss Zuleika	18.28	1.10	.30	19.68
Harris, R. L.	39.79	2.39	.30	42.48
Kuykendall, J. D.	4.47	.27	.30	4.74
Lewis, J. W.	92.58	5.55	.30	98.43
Little, F. E.	18.82	1.12	.30	20.04
Marshall, Mrs. Lola L.	6.50	.39	.30	7.19
Masters, A. A.	83.72	5.02	.30	89.04
McClain, W. F.	43.88	2.63	.30	46.81
Newcomer, C. R.	167.06	10.02	.30	177.32
Obenmus, R.	42.92	2.58	.30	45.80
Osborn, L. S.	1.62	.10	.30	2.02
Pecos Valley Trust Co.	4.06	.24	.30	4.60
Santa Cruz, Sisto	8.32	.50	.30	8.92
Smith, T. J.	6.50	.39	.30	7.19
Sylvester, W. B.	53.63	.54	.30	54.47
Tracy, F. G., Agent	3.24	.19	.30	3.73
Webb, T. S.	67.18	1.06	.30	68.44
Freeman, L. F.	118.34	7.09	.30	125.63
School District No. 3.				
Hinchman, C. R.	2.54	.15	.30	2.99
Keenun, R. W.	8.60	.43	.30	9.33
Raney, W. R.	243.88	14.83	.30	259.01
Washington, Mrs. Mary	28.34	1.70	.30	30.34
School District No. 4.				
Gray & Lucas	25.81	.26	.30	26.37
Washington, Mrs. Mary	267.69	16.06	.30	284.05

NAME	ORIG. TAX	INT.	PUB. COST	TOTAL TAX
School District No. 5.				
Cochran, W. F.	10.62	.64	.30	11.56
De Moss, J. C.	6.38	.38	.30	7.06
School District No. 6.				
Smith, J. J. S.	42.45	.42	.30	43.17
School District No. 7.				
A. H. Abbott	\$ 2.02	.10	.30	\$ 2.42
Abernathy, D. M.	40.18	2.01	.30	42.57
Beckham, J. H., Jr.	2.02	.10	.30	2.42
Brogdon, J. C.	6.24	.31	.30	6.85
Buchly, W. C.	5.06	.25	.30	5.61
Buliach, A.	.51	.03	.30	.84
Campbell, C. H.	80.64	4.03	.30	84.97
Cook, N. V.	41.00	2.05	.30	43.35
Coughlin, John	2.02	.10	.30	2.42
Crozier, A. C.	11.12	.55	.30	11.97
Crozier & Humphreys	23.73	1.19	.30	25.22
De Arcey, J. E.	31.98	1.60	.30	33.48
De Autremont, Mrs.	10.64	.53	.30	11.47
Denning & Hamilton	3.55	.16	.30	4.01
Fairchild, O. M.	6.82	.34	.30	7.46
Fairchild, O. M.	24.80	1.24	.30	26.34
Fairchild, O. M.	1.52	.07	.30	1.89
Fanning, Mrs. S. E.	1.01	2.05	.30	1.36
Fields, E. L.	14.79	.15	.30	15.24
Fairchild, O. M.	140.90	7.05	.30	148.25
French, Chester	.26	.01	.30	.57
Freshy, F. T.	4.30	.21	.30	4.81
Gardiner, M. F.	.26	.01	.30	.57
Gartner, Perry	5.58	.27	.30	6.15
Harlan, F. G.	89.06	4.45	.30	93.81
Harshberger, L. B.	33.72	1.68	.30	35.70
Henning, August	.26	.01	.30	.57
Hester, R. E.	15.81	.80	.30	16.91
Holmes, Felix	2.03	.10	.30	2.43
Howell, W. M.	3.89	.20	.30	4.39
Howell, L. W.	2.33	.11	.30	2.74
Humphreys, E. L.	14.68	.73	.30	15.71
Jenkins, J. R.	1.27	.06	.30	1.63
Jones, Mrs. E. G.	1.02	.05	.30	1.37
Jones, A. E. & A. N.	1.02	.05	.30	1.37
Lakewood Town Co.	1.26	.06	.30	1.62
Lelizio, Dominico	1.52	.08	.30	1.90
Lichte, H. P.	2.03	.10	.30	2.43
Linnell, C. E.	.51	.02	.30	.83
Maricle, F. E.	9.88	.50	.30	10.68
Matheson & Little	.51	.02	.30	.83
McHenry, A. D.	78.80	3.94	.30	83.04
Mill, W. A.	51.86	2.59	.30	54.75
Morrin, Mrs. Chas.	2.53	.12	.30	2.95
Morrison, G. D.	.51	.02	.30	.83
Ohnemus, R.	1.02	.06	.30	1.38
Osburn, B. P.	1.02	.06	.30	1.38
Palmer, W. H.	1.02	.06	.30	1.38
Peltzer, The. C.	12.14	.61	.30	13.05
Pendleton, Walter	6.58	.37	.30	6.95
Robins, G. C.	2.53	.16	.30	2.99
Rosser, Lizzie	.26	.01	.30	.57
Rosser, Samuel	3.54	.17	.30	4.01
Schneider, J. D.	.26	.01	.30	.57
St. John, P. F.	91.93	4.55	.30	96.88
Stonehouse, P. F.	3.30	.16	.30	3.76
Stonehouse, Mary E.	2.03	.10	.30	2.43
L. R. Templeton	39.93	2.00	.30	42.23
Tuttle, W. P.	60.22	3.01	.30	63.23
Ullery, Clarence	4.05	.20	.30	4.55
Valentini, John	2.53	.12	.30	2.95
Valentini, Teacoma	.51	.01	.30	.84
Vallace, J. J.	8.30	.41	.30	9.01
Vallier, Roy S.	1.02	.50	.30	1.57
West, A. C.	1.02	.05	.30	1.37
Wiles, Mrs. Eva	37.44	1.87	.30	39.61
Wilson, H. L.	11.12	.56	.30	11.98
Wiseman, U. A.	.51	.03	.30	.84
School District No. 8.				
Abernathy & Howell	8.10	.49	.30	8.89
Ault, J. G.	6.34	.38	.30	7.02
Blackmore, T. F., Agent	83.40	5.00	.30	88.70
Backus, J. K.	9.67	.58	.30	10.55
Beckett, Dan	73.78	4.42	.30	78.45
Belle Estate	53.10	3.19	.30	56.59
Blakeny, J. A.	1.75	.11	.30	2.16
Board, A. W.	5.22	.31	.30	5.83
Board, A. W. & J. W.	2.75	.16	.30	3.21
Board, A. W.	47.54	2.85	.30	50.69
Botta, C. M.	26.68	1.60	.30	28.58
Boyd, G. M., Sr.	10.64	.64	.30	11.58
Brownlie, D. E.	89.74	5.38	.30	95.42
Calkins, W. P.	5.00	.25	.30	5.55
Cass, W. G.	8.90	.53	.30	9.73
Chappel, N. A.	1.11	.07	.30	1.48
Coffin, L. R.	77.62	4.66	.30	82.58
Coffin, T. V.	107.70	6.46	.30	114.46
Coffin, T. V. & Bro.	18.22	1.09	.30	19.61
Cox, A. J.	52.55	3.15	.30	56.00
Cox, E. P.	8.23	.49	.30	9.02
Crockett, W. H.	11.68	.88	.30	12.86
Davis, D. D.	4.84	.29	.30	5.43
Dow, Cam	.83	.03	.30	1.16
Elms, D. L.	16.96	1.05	.30	18.31
Elms, R. J. T.	8.90	.53	.30	9.73
Fairchild, O. M.	8.90	.53	.30	9.73
Fanning, J. T.	53.43	3.21	.30	56.94
Fisher, Sterling	26.14	1.57	.30	28.01
Foster, G. J.	32.30	1.94	.30	34.54
French, W. S.	72.82	5.57	.30	78.69
Furay, E. S.	6.33	.06	.30	6.69
Gage, J. C., Spcl.	40.10	2.41	.30	42.81
Getzwiller, P. C.	17.93	.18	.30	19.41
Gilliam, T. V.	10.64	.62	.30	11.56
Gore, W. A.	13.84	.83	.30	14.97
Hall, A. M.	54.22	3.25	.30	57.77
Hallmark, Mrs. Lucy	4.45	.26	.30	5.01
Harris, A. S.	51.54	.51	.30	52.35
Highamith, J. S., Est.	4.45	.26	.30	5.01
Holstein, C.	16.18	.97	.30	17.45
Hope Drug Co.	28.91	.29	.30	29.50
Hudle, Wm.	7.22	.43	.30	7.95
Johnson Bros. Co.	391.70	23.50	.30	415.50
Kelley, Donna M.	36.14	2.17	.30	38.61
Larremore, Tom	4.06	.24	.30	4.59
Lenox, J. S.	15.84	.95	.30	17.09
Lewis, T. A.	13.50	.14	.30	13.94
Low, T. G.	52.88	3.23	.30	57.41
Luthy, Jas.	8.90	.53	.30	9.73
Luthy, John K.	8.90	.53	.30	9.73
Malcom, M. C.	67.28	4.04	.30	71.62
McClure, J. D.	8.90	.53	.30	9.73
McCord, E.	23.80	1.43	.30	25.53
McCree, C. B.	6.28	.05	.30	6.63
Miller, J. R.	47.88	2.87	.30	51.05
Moore, H. W.	25.69	1.54	.30	27.53
Nelson, Geo.	38.04	2.28	.30	40.62
Nelson, J. E.	38.04	1.71	.30	39.66
Overhold, W. B.	44.48	2.67	.30	47.45
Owen, W. J. J.	72.82	4.37	.30	77.49
Panasco Valley Merc. Co.	150.24	9.01	.30	159.55
Perry, E. C.	4.76	.05	.30	5.11
Platt, A.	8.90	.53	.30	9.73
Preusser, Joe	11.68	.70	.30	12.68
Prude, C. G.	13.34	.80	.30	14.44
Prude, L. L.	10.40	.62	.30	11.32
Rabbe Estate	33.16	.33	.30	33.79
Riley, W. P.	271.74	16.20	.30	288.24
Ross, J. C.	30.60	1.84	.30	32.74
Ross, J. T., Sr.	5.06	.30	.30	5.66
Seagrinn, Edw.	50.56	3.03	.30	53.89
Seagrinn, C. E.	5.56	.33	.30	6.19
Seven Rivers Oil & Gas Co.	24.28	1.46	.30	26.04
Shelton, G. C.	6.67	.07	.30	7.04
Shelton, G. A.	46.44	.47	.30	47.41
Shelton & Marx	30.00	.30	.30	30.60
Smith, W. E.	4.00	.24	.30	4.54
Strong, Victoria	8.90	.53	.30	9.73
Swift, B.	8.90	.53	.30	9.73
Ward, E.	57.21	3.43	.30	60.93
Wasson, J. F.	69.26	4.16	.30	73.72
Watson, J. S.	75.90	4.55	.30	80.75
Whitaker, E. T.	10.92	.65	.30	11.87
Whitaker, W. L.	24.57	.25	.30	25.12

NAME	ORIG. TAX	INT.	PUB. TOTAL	School District No. 18.	NAME	ORIG. TAX	INT.	PUB. TOTAL
C. H. Kiserman	50.58	3.02	53.60	Blackwell, J. W.	16.70	1.00	30	18.00
A. R. Knott	20.06	1.24	21.30	Curtis, E. C.	8.54	51	30	9.35
A. R. Knott	20.06	1.24	21.30	Heard, A. I.	74.18	4.45	30	78.93
P. C. Knowles	24.72	1.08	25.80	Smith, H. M.	7.84	47	30	8.61
M. F. Koelling	6.11	1.14	7.25	Warren, G. R.	8.10	49	30	8.89
W. S. Langensmeide	126.20	7.55	133.75	School District No. 20.				
E. L. Langston	23.22	1.38	24.60	Bailey, A. E.	24.88	1.49	30	26.67
F. A. Linnell	115.18	6.92	122.10	Gaither, Est. M. E.	8.10	49	30	8.89
Laura E. Levers	37.85	2.25	40.10	Jackson, Wm.	66.64	4.00	30	70.94
R. M. Love	371.54	22.36	393.90	Smith, J. C. A.	14.02	84	30	15.16
J. P. Lowery	39.40	1.75	41.15	Stinebaugh, T. G.	8.62	50	30	9.42
W. B. Lucas	37.32	2.23	39.55	Alston, E. W.	85.82	5.15	30	91.27
Blanche I. Major	3.51	1.19	4.70	Knowles, R. B.	360.54	21.63	30	382.47
J. S. Major	39.12	2.23	41.35	Record, H. S.	86.21	5.6	30	87.37
W. W. Madden	83.90	5.00	88.90	School District No. 21.				
W. W. Major	49.09	1.01	50.10	Davis, R. R.	12.44	12	30	12.86
Otis Malcolm	19.36	1.14	20.50	NAME	ORIG. TAX	INT.	PUB. TOTAL	COST TAX
F. E. Maricle	3.34	1.21	4.55	Blake, Wm.	16.18	.97	30	17.45
C. I. Maule	19.84	1.16	21.00	Johnson, Miss Willie	8.10	.49	30	8.89
H. J. McBryde	270.80	16.20	287.00	McWilliams, W. E.	16.20	.98	30	17.48
Owen McClay	45.06	2.74	47.80	School District No. 22.				
B. F. McCormick	12.97	2.1	15.07	Clark, D. D.	3.04	.18	30	3.52
Horace McCormick	26.06	1.54	27.60	Coleman, D. H.	46.50	2.79	30	49.59
Mrs. M. C. McCormick	22.04	1.31	23.35	Coleman, Mrs. L. L.	8.10	.49	30	8.89
G. U. McCrary	24.74	1.46	26.20	Dowd, John	13.69	.94	30	14.93
E. E. McNatt	51.98	3.07	55.05	Emerson, J. L.	.55	.03	30	.88
E. E. McNatt Apt.	16.46	.99	17.45	Heard, A. J.	36.32	2.18	30	38.80
Midwest Investment Co.	813.20	40.65	853.85	Heard & Franklin	9.60	.58	30	10.48
Mrs. I. J. Millhoff	6.09	1.1	7.19	Knowles Townsite Co.	50.60	3.04	30	53.94
Mrs. I. E. Moore	18.88	1.52	20.40	Miller, G. A.	19.22	1.15	30	20.67
Jas. Montgomery	42.86	2.54	45.40	Mullane, J. H.	20.50	1.23	30	22.03
R. H. Morrow	26.98	1.22	28.20	Ohmhus, E.	.51	.03	30	.84
W. W. Meeks	29.38	1.77	31.15	Oneal, W. W.	17.30	1.04	30	18.64
L. C. Moss	63.89	1.26	65.15	Oneal, W. W. Spel.	8.10	.49	30	8.89
H. L. Muney	50.80	3.00	53.80	Pendleton & Oneal	3.04	.18	30	3.52
R. T. Murray	30.13	2.17	32.30	Smith, A. A.	8.10	.49	30	8.89
G. A. Neal	95.62	5.73	101.35	Smith, J. H.	8.10	.49	30	8.89
W. S. Neff	26.64	1.56	28.20	Thurman, John	10.83	.65	30	11.78
J. M. Nelson	30.76	1.84	32.60	Toole, J. L.	31.10	1.86	30	33.26
Frank Newkirk	29.29	1.23	30.52	Turner, R. H.	15.18	.91	30	16.39
D. L. Newkirk	82.84	4.91	87.75	Warren, J. F.	22.98	1.38	30	24.66
W. A. Nicholas	7.78	.42	8.20	Willhoit, M.	28.86	1.73	30	30.89
O. E. Nickey	12.42	.23	12.65	Trague, T. C.	9.02	.54	30	9.86
J. M. Norris	10.52	.63	11.15	School District No. 23.				
Piley Norris	6.12	.38	6.50	Bishop & Crumb	9.10	.54	30	9.94
J. G. Osburn	21.04	1.26	22.30	Blake, G. W.	17.97	.18	30	18.45
W. B. Overholt	13.84	.76	14.60	Caudill, E. M.	25.25	1.52	30	27.07
J. P. Parks	217.84	13.06	230.90	Garrett, J. T.	863.18	51.82	30	915.30
J. T. Patrick	17.28	1.02	18.30	Irwin, J. W.	14.42	.14	30	14.46
P. A. Phillips	50.40	3.00	53.40	Jackson, A.	3.55	.19	30	4.04
W. B. Platteau	58.94	3.46	62.40	Jackson, A.	31.88	1.91	30	34.09
Mrs. A. I. Pitts	18.30	1.10	19.40	Johnson, W. N.	27.76	.28	30	28.44
H. A. Porter	76.59	1.41	78.00	Johnson, D. G.	1.52	.10	30	1.92
Cash Pamey	132.58	7.92	140.50	Love, R. H.	54.64	3.28	30	58.22
Rand, W. J.	101.74	6.10	107.84	Love, S. G.	6.07	.36	30	6.73
Ray, G. B.	48.96	2.94	51.90	Russell, E. H.	.26	.01	30	.57
Ray, S. E.	32.15	1.93	34.08	Stokes, J. E.	12.82	.13	30	13.25
Paul & Tomasi	25.90	1.55	27.45	Whiteley, J. H.	19.22	1.15	30	20.67
Remington, J. M.	1.26	.08	1.34	Thompson & Love	11.28	.66	30	12.44
Remington, E. N.	65.36	3.92	69.28	School District No. 25.				
Richard, J. O.	29.68	.23	30.91	Hardy, Miss Zuleika	7.60	.45	30	8.35
Piley W. P.	11.02	.66	11.68	Platt, R. E.	4.76	.29	30	5.35
Robert, Sallie I.	7.64	.46	8.10	Russell, E. H.	47.62	2.86	30	50.78
P. Berts, Mrs. Sallie I.	157.14	9.43	166.57	Turner, R. H.	16.20	.98	30	17.48
Roberts, Mrs. Sallie I.	115.52	6.93	122.45	Williams, J. U.	16.20	.98	30	17.48
Roberts, M. V.	289.94	17.35	307.29	Wood, Dow	6.58	.07	30	6.95
Roney, Otto	26.90	1.61	28.51	School District No. 26.				
Roney, Samuel	84	.66	84.66	Gaither, Est. M. E.	8.10	.49	30	8.89
Russell, W. P.	36.10	2.16	38.26	Record, Henry	122.08	1.22	30	123.60
Schroeder, Murray	91.10	5.47	96.57	Knowles, R. B.	5.06	.30	30	5.66
Schroeder, P. T.	59.34	3.56	62.90	School District No. 27.				
Schroeder, W. F.	17.72	.18	17.90	Adams, R. T.	22.34	1.34	30	23.98
Schroeder, L. H.	65.88	3.95	69.83	Arnold, Nanna A.	21.90	1.31	30	23.51
Schroeder, Mrs. J. W.	31.08	1.86	32.94	Ault, Winton	202.40	12.14	30	214.84
Shaw, John	21.04	1.26	22.30	Blaylock, Byrd	9.12	.55	30	9.97
Sheets, Est. C. D.	5.00	.26	5.26	Bogenschutz, A. W.	31.45	1.89	30	33.65
Shorett, C. L.	22.94	1.33	24.27	Brown, M. S.	21.90	1.31	30	23.51
Smith, F. M.	10.78	.44	11.22	Brown, G. M.	33.21	1.39	30	34.90
Smith, R. N.	22.72	1.36	24.08	Brown, G. S.	115.54	6.93	30	122.77
Smith, C. D.	71.16	4.37	75.53	Brown, G. M. Spel.	3.65	.22	30	4.17
Smith, E. D.	22.90	1.40	24.30	Browning, K. S.	7.36	.44	30	8.11
S. H. Southworth, H. G.	85.60	.85	86.45	Burch, J. G.	35.57	2.13	30	38.00
Southworth, Highland	171.94	10.77	182.71	Carl, Ray & Bruce	25.54	1.53	30	27.37
Sparschuh, Oswald	6.00	.36	6.36	Clayton, Joe	5.18	.30	30	6.18
Spencer, Mrs. Anna	38.74	2.30	41.04	Clomans, C. C.	6.69	.40	30	7.09
Snerry & Lukins	283.76	17.07	300.83	Crozier, Joe	8.30	.49	30	8.99
Snerry & Lukins	74.50	4.47	78.97	Crozier & Humphreys	1.77	.08	30	1.75
Snerry, L. R.	14.06	.90	14.96	Mary E. Davis	21.61	1.29	30	23.21
Stallion, Mrs. M. E.	3.79	.21	3.99	Dearing, N. C.	33.68	2.02	30	36.00
Standford, W. R.	84	.66	84.66	Evans, L. E.	4.10	.25	30	4.65
Stark, F. H.	8.00	.57	8.57	Fairchild, O. M.	14.50	.87	30	15.47
Strass, August	4.18	.25	4.43	Fleming, John	101.68	6.95	30	108.94
Strass, August	45.50	2.72	48.22	Fry, J. M.	81.34	4.88	30	86.52
Strunk, Mary E.	21.06	.91	21.97	Heany, J. W.	38.62	2.32	30	41.24
Sweiser, Josie M.	11.99	.68	12.67	Kanally, W. E.	41.92	2.49	30	44.29
Talbot, Gayle	87.58	5.35	92.93	Ketner, Chas.	5.92	.35	30	6.57
Taylor, A. C.	105.00	6.30	111.30	King, C. L.	90.72	5.44	30	96.46
Taylor, H. O.	20.96	1.27	22.23	Malcom, A. N.	25.08	1.50	30	26.88
Threlkeld, G. O.	36.75	.37	37.12	McLay, Owen	21.90	1.31	30	23.51
Tinder, J. W.	16.13	.16	16.29	McMick, E. P.	113.32	6.80	30	120.13
Turnkett, J. W.	178.54	1.79	180.33	Miller, F. W.	229.80	13.78	30	243.89
Ullery, Clarence	195.98	9.96	205.94	Mosby, J. H.	36.02	2.16	30	38.48
Walterscheid, W. M.	76.98	4.68	81.66	Mout, W. A.	38.76	2.33	30	41.89
Watson, J. S.	8.90	.53	9.43	Pearson, O. A.	41.27	.41	30	41.98
Welton, Mrs. M. F.	20.90	.21	21.11	Pettyjohn, Jas.	34.64	2.08	30	37.02
White, S. G.	145.66	8.74	154.40	Privett & Donley	1.37	.08	30	1.75
White, Ethel R.	18.68	1.12	19.80	Richardson, C. A.	16.42	.99	30	17.70
Whitely, I. V.	28.95	.28	29.23	Sharp, J. S.	31.10	1.87	30	33.72
Whitely, I. V.	3.06	.18	3.24	Sherry, L. R. Spel.	41.30	.46	30	44.08
Whitely, T. W.	54.41	3.27	57.68	Sherry & Lukins	10.94	.68	30	11.90
Williams, C. W. & M. Yates	30.74	1.84	32.58	Strand, O. O.	21.90	1.32	30	23.52
Williams, C. W. & Co.	36.44	2.19	38.63	Terry, J. T.	66.12	3.97	30	70.09
Wise, W. M.	29.55	1.41	30.96	School District No. 28.				
Woods, Geo.	25.98	1.52	27.50	Dingham, T. S.	269.10	16.15	30	285.55
Hutchings, C. F.	533.90	32.03	565.93	School District No. 29.				
Maudlin, Estella A.	36.44	2.19	38.63	Roberts, Nat.	126.34	7.58	30	134.22
School District No. 17.				School District No. 30				
Armstrong, W. F.	40.60	2.43	43.03	Johnson, E. J.	8.10	.49	30	8.89
Atkinson, Lida	40.52	2.43	42.95	Stephens, J. W.	8.10	.49	30	8.89
Baker, F. G.	22.86	1.37	24.23	Notice is further given that the undersigned Treasurer and Ex-officio Collector of Eddy County, will on the 17th day of August, 1915, offer for sale at public auction at the front door of the court house at Carlsbad, Eddy County, State of New Mexico, in the manner and form provided by law, beginning at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, separately and in consecutive order each parcel of property upon which taxes are delinquent, as shown by the tax rolls of the county of Eddy for the year 1914 or as much thereof as may be necessary to realize the respective amounts due; and that said sale will be continued from day to day, not later than 4 o'clock in the afternoon of each day, until all of such property shall have been sold, or until the amounts due shall have been realized or paid, such sale shall continue not exceeding thirty (30) days until all of said property has been sold.				
C. A. P. Land & Cattle Co.	20.46	1.23	21.69	In addition to the above and foregoing, I will offer for sale at the same time and place all the Tax Sale Certificates sold to Eddy County which have not been either assigned or redeemed, said tax sale certificate numbers being from Number one (1), to number Eighty two hundred twenty four (8224) both inclusive.				
Clayton, Joe & T. E. Smith	5.24	.31	5.55	WITNESS my hand this 23rd day of June, 1915.				
Crozier & Humphreys	4.28	.26	4.54	W. H. MERCHANT				
Dunn Adelfo	72	.04	72.04	Treasurer and Ex-officio Tax Collector of Eddy County,				
Fairchild, O. M.	63.54	3.81	67.35	State of New Mexico.				
Garner, Perry	2.14	.13	2.27					
Gilbert, S. W. & R. N. Crews	11.42	.69	12.11					
Gunn, W. C.	27.74	.28	28.02					
Hess, Mrs. Sara A.	62.12	3.73	65.85					
Hess, E. C.	132.60	7.96	140.86					
Homer, A. J.	7.62	.45	8.07					
Kilco, Mrs. F. R.	20.46	1.23	21.69					
Kilco, Jas.	36.28	2.18	38.46					
Lincoln, J.	151.56	9.09	160.65					
Lincoln, C. E.	2.14	.13	2.27					
Maricle, P. E.	5.00	.30	5.30					
Muney, H. I.	265.30	15.90	281.20					
Schneider, W. M.	103.08	6.78	109.86					
Schneider, J. D.	72	.04	72.04					
Seidl, R. L.	40.12	2.41	42.53					
Thielen & Newkirk	8.10	.49	8.89					

CARLSBAD LOCAL ITEMS

C. N. Jones and Sam B. Smith left yesterday for Santa Fe.

Whit Wright, commissioner from Artesia, is here this week.

Irvan Therman, wife and the girls spent last night in Carlsbad.

Ben Acree and wife came in from the Acree ranch yesterday.

K. K. Scott, district attorney, came down from Roswell Monday.

Jim Simpson and wife spent two or three days in town this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Voice, of Malaga, Tuesday, the 6th, a son.

L. D. Merchant and J. L. Merchant of Van Horn, Texas, were here Tuesday.

J. H. Mullis of the Pecos Valley Lumber Company, spent several days in Carlsbad.

Chas. Beeman, commissioner from Malaga, is spending this week in the county seat.

Mr. and Mrs. Holly Benson leave tonight for the exposition and a tour of the Pacific coast.

L. Buckner, that sold his farm down the valley and has been away a few months, has returned to the valley.

A fine boy was born to Will Smith and wife of Rocky Tuesday morning, July 6th. All parties are doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wesley of Otis, spent yesterday in Carlsbad shopping and looking after business interests.

H. E. Grimes leaves today for Fort Worth, Texas. He has been here a few weeks visiting his wife and new baby.

John McCollum has wound up his job on the Queen road and came in Wednesday to settle up with the road board.

Joe Herzog returned yesterday from his visit in the east. He reports a good time, the weather cool and plenty of rain.

Mrs. J. S. Johnson returned from Pecos Tuesday where she was called by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Kirkley.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. Luther Perry Tuesday, July 6th, a nine pound baby girl. The mother and baby are doing nicely.

Little Joe Toffelmire was taken violently ill last Friday afternoon and a physician was summoned. He is all right again now.

W. G. Woertzel got home sick to see mother and the boys so came in Sunday, spent the night and returned Monday morning.

Mrs. Valley Owen, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Higgins, for a few weeks, is in Artesia, going up Tuesday morning.

Messrs. John and Dolph Lusk, Misses Nellie Eaken and Georgia Witt spent Tuesday at the X T ranch—going out in the Lusk car.

Miss Louise Baxter of Sharon, Tenn., a niece of Mrs. Dr. Durham, arrived Wednesday afternoon and will spend the summer in Carlsbad.

Miss Jennie Linn went to the Black river celebration with Mr. and Mrs. Thorne and is spending a couple of weeks with "Billy" Hegler.

Don't forget the canning demonstration at high school auditorium next Wednesday afternoon. Every lady in this community should attend.

Messrs. Hayes, Minter, Bert Leck, and Flowers go to Artesia this evening where they will attend the meeting of the I. O. O. F. tonight.

Roberta Breeding spent Monday in Lovington going down on the early train and visiting at the Ferguson home. She returned Tuesday.

The county board has been in session since Tuesday morning and has transacted considerable business, auditing claims and passing on road matters.

Mrs. May Patterson of El Paso, came in yesterday train from Pecos, attended the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Seth Ferrel. She and her sister Mrs. Ardoin will return to El Paso tomorrow morning.

Mrs. John Harvey and baby girl left for Marathon, Texas, last Saturday morning, where she will spend the summer with her parents, adding one more summer widower to the list.

Judson Osburn, Jr., returned Saturday from Artesia where he has been spending three weeks with his grandmother, Mrs. Craven. Judson found all kinds of fire works awaiting his return and if he did not celebrate the Fourth of July in royal style it was because he could not wait that long.

A. A. Boeman, spent the last week accompanied by his family on a visit with his brother, Commissioner Beeman and family on Black river returning to his home in Elida Wednesday, having made the trip in his new '27 Buick. A. A. is the banker at Elida and one of the most prosperous in the state.

Ben Wheeler, wife, and two children, and Mrs. Mary Kircher, and the three girls, left town Thursday evening for a fishing and camping trip on Black river. Bill Ohnemus took them down in the big Chalmers and helped get the camp arranged and returned to Carlsbad. The party spent Friday and Saturday, returning early Sunday morning. They caught some fish, fried and enjoyed them. Had a nice, cool place to camp. B. A. tried the water the first thing, going in with his shoes and stockings on, so the rocks would not hurt his feet. They had a very pleasant time.

Mr. Nutt and family and Thelma Alberts spent Monday at the Hagerman dam about eighteen miles from here on the Pecos. They fished and had a very pleasant day. Had a splendid picnic dinner and returned in the evening.

J. A. King left Wednesday morning for Durant, Oklahoma, for a visit with his family. Mr. King has a farm just east of the Bolles farm.

Charles Rascoe, an old time Carlsbad boy came in Wednesday evening from Taft, Cal., and will remain a couple of weeks for a visit with his relatives and old time friends. He has been engaged in farming in Kern county for several years.

George Beckett and son, Clay, Mr. and Mrs. Horace James, left Sunday afternoon for the Hope country. They reached Hope in good time, enjoyed a base ball game. Mr. and Mrs. James spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Merrifield, attended the barbecue Monday and returned to Carlsbad Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Vest spent two or three days at Hope and visited Mrs. Vest's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merrifield and attended the celebration there Monday.

Fred Nymeyer came in from his ranch near Eunice Wednesday accompanied by his brother-in-law, Fred Leck, who had drove up from Kerm, Texas, to Fred's ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Poole are visiting in the Valley with Mrs. Poole's mother and brothers, Mrs. Mitchell west of town.

E. M. Hall leaves today for the mountains. He will drive up and expects to take his time and will spend the remainder of the summer with Fred Schermayer at his various ranches.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Taylor and the children were down from their ranch Monday, spent a few days in Carlsbad and returned. The boys and girls had their pockets filled with fire crackers and expected to celebrate when it would not scare the mules.

Wilks Glascock, wife and the two little girls, came in from their ranch twenty-five miles out Tuesday, spent Wednesday in town and returned yesterday.

John Plowman and a Mr. Sewell, came in from Mesquite, Texas, the first of the week, where Mr. Plowman had been looking after business. They passed through Carlsbad last Friday evening enroute to Panama tanks where his family is spending the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean from Uvalde, Texas, passed through Carlsbad last Friday in their car enroute to El Paso where they will visit with their daughter and family, Mrs. Lee Middleton, and the two sons, Gus and Riley Dean.

Miss Mae Kinsel spent a few days with her friend, Ova Butcher, going out Sunday. They attended the barbecue and dance at the X T ranch. However, she is still up and looking after her horses.

Lee Middleton, his father-in-law, Mr. Dean, from Uvalde, Texas, Mae, Virginia and Audrey Middleton all came down from Queen Monday, attended the barbecue at the X T ranch and returned to Queen Wednesday. They were delighted with the trip and much pleased that they did attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Holly Benson leave tonight for California where they expect to tour the Pacific coast and see the exposition at San Francisco and San Diego.

Misses Eliza and Mary R. Graham, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Graham, of Lovington, stopped over Tuesday in Carlsbad enroute for the exposition. They expect to spend three or four weeks on the Coast and stop over in San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego.

Tom Kindt and family were completely and pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening by the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Kinsel from Globe, Arizona where they have spent the first eighteen months of their married life happily. She has many friends and school girl companions that extend to them a welcome.

Miss Edna Kuykendall returned from Plainview, Texas, where she has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Coleman. Mrs. Coleman and the two children returned with Edna for a visit with her parents.

Charles Pardue and Miss Dona Ferguson of Loving and Miss Nellie Smith of Otis attended the installation of officers of I. O. O. F. and the banquet Tuesday night at that hall.

PICNIC AT THE FLUME.

Last Saturday a number of families spent the day at the flume. Most of them going early and spending the day. The children spent the fore noon wading and the afternoon bathing. The day was delightfully pleasant and being near the water made it much more so. At twelve o'clock a good dinner was spread—the meats, dressed chicken and a variety of sandwiches, salads, pickles, olives, lemon pie, four or five varieties of cakes, ice cold lemonade was plentiful. Those attending were: D. G. Grantham and family, Mrs. Tom Stokes and family, Mrs. Ben Dickson and family, Mrs. Pierce and family, Mrs. Lum Anderson and family, Wm. H. Mullane and family and Ida Mae Barnes, Mrs. Edna Cox and son, Roy, Uncle "Jud" Kuykendall, Messrs. Brainard, Pullen, Blythe McCollum, Fate Simpson, John Galton, and the family of H. C. Dickson who live near there.

Tom Higgins left for Topeka, Kansas, where he will take treatment at the hospital for his ears, which has been growing worse. He left Wednesday night.

Albert, Louis and Fred Ares spent the Fourth in this vicinity, coming in from the head of Rocky last Friday. Albert and Louis spent Monday in Roswell and Tuesday on Black river at the barbecue.

Johnie Stewart came down from Queen Saturday and went to Roswell Sunday where he spent Monday and joined the Elks while there. He left for Queen Wednesday in his car.

Paul Ares and Calvin returned from their trip to Colorado Tuesday. They were gone longer than they expected, but when folks tour the country in cars any old thing may cause loss of time.

N. B. Butcher was in from his ranch Wednesday. Everyone that attended the X T barbecue speak in glowing terms of the pleasures of the day of the cakes and pies furnished by the ladies and the quantities of bread, pickles and good barbecued meat.

Mrs. John Higgins and baby boy are spending the week in Roswell with her parents, going up Monday. Ervin Higgins also spent two or three days in Roswell getting home Tuesday night.

Miss Tonnie Owen, who has been visiting in Carlsbad with her sister, Mrs. John Higgins, was called home by phone last Friday, owing to the illness of her mother.

Wayne Glover came in from his ranch Wednesday and returned Thursday accompanied by Mrs. Glover and the baby girl, also Miss Ruth Galton went with them to the Glover home where she anticipates spending a month.

Mrs. Pearl Acree and three children, also Mrs. Alewine and two children left Saturday morning for the home of her brothers, John and Roy Murrach of Lakewood. They continued their journey and spent Monday in Hope, returning to Carlsbad Wednesday. While away Mrs. Alewine's home burned to the ground.

Monday afternoon Mrs. Pond and family and Jewel Moore, Mrs. Stanford and daughter took lunch and an abundance of fried chicken and enjoyed a picnic lunch at the spring near the flume.

The band concert was very good last Friday evening. Many ladies, men and children were standing on the campus enjoying the cool air and good music. Howard Nutt was with the band boys.

Mrs. Virginia Caughman left last night for her home in Little Rock, Arkansas. Mrs. Caughman has not been feeling strong and decided to make this change.

Ross Middleton while doing some branding was badly bruised and three ribs broken the first of the week. However, he is still up and looking after his horses.

Ed. Head and family who have been visiting Mrs. Julian Smith, left Monday in their car for Arizona. They are going by the Elephant Butte dam and stop over in El Paso and other places. Edna Graves, the daughter, will remain in Carlsbad until they reach home. She will go on the train direct home.

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Besides those interested in the base ball game that went to Roswell Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Church, T. E. Williams, Messrs. Nichols, Y. R. Allen, Miss Mary Hubbard and others.

Herbert Orman, who has a section of land leased near Mr. Herber and has horses of his own, but stays at the Herber ranch, was killed by a big horse at the ranch Monday, on the arm which gave him much pain. He came in from the barbecue with Dick Thorne and has been in town ever since with a very swollen arm, but is some better today.

Wednesday Bob Hamilton strained his ligaments in his right arm, while filling the big water bottle at Joyce Fruit company. The bottle slipped and came near falling and Bob was trying to save it, and did but has been nursing his arm ever since.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanderson and little son, Cecil, left Wednesday night for their home town in Idaho. They sold their home here to Walter Pendleton as it joins his property. Mr. and Mrs. Sanderson expect to make their home in Idaho.

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BARBECUE AT XT RANCH.

Tournament, goat roping and dancing at the XT ranch all day Tuesday, and dancing was kept up all night. Music was furnished by the Mexican string band that went out from Carlsbad in an auto truck. Three beefs were muttons, bread and pickles were furnished by the stockmen in that vicinity and the ladies carried well filled baskets of pies, cakes, and salads. The tables and platform for dancing were arranged under the big cottonwood trees and every one that reports, say they had a lovely time.

Quince Leatherman won first money at the goat roping, \$15.00, catching the goat and tying it in sixteen seconds; S. S. Skidmore won second money, \$10.00; Woody Tullis won third money, \$5.00. In the tournament Warren Crowder and Quince Leatherman tied and divided the purse. The day was one round of pleasure for young and old alike. The young people danced and the old neighbors chatted and passed the time pleasantly. Black river was well represented and the stockmen and their families were there from the point of the mountain—more than fifty-five big cars were on the ground. Many went from Carlsbad, some from Queen and Malaga. Those going from Carlsbad in their cars were: Mr. and Mrs. Webb and family, Price and family, Billy Nichols and family, Miss Grace Cooke and Dick Cook, Dick Thorne and family, and Miss Jennie Linn, E. E. Hartshorn and family and Misses Vaughns, J. B. Leck and family, Green Ussery and family and Miss Josephine Tracy. John and George Lucas and families, George Beckett and family, Mrs. C. B. Campbell and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Judkins and son, Dr. and Mrs. Durham, Less Barber, Frank Kindel, Jack Hines, Dean Smith. The last three named went out on motorcycles. The visitors had dinner, supper and breakfast on the grounds, and lunch between time. All that attended report a very good time and are wishing for another outing at the XT ranch.

BUNCO PARTY.

Charley Rarey entertained a few of his friends Saturday evening at his home, four tables playing progressive bunco. Punch was served throughout the evening and a luncheon of delicious cake and ice cream at 11:30. Those attending the fire in a body and enjoying a very delightful evening were: Misses Nettie and Hattie Smith, Edna Graves, Thelma and Norma Alberts, Ruth Daugherty, Lillian Crawford, Francis Nutt, Laura Blythe, Messrs. Lytton and Clifford, Lewis, Robert Hemenway, Sam Roberts, Blythe McCollum, Charley Walker, Luther Nelson, and the host, Chas. Rarey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moore leave tomorrow night for the east, where Mr. Moore will select the fall and winter stock of goods for Joyce-Fruit company, dry goods department. While away they will visit in Washington, D. C.

While in Artesia last Saturday Walter Pendleton sold his lot and improvements at that place. Part of the lot was in an orchard. He also sold an Overland six to Mr. Williams of Artesia. Mr. and Mrs. Pendleton and Mrs. Pete Lowenbruck attended the carnival while there and returned home Sunday afternoon.

Dr. T. E. Presley, the specialist, came down from Roswell Tuesday. He will be in Carlsbad for a number of days. See his ad elsewhere.

The sermon Sunday at the Methodist church on Patriotism was exceptionally pleasing and beneficial. Three places being emphasized, that of the officer, the citizen and the soldier, calling attention to the emergency of the soldier, specifying that he must first be a good citizen before he could be a good soldier. The church was well filled and decorated with flags, and all of Company "B" that were in town being in attendance.

J. H. Gee leaves tonight for the Pacific coast. He will make three or four stop overs going and coming back on another route. He will stop at Elida, and Portales where his daughter, Mrs. Smith, resides, and another daughter, Mrs. Fae Humphrie at Uma, Arizona, will be visited. He expects to be away three months.

Mrs. Frank Jones and the children, her sister, Mrs. Kligore, and niece, Maureen Campbell, returned from Oklahoma the first of the week, where they have been for the past three weeks. They were accompanied on the return trip by Jim Campbell, Jr., Irene and Babe, who will visit their aunt here and on Rocky.

La Verne, the little seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Destree, has had typhoid fever the past three weeks. He is able to be up and will soon be out again. Mrs. Destree contemplates taking him to the mountains as soon as he is able to go.

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W. A. Shonous remained over in town last night and was initiated as a Woodman at the regular meeting last night. After the close of the initiation ceremony refreshments were served.

Ed Hurdston, just arriving in town from his ranch, states that the cloud that hung in the west yesterday about noon broke in a down-pour of rain covering four miles the other side of Mosley to the mouth of Dark canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Chilton and his daughter, Edith, who have spent three weeks here with their daughter Mrs. Wisdom left for their home in Nashville, Tennessee, Monday night. Mrs. Wisdom enjoyed a ten days vacation from her duties as saleslady at the Peoples dry goods company while her parents were here.

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.

A native named Gregorio Ramirez in the employ of Henry Tipton, seven miles down the Pecos accidentally dropped a 44 revolver on the floor which was discharged and the bullet took effect below the lower left rib and passed through his body lodging under or below the right shoulder blade. He was brought in to the Anderson sanatorium and the bullet extracted by Dr. Lackey. He was threatened with pneumonia, the bullet having penetrated the left lung ranging diagonally across from the effects of which pneumonia is most likely. The accident occurred Sunday evening about dark.

MILVAIN PAYS FOR THE ASHES.

See Melvain when in need of insurance. He has paid all losses that have occurred in Carlsbad since engaging in business except one and divided that. The Alewine loss was the last.

Mr. and Mrs. Lestwick, Mrs. J. I. Penny and daughter, Miss Jim, Mrs. Robt. Dow and John Wells spent Wednesday and Thursday at McMillan on a camping and fishing trip. They report a very pleasant time and plenty of fish. A car took them out Wednesday morning early and returned for them last night.

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Ned Shattuck, Robt. Dow, and Ross Middleton came in from Crow Flat and the Queen country Wednesday. Mr. Dow had been over in Crow Flat selling a claim for Ross Middleton in regard to range and water for his horses. As they came down Wednesday they helped Mr. Aker out with the mail. He being a new carrier and not used to the rocks, had put his car out of commission and was taking chances on getting in with the mail. These gentlemen report good rains in Crow Flat and Dog Canyon and it was very welcome, which would be the case here if it would only favor us with a down-pour.

John McCollum has come in from the road work on the Queen route. While they worked the road on the way to Queen and helped the road in many ways they used up the funds and work was called off.

Christian & Co. INSURANCE.

Frank and Seth Fry, grandsons of Mr. and Mrs. Seth Ferrel, were here Thursday attending the funeral of Mrs. Ferrel. Frank Fry came up from Fort Stockton, Texas, and will return tomorrow. Seth Fry is with Green McComb at the foot of the mountains. Their mother, Mrs. Ardoin of El Paso has been here since Monday.

Walter Pendleton presented his mother, Mrs. George Pendleton, with a new five passenger Regal this week. Mrs. Pendleton, Ruth and Henry tried out the new car by coming to town Wednesday.

M. L. Davis, who has been suffering with his eye since June 15th, trying to save the ball, had the same removed yesterday at his home in order to save the other eye. Mr. Davis is resting easy since noon today.

"Bill" Jones is suffering this week from blood poison in his hand. He hurt the hand while working on a wind mill.

C. N. Walker and wife went out to B. L. Walker's ranch Sunday and will spend the summer there.

Notary at Current office.

B. R. Gobel of Ardmore, Oklahoma, traveling man was taken suddenly ill at the Springs hotel Sunday with threatened appendicitis, was moved to the Anderson sanatorium Wednesday.

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The morning bridge club was entertained by Mrs. Hardy at Hardy-craft all day Thursday. Three tables of players playing bridge. Luncheon was served at twelve o'clock. The ladies enjoyed the day very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Longbottom and two children arrived yesterday from Snyder, Texas. They are related to Seth Ferrel.

Julian Smith left for the Pacific coast Wednesday night. He shook off all his cares and said: "Look for me when you see me coming".

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Little Opal Middleton is very ill this week with bronchial pneumonia. Mr. Middleton left Friday for the Guadalupe on horse-back, his dog by his side, his coat tied behind the saddle and riding the faithful horse that hauled water to Avalon so often. Pat sat as straight in his saddle as he did fifteen years ago, when he used to corral the goats in the same range of mountains. Vernon has been with the goats for some time.

FIRE SATURDAY EVENING.

About six p. m. Saturday, fire destroyed the house of Bert Alewine on Guadalupe street opposite and about a block north of the Catholic church. Mr. Alewine was in town and got on the auto hauling the chemical when the fire department went to the fire. The first report was that it was the Rhomer residence across the street from Alewine's. Mrs. Alewine was also away having left for Hope some few days previous. The cause of the fire is not known. Nothing was saved, for the fire had obtained much headway when discovered. The house was insured in the Atlas by W. F. Melvain for \$1,200 and the contents for \$500.00. As luck would have it the Melvain agency has paid for all losses in Carlsbad since Mr. Melvain has engaged in business except one and that was divided.

Mrs. Joe Bunch and Sweetie Mae returned to Carlsbad yesterday afternoon from a two months stay in various places in Texas. They visited Mrs. Bunch's parents in Weatherford and relatives and friends in Fort Worth, Dallas and Mineral Wells. Mrs. Bunch seems pleased to be home again.

Frank Ferrel, wife and two children left for the Ferrel ranch this morning. Haywood Patterson of Snyder, Texas, went out with them.

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A FINE BALL GAME

Struggle With Carlsbad Gave Fans Entertainment of the Very Highest Class.

—Roswell News.
The Roswell fans were treated to one of the closest games ever seen on the local diamond in the second and last game of the series with Carlsbad Monday afternoon.

Jennings was in rare form for Roswell and allowed only four hits. They were all clean singles, but were so widely scattered that they did not figure in the scoring.

Carlsbad's first score was made without a hit in the first inning. The first man up walked, was advanced to third on errors and a sacrifice, and scored when J. Hall made a one-handed stop at first, retiring the batter but could not recover himself in time to catch the runner going home from third.

Roswell came back strong in the last half of the first and scored three runs. J. Hall first man up, hit over second on the first ball up, hit over a clean single, and went to second when Audrian sacrificed. He advanced to third when T. Hall took first on an error. T. Hall promptly stole second, and both scored when Jennings hit over first base for three bases. Amosett fled out to third and Jennings scored when Green took first on an error. Phillips walked, sending Green to second. Jones fled out for the third out. Eight men batted in this inning.

There was no more scoring until the sixth, when Carlsbad registered two, tying the score. With men on second and third and one out, the better hit to Jones, who was slow in handling the ball and both runners scored as the result of two errors, a base on balls and slow fielding, without anything like a hit.

This ended the scoring until the last half of the ninth, when Phillips led off with a single, advanced to second on a sacrifice by Jones, which was very timely and well executed, took third on a fielder's choice and scored when Carlsbad's rightfielder pulled a Snodgrass home at dropped J. Hall's easy fly.

Stewart for Carlsbad deserves great credit for pitching both games and used his slow ball very effectively.

The Carlsbad team as a whole played a very clean game, but were unable to do anything with Jennings' masterful delivery.

Jennings cannot be given too much credit for his work in this game, to get three hits, one being for three

bases, drove in two runs, scored one himself. He was master of the situation at all times. It was ably assisted by his catcher, Tom Hall, who played a jam-up game and handed Jennings' delivery in great style. A stolen base will be a rare occurrence with this battery working.

Roswell can well be proud of her team, as it is made up entirely of home boys, and they never give up until the last man is out. The boys are playing entirely for the love of the game and receive nothing for their work. It is certainly a contrast to some of the paid teams of which Roswell has boasted.

The team goes to Carlsbad next Sunday for one game, leaving on the noon train and returning the same night. It is hoped that quite a number of fans will make the trip with the team.

Captain Brainerd of the local club and pitcher Jennings of the Roswell team were badly injured in a collision at second base in the last game at Roswell. In a critical moment in the seventh inning Jennings, the fastest man on the Roswell club, attempted to steal second. Brainerd took the throw for a put out but in the collision at second Jennings' spikes opened two gashes three inches long in the local short stop's left leg while Jennings' ankle was dislocated from the force of the impact. So great was the interest in the game that both men continued to play although the blood ran freely from the deep cuts in Brainerd's leg and Jennings worked from the box with his ankle swollen to twice the normal size. Two hours after the game both men were on crutches. Physicians who examined Brainerd's leg say he will be out of the game at least a week.

STATE FAIR.

No expense is to be spared this year on the amusement features of the state fair, nor on any feature of the fair, as far as that goes. However, the attractions are being contracted for early so that the fair management can give its attention through the summer to the gathering of exhibits and the arousing of interest throughout the state.

The amusement program as outlined includes mammoth fireworks at night, championship baseball, harness and running races, an immense wild west spectacle and rodeo, some of the best spectacular acts in the country, an aeroplane with a woman driver who is known as the "queen of the air", at least two bands to be obtained and the largest aggregation of shows in the world, an aggregation that has never come west of the Mississippi river before.

Secretary Wiley of the fair is at present in the east, visiting Chicago, Cincinnati and Lexington where he will close contracts. At the latter point he expects to meet many horsemen and prevail upon them to stop over in Albuquerque for the races this fall on their way to the fair meeting at the San Francisco exposition.

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GOOD ROADS DAY.

The holding of a good roads day in which rural and urban citizens shall join in the construction or improvement of a piece of the public highway is a means of not only securing a piece of improved road, but the observance of such a day can be used to stimulate interest in road work and also to secure a more cordial understanding between the inhabitants of the country and the city. It would not be difficult to offer objections as to the possible efficiency of a good roads day as a means of constructing or improving roads, but such an occasion can be fully justified provided considerable attention is given to arousing more interest in the roads and to an interchange of views on highway problems between the different classes of people who use the roads. The experience in some such attempts has been that there was a surprising readiness to co-operate in such public improvements. In not a few instances city chambers of commerce and city automobile clubs have made very substantial contributions for the improvement of the country roads leading to the cities in which these organizations had their headquarters.—Ira O. Baker

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OUR PUBLIC FORUM

I--Introductory

Through the Press Service of Agriculture and Commerce, the master minds of this nation will be invited to the public forum and asked to deliver a message to civilization. Men who achieve seldom talk, and men who talk seldom achieve. There is no such thing as a noisy thinker, and brevity is always a close companion to truth.

It will be a great privilege to stand by the side of men who can roll in place the cornerstone of industry; to associate with men who can look at the world and see to the bottom of it; to commune with men who can hear the roar of civilization a few centuries away.

Too often we listen to the rabble element of our day that cries out against every man who achieves. "Crucify him." Mankind never has and probably never will produce a generation that appreciates the genius of its day. There never will be a crown without a cross, progress without sacrifice or an achievement without a challenge.

This is an age of service, and that man is greatest who serves the largest number. The present generation has done more to improve the condition of mankind than any civilization since human motives began their upward flight. The Greeks gave human life inspiration, but while her orators were speaking with the tongues of angels, her farmers were plowing with forked sticks; while her philosophers were emancipating human thought from bondage, her traffic

moved on two-wheeled carts driven, and oftentimes drawn, by slaves; while her artists were painting divine dreams on canvas, the streets of proud Athens were lighted by fire brands dipped in tallow.

The genius of past ages sought to arouse the intellect and stir the soul but the master minds of today are seeking to serve. Civilization has assigned to America the greatest task of the greatest age, and the greatest men that ever trod the greatest planet are solving it. Their achievements have astounded the whole world and we challenge every age and nation to name men or products that can approach in creative genius or masterful skill in organization, the marvelous achievements of the tremendous men of the present day. Edison can press a button and turn a light on multiplied millions of homes; Vail can take down the receiver and talk with fifty millions of people; McCormick's reaper can harvest the world's crop, and Fulton's steam engine moves the commerce of land and sea.

The greatest thing a human being can do is to serve his fellow men; Christ did it; Kings decree it, and wise men teach it. It is the glory of this practical age that Edison could find no higher calling than to become the janitor to civilization; Vail the messenger to mankind; McCormick the hired hand to agriculture, and Fulton the teamster to industry, and blessed is the age that has such masters for its servants.

POLITICAL AGITATORS

POLITICIANS WHO CAPITALIZE STRIFE A MENACE TO GOVERNMENT.

Neglect of Agricultural and Industrial Opportunities a National Crime.

By Peter Radford.

There never was a time in the history of this nation when we needed statesmen more or agitators less than at the present moment. The opportunities now afforded us on land and sea demand the best there is in statecraft and the possibilities that are confronting us call for national issues that unite the people, build industry and expand trade. The agricultural and industrial development of this nation has suffered severely at the hands of agitators who have sent torpedoes crashing into the port side of business and whose neglect of the interests of the farmer makes them little less than political criminals. We want no more of these evil spirits to predominate in government. Too long their hysterical cry has sent a shiver down the spinal column of industry. Too long have the political agitators capitalized strife, pillaged progress and murdered opportunity. An industrial corpse is not a desirable thing, a crippled business an achievement or neglect an accomplishment about which any representative of the government has a right to boast.

Issues that Breed Agitators Should be Eliminated.

The political agitator must be eliminated from public life before thoughtful consideration can be given to a constructive program in government. The liquor question is the most prolific breeding ground for agitators and whether pro or anti, the hatch is equally as undesirable. This article is in no sense a discussion of the liquor question but deals solely and by way of illustration with the political products of that issue. Other subjects will be dealt with in the order of their importance.

In the history of our government the liquor issue has never produced a constructive statesman worth mentioning and it never will. It has sent more frenks to Congress, Lilliputians to the Senate and incompetents to office than any other political issue under the sun.

The recent experience of the English Parliament which lashed itself into a fury over the liquor question has a lesson that it is well for the farmers of this nation to observe; for the subject in some form or other is constantly before the public for solution and oftentimes to the exclusion of more important problems to the American plowmen.

THE LAYMAN'S DUTY

There never was a time when preachers and politicians formed an unholy alliance that civilization did not shriek out and Christianity cry aloud. Since the beginning of government, politicians have sought to decoy the ministry into the meshes of politics and make them carry banners in political processions. They have taken the ministry to the mountaintop of power and offered to make them monarch of all they surveyed, and while most of them have said, "Get thee behind me Satan," a few have fallen with a crash that has shaken every pulpit in Christendom.

THEMISTOCLES

When Themistocles was asked by his host at a dinner party to entertain the guests by playing the lute, he replied that he could not play the fiddle, but that he could make a small town a great city. We have in this nation many politicians who are good "fiddlers," but they cannot make a small town a great city. We are overrun with orators who can play upon the passions of the people, but they can't put brick and mortar together. We need builders.

Let those who hunger and thirst for power understand that the highest glory of a statesman is to construct, and that it is better for a man that he should build a public highway than that he should become Governor of a state, and that he start a plow than that he become the author of a law. The true test of statesmanship is the plow and the hammer, so let those who would govern, first build.

Pride of the Japanese.
The Japs are a jolly people and fond of a joke, and they are generous and trusting to a marked degree. They also have a strong sense of pride, and travelers relate a peculiar instance of this trait. If a traveler is annoyed by a crowd, it is always quiet and respectful—he can cause it to melt away like snowflakes on a hot stove by simply halting and holding out a coin. The Japs feel hurt at being taken for mendicants. Fancy what the result would be if a traveler adopted this expedient in the fee-taking cities of Europe. He would be almost torn to pieces by the crowd trying to get the coin.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat

The Other Way With Him.
"Remember, sir, that you owe something to your constituents," said one member of a town council to another. "Huzph!" said the other. "If you owe anything to your constituents all I've got to say is that you're lucky. Why, there are not half a dozen voters in my ward that have not borrowed money from me."—Stray Stories


NOTICE.
No. 291.
IN THE PROBATE COURT, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HOMER F. PARR, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that Maude H. Parr, Administratrix of the estate of Homer F. Parr, deceased, having filed in this court her first and final report of her administration of said estate, and a petition for her discharge as administratrix of said estate, the hearing of the same has been fixed by the court for the 19th day of August, 1915, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the court room of said court in the Court House at Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, and all persons interested in said estate are hereby notified that and there to appear and show cause, if any they have, why the said report should not be settled and allowed and said administratrix discharged.

MAUDE H. PARR,
Administratrix of the Estate of
9-July-4 Homer F. Parr, Deceased.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, June 22, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, under the provisions of the 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. 6246. Serial No. 032283. NW 1-4 Sec. 27; NE 1-4 Sec. 28 T. 26 S. R. 37 E., N. M. Mer. 320 acres.
List No. 6147. Serial No. 032287. All of Sec. 35 T. 21 S. R. 36 E., N. M. Mer. 640 acres.
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All of Sec. 11 T. 22 S. R. 36 E., N. M. Mer. 640 acres.
List No. 6149. Serial No. 032289. S 1-2 Sec. 12 T. 22 S. R. 36 E., N. M. Mer. 320 acres.
List No. 6150. Serial No. 032290. All of Sec. 13 T. 22 S. R. 36 E., N. M. Mer. 640 acres.
List No. 6151. Serial No. 032291. All of Sec. 14 T. 22 S. R. 36 E., N. M. Mer. 640 acres.
List No. 6184. Serial No. 032298. Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, S 1-2 Sec. 1 T. 27 S. R. 34 E., N. M. Mer. 640 acres.
List No. 6185. Serial No. 032297. SE 1-4 SW 1-4 Sec. 19 T. 22 S. R. 37 E., N. M. Mer. 40 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 certificate.

EMMETT PATTON,
9-July-5 Register.

W. A. POORE,
County Superintendent of Schools,
2-July-4 G. W. FULLINGIM,
Secretary of School Board.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, May 5, 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. 5251. Serial No. 030828. All of Sec. 25 T. 20 S. R. 35 E., N. M. Mer. 640 acres.
List No. 5252. Serial No. 030829. All of Sec. 26 T. 20 S. R. 35 E., N. M. Mer. 640 acres.
List No. 5253. Serial No. 030830. All of Sec. 27 T. 20 S. R. 35 E., N. M. Mer. 640 acres.
List No. 5254. Serial No. 030831. All of Sec. 28 T. 20 S. R. 35 E., N. M. Mer. 640 acres.
List No. 5255. Serial No. 030832. All of Sec. 29 T. 20 S. R. 35 E., N. M. Mer. 640 acres.
List No. 5256. Serial No. 030833. All of Sec. 30 T. 20 S. R. 35 E., N. M. Mer. 640 acres.
List No. 5257. Serial No. 030834. All of Sec. 31 T. 20 S. R. 35 E., N. M. Mer. 640 acres.
List No. 5258. Serial No. 030835. All of Sec. 32 T. 20 S. R. 35 E., N. M. Mer. 640 acres.
List No. 5259. Serial No. 030836. All of Sec. 33 T. 20 S. R. 35 E., N. M. Mer. 640 acres.
List No. 5260. Serial No. 030837. W 1-2 W 1-2 Sec. 17; SE 1-4 Sec. 18 T. 22 S. R. 37 E., N. M. Mer. 320 acres.
List No. 5241. Serial No. 030838. Lots 1, 2, E 1-2 NW 1-4, NE 1-4 Sec. 19; NW 1-4 NW 1-4 Sec. 20 T. 22 S. R. 37 E., N. M. Mer. 35.602 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,
4-June-5 Register.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, May 25, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, under the provisions of the 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. 6947. Serial No. 031976. All of Sec. 22 T. 21 S. R. 27 E., N. M. Mer. 640 acres.
List No. 6048. Serial No. 031977. All of Sec. 23 T. 21 S. R. 27 E., N. M. Mer. 640 acres.
List No. 6036. Serial No. 031983. SW 1-4 Sec. 11 T. 24 S. R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 160 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 certificate.

EMMETT PATTON,
18-June-5 Register.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, June 18, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that James S. Johnson, of Carlsbad, N. M., who, on March 18, 1909, made O.R. and Add'l. H.D. Entries, Serial Nos. 05481 and 020521 for SW 1-4 SE 1-4; NE 1-4, Sec. 19; and NW 1-4 NE 1-4; NE 1-2 NW 1-4, Sec. 20, Township 26-S, Range 21-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 A. R. O'Quinn, Clerk of the Probate Court of Eddy County, in his office at Carlsbad, N. M., on July 27, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Henry C. Dickson, Dolph N. Vest, William Tunya, William Leck, all of Carlsbad, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON,
June 25-July 23 Register.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, June 22, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that Robert W. Hardin, of Queen, N. M., who, on Nov. 28, 1908 and Oct. 22, 1909, made O.R. and Add'l. H.D. Entries, Serial Nos. 05481 and 020521 for SW 1-4 SE 1-4; NE 1-4, Sec. 19; and NW 1-4 NE 1-4; NE 1-2 NW 1-4, Sec. 20, Township 26-S, Range 21-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 A. R. O'Quinn, Clerk of the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, at Carlsbad, N. M., on Aug. 5, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses:
John R. Means, Joseph T. Plowman, Walter R. Shattuck, Jesse Magby, all of Queen, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON,
July 2-30 Register.

COUNTY NEWS ITEMS

**ABSOLUTELY RELIABLE NEWS
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WIRES OF THE CUR-
RENT.**

KNOWLES GLEANINGS.

Bert Weir was one of the noble boys who called in Knowles a few days ago, yes, always welcome.

W. H. Birdwell the Gaines county cow man was a visitor in town a day or two ago, speculating on the price of cows.

Ranchero Roberson, from the caprock near Clark's Gap, moved to Knowles last week, for the benefit of Mrs. Roberson's health.

Monroe Cloudt and Ferdinand Nemeyer, cowmen from the Southern Zone, were arrivals in Knowles some days ago, and they did what they pleased said what they thought, and bought what they wanted, and returned to from whence they came.

Top heard had another bunch of prospectors in Knowles last Friday, having a look, trying to find something that exactly suited their taste.

Wagoner Hardin went to Seminole last week and brought in a Ford rambler for ranch use last Thursday.

The Breckon fruit wagon was in town again the other day, and, believe me, they started something when they began dishing out the fine red peaches.

Jimmy Roberts came in from his caprock ranch last Friday, speculating on futures, and doing business, shipshape.

Doc L. C. Reenan, of Plains, Texas, was in town on important business the other day.

Henry Eaves and Frank Mabin, returned from their vacation visiting their folks at Rotan, Texas, last Thursday.

Ben Smith the prosperous ranchero from the north-west came in to see how the Knowles delegation was getting along last Friday, and returned home when he felt like it.

Chas. Miller, went to Texas last Friday to have a look at a hundred white face three year old heifers, may-be-so-buy.

Mrs. John Royal of the Thornhill section was right in the middle of the town shopping the other day.

It is reported that Earl Huston sold Elbert Shipp a hundred head of fine cows last week. Price not stated.

A. J. Todd, the veteran tonsorial artist, took charge of that line of business in Knowles July 1st.

Dave Willhoit installed "hissuf" at the stock exchange as general manager a few days ago and will no doubt hustle up some business in that capacity.

Mr. and Mrs. Nay Stiles came over from their ranch forty miles west of us, to see if the Knowles people can do any dancing.

Mr. L. Daugherty, mother and sister, came to town last Saturday, visiting old time friends.

Mrs. Tom Ross of Seminole, Texas, was a welcome visitor in Knowles last Saturday.

Mrs. J. E. Weir came in from the ranch west of Monument last Friday and visited her friends and took in the dance.

Mrs. Fred Nyeyer came in from the ranch in the big hip, last Friday, bringing in a load of ladies, showing them the scenery and a good dance.

Mrs. Baxter Culp came to town Friday afternoon. She says she just came in to take care of Baxter, for she had some misgivings about his getting lost in the push.

Liberty Bell, of the lower district, made his appearance here last Friday, and rang out the rhymes, until they faded away in the night air, well on toward the rising sun.

Jim Love was finally induced (for the price) to bring over the collective native sons of Montezuma, last Saturday morn, and since they were abundantly supplied with Smokeys, Ne one was at all inclined to shun them, and of course their wants were promptly attended to, according to their instructions.

Colonel Frank Hardin our neighbor just east of us, was constrained to take in the Monument picnic with his family last Saturday, and of course since the Colonel is a whole show within himself, there was no doubt about the whole bunch having "a time".

Mrs. A. A. Andrews was in town from the ranch a few miles north, the other day, trading and picking up a few of the topics of the day.

Damon Ship was in from the Line ranch last Friday, to take part in the big dance, returned home tickled to death. His report is, can scarcely wait for the next one to be pulled off.

celebrate every Fourth, that comes his way, for he states he won't be able to celebrate over forty or fifty more of them, therefore, don't want to let any of them get away.

Nat Roberts took a car load of gay celebrators to the Monument picnic last Saturday. Said they were going to start something just as soon as they arrived there—the barbecue.

Captain Emerson made a trip over across the line last Saturday morning, presumably buying about 10 or 15 sections of Texas land—perhaps.

Captain Stringer of Midland, passed through town a few days ago, returning home with a fine stallion, which he was invited to bring out to the country west of us, with the assurance of a trade which, however, was passed up, the trouble of the trip being lost sight of, and the merits of the horse unseen. Cap. says makes no difference, the price of the horse has raised, loosing him.

Ernest Best the inspector accompanied by the sheriff of Yoakum county, Texas, made a night call to this burr last Thursday, looking for some one hard to find.

The shortage prevailing in U. S. bank notes in this vicinity came to an abrupt halt last week—hope the

strings won't tighten again for a long time.

Jim Williams, who had such a hard tussle with the typhoid pneumonia, for several weeks, is out and up to his usual stunts in the cow line.

The Kink candy man was amongst the bunch the other day, spreading fragrance and sweetness as he went.

Eight loaded wagons all balled up for half day on the big sand road on account of a break-down, where there was no way of passing, even the mail car being delayed for several hours.

Judge Garrett was in town for several days during the past week, attending to special official business.

That tremendous bunch of thunder and lightning had the hull lunch bluffed here last week but the promised showers were steered off to some other clime.

Chas. Loyd the dead game sport from the west, was an appreciated visitor in Knowles town the other day, doing the pleasing stunts.

Dr. Middleton is now installed in his new quarters, on the hill, and is awaiting for those who may be looking for him. He says he is always ready to serve the people who may desire his services.

An argument pulled off on the street, when the mercury runs high, is never very satisfactory to either side, and besides after it's over, no one can recollect anything at all about it.

W. G. Woerner made a hurry-up trip to Lovington last Friday, for God only knows what, but he returned in a couple of hours, and wasn't skinned up a bit.

A real picnic and barbecue was pulled off at the Coleman Grove southwest of town last Sunday, everybody taking part, and celebrating to the utmost of their ability. Yes, a bunch of folks from everywhere and all having a good time, by pulling off all kinds of stunts.

Mrs. Rodgers, sister of Clabe Kyle, was here visiting and enjoying the plain's breezes. She is from Austin, Texas.

Judging from the number of participants, the big dance last Friday night was certainly a pronounced success. Everybody, even unto the dogs, was there and at least took a "look in" if they were unable to reel in.

From one to two pieces every day from last Friday until Tuesday, in the community, looks like prosperity has overtaken this part of the country—folks that had never been heard of and had never been seen taking part and thoroughly enjoying themselves—getting together generally.

MALAGA ITEMS.

Mr. Hostler has gone to California to take in the exposition.

C. P. Cochran is here visiting at the home of his niece, Mrs. Clyde Egbert.

Miss Cleveland from Chicago, is visiting her father, George Cleveland, and her brother, Robert, on their homestead southeast of Malaga.

A. A. Beeman and family are here from Elida, N. M., visiting his brother, C. W. Beeman and family, and other relatives in the valley. They made the trip in their car.

Mr. Black's family and Mr. Sherman's family, were visited by their cousins last week. They are taking a trip through the country and camping, having been to California, and are on their way home so we are told.

The J. A. Harshorn family are camping over to upper Hagerman ranch and drove over to spend the Fourth here at the Malaga picnic.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joel Franklin on July Fourth a fine ten pound boy.

The glorious Fourth was celebrated at Red Bluff this year.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Barnett were the host and hostess of a Fourth of July gathering of a few of their friends and relatives.

The table was laid with everything good to eat. They had a fish fry, ice cream, pop and altogether too many things to mention.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Finley and family, Griff Finley, Mrs. Lee Barnett and son and daughter, R. D. Bruce and family, and Will Griffin, Mrs. A. R. Plowman. All had a fine time and hope to meet with Mr. and Mrs. Barnett again.

Miss Mollie Murray of Carlsbad visited at the home of John Reid and family, to enjoy the picnic.

A party was held at the Gerlach home the evening of the 5th, a good number were present, and enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

Misses Jessie and Anna May Donaldson were up from Red Bluff to spend a few days at to attend the Fourth of July picnic.

C. R. Helm was a Carlsbad visitor Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Eugene Donaldson and son, Clyde, were up from Red Bluff to enjoy the picnic on Monday.

The Fourth of July was celebrated here on Monday with a basket dinner, barbecue and lots of good things to eat. The morning was cloudy, but it soon cleared and couldn't have had a nicer day. A big crowd was there and they kept coming all the afternoon.

Had a foot ball game between the Hagerman ranch boys and Malaga, the score was in favor of the Hagerman ranch boys. They had races of different kinds which caused lots of fun and a good time generally.

Twenty gallons of ice cream and the same of lemonade was there for beef was the first we have ever tasted, who ever wanted it. The barbecue we hope to have more of these good times.

NADINE.

W. C. Grimes and Mr. Kimball are gone to the Sacramento mountains for fence posts.

Mrs. C. K. Auburg is enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. Cook, and family, of Austin, Texas.

Tom Houston is home from Lamosa, Texas, to spend ten days with home folk.

Mrs. Jim Baker and children from Carlsbad are spending a while with her father, Mr. Glascock.

Miss Jewel Houston visited her sister, Mrs. Earl Hardin of Monument several days this week.

Mrs. J. H. Hughes and Mary Williams went to Carlsbad Thursday, Mrs. Williams will attend the Institute.

The storm Saturday night did quite a good deal of damage at Nadine. Several adobe houses were blown down. No one was hurt except Mrs. W. R. Owen and two children. The former has been under medical treatment and not able to be about. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Albert Cook, Chas. Auburg and Henry Haynes all motored over to the mountains this week on a prospecting tour.

Lum Daugherty went to Midland, Texas, Wednesday.

Jim Fletcher and family are here visiting his parents and other relatives.

Miss Samantha Bilbrey will attend the Institute at Carlsbad.

A. M. Larkin returned from Carlsbad Tuesday.

The Nadine country had a fine rain Saturday night. East of us on the Texas side they had a big hail which destroyed everything in its path.

ARTESIA.

From the News.
Dr. C. W. Williams has purchased a new six-cylinder, seven passenger Overland car.

F. E. Hubert and family were in town Saturday and Sunday from Oriental. Mr. Hubert is manager of the National Plaster Co. at that place.

Rev. J. C. Gage has sold the Gage hotel to Walter Pendleton, a retired cowman of Carlsbad. J. W. Ridgeway is the new manager, taking charge of the place the first of the month.

Will Reed, Jr., came up from Carlsbad Monday morning and went out to Hope to visit the celebration.

Judge J. W. Dauron and Feris Heath editor of the Progress, were among the Lakewood visitors who came to Artesia Friday afternoon to take in the carnival.

Ed. Howell thinks that getting ready for Fourth of July celebrations at Hope is a strenuous business. He furnished 1,000 loaves of bread to the Hope people for their barbecue. One hundred and fifty gallons of ice cream was shipped from Artesia.

EUNICE.

From the Democrat.
Some men are already talking of running for county office next year. There is no doubt of there being a full crop at the proper time, and we hope to see the eastern part of the county represented in the scramble.

Rev. Mr. Vermillion, who will assist in the Baptist meeting beginning at Monument the 16th is the pastor of the Baptist church at Las Cruces, N. M.

Wm. G. Mac Arthur has sold his land holdings to Earl Hardin but the Commissioner's office is to remain at Monument.

The picnic at Tom Pendleton's ranch was all that could be expected. The amusement was fine and there was plenty of good things to eat.

The electrical storm Saturday night destroyed fruit and crops near Knowles, Hobbs, Nadine and Elipse. Hail killed rabbits by the dozen and a few calves.

Hail Tuesday destroyed all the Carter garden, Crenshaw's crop and wind blew King's shed over and wasted quite a few peaches.

Lightning killed a mare for D. B. King and two steers for Speed the same day.

BAD LUCK FOR LINDLEY.

—Eunice Democrat.
When J. Lindley of Monument started south Friday morning he left several dishonored checks in the hands of innocent parties around Monument; his filing had been turned down, and the whole world looked dark to this strange family in a strange land.

When MacArthur returned home from Lovington and heard that Lindley had departed he immediately picked up constable Burk and his car "highed" to Eunice arriving just ahead of Lindley. Complaint was made before J. C. Estlack and Lindley was taken back to Monument that night in the car in charge of Burk and MacArthur.

A message from the Abilene bank next morning stated that Lindley had money there to cover the checks and he was given his liberty. Lindley made the mistake of checking against open account instead of against a letter of credit given him by the bank.

Mr. Lindley and family are stopping at Eunice where he is on a trade for the Reeder place east of town.

Clever Pickpocket.

"Just to illustrate how clever pickpockets are," said a police official, "let me tell you of an incident which occurred one night while I was behind the desk. A young fellow came in and complained that his pocket had been picked while riding on a surface car. He had a wallet in his inside pocket in which was some money in bills. The car was crowded, he couldn't get a seat, and occasionally he reached up and held on to a strap. On one of these occasions a pickpocket extracted the wallet from his inside pocket, took the money out, slipped a folded newspaper into the wallet and put the wallet back in the victim's pocket. Can you beat that?" New York Sun.

He Took It.

"I'll not take No. 10 for an answer, Miss Bunker-Frischlin," he declared bravely as he persistently pressed his suit.

"Then, sir," replied the cold and cultured Boston girl, rising proudly to the occasion. "Will you in lieu of that much longed-for negative assertion, would you positively declare to me, on oath, that you are not a pickpocket?"

And he did. St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

GOOD ROADS AND JITNEY BUS

Operation of Such Vehicles Demands Improved Highways.

INFLUENCE IS BEING FELT.

With Roads Provided There Will Be Quick and Reasonably Cheap Connection For the Farmer and Steam Railroads Through Self Propelled Vehicles.

Why is the jitney bus? says the Manufacturers Record. To what will it lead? Starting a few months ago in the far west in more or less competition with the service of traction lines, the jitney bus has moved rapidly across the country and, appearing in different localities almost simultaneously, has begun to attract the serious attention of the management of street railways. Investors and municipal authorities alert to any possibility of increasing public revenues through the granting of public service franchises. It seems to be something more substantial than a fad. To buy and operate a single jitney bus or to adapt some other motor vehicle to its purpose calls for a certain amount of capital to be invested with no certainty of continued and increasing profit.

Whatever the inspiration may be, it is quite evident that in some localities at least there has been a distinct demand for the jitney bus, either because of the absence of other means of quick transportation or because of inadequacy of existing means. The greater freedom of action of the self propelled vehicle and its ability to operate easily where it would be difficult for conventional passenger service to be profitable are certainly points in its favor and suggest that street car companies might make no mistake in adopting and adapting the jitney bus as auxiliary to their own service, making it a feeder to their own lines, especially in suburban sections. Even in some large cities foresight in acquiring franchises covering all possible routes or wisdom in approaching the same end more directly by the acquisition into one management of many lines has left stretches of considerable territory in which there is no such public service. In the case of suburban extension, where frequently the returns on the investment are not proportionately as great as in the city, in spite of the relatively higher rate of fares, there ought to be abundant opportunities for the utilization of the jitney as auxiliary.

This brings the thought to a wider range of use for the self propelled vehicle in both passenger and freight service as a feeder to steam railroads. In the south, for instance, there are 93,500 miles of railroads, an average of something less than one mile for every ten square miles of territory. The average in New England is one mile of railroad for every seven square miles of territory. Since 1880 the south has built railroad mileage sufficient to bring its total to a greater aggregate length than the length of all the railroads in the country in that year. For the full development of the south its transportation facilities should be made at least to equal those of New England and to give it about 131,000 miles of railroad. Even with that equipment it would be vast tracts in the south without railway facilities, but capable of supporting quite a dense population engaged in producing in mining, lumbering and agriculture enormous traffic for transportation companies. The transportation electric lines may be expected to accelerate the proper settlement of these tracts, but even in that event the needed facilities will not be complete and the population will be obliged to depend upon country roads.

In the past ten years there has been notable activity in the south in the construction of improved highways, both trunk lines and laterals. But a vast amount of work of the kind is still to be done before there shall be an adequate system of public highways networking the south. Nothing probably could give a greater impetus to the completion of the system than consideration of the conveniences offered by the automobile, the motorbus and the motortruck to farming communities, for the profitable operation of such vehicles demands first class roads. With the roads provided, the quick and reasonably cheap connection of the farmer's front gate with the steam railroad, the linking of the farm with its markets, will be afforded by the self propelled vehicle, which already is doing effective work at many points where the chance for it exists.



A JITNEY BUS.

TAINTED POLITICS

By Peter Radford.

This country is suffering more from tainted politics than from any other malady at the present time. There is scarcely a campaign speech made, a platform demand written or a measure enacted into law that does not carry the taint of personal gain of some politician or political faction thereof.

There is more "blue sky" in campaign promises of many politicians running for office than was ever contained in the prospectuses of the bold est promoters of chimerical business schemes. There are more secret combinations formed by politicians in the name of "My Country" than were ever formed under any and all other aliases. There are more political rebates hidden in the phrase "Be it enacted" than were ever concealed under any and all other disguises.

The inordinate thirst for political power and unrestrained passion for mastery has caused more distress in this nation than the greed for gold and it ought to be regulated by law. No business combination ever pursued their competitors as relentlessly or visited more heartless cruelty upon their customers than a political party that seeks to make junk of an industry, or cripple a business for party success, through tariff measures, political supervision and oftentimes destructive legislation. Many political platforms are as alluring to the voter as the story of the rainbow with its pot of gold and their consumption about as far-fetched. It is the first law in politics. There are many men in office today who, if they could not shake plums off the tree of American liberty or cut a melon taken from Uncle Sam's commissary, would have less desire to serve the public.

The country is suffering with patriots, who will bare their breast to bullets in defense of their country, but there are few men in public life who will bare their breast to voters or run the gauntlet of party disfavor in defense of agriculture or industry. No representative of the people, who will permit personal prejudice to detract from justice, party success to disfranchise reason or the rancor of a political campaign to influence judgment can render capable service.

The preservation of our prosperity depends upon wisdom, courage and honesty in government, and the American voter should seek these attributes as implicitly as the Wise Men followed the Star of Bethlehem and they will often be found to rest over the stable; the plow or the staff of the Shepherd. The surest cure for tainted politics and machine rule is fresh air and sunshine and these important elements are most abundant upon the farm, and when farmers, bankers and merchants are elected to membership in legislative bodies, much of the trouble in government will disappear.

WATERED SECURITIES

By Peter Radford.

Much has been said and more written about the evils of watered stock in big business concerns and the farmers of this nation believe that every dollar written into the life of any business organization, should be able to say "I know that my Redeemer liveth," but farming is the biggest business on earth, and there is more water in its financial transaction than that of any other industry. There is as much water in a farmer's note-drawing eight or ten per cent interest when other lines of industry secure money for four or five per cent per annum, as there is in a business paying a reasonable compensation upon the face value of securities representing an investment of only fifty cents on the dollar. The only difference is, the water is in the interest rate in one instance and in the securities in the other.

The promoter oftentimes takes chances and his success is contingent upon the development of the property involved but the farmer, as a rule, takes no chances and his success cripples the property involved. There may be industries that cry louder but none that suffer more severely from financial immorality in both law and custom than that of agriculture.

The farmers of America today are paying \$200,000,000 per annum in usury on real estate and chattel loans, and this interest capitalized at five per cent, represents \$4,000,000,000 of fictitious values which the farmer is paying interest on. This sum of money is almost equal to the annual value of crops produced in the United States.

The earning power of the farmer's note based upon his interest rate very nearly divides like the earth's surface—three-fourths water and one-fourth land. The largest body of water that floats upon the financial hemisphere now rests upon the farms and its waves are dashing and its billows are rolling against seven million homes threatening ruin and disaster to the prosperity of the nation. Will our public servants who understand how to drain the liquid off industrial properties turn the faucet and let the water off the farms?

It is an admitted economic fact that there can be no permanent prosperity without a permanent agriculture.

Full Moons.

The period from one full moon to another is 29 days 12 hours and 44 minutes.

Christian & Co., INSURANCE.

Colds

should be "nipped in the bud", for if allowed to run unchecked, serious results may follow. Numerous cases of consumption, pneumonia, and other fatal diseases, can be traced back to a cold. At the first sign of a cold, protect yourself by thoroughly cleansing your system with a few doses of

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Mr. Chas. A. Ragland, of Madison Heights, Va., says: "I have been using Theodor's Black-Draught for stomach troubles, indigestion and colds, and find it to be the very best medicine I ever used. It makes an old man feel like a young one." Insist on Theodor's, the original and genuine. E-67

The Human Face.

Rosa Bonheur, the great painter of animals, had a system of mnemonics which was exceedingly quaint. She could trace in the faces of those people who visited her a resemblance to some sort of animal. For instance, if some one reminded her of a certain body she would probably hesitate for a moment and then say, "Oh, yes, the body with the camel face" or "Oh, I remember she had a cow face." This memory system was not flattering to her friends, but it showed how saturated she was with a knowledge of animals and their characteristics. On every human face she found a likeness to some animal she had studied and delineated.

Being Old at Forty.

Few men need to be old at forty unless they choose. In a large measure it is an optional matter. If one keeps his nose to the grindstone of business, eats too much, indulges himself too freely, gets no physical exercise and takes his business cares home and to bed with him every night he is pretty likely to be too old when he becomes forty. The suggestion that a man or woman is old at forty ought to be absurd. That it is not absurd is something of a reflection upon that portion of us who because we are unwilling to take a little trouble, are actually bringing on age at forty—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

No Chicken.

Lady are you married?—Do you know I find it quite hard to remember my new name? Her Friend—Naturally, dear. You had the old one so long, you know.—The Detroit Free Press.

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COMPANY "B" NEEDS SUPPORT.

With the first military encampment ever held in Carlsbad at hand, the local company is now in need of not only the moral support but also the active support of every citizen of the community.

Carlsbad has been especially favored by the authorities recently, first by the appropriation of \$17,500.00 for the erection of a splendid new armory building for Company "B", and now by the selection of this town for a military encampment, bringing together nearly two hundred citizen soldiers, which will mean the spending of hundreds of dollars with our business men.

It is absolutely necessary for a military company to have not less than thirty-eight enlisted men at the encampment in order that such company may draw federal pay. It has always been a task to get together the required number of men for the summer encampments, and at this time, on account of many expired enlistments and the removal from Carlsbad of others, Company "B" is exceedingly short of men, and the necessary men cannot be had without the active support of the business community.

Every citizen interested in keeping a live military organization in Carlsbad is requested to use his influence and power in securing the enlistment of at least one recruit for Company "B" and those business men who have employees that are members of the Company are requested to arrange to let such employees off for the week of encampment, which will be held here July 23 to 31 inclusive.

With a new armory building provided for and an encampment coming to Carlsbad, the officials at Santa Fe feel that we should make a big showing, and we ought to do it without fail, if for nothing else than to show our appreciation.

NEW CEMENT PLANT.

National Plaster Company Will Establish 200 Ton Plant at Avalon—Have Fine Location.

Artesia News. Manager F. E. Hubert, of the National Plaster Company, at Oriental, was in town Saturday and said that his company would soon commence the erection of a 200 ton plant at Avalon, a few miles south of the present mill. This company owns a section of land which is almost pure yellow gypsum about two miles from the railroad. They will build the plant at the railroad, on the hill overlooking Avalon lake and haul the raw material to that point.

Since Manager Hubert has taken charge of the mill at Oriental a decided change for the better has been made. While the force now at work is not so large as when he went there the quantity of material shipped each month is nearly double, and they find a ready market for it in all parts of the country. One firm at El Paso has an average of ten cars a month and many cars are shipped to the Pacific coast. The quality of the output is an exceptionally high grade of plaster that commands good prices on all markets.

NEARLY AN ACCIDENT.

A pretty washed across the road about two miles south of Lakewood came near causing the death of a carload of people last Monday. The party consisted of Marvin Livingston and wife and Roy Waller and Miss Simmons. Marvin had noticed the truck when going to Hope in the morning and followed the road around it but in the night he failed to notice the place where the road curved and drove right over the front wheels dropping down to the ground when he applied the emergency. As Marvin was very careful he drove slow and was not going more than six miles an hour when his car went into the hole which had perpendicular sides. The car at once commenced to settle and the dirt to cave and was in danger of tipping over. All the occupants got out and as it was impossible to back up, the car of Carl Livingston who was a short distance behind, was used with mud chains to pull the other car out which was done. Carl was accompanied by his mother and the Misses Myrtle Ward and Lucy Jones. The wonder is that the truck on the road has not resulted in an accident before this time.

The Reason.

"Another embroilment, I see. Don't it add that these are always committed by trusted clerks?"

"Not at all. The ones that are not trusted never get a chance at the money." Boston Transcript.

PORFIRIO DIAZ IS DEAD.

Former President of Mexico Called to His Fathers at the Age of Eighty-Four.

Paris, July 2.—General Porfirio Diaz, former president of Mexico, died at 7 o'clock this morning.

General Diaz's wife, Senora Carmen Romero Rubio Diaz, and their son, Porfirio Diaz, Jr., and the latter's wife, were at the bedside when the end came.

General Diaz was born in 1830. His family were of old Spanish stock with an infusion of Indian blood. Left fatherless at the age of 3, he was educated at the expense of the bishop of Oaxaca with the intention of becoming a priest, but he eventually turned to law and then at the outbreak of the war with the United States turned to a military career. He served throughout that struggle in a militia company which he helped to organize, and after peace was declared he made a special study of military science. He opposed the continuation of Santa Anna's dictatorship. His execution was ordered, but he escaped and joined Herrera's revolt. He speedily made a reputation as a soldier, and as a brigadier-general he was the chief thorn in the side of the French forces, when, taking advantage of the civil war in the United States, they attempted to place Archduke Maximilian of Austria on the throne of a Mexican empire. Diaz harassed the enemy constantly, and in June, 1867, captured Mexico City with his forces. On the re-establishment of the republic he was unsuccessful as a candidate for president, but in 1877 he was elected to fill the unexpired term of the fugitive president, Lerdo. His last and eighth election was in July, 1910.

To Diaz was given credit for the advance of Mexico to the status of a stable, progressive and prosperous government, although the autocratic methods he employed were widely criticized.

ENCAMPMENT TWO WEEKS OFF.

Military Encampment Here Last Week in July.

The first military encampment ever held in Carlsbad will begin here on July 23rd, lasting one week. Four all American companies will attend this encampment, which will be under command of Major E. P. Bujac, while the Adjutant General and one or more regular army officers will also be in attendance in advisory capacity.

Each of the companies, which will be "C" from Artesia, "M" from Portales, and "K" from Clovis in addition to the local company, will be provided with regular camp kitchen outfit, including a field range and all accessories, and will be issued regular ration rations each day, same as to regular soldiers. This includes a regular issue of ice for drinking water, fresh meat and butter and in fact enough to satisfy a hungry man, provided the company possesses a good cook to serve the food properly, although the cash value is limited to 25c per day for each man.

It is probable that this camp will be pitched in or near the edge of town, and the people here will be afforded opportunity to see how soldiers live under field conditions.

If plans are carried out as contemplated, the camp will be placed so that water lines will be laid along Company street, with hydrants for each kitchen, and shower baths erected for use of the soldiers. While strict military discipline will be maintained, as at any encampment, the men are allowed ample time off for recreation, rest or amusement in the afternoon, and it is likely some interesting base ball games may be seen during the week, as every company contains some crack players.

This will prove a big week for Carlsbad, and arrangements should be made to entertain the visitors at least one night during the encampment.

Liberty Bell.

The Liberty bell is twelve feet in circumference around the lip and seven feet six inches around the crown. The bell is three feet following the line of the bell from the lip to the crown and two feet three inches over the crown. The length of the clapper is three feet two inches. The inscription on the bell is "By order of the Assembly of the Province of Pennsylvania, for the Statehouse in the City of Philadelphia, 1752. Proclaim Liberty throughout the land unto all the inhabitants thereof.—Leviticus, xxx, 10."

SUMMER FROCK.

Handsome Frock of Hand Embroidered Handkerchief Linen.



PRETTY SUMMER CREATION.

Hand embroidery is used lavishly this season in the creation of handsome summer frocks. The toleiro jacket lends itself to the scalloped edge, as do also the yoke and the bottom of the skirt. To give the touch of color the girdle is made of rose colored satin. A hat of white hemp is trimmed with pink roses, and the stockings are pink, worn with black and white pumps.

BEAUTIFUL DOGWOODS.

When This Shrub Blossoms Summer Is Again Here.

The magnificent magnolias spread their fragrant petals so early, while the trees are yet bare, that one fears it is all too good to be true. But with the delicious dogwoods it is another story. One knows summer is practically here. And the dogwoods are not only charming when their snowy sheets are spread; their foliage is vivid in the fall, a glorious crimson, and the berries are even more richly tinted. Unfortunately the hungry birds often descend upon a tree and devour every blossom. Like many other shrubs, its buds for the following year will be set this autumn. Even prettier than this dogwood is the pink flowering variety, but while the color is wonderful the form is not as characteristic.

The round topped, upward branching red maple is superb against a very blue sky. Then the dark gray bark looks black and the crimson blossoms, which grow on short pedicels, seem more than ever brilliant. In Georgia and Florida these blossoms are a superb sight in March and a delight to the northerner because they come so early.

One need not be forever looking aloft, however. Right down in the grass are floral riches aplenty. The first favorite, no doubt, is the violet, the dear, modest little violet, which everybody loves and which blossoms everywhere. The little blue hepatica was one of the floral early buds; likewise the pinky and exquisite anemones, which some call the mayflower. In April and May the bloodroot is found, its pure white golden hearted blossoms being as lovely as the juice of its root stock is surprising.

Put Salt in Milk.

Milk will not turn sour if a teaspoonful of fine salt be added to every quart. When preparing onions, turnips and carrots for cooking, cut across the fiber, as this makes them more tender when cooked.

In warming a steamed pudding or in steaming a stale cake never put the article on a plate or flat dish. Place the pudding in a colander in the steamer, and you will be surprised to find how much lighter and more delicate the pudding will be than if a plate had been used for the moisture to settle on and make the pudding heavy.

CREAM BLOUSES MODISH.

Cream is the modish tone for the spring blouse, not pink. Rarely lovely as the pink blouse is in delicate flesh or shell tones, its day has passed, and these blouses are offered for sale on the bargain tables, while cream and sand colored models have the places of honor among exclusive new spring wearables. Hemstitched blouses of sand colored khaki fine for sport wear have buttoned down pockets and plaits at front and back. Cream lace and net blouses meet the requirements of formal spring hours, and there are good looking blouses of tan shantung cream tinted gorgette crepe and ecru pussy willow silk, all with the long sleeve and collar high at the back whatever its cut may be at the front.

DEATH OF MRS. SORRELS.

At just twelve o'clock last Friday night Mrs. Sorrels passed away. She had been ill for six weeks, in fact since the death of her boy that was killed in a cave in April by a rock striking him, and killing him almost instantly, she never ceased to mourn for her boy.

About four weeks ago Mr. Sorrel brought her up from Loving and placed her in the Eddy county hospital. She did not seem contented there, and constantly asked to be moved home; just as a typhoid patient will. They always have some theme to talk on. So Mr. Sorrels moved her to a rented house near the hospital, at which place she died last Friday night of typhoid fever.

Mollie Pearl Ballard and Mr. Sorrels were married at Dallas, Texas, twenty-five years ago. To them six children were born, four boys and two girls, four of them are living; two boys and two girls.

The youngest son died several years ago and the oldest one, Will Sorrels, is buried here.

Mrs. Sorrels was a member of the church since she was fifty years of age. She first united with the Christian church and after her marriage with Mr. Sorrels she united with the Baptist church and reared her children in that faith. Friends and neighbors were kind to her during her last illness and many beautiful floral tributes were evidences of their kindness.

Mr. Sorrels has been ill with fever for three weeks but never left her bed side, though at times he could hardly stand.

Funeral services were held at the cemetery by the Baptist minister, Rev. Mr. Barb, at 3:30 Saturday afternoon. She was laid to rest in the Carlsbad cemetery by the side of her son of whom she spoke until death called her.

Mr. Sorrels and family express their sincere thanks to those that helped and assisted them in various ways, during the illness and death of the wife and mother.

The current extends sympathy to the bereaved family.

PICNIC.

The picnic at Mr. Bendel's home Monday for the children of St. Edwards Sunday school and others that cared to attend was a success.

At 8:30 two floats loaded with happy children, grown-ups, lunch boxes, ice and decorated with bunting and flags flying, left town for the picnic grounds. When they arrived many other conveyances were there or came later. There was not a dull moment for any one. The men and boys had a ball game. Some of the young folk donned their bathing suits and enjoyed a swim, others fished, the children had big swings and croquet game, went wading. Dinner was spread on a long table made by placing long planks between. This table accommodated eighty-two people, and you had only to look over it and see what you wanted. Each lady took cream, milk or eggs, some took lemons, ice cold lemonade was plentiful and free to all. The ladies prepared and the gentlemen and boys turned the freezers and gallon after gallon of delicious cream was made and served in the afternoon with the cakes. Mr. Hitchcock and his sister brought four crates of fine, ripe peaches that were placed where the children and anyone that wished could help themselves all during the day. Pictures were made of the group which showed 82 people present: Mr. Walterscheid and family, Joe Fesler and family, Hudburgh and family, Bindel and family, Hannah and family, and Lillie Mae Nelson, Brockman and family, Zeigler and family, Mullane and family, Calvani and family, Bogelin and family, Ed. Hoose and family, Mary Kircher and family and Sadie Margaret Wheeler, Mrs. Walterscheid, Ruth Duncan, Mr. Archie Hitchcock and sister, Hugo Engbert, Pete Snyder, Fred and Wilford Fisher, Don Weldon, Mr. Rayts, Albert Fisher, Father Gilbert and Father Laurence. The day was cool and delightfully spent.

Modern War Methods.

Napoleon would not have broken down so soon if he had been able to use automobile, telephone and telegraph. Generals a few generations ago were young men, because they soon broke down under the hardships of campaigning. They had to live in the saddle and keep the field under eye in order to be able to direct the movements. Nowadays the general stays in his base quarters, where he follows operations on a map as reports come in by telephone and telegraph, occasionally by messenger, from various parts of the line. When he goes on a tour of inspection he rolls along in a motorcar at his ease. British Medical Journal.

What Children Need.

More fancy, more poetry, more food for imagination—that is what children need. Every day the need becomes more apparent. Magazines, moving pictures, the average juvenile book, the talk of all about them—everything tends to tether children's thoughts to the world of here-and-now and has to be the world we know with our five senses. But shall they, therefore, lose their rightful inheritance in that other realm of loveliness—the world of Yesterday and Tomorrow, of Faraway, of Mayhap? This realm is intended to be loaned them indelibly, prefigured in the "glory and the gleam" of the rainbow prism.—Atlantic.

Clever Scheme.

"Bink's wife seems to be quite a musician." "Yes, she is a fine pianist." "How does she keep in practice when she is away from home?" "She carries a large muff." "What for?" "Just to keep her hand in!"—Pearson's Weekly.

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KERSANDS' WIFE TELLS FACTS OF HIS VARIED LIFE.

Widow of Late Minstrel Corrects Statements in Regard to Man Who Made Millions Laugh in Former Years.

—Albuquerque Journal.

A letter signed "Mrs. Louisa Kersands" has been received by the Journal, and gives many interesting facts regarding the late Billy Kersands, whose sudden death in Artesia last week was announced in these columns. The letter is as follows:

"Editor Morning Journal. I wish to correct the notice you have in your paper concerning Mr. Kersands' life. I, as his wife, should know. Mr. Kersands was born in New York City. He was 72 years old. The first manager he ever worked for was in New York City when but a boy. His name was Charles Callender.

"He remained with that company many years, after which the company was sold to Jack Haviland. The company, shortly after it was sold, sailed for Europe, where Mr. Kersands appeared before her majesty Queen Victoria, through special request. Mr. Kersands remained playing to the crown heads of the old countries for four years.

"Under the management of the late Charles Froman, on his return to America, Mr. Kersands organized his own company with a partner named Charles Hicks. The company was known and traveled under the name of Hicks & Kersands. They were together only a few years, then dissolved their partnership. Then Mr. Kersands joined the Richard & Pringles minstrels. With this company he remained many years. After the death of Richard and Pringles the company was managed by Rusco & Hollands. With this company he remained until they dissolved partnership. Then Mr. Kersands ran his own minstrels, known as 'Billie Kersands' Famous Minstrels.' His manager at that time was C. J. Smith, and his advance agent was W. A. Thompson.

"The company had great success. After closing his own company he joined the Hugo brothers' minstrels as star of the company. They sailed from San Francisco into the oriental countries, making all of the islands and going as far into Australia as the last inhabited town, which is West Australia, going toward the south pole after which the company was sold to the Australian management, when Mr. and Mrs. Kersands sailed for America. This season Kersands opened his own minstrel show with the Niro & Stevenson Amusement Co. under his own management.

"Mr. Kersands died in Artesia, N. M., of heart failure June 30. The trip to Artesia was a great success. Mr. Kersands has been before the footlights forty-five years. We have been married twenty-two years. Mrs. Kersands is a native of Donaldsonville, La. Mr. Kersands' remains will be laid away in his own vault at Chattanooga, Tenn.

—Rememberable yours,

"MRS. LOUISA KERSANDS."

ODD FELLOWS ENTERTAIN.

Eddy Lodge No. 23, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, had as its guests on Tuesday evening, July 6, 1915, the members of the local Rebekah lodge and the families of Odd Fellows and their friends, the occasion being the public installation of officers for the term from July 1 to December 31, 1915.

G. Bert Smith, of Artesia Lodge, No. 11, and Grand Master of the Rebekah Lodge of Odd Fellows of New Mexico, and Mrs. Smith, came down from Artesia to attend the installation ceremony.

Rev. J. T. Redmon, who recently transferred his membership to the local lodge, addressed the audience using the fraternity spirit as his subject. Judge D. G. Grantham, the retiring Noble Grand, also spoke in his usual interesting manner. Mr. Ted Butler rendered an enjoyable vocal solo. Refreshments were served at a late hour by the management of Hotel Bates.

The officers for the ensuing term are as follows: Noble Grand, George V. Price. Vice Grand, Robert A. Hunsick. Secretary, Victor L. Minter. Treasurer, Wm. A. Craig. Warden, Merle Shaw. Conductor, Frank W. Ross. R. S. N. G., L. E. Hayes. L. S. N. G., Marvin Livingston. Inside Guardian, U. S. Hamilton. Outside Guardian, T. C. Horne. R. S. S., W. H. Woodwell. L. S. S., J. T. Redmon. R. S. V. G., E. S. Kirkpatrick. L. S. V. G., Jos. L. Andrews.

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AMONG STOCKMEN.

Two Thousand Head of Yearlings and Two and Three Year Olds at Orange; Train Load Leaves Lordsburg.

Alamogordo, N. M., July 6.—The Jeffers and the Jones cattle interests of the Orange district of this county, and W. H. Woods, also of that district, have sold more than 2,000 head of yearlings and two and three-year-olds for delivery this month. The cattle will be rounded up near Orange, and will be driven to the Van Horn section of Texas for summer and fall pasturing. The prices reported are \$32.50, \$37.50 and \$48.

Trainload From Lordsburg. Lordsburg, N. M., July 6.—Another large cattle shipment was made from the local stock yards when McKeehan & Martin of the Gile river, and the Highland Cattle company, sent a trainload of cattle to Texas. The stock was in excellent condition, and brought on an average \$31 per head. 797 Head Shipped.

Lakewood, N. M., July 6.—The Flour-de-lis Cattle company shipped 19 cars—797 head—to Mossman, S. D., last week. Lee Brown went with them. 800 Head at Springer.

Springer, N. M., July 6.—Talle & Cunningham, of this place, have just received 800 head of old Mexico cattle. This firm recently made a big shipment of cattle to Balantine, Mont. H. S. Springer, superintendent of the CS Cattle company, has made a shipment of 50 yearlings bulls to Lyons & Campbell, of Silver City.

200 Head Sold at Roswell.

Roswell, N. M., July 6.—G. B. Armstrong has sold 200 head of two and three-year-old cattle to Walker Brothers. The price has not been made public.

C. P. Shearman has shipped two cars of fat hogs to the markets at Ft. Worth. The hogs came from the Hope country and were some of the finest that ever left the valley. The hogs brought six cents per pound.

Cimarron Shipment.

Cimarron, N. M., July 6.—C. R. van Houten has shipped 85 yearling steers to market. Matt Heck has shipped four cars, two from Maxwell and two from Ute Park.

V. H. LUSK SELLS RANCHES AND CATTLE.

One of the largest cattle deals to be pulled off in Eddy county this season was completed last Saturday when Virgil Hong Lusk sold all his holdings to his son, John. The ranches are among the best in the county and the cattle number 1,000 or more. The consideration, which is private, is, no doubt, very low considering the present price of cattle. Mr. Lusk came here in 1894 from the Sacramento mountains bringing his family of five sons and his wife who died at the birth of the youngest, Sam, who was the sixth and born here and of course is now a bright young man. He also brought a small stock of cattle, and located at Clayton Wells twenty miles northeast where he hauled lumber from the saw mill near Weed over 100 miles to build his house. Here he lived with his small boys and worked for years, finally acquiring a large stock of cattle. About ten years ago he moved his headquarters to four miles north of the Fuosa ranch thirty-five miles from Carlsbad, where he developed a fine watering of good water, and later purchased the Fuosa ranch and other waterings. He will now travel and see the expositions, and take a well earned rest, having reached the age when, if ever, a man should commence to enjoy the fruits of a life of labor and exposure, such as only the western cow man knows.

CAR OF REGISTERED BULLS.

J. F. Carey came in Tuesday with thirty-two head of registered yearling and two-year-old registered Hereford bulls all of which are looking very sleek and fine. These bulls are from the choicest herds of Missouri and Kansas, and sell from \$150 to \$225 each. The former car load was all sold to a few stockmen, among them Geo. M. Williams who purchased three and has taken the choicest of this load at \$250.00. L. A. Swigart purchased fine from the first load. The bulls can be seen at the Osborne feed lots on the southside of town.

BIG SHEEP DEAL.

M. E. Sewall of Lovington Tuesday purchased from A. N. Seaton and also from W. P. Byrd all their sheep, there being about 2,000 head. The ewes sold at \$4.50 and lambs at \$2.75 while the muttons brought \$4.50. Mr. Seaton, who resides near Pearl says he will engage in the cattle business.

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