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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' QUARTERLY PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners, Lincoln County, New Mexico, Monday, April 12th, 1921, 10:00 a. m. Present: Benjamin Lujan, Chairman; A. L. Hulbert, Member; Dr. J. T. Stone, Member; Ed Harris, Sheriff; H. M. Treat, Clerk.

Upon motion of the board, it is hereby ordered to have A. H. Harvey, County Surveyor, survey road from corner of sections 10-11-14-15, Tp. 6, R. 10 East, North one mile West, thence to intersection of old road. Mr. Harvey is also instructed to make survey on Road in Corona and make report of same to County Commissioners.

Now comes C. W. Morgan of the Alamogordo News asking the Board of County Commissioners to allow the bill for printing ballots which was reduced \$100 by the old board. After due consideration the board hereby orders the clerk to make warrant to C. W. Morgan for one hundred dollars.

The applications of Wild Animal Bounties examined and approved to date, and the following applications were ordered paid:

Carlos Sides, assigned to H. A. Harvey for \$14.00.
Carlos Sides, assigned to F. H. Billings for \$14.00.
J. R. Coor, assigned to Titworth Co. for \$4.00.
J. N. Hicks, for 39.00
D. T. Calderon, for 18.00
Ed. Zedlitz, for 4.00
H. B. Roberts, for 5.00
Lawren A. Queen, for 4.00
R. G. Hale, for 2.00
Hamey Sides, assigned Billings and Lowry for \$56.00
Remy Sides, assigned to W. P. Ball for \$14.00
Hamey Sides, assigned Arthur Ingram, for \$38.00
C. D. Sides, assigned Arthur Ingram, for \$68.00
Candelario Zamora, assigned Titworth Co. for \$2.00
Mrs. M. R. Grumbles, for 2.00
Harry Hughes, assigned to Rolland Bros., for 2.00
Santiago Mirabal, assigned Titworth company, for 2.00
T. N. Green, for 2.00
Ed Austin, for 6.00
E. C. Slack, for 2.00
H. H. Slack, for 8.00
Robert Boone, assigned P. G. Peters for 2.00
J. E. Thurmond, for 2.00
Robert Fitzhugh, for 2.00
M. L. Buchanan, for 10.00

The following bonds of Justice of the peace and constables examined and approved:

A. H. Norton, Justice of the peace, Precinct 7.
B. W. Kelley, Justice of the peace, Precinct No. 12.
Frank Randolph, Justice of the peace, Precinct No. 2.
Samuel Rieger, constable, Precinct 4.
W. P. Penock, Justice of the peace, Precinct No. 11.
W. E. Brady, constable, Precinct 5.
Fred Lalono, constable, Precinct 14.
G. C. Brown, constable, Precinct 13.
Mortin L. Torris, constable, Precinct 1.
Guido Hauninger, Justice of the peace, Precinct No. 15.
Juan Quintana, Justice of the peace, Precinct No. 3.
Emmit M. Davidson, Justice of the peace, Precinct No. 13.
Fred Mc Trigue, constable, Precinct 1.
Frank Haskins, constable, Precinct 1.
Augustin Chavez, Justice of the peace, Precinct No. 5.
J. E. Berrett, Justice of the peace, Precinct No. 14.

The following bills were examined and ordered paid out of the General County Fund:

The Captain Mountaineer, 3.00
Lincoln Light & Power Co., 509.75
D. Peres, 18.00
Fred Lalono, 4.00
Joe Martin, 20.00
Rolland Bros., 45.00
Clifford Curcio, 4.00
Burroughs Adding Mac. Co., 7.50
Ed Lase, 70.00
Lorenzo Huachara, assigned to Carrizozo Trud. Co., 30.00
E. M. Brickley, 23.00
Hutchinson Office Supply Co., 17.75
Abstract & Title Dep. Roswell, New Mexico, 28.00
Mountain States Tel. Co., 82.00
Ira O. Wetmore, 22.00
Frank & Co., 22.00
Jake Cole, 15.00
Ira O. Wetmore, 30.00
Ziegler Bros., 25.00
F. M. Shaver, 41.00

SPECIAL SESSION OF 67th CONGRESS CONVENED APRIL 11.

President Harding Read Message to Congress in Person; Republicans Have Large Majorities in Both Houses.

Washington, D. C., April 11.—The 67th congress called into special session by President Harding for legislative combat with the after-war domestic and international problems that burden the nation was convened at noon today, the real return of the Republican party to power like that enjoyed before the Wilsonian days.

With record-breaking majorities in both houses, the Republicans spent the day organizing in preparation for tomorrow's joint session before which the president will deliver his message embodying the administration program for grappling with the price collection of crises. He will appear in the house chamber at 1 o'clock.

Boasting a majority of 22 in the senate and 108 in the house, the Republicans were able to make the reorganization mere formalities.

DENSITY OF U. S. POPULATION NOW 35.5 PER SQUARE MILE

Washington, D. C.—The average density of population throughout the United States, exclusive of outlying possessions, was 35.5 persons per square mile of land area in 1920 as against 30.9 in 1910, the Census Bureau has announced. The density in an individual state ranges from 1.45 at 1 per square mile in Nevada, to 260.4 in Rhode Island, the Bureau announced. It exceeds 200 per square mile in five states, Rhode Island with 260.4; Massachusetts, 419.2; New Jersey, 420; Connecticut, 286.4, and New York, 217.9.

The density figures for other states were: Alabama, 46.8; Arizona, 2.9; California, 22.0; Colorado, 9.1; District of Columbia, 52.92; Florida, 14.77; Idaho, 5.2; Illinois, 115.7; Iowa, 42.2; Kansas, 21.6; Kentucky, 69.3; Minnesota, 29.5; Missouri, 49.5; Montana, 1.9; Nebraska, 16.3; New Mexico 2.9; North Dakota, 9.2; Ohio, 141.4; Oregon, 8.2; Pennsylvania, 194.5; South Dakota, 8.3; Texas, 17.8; Utah, 5.5; Washington, 29.3; Wyoming, 2.0.

Western Garage	798.51
Joe D. Barnard Stationery Co.	37.50
Arthur & Co.	1.10
Amel Holmes	9.25
Oxworth-Galbraith Co.	51.50
Arizona Outlook	181.00
Alpico Oilgas	6.95
A. G. Norman	45.00
Ake Cole	43.50
H. Johnson	10.00
Guacilo Olguin	3.98
Guacilo Olguin	2.50
Guacilo Olguin	3.50
Guacilo Olguin	33.82
Guacilo Olguin	10.50
Alph. How	40.00
T. Stone	18.75
Co. Barnard Co.	14.75
C. M. C. Co.	4.00
C. Peres	2.40
Irce N. Jones	12.00
Villis Higginson	12.50
H. Henry	3.75
ay Vaughn	2.00
Adro M. Rodriguez	51.82
A. Harris	2.00
A. G. Norman	2.00
Alamogordo News	2.00
B. Taylor & Sons	31.50
B. Taylor & Sons	28.75
High How	2.00
Edward R. Merchant	2.00
Alpico Oil Light & Power Co.	50.44
Alpico Oil Light & Power Co.	100.00
T. Smith signed Grace Jones	46.50
H. Harvey	1.00
Symonds Apodaca	2.00
A. Place	8.85
Alley & Sons	9.50
Colley & Sons	24.00
Ake Cole	90.25

The following accounts examined, approved and ordered paid out of the General School Fund:

Mr. Maud L. Blaney	25.57
Mr. Maud L. Blaney	46.20
Mr. Maud L. Blaney	459.00
Miss Florence Spence	120.00

The board having made an investigation of the appointment of County Health Officer which they made at our January meeting 1921, is hereby ordered, and upon motion of the board a new appointment is made hereby appointing Dr. Johnson as the new Health Officer. It is hereby ordered that Dr. Johnson be paid by check the sum of \$100.00 for support of County Agent.

SCHOOL NOTES

(By Supt. E. E. Cole)

Hello, "Mr. Bob"! "Mr. Bob" is the name of the Class Play to be given by the senior class of the Carrizozo High School this year. Do not forget the dates of the play—May 16 and 17, two nights, at the Crystal Theatre. Save those two extra nights for your attendance on the Class Play. Nothing else will be going on in Carrizozo on the two dates. Come and have an evening of wholesome enjoyment. The play is full of comical situations for anyone who has any sense of humor. The following is the cast:

"Mr. Bob"
(A Comedy in Two Acts)
Characters:

Philip Royson, Charles Scott.
Robert Brown, clerk of Benson and Benson, Will Johnson.
Jenkins, Miss Rebecca's butler Rolla Place.
Rebecca Lake, a maiden lady Lillian Merchant.
Katherine Rogers, her niece Lauren Wilson.
Marian Bryant, Katherine's friend Riva Wick.
Patty, Miss Rebecca's maid Ellen Herron.

Every seat in the house will be a reserved seat, without extra charge, just as was done last year. Buy your seat early and get a good one. When you have your ticket you do not have to go to the theatre party, your seat will be held for you all evening.

There was no school last Friday, all but two of the teachers of the Carrizozo schools went to Lincoln to attend the County Teachers' Association. Those who attended were: Bryan Casier, Fanny Fordon, Ellen Herron, Verda Neff, Mrs. Gunn, Martha Layer, Marie Johnson, Mrs. Vaughn, Mrs. Hoffman, Mrs. Masie, Vinde Burton, Ivy Lindsay, Mrs. Craddock, Mrs. J. B. French, Evelyn French, Mrs. M. L. Blaney, E. M. Brickley, Miss Brickley, Mrs. E. E. Cole, E. E. Cole and perhaps a few others. The program was unusually good and the people of Lincoln did themselves "proud" in the entertainment of the crowd of teachers which was twenty-five per cent larger than it was at Carrizozo a year ago. Saturday noon, the Modern Woodmen of America gave a free dinner at the Neil Sanatorium. Dinner! It was a banquet! The Woodmen know how to do things right. May their axes be sharp, the chips fly, and the trees fall in the right direction. Mrs. M. L. Blaney was elected president for the coming year, succeeding E. E. Cole, who has filled the office for the past two years. Mrs. Ruth Miller, State Director of Vocational Education attended the Association, after visiting the Carrizozo schools accompanied by Mrs. M. L. Blaney. The Camp Fire Girls are going to have a benefit picture show soon. They need money for National dues. When they start selling tickets, show that you are back of them and are willing to help by buying their tickets.

INCOME DELINQUENTS ARE TO BE CHECKED

Albuquerque, N. M., April 9.—Those who failed to file their income tax return for last year are to be forced out by the internal revenue field agents, who will leave the local office in a few days for their respective fields of operation. It was announced yesterday at the office of the internal revenue collector. Back taxes will be collected by the deputies. Field deputies who have made their headquarters at Gallup and Santa Fe will make their headquarters here now; headquarters for San Miguel, Mori, Catraz and Union counties will be at Las Vegas and the Clovis district has been combined with Roswell with headquarters at Roswell.

SAFE FARMING ADVISABLE

From N. M. Farm Bureau Service Bulletin:
The late Dr. S. A. Knapp issued a little bulletin annually, entitled "Safe Farming." The purpose was to sound a note of warning against the evils of any one crop system of farming. It was written with the North primary in view and one of the corner stones of his propaganda was the slogan: "A cow, a sow, two dozen hens, and a good rooster on every farm."

There are sections of New Mexico where this slogan, or at least the principle of making the farm more self-supporting, could well be given serious consideration," says Director Monroe of the Agricultural College. With the inevitable decline in prices of farm products as compared to the past three year average, without a corresponding decline in cost of production and with uncertainty as to the most profitable use to be made of the land, the time is ripe for considering a balanced system of agriculture that will produce a large part of the family living at home. We are prone to boast that we are living in an age of specialization and that we are specialists in the production of fruit, alfalfa, wheat, etc. It is true that certain sections are best suited to the production of a certain crop or crops. This is no argument, however, in favor of producing that crop or crops to the exclusion of every thing else including that part of the family living that properly should be produced on the farm.

EDUCATIONAL NEWS

(By Mrs. M. L. Blaney)

The meeting of the Lincoln County Teachers' Association held at Lincoln last Friday and Saturday met with its usual success. There were 57 enrolled, a gain of 13 over last year which proves that teachers and patrons are concerning themselves more and more in what is best for the child's preparation for life. The display of art work done by the children under the direction of Mrs. Barleson and Miss Helen Pängsten would be a credit to any school. The prize was awarded to Sirila Vigil for her study in water colors and Merce Lars, was the fortunate one in charcoal work. There were so many good pictures that the judges had quite a task before them.

Others whose work was very commendable are: Bonita Clark, Edna Pängsten, Lester Wright, Willie Fritz, Edward Penfield, Vicente Samora, Juan Luma, and Andy Wright. The addresses given by Mrs. Hall and Roberts, Dean Frank Carroon, Senator E. M. Brickley, Mrs. Miller, S. D. of V. E., Supt. Pope, Asst. State Supt. Douglas, were filled with instruction and inspiration. Many interesting features were brought out in papers and discussions by local talent. Friday evening, an interesting musical program was given under the leadership of Mrs. J. H. Mima. The people of Lincoln displayed the usual spirit of hospitality, opening their homes to entertain the visitors. Several orders were taken for baskets woven by the various students under the supervision of Miss Pängsten, which had been an exhibition. In the old school building the table which is the hand work of the primary and second grade, contained works in penmanship, drawings, booklets of language and spelling and construction work accumulated during the school term, under the direction of Mrs. Clark and Miss Peppin. The officers for the ensuing year are: President, Mrs. M. L. Blaney; Vice President, Mildred Peters; Secretary-Treasurer, Mable Barleson. Saturday afternoon, the visitors took reluctant leave of "Historical Lincoln" with a resolution to carry to the various communities the good ideas suggested and illustrated at the meeting and to give the best they have to their respective communities.

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KELLEY'S BIG SALE ENDS SATURDAY

The big sale which has been going on at Kelley & Son's store for the past 12 days, ends tomorrow. The final counting of votes of contestants for the prize photograph will take place at the close of business, at which time the prize will be turned over to a committee of judges who will award the prize to the lady highest in the contest. The judges are: Mayor A. J. Rolland, A. L. Burke of the Carrizozo Outlook, Jno. A. Haley of the Carrizozo News. The following is the standing of the contestants at close of business April 13: Mrs. Patty, 284,175; Mrs. Wetmore, 272,108; Mrs. Roberts, 213,659; Mrs. Shaver, 46,990; Mrs. Wells, 27,142; Mrs. Jones, 27,087; Mrs. Whitley, 22,888; Miss Utter, 17,539; Mrs. Fambrough, 13,734; Mrs. Hux, 11,302; Mrs. Williamson, 10,000; Miss Wahl, 10,000.

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N. M. STATE TAX COMMISSIONER PESSIMISTIC OVER MINING SITUATION IN NEW MEXICO

Santa Fe, N. M., April 14.—The statement of Secretary John T. Burns of the American Mining Company that the mining industry would resume in the next six months is discounted by Chairman J. E. Saint, of the New Mexico tax commission, himself a mining man. "Just optimism," said Mr. Saint today. He does not look for a resumption in that period, but believes that "nothing could bring quicker action than closing down." "Consumption of copper now falls back on the surplus," said Mr. Saint, "which stood there as a nuisance to the market all this time, and the market couldn't return to normal condition while the surplus remained in the way. The surplus of copper metal is around a billion pounds at this time."

Mr. Saint estimated that closing down for one year and then resuming would cost the China Copper company from \$400,000 to \$600,000, but at that he pointed out, the company's problem was less serious than that faced by the deep mines like those in Arizona. There are none of this class in New Mexico in the metalliferous mines.

"When it comes to deep mines that are wet, where their daily output of water amounts to from three million to four million gallons per day, such mines as these have simply got to be kept unwatered. If water rises 1,000 feet every wall becomes saturated and then begins to crumble, disintegrate and break down. Those mines can hardly afford to close down, but yet, I see that they are doing it," concluded Mr. Saint.

FARMERS PLAN TO ASK CONGRESS FOR RELIEF MEASURES

Washington, D. C., April 11.—Lower transportation charges, economy in taxation, equal treatment under any tariff law, and short time credits, are among subjects representative of farmers in 39 states began discussing today, preliminary to making up a program of legislation to be asked of congress for relief of the agricultural situation. The executive committee and delegates of the associations and farm bureau federation began conferences which are expected to continue ten days and which include a meeting with President Harding and his cabinet Wednesday and with the joint agricultural committees and other members of congress Friday night.

In addition to receiving reports today the committee was addressed by A. F. Lever, member of the federal farm loan board, and held a round-table discussion with Governor Harding of the Federal Reserve board.

Secretary Wallace is expected to meet with the delegates and to go over the tariff situation.

Secretary Wallace announced today that a committee of livestock men in the west were taking up the question of developing a marketing organization on the plan of the grain-marketing committee of seventeen, which was ratified at Chicago, next week.

This outcome of the Chicago meeting, Mr. Wallace asserted, should be reassuring to those who had feared the farmers were trying to "develop a corner" on their own products.

LIFTING OF NATION'S TAX BURDEN GENERAL PLAN

Washington, D. C., April 4.—The republican policy in the house for revision of the tax laws, as outlined by representative Mondell, of Wyoming, republican floor leader, calls for a lifting rather than a shifting of tax burdens "with a view of relieving or reducing the more harmful and objectionable of the present taxes."

The republican leader's statement was made in the form of a memorandum for Andrew W. Mellon, secretary of the treasury.

Cuts Upon Reduction.
The "ordinary and regular" governmental expenditures, exclusive of the interest on the public debt, and payments on the sinking funds, should not exceed \$2,000,000,000 per annum. This should come in a reasonable time, Mr. Mondell predicted.

Allowing for an increased customs revenues, as a result of a new tariff, Mr. Mondell counted on a reduction in expenditures to a point possibly making few, if any, substitutes for the repeal of taxes proposed necessary. "What we should have is a lifting of tax burdens rather than a shifting," Mr. Mondell said, "not only in the present scheme of federal taxes but, using, inequitable, exasperating, and as to some of its features, conflicting, but the total levy places an altogether unnecessary and exceedingly harmful burden upon the American people, their labor and their industries."

LARGE POWERS ARE GRANTED TO NEW EDUCATIONAL AUDITOR

State Record, Santa Fe:
The visit of John J. Davis, state educational auditor, to Silver City, to make an effort to reopen the public schools of Grant County, illustrates in part the importance of this new office. The large powers that have been conferred upon this officer are set forth in the four following sections from senate steering committee substitute for senate bill No. 174, which created the position:

The state educational auditor shall supervise and control the rate of levies for and the amount of expenditures of all the state educational institutions and county and municipal schools and school boards, for all purposes, and to that end, all budgets and estimates of such institutions, schools and boards, under such regulations as the said Educational Auditor shall prescribe, shall be submitted to said Educational Auditor and revised and approved by him before the same shall become effective and before any levy therefor or expenditure of public funds thereunder shall be made. Where no budgets or estimates are furnished to said auditor under the regulations prescribed by him, he shall prepare and approve estimates and budgets of his own initiative from such information as he may procure.

No levy shall be made by or certified by Boards of County Commissioners for said institutions, schools or boards, until after the revised and approved estimates of the said Auditor shall have been certified to said commissioners, and all levies for said purposes shall be made in conformity to the estimates of said Auditor; provided, however, that nothing contained herein shall be construed as limiting the power of the state tax commission with respect to levies for school purposes nor to increasing the maximum rate of levies provided by law.

All levies or expenditures for said purposes made contrary to the provisions hereof shall be null and void and the officer or person responsible therefor, with the surplus on his bond, shall be liable to the state for loss incurred by the state on account thereof.

The said Educational Auditor shall compile and preserve accurate information concerning school finances and shall be chargeable with the initiative of legal proceedings for violation of this act.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Farm Bureau Information Service:
Do you have a high stool in your kitchen? They cost little and the time has gone when one is considered lazy because she sits down while she works.

How far do you walk in a year to carry water for your household? It costs very little to pipe water into the kitchen sink and in one year it will save thousands of steps.

The long, hard wash day is a big drain on the energies of the housewife. Why not attach the gasoline engine to the washing machine, if you cannot have electricity? These forces work quickly and do not tire.

Buying Hints for Children's Clothing.

Buy clothes that are simply made and of strong material.
Buy white goods for underwear by the bolt. It cuts to better advantage and there is not so much waste as when buying shorter lengths.

Buy two pairs of trousers with Johnny's new suit. One coat will easily outwear them.

Buy the second size for the new baby's little shirt and stockings. The first size is outgrown too soon.

Buy hose of a half size too large. They will soon shape themselves to the feet. Feet may be deformed because of short hose as well as because of tight shoes. The larger hose do not wear out easily, either.

In these modern days when so much is being accomplished by co-operative effort, why not have co-operative laundries? These are commonly established in connection with the co-operative creameries. The same power serves for both and the laundry from the farm is gathered by the same wagon that gathers the milk. Minnesota has such laundries, one of which has been in successful operation for 10 years.

Mrs. B. B. Fambrough, Ed Fitzpatrick and Joe Garcia came to this office this week, to make final proofs on their respective home-steads.

The Homesteader

by Robert J. C. Stead

Author of
The Cow Puncher, Etc.
Illustrations
by Irwin Myers

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"HUNGRY—HUNGRY."

Synopsis.—Frustrated because of the seemingly barren outlook of his position as a school teacher in a Canadian town, John Harris determines to leave it, take up land in Manitoba and become a "homesteader." Mary, the girl whom he loves, declares she will accompany him. They are married and set out for the unknown country. They select a homestead, build a home and begin their life work of making the prairie fertile farm land. Returning from selling his first crop, Harris finds his wife dependent almost to insanity from loneliness, and with the immediate expectation of becoming a mother. A son is born to them, to whom they give the name of Allan. The story now jumps forward twenty-five years. Harris is prosperous and all for getting rich. Mary is still dependent and saddened over the change in her husband. Allan works with his father, Bessie, the pretty daughter, is rebellious at the shut-in farm life. Jim Traverser is an unusual hired man.

CHAPTER IV—Continued.

"Jim," she said, after a while, when the noise of the milking was drowned in the creamy froth, "I'm getting near the end of this kind of thing. Father's getting more and more set on money all the time. He thinks I should slave along too to pile up more beside what he's got already, but I'm not going to do it much longer. I'm not afraid of work, or hardship either. I'd live in a shack if I had to, I'd—"

"Would you live in a shack?" said Jim.

She shot a quick look at him, but he was quietly smiling into his milk pail and she decided to treat his question impersonally.

"Yes, I'd live in a shack, too, if I had to. I put in my first years in a sodhouse, and there was more real happiness rumping up and down the band than there is now. In those days everybody was so poor that money didn't count. . . . It's different now."

Jim did not pursue the subject, and the milking was completed in silence. Jim finished first, and presently the rising hum of the cream separator was heard from the kitchen.

"There he goes, winding his arm off—for me," said the girl, as she rose from the last row. "Poor Jim—I wish I knew whether it's just human kindness makes him do it, or whether—"

She stopped, coloring a little over the thought that had almost escaped into words.

When the heavy grind of the separating was finished Jim went quietly to his own room, but the girl put on a clean dress and walked out through the garden. At the lower gate she stooped to pick a flower, which she held for a moment to her face; then, toying lightly with it in her fingers, she slipped the latch and continued along the path leading down into the ravine. To the right lay the bench where the sodhouse had stood, but so much as a mound now marking the spot; but the thoughts of the girl turned yearningly to it, and to the days of the lonely but not unhappy childhood which it had sheltered.

Presently she reached the water, and her quick ear caught the sound of a muskrat slipping gently into the stream from the reeds on the opposite bank; she could see the widening wake where he plowed his swift way across the pond. Then her own figure stood up before her, graceful and like as the willows on the bank. She surveyed it a minute, then flicked the flower at her face in the water, and turned slowly homeward. She was not unhappy, but a dull sense of loss oppressed her—a sense that the world was very rich and very beautiful, and that she was feasting neither on its richness nor its beauty. There was a stirring of music and poetry in her soul, but neither music nor poetry found expression. And presently she discovered she was thinking about Jim Traverser.

Her mother sat in the dining room, battling by the light of the hanging lamp. Her face seemed very pale and lonely in the soft glow.

"Don't you think you have done enough?" said the girl, slipping into a sitting posture on the floor by her mother's knee. "You work, work, work all the time. I suppose they'll have to let you work in heaven."

"We value our work more as we grow older," said the mother.

"It helps to keep us from thinking," said the girl.

"There you go," exclaimed the girl, but there was a tenderness in her voice. "Worrying, again. I wish they'd stay home for a change."

The mother plied her needles in silence. "Slip away to bed, Bessie," she said at length. "I will wait up for a while."

Late in the night the girl heard heavy footsteps in the kitchen and burst of loud but indistinct talking.

CHAPTER V.

Notwithstanding Harris' late hours the homestead was early astir the following morning. At five o'clock Jim

was at work in the stables, feeding, rubbing down and harnessing his horses, while Allan and his father walked to the engine, where they built a fresh fire and made some minor repairs. A little later Bessie came down to the corral with her milk-pails, and the cows, comfortably chewing where they rested on their warm spots of earth, rose slowly and with evident great reluctance at her approach. The Harris farm, like fifty thousand others, rose from its brief hush of rest and quiet to the sounds and energies of another day.

Breakfast, like the meal of the night before, was eaten hurriedly, and at first without conversation, but at length Harris paused long enough to remark, "Riles is talkin' o' goin' West."

"The news might be worse," said Bessie. Riles, although a successful farmer, had the reputation of being grasping and hard to a degree, even in a community where such qualities, in moderation, were by no means considered vices.

Harris paid no attention to his daughter's interruption. It was evident, however, that his mention of Riles had a purpose behind it, and presently he continued:

"Riles has been writin' to the department of the interior, and it seems they're openin' a lot of land for homesteadin' away West, not far from the Rocky mountains. Seems they have a good climate there, and good soil, too."

"I should think Mr. Riles would be content with what he has," said Mary Harris. "He has a fine farm here, and I'm sure both him and his wife have worked hard enough to take it easier now."

"Hard work never killed nobody," pursued the farmer. "Riles is good for many a year yet, and free land ain't what it once was. Those homesteads'll be worth twenty dollars an acre by the time they're proved up."

Breakfast and Harris' speech came to an end simultaneously, and the subject was dropped for the time. In a few minutes Jim had his team hitched to the tank wagon in the yard. The men jumped aboard and the wagon rattled down the road to where the engine and plows sat in the stablefield.

"What notion's this father's got about Riles, do you suppose, mother?"

"You might 've believed farther back," she said, half reproachfully, but there was a hint of appreciation in her eye when she dared raise it toward him. "I'm afraid I was beginning to be very foolish."

She tripped again on the treacherous buckboard, but he held her arm in a strong grasp against which the weight of her slim figure seemed but as a feather blown against a wall. Then they set about their task, but the sober-eyed cows had no thought of being easily deprived of their feast, and it was some time before they were all turned back into the pasture and the fence temporarily repaired behind them.

"I can't thank you enough," Bessie was saying. "You just keep piling one kindness on top of another. Say, Jim, honest, what makes you do it?"

But at that moment the keen blast of an engine whistle came cutting through the air—a long clear note, followed by a series of toots in rapid succession.

"I guess they're running short of water," said Jim. "I must hustle." So saying he ran to the ford of the creek where the tank wagon was still standing, still in a minute his strong frame was striding back and forth to the rhythmic clunking of the pump.

Meanwhile other things were transpiring. Harris had returned from town the night before with the fixed intention of paying an early visit to the Father West. He and Riles had spent more time than they should have doing a picture of rising color of the possibilities which the new lands afforded. Harris was not a man who allowed himself with liquor and Riles, too rarely forgot that indulgence was expensive, and had to be paid for in cash. Moreover, Allan occupied his father some anxiousness. He was young, and had not yet learned the self-control to be expected in later life. More than once of late Allan had crossed the boundary of moderation and John Harris was by no means indifferent to the welfare of his only son. Indeed, the bond between the two was so real and so intense that Harris had never been able to bring himself to contemplate their separation, and the boy had not even so much as thought of establishing a home of his own. The idea of homesteading, together assured for years of close relationship between father and son, and the younger man felt in wholehearted with it.

"Dear knows," said his mother, musingly. "I hope he doesn't like it in his head to go out there, too."

"Why, Dad? Oh, he wouldn't do that. His head's quite wrapped up in the farm here. I wish he'd wrap it a bit and let it peek out at times."

"I'm not an idiot. I'm beginning to think it's the money there's in the three year father's head is set on. If the money was to be made somewhere else, his head would soon shift. Here I've saved and saved until I'm an old woman, and what better are we for it? We've better things to eat and more things to wear and a bigger house to keep clean, and your father thinks we ought to be satisfied. But he isn't satisfied himself. How slaving harder than ever, and now he's got this notion about going West. Oh, you'll see it will come to that. He knows our life isn't complete, and he thinks more money will complete it. All the experience of twenty years hasn't taught him any better."

Bessie stood agape at this outburst, and when her mother paused and looked at her, and she saw the unhidden wells of water gathering in the tender eyes, the girl could no longer restrain herself. With a cry she dug her arms about her mother's neck, and for a few moments the two forgot their habitual restraint and were but naked souls mingling together.

But Jim smiled and said: "No accident at all. I have merely decided to go homesteading."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

After 30 you can't make anybody read by not inviting him to a picnic.

RAT IS SERIOUS ENEMY OF WORLD

No Other Animal or Insect Is So Dangerous and Persistent in Doing Harm.

INFLECTS IMMENSE DAMAGE

Value of Food and Property Destroyed Annually by Each Individual Rat Is Estimated at \$2—Is Efficient Germ Carrier.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The necessity of a campaign of unvarying efficiency against the common brown rat, is an outstanding one. No other animal or insect is so dangerous and persistent an enemy, and no other enemy succeeds in inflicting the damage that the rat annually imposes upon humanity. The rat population of the United States is at least equal to the human population, and the same ratio holds true for practically every country under the sun. The bureau of biological survey, United States Department of Agriculture, places the value of the food and property destroyed annually by each individual rat at \$2. Keeping well within the boundaries of conservatism this means that each year, in this country alone, we produce \$200,000,000 worth of food to no other purpose than to feed our rats. In another way, 200,000 men in the United States are devoting all their labor to the maintenance of 100,000,000 rats.

Is Efficient Germ Carrier.

But the rodent's enmity is far from being satisfied by this huge economic injury. A frequenter of all the places that are vile and loathsome, the rat is a most efficient germ carrier. The germs of the dreaded "black death" have killed more human beings than all the wars of the world's history, and these germs are introduced into the human system by the bite of a rat flea. In India, no longer ago than 1896, the bubonic plague killed 9,000,000 persons. In Europe, during the fourteenth century, it is believed to have brought death to 25,000,000 human beings. Other diseases, almost as dreadful, are traced to the common rat. Thus, from the standpoint of public health, as well as from the necessity of controlling the drain upon the public purse, it is essential that the rat be exterminated. Once the extermination is complete, or as nearly so as modern methods will permit, every precaution must be taken to prevent the rat from multiplying and regaining lost ground.

Exterminating Plans.

Trapping should be done continuously and systematically at all rat-infested places. Rat poisons, especially barium carbamate preparations as recently de-



Every Rat Costs the Nation \$2, a Total of \$200,000,000 Annually.

veloped by the biological survey, should be employed. In furthering the destruction of the rat, community or civic organization is of the greatest importance. It does us good to drive the rats from one cellar into the next if they are allowed to breed unmolested in their new quarters. When the campaign is made general the pest is allowed to rest and no opportunity to intrude in a new position. If one pair of rats is left they reproduce the original number in a little while, as rats breed five or six times a year with an average of ten to the litter.

In connection with the extermination campaign, preventive measures should be employed against the rodent. First among these is the protection of all food supplies. This is of prime importance. The removal and destruction of refuse is the next step in prevention, as abandoned dumps and piles of waste material furnish excellent shelter and food for the rats that have been driven from the houses and cellars.

Buildings Should Be Rat Proof.

All buildings should be rat-proofed by the liberal use of cement and tin. Rat-proofing should be a prominent specification in all new construction and it should be applied to older buildings in the form of repairs. All drain outlets should be sealed with wire cages, or similar protective devices.

With the food supply locked away from him, and his shelter gone, starvation and exposure will add to the effectiveness of work with traps and poisons and the menace of the rat will cease to be a real hazard against American lives and property.

HENS WITHOUT WHEAT GIVE GOOD RESULTS

More Eggs Obtained From Pen of Rhode Island Reds.

Mash Containing Only 15 Per Cent Meat Scrap Gave Very Satisfactory Results—Experimenting With Green Feeds.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Poultry-feeding experiments conducted by the United States Department of Agriculture, last fiscal year, show that practically as good results can be obtained without wheat as with it in a ration. The Rhode Island Reds, in the wheatless pen, averaged 140 eggs, while those in the pen receiving wheat averaged 134 eggs. Good results were obtained with the use of garbage until the warm weather began, when there was considerable mortality, due apparently to the garbage spoiling. This work is being repeated this year with much more satisfactory results, the garbage being fed in a trough on a large wooden feeding board, which prevents it from getting on the ground and decaying.

In the use of vegetable proteins the relative order of production is the



Give Poultry Right Kind of Feed at Fixed Periods.

same as it was last year. No success has followed an attempt to substitute completely vegetable protein for animal protein. The ration used last year, a mash containing only 15 per cent meat scrap as compared with 20 to 25 per cent in the ordinary mashes, gave very satisfactory results with the heavier breeds, especially the Plymouth Rocks, in keeping the birds in good physical condition and fertility, though the egg yield was not quite so good as when the higher per cent of meat scrap was used.

New experiments were begun during the year with green feeds, comparing alfalfa meal with sprouted oats and comparing these rations with one in which vegetables were supplied. While none of these green feeds have shown marked increased production over any other, the results have emphasized the importance and value of that form of food when given in a variety.

BURN CHINCH BUG NESTS

Chinch bugs have made their appearance in certain parts of the United States.

One chinch bug destroyed now may prevent the production of hundreds to infest your wheat field later.

Chinch bugs pass the winter and early spring in wild grass and leaves, especially along hedges and fences and in the edges of woodlands adjoining cultivated fields.

Burn grasses, leaves and other trash where the bugs may have found winter refuge. The bugs not burned will be killed by exposure to the weather.

Clean up all trash and rubbish which may harbor the insects in winter.

IMPORTANT GRAIN SORGHUMS

Dwarf and Early Varieties Are Best for Higher and Drier Districts—Essential Hints.

The more important grain sorghums are included in two groups of varieties, the kafir group and the milo-durra group. Dwarf and early varieties in both groups are best for the higher and drier districts. The use of good seed of adapted varieties, a well-prepared seedbed, clean cultivation, and the right method of handling after harvest will increase the yield and quality of the grain.

EXCELLENT FOR LAND'S SAKE

Where Sweet Clover Does Not Thrive Well an Application of Lime-stone Is Favored.

Sweet clover is an excellent plant to grow for the land's sake under many conditions, and where it does not grow well now it can be made to grow well by applying ground limestone to the soil. It will add humus and nitrogen to the soil rapidly when plowed under, thereby increasing the fertility of the soil in these essential factors.

FINE CROPS SURE

Farmers in Western Canada Jubilant at Prospect.

Splendid Winter Weather Has Put the Naturally Fertile Land in Splendid Condition, and Bountiful Yields Are Assured.

"What a delightful winter we have had," is an expression that could be heard almost anywhere when the topic of the weather became the subject of conversation. Not only in the Middle West and "down east" could it be heard, but also in the Far West, up in the Canadian West. There the same remarkable features that brought forth a wonderful winter existed. Reports from all parts of the country, from famed Medicine Hat in Alberta to Winnipeg in Manitoba, indicate that all through the winter season very little cold weather was experienced. In December, we read that golf playing had put into the discard all ice sports, that farmers were caught "red-handed" plowing their fields. In January, the Alberta farmer got out his tractor and in his shirt sleeves was seen preparing ground for the 1921 crop. During February, in Saskatchewan, one farmer harrowed fifty acres and planted the seed. "Why, yes, of course, in March," said an Iowa farmer, who had just heard from the Western Canadian farmer, "my boy writes me they had some snow, and a few cold dips, but what did that matter? The cattle and the horses came through the winter in better condition than they looked three or four months ago. Grass was plentiful on the prairies, the stubble was rich and valuable as food, and the straw stacks and groves proved ample for shelter."

Spring is now fully upon the Western Canadian farmer, his machinery is all in shape for a spring's work, and he is looking forward to an excellent crop year. Last fall there was a splendid lot of moisture that permeated the ground sufficiently to leave a perfect seed bed. Indications are now that the crop will go on in the condition required for successful germination. Then, with the lengthened days of May and June, the many hours of sunshine that they bring, accompanied by showers of rain, and with a soil of which there is none richer nor more generous, there will be seen preparing for a ripening harvest the hundreds of thousands of acres of wheat, oats, barley, rye, alfalfa and corn that will make the hearts of the Western Canada farmers swell with pride as they reasonably look forward to an abundant harvest.

There is a great deal that can be said in favor of the climate of Western Canada. The most important is that those who live there, and have lived in other countries, prefer it to any they have experienced elsewhere. It is true the winters as a rule are colder than are those in countries lying much farther south, but it is also true that they are tempered by a dryness of the atmosphere that makes a lower temperature preferable to that several degrees higher where greater humidity prevails. Enervation and listlessness are unknown; the air is bracing, but the cold is not penetrating. Then the summers and the autumns—they could not be more enjoyable.—Advertisement.

Too Bad.

Scoutman (to his friend)—Well, what do you think of my last? Fine piece of marble, isn't it?

Friend—Magnificent. What a pity to have made a bust of it. It would have made a lovely washstand.—Pearson's Weekly.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletcher* In Use Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Denied the Charge.

Kind Lady—You should blame up, my poor man. Remember what you owe to society.

Hobo—I don't owe society nuffin', lady. What do you think I've been doin'—playin' bridge?—Boston Transcript.

Don't Forget Cuticura Talcum

When adding to your toilet requisites. An exquisitely scented face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume, rendering other perfumes superfluous. You may rely on it because one of the Cuticura Trio (Soap, Ointment and Talcum). 25c each everywhere.—Adv.

Raising the Price.

Mother—Johnny, will you be quiet for a bit?
Johnny—I'll do it for two bits.—Averman.

Catarrh Can Be Cured

Catarrh is a local disease greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. It therefore requires constitutional treatment. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the system. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE destroys the foundation of the disease, gives the patient strength by improving the general health and assists nature in doing its work. All Druggists. Circulars free. E. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

General Definition.

Knicker—What is an island?
Bocker—A body of land entirely surrounded by trouble.

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Nearly 5000 Forest Fires in Ten Years

Albuquerque, N. M., April 12, 1921. In the past ten years 4800 fires which burned over 297,176 acres were reported on the National Forests of Arizona and New Mexico, according to District Forester Frank C. W. Pooler of Albuquerque, New Mexico. Of this number, 45 per cent were man-caused and the remainder resulted from lightning. It cost the Forest Service and co-operators nearly \$100,000 to extinguish these fires while the actual loss in timber and forage runs well into hundreds of thousands of dollars.

"The big fire," says the District Forester "when presented in ten years totals, show what an enormous tribute the people of the Southwest pay to man-caused forest fires since the fires started by lightning burned less than one-tenth of the total area and caused but a small fraction of the damage done by the fire started by human carelessness."

"In the elimination or reduction to the absolute minimum of this latter type of fire the Forest Service will end its every energy. The cause of every forest fire will be run down by forest rangers immediately after the fire is controlled and where there is likelihood of an offender escaping, special officers will be detailed to collect evidence and stay with the case to the end. Besides these more strenuous efforts on the legal side," concludes Mr. Pooler "we shall endeavor to educate and advise all people using the Forests as to the forest fire danger. Prevention after all, is what the Forest Service wants—not prosecution."

Big Tree Planting Day In Southwest

Albuquerque, N. M., April 12, 1921.—On April 5 and 6 there were distributed to people in a dozen or more Southwestern towns over 30,000 evergreen seedling trees by various Chambers of Commerce co-operating with the U. S. Forest Service. The abandonment of a forest nursery in northern New Mexico resulted in this plan to obtain an economical distribution and wide use of the trees in localities where the elevation was sufficient to insure a fair chance of success after planting. With the small evergreens went planting and cultural directions which if followed should result in general success in bringing the trees through. It is quite unlikely that there has ever been in an equal length of time in these two states, as many people planting trees and in thinking of planting trees as during this tree dispersal. Even if but a fraction of the evergreens survive, the surroundings of many town and country home sites will be beautified by these trees. Arbor Day in New Mexico came on April 1 and in Arizona on April 8, so the big tree planting came at an appropriate time.

Notice to Tax Payers

Section 416 of Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 100, passed by the last Legislature provides for a penalty of 5 per cent to be added 15 days after any taxes shall become delinquent. Provides however, that on delinquent taxes on the 1921 call shall not be penalized until August 1st, 1924.

There seems to be a general misunderstanding about the above law, under the impression that this refers to the regular penalty on delinquent taxes. The above has nothing to do with the one percent per month penalty which has to be paid on delinquent taxes.

Respectfully,
H. G. Norman,
Treasurer & Ex-Officio Collector,
April 15/21

LAST CALL!

Your Last Chance!

Kelley's Drastic Sale Ends This Saturday.

Buy NOW for probably never again will conditions play in your favor to as great an extent as now

Remember everything is on sale — Furniture, Hardware, Kitchenware, Linoleum, Rugs.

SATURDAY IS THE LAST DAY.

Contest News

The first 25 persons, who will come to the store and say "Good-Bye, Phil," to our salesmanager, will be given 1,000 extra votes.

The person making the largest purchase Saturday, April 16th, will be given 10,000 extra votes.

With every purchase over \$10, we will give 2,500 extra votes.

With every purchase over \$25, we will give 5,000 extra votes.

KELLEY & SON

Carrizozo, N. M.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE—House of six rooms, well improved. One block from school house. Bargain if taken at once. Inquire of Outlook office. 5-21 tf

Several one and one quarter inch Studebaker wagons at reduced prices. Tittsworth Company.

Drs. Swearingin & Von Almen, eye, ear, nose and throat specialists and fitting glasses—414 Trust building, El Paso, Texas. Dr. Von Almen will be at Dr. Wood's office, Carrizozo, N. M., on the 15th day of each month. 3-5 tf

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping—Inquire at this office. tf

Now is The Time For Seeds

Mandeville & King's Fresh Stock of Flower Seeds are here. Mrs. Jones. Get your supply at Kelley & Son.

WANTED—Waitress and second cook—Star Cafe.

FOR RENT—House of three rooms. Inquire of A. H. Harvey.

FOR SALE—Seed Barley. The Tittsworth Co., Capitan, N. M.

FOR RENT—3-room house. Phone 26. tf.

FOR SALE—Yearling and Two-year-old Hereford Bulls. The Tittsworth Co. tf

Sweet Milk

Sweet milk, 20 cents per quart. Mrs. R. H. Taylor, Phone 82. tf.

FOR SALE—Pure Bred Registered Hereford Bull at a Price less than quality justifies. I am keeping his Heifers. Am through with him—C. D. Mayer, White Oaks, N. M. 4-8 tf

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M. B. PADEN, Art.

JUST RECEIVED: A Car of barbed wire and HOG FENCE. PRICES are LOWER. The Tittsworth Company. tf

FOR SALE—Ford Touring Car in first class condition—Inquire at Patty's Cash Grocery & Meat Market.

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Will attend to your wants in vulcanizing, putting on Gates' Half Sales and Tires. Also sells Accessories. The PLACE to have your Tires Doctored.

We buy and sell Poultry, eggs, etc. Patty's Cash Grocery & Meat Market.

BULLETIN

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Charles E. Grey, Plaintiff, No. 4008

R. J. Beatty, Defendant.

To said Defendant:

You are hereby notified that said plaintiff has begun an action against you in the district court of Lincoln county, New Mexico, the nature of which is a suit to enforce the payment of a promissory note given by you on Dec. 13, 1913, to E. G. Rafferty and transferred for valuable consideration to said plaintiff; that the amount of plaintiff's demand is \$1,000 and costs of suit; that your property in New Mexico has been attached; that unless you appear herein on or before May 13, 1921, judgment will be rendered against you and your property sold to satisfy said demand; that the plaintiff's attorneys are Hamilton & Whitley, whose post-office address is Carrizozo, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and the seal of said district court at Carrizozo, Lincoln county, New Mexico, this 19th day of March, 1921.

April 1, 4t.
R. M. TREAT,
Clerk of the District Court.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Gertrude Britt, Plaintiff, No. 4009

Tom Henry Britt, Defendant.

In the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico.

To said Defendant:

You are hereby notified that said plaintiff has begun a civil action against you in the district court of Lincoln county, New Mexico; that the nature of said action is a complaint for divorce.

Witness my hand and the seal of said district court at Carrizozo, Lincoln county, New Mexico, this 19th day of March, 1921.

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S4 NE1, Sec. 3 Tp. 7 S. R. 9 East of N. M. P. M.

The purpose of this notice is to allow all persons claiming the land adversely, or desiring to show it to be mineral in character, an opportunity to file objection to such location or selection with the local officers for the land district in which the land is situated, to-wit: at the land office aforesaid, and to establish their interests therein, or the mineral character thereof.

EMMETT PATTON,

Register.

April 8—May 6-5t.

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ROLLAND BROTHERS

THE BEST DRUG STORE

Mrs. Gail M. Osborn and daughter Sara of Santa Fe, are visiting Carrizozo friends this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Herman and son Harry of Boulder, Colo., were guests at the Albert Ziegler home this week.

Mrs. C. C. Higbee and children are visiting Mrs. Higbee's parents near Saint Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. V. K. Fair were in from their mountain ranch home near Jicarilla on Monday.

S. A. Price and family left Saturday for Alamogordo to make that city their future home, in which change we wish them the highest measure of success.

D. F. Cassamen of Dalhart, purchased 225 head of cattle this week from the Carrizozo Live Stock Commission Co. They were shipped to eastern markets.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Austin Wooten Monday April 4, a girl. Congratulations should be worth 5,000 votes each at the big Kelly sale.

The Woman's Missionary Society will conduct its regular monthly sale of baked goods at the office of B. L. Stimmel on the afternoon of Saturday, April 23.

Don Finley came in from his ranch this week to ascertain the weight of "Lucky Boy," his one year old Hereford bull. He tipped the beam at 1100 pounds. This is the kind of stock Lincoln County ranchmen are bringing to this locality.

Dr. R. T. Lucas left on No. 4 Wednesday for Kansas City, after assuring himself of the safe condition of Louis Burke, to whose bedside he hurried some ten days ago. This, together with repeated calls from patients at home, shortened the Doctor's stay. Mrs. Lucas will remain for a short period of time.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sowder, of Picacho, were in town on Monday, transacting some important business, leaving in the afternoon for home. Mr. Sowder says that the Picacho oil well is going down at a good rate of speed and encountering nothing above minor difficulties. The showings are better as the depth increases.

W. H. Ellis, of Ancho, was in town on Monday, awaiting the arrival of J. W. May, who has been detained at Corona on account of the illness of Mrs. May, who was taken to that place last week for treatment. Messrs. Ellis and May have some valuable mining claims in Littleton Canyon in the White Mountains and are about ready to do more prospecting.

Col. and Mrs. J. C. Bender arrived home last week from an extended trip through the east, where they visited many old landmarks of by-gone days. New York City, Philadelphia, Gettysburg and Westover, Maryland were the principal places visited. At one point where Col. Bender spent a portion of his boyhood days, he found but one of his old companions alive out of a long list of his old schoolmates. The Colonel and Mrs. Bender each gained as much as twenty-five pounds during their absence.

A carnival contingent made its way slowly, but surely into town last Sunday and on Monday erected tents and prepared for business. At this writing, the show is in full blast. Here, one may see such curiosities as the unskilled man, the lady, who gives her exact age, the politician, who has never wanted a job, the honest oil speculator, and many other attractions, too numerous to mention. The music on the big merry-go-round "cheers" its way to the ears of the coyotes in the Malpais, who in turn, take up the refrain.

Testing of Dairy And Town Cows

In a letter received from Mr. W. J. Linwood, Secretary of the Cattle Sanitary Board, he requests that it be impressed upon the minds of all concerned that no one is authorized to test cattle except a qualified Veterinarian holding a commission from the Cattle Sanitary Board. He further states:

"If the owners of the dairy and town cows will take the matter up with Dr. Kemple, of Alamogordo, who is an authorized Veterinarian and commissioned by this Board to do such work, he will probably arrange to come to Carrizozo and do the testing. 'Or, if they will let this Board know their desires in the matter we will take it up with Dr. Kemple so that he can arrange with the interested parties as to the time and other details.'"

Becomes Practipedian

This city now has a Graduate Practipedian to look after the comfort of its feet. Mr. Ernest O. Prehm, of Ziegler Store, has just graduated and received his diploma from the American School of Practipedies, of Chicago.

Practipedies is the new science of giving foot comfort in the shoe store through scientific shoe fitting and the intelligent use and trained fitting of the foot comfort devices invented by Dr. Wm. M. Scholl, the noted foot specialist. Suffering from corns, bunions, callouses, weak arches, etc., will not be indulged in from now on by those who trade at the Ziegler Store.

No extra charge is made for this foot comfort feature, it being a part of the regular service which this store will give to its patrons in the future.

Mining Locations, Warranty Deeds, Mortgage Deeds, Bills of Sale and all kinds of legal blanks at this office

County Commissioners' Proceedings

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The following bills examined, approved and ordered to be paid out of the Salary Fund:

L. L. Miller	350.00
Ricardo Chavez	350.00
Jake Cole	150.00
Wm. H. Sevier	28.15
Robert H. Taylor	10.00
R. Duran	22.50
E. W. Harris	652.50
Ralph Dow	575.00
E. W. Hulbert	252.00
H. M. Treat	550.00
R. M. Treat	40.68
E. W. Harris	21.50
Ricardo Chavez	50.50
H. G. Norman	500.00
John L. Bryan	500.54
Ben Lujan	170.00
Dr. J. T. Stone	152.04
A. L. Hulbert	171.00
P. M. Shaver	75.00
W. S. Norman	350.00
Wm. Brady	120.00
L. A. Vega	250.00

Meeting now adjourned until 9 a. m. tomorrow.

April 6th Board met at 10:00 a. m. All present as of yesterday.

The bill of John Martin for \$5.00 for express is hereby approved and ordered paid out of General County fund. The bill of Geo. Barnard of \$33.00 for warrant book approved and ordered paid from General County fund.

Also bills as follows approved and ordered paid from General County fund.

Ed Martin	16.55
Ed Harris	21.50
Ralph Dow	29.73
Ralph Dow	6.50
Ralph Dow	20.16
Ralph Dow	10.15
Ed Harris	33.25
Ed Harris	160.02
Ed Harris	33.25

The bill of Ad. Long repair work approved and ordered paid, \$5.00.

The following bills examined and ordered paid from the Road fund:

J. M. Donnell	70
Marr & Nott	45.36
Ben Telles	35.00
Leopoldo Gonzales, sal. Quarter	275.00
West. Kempt	27.00
Chas. Ferguson	27.00
E. C. Dow	21.00
Titusworth Co.	211.43

The report of Frank Randolph, J. of P. and bill of ten dollars approved and ordered paid from General County fund.

The clerk is hereby ordered to draw warrant from General County fund for \$5.00 for recording three warranty deeds made to the county.

Now comes E. H. Ramey asking permission from the board to put gate across Lincoln Canyon road and the same after having been duly considered and the board being advised in the premises it is hereby ordered that said E. H. Ramey be allowed to place gate as above stated.

Upon motion of the Board to appoint a road supervisor and the application of Leopoldo Gonzales being duly considered, it is hereby ordered that Leopoldo Gonzales be and he hereby is appointed Road Supervisor at a salary of \$125.00 per month.

The following bills were examined and approved and ordered paid out of the Indigent fund:

C. D. Mayer	25.00
W. O. Norman	25.00
H. M. Reilly	25.00
P. C. Stover	25.00
J. V. Tully	25.00
G. W. Welscher	25.00
Garner & Co	19.45
J. M. Penfield	20.00
John West	20.00
C. D. Mayer	25.00
C. D. Mayer	25.00
J. W. May	12.85
Mrs. L. E. Brooks	50.00

It is hereby ordered that the treasurer make the following transfers: \$128.35 from the Ind. on Deposit fund to the Indigent fund, and the balance of the Ind. on Deposit fund be transferred to the General County fund. The Clerk is hereby ordered to give a

copy of this order to the treasurer.

It is hereby ordered that the Road Supervisor investigate the road situation at Corona where dirt has been piled up by the Railroad Company, and report same to the Board.

The report of the Road Supervisor for the past quarter is hereby approved.

Adjourned until tomorrow at 9:00 o'clock a. m.

April 6th—all present as of yesterday. Upon a petition from citizens at Picacho to the board for the appointment of George Kimbrell, Sr., for justice of the peace of Precinct No. 4,

also for the appointment of Juan Sandoval as constable, after considering same, the board does hereby approve said petition and appoints said named persons above to the office of

justice of the peace and constable.

The request of Adanacio Baca to change his place of trade from Jim Gonzales' store to W. H. Maggie's store at Hondo is hereby approved.

It appearing to the board that there being no justice of the peace at White Oaks, Precinct No. 8, it is hereby ordered that John L. Walker be appointed as justice of the peace of Precinct No. 8, and he hereby is appointed as justice of Precinct No. 8, and Clerk is hereby ordered to notify said John L. Walker of such appointment.

Adjourned 2:00 p. m.

Met pursuant to adjournment. There being no further business appearing before the board they now adjourn, sine die.

(Signed) DEN LUJAN, Chairman.

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