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# The Columbus Courier

VOL. VII.

COLUMBUS, LUNA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, NOVEMBER 1, 1918

NO. 2

### QUARANTINE AT CAMP SOON TO BE LIFTED.

Owing to the fact that the most danger of the influenza epidemic is over it will not be long before the quarantine from the camp at this place will be lifted, altho the exact date is not known. If conditions continue to improve as has been the case during the past week Columbus will soon be back to its normal state and business continue as before. Three new cases in town have been reported, with the exception of a Mexican family who have several cases of pneumonia which was accidentally found by the doctor after the disease had been under way for almost a week resulting in one death so far. Columbus has been very fortunate, having only three deaths during the period of the epidemic here.

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### SPORTS

Athletics for the 21th U. S. Infantry, with the approval of Colonel Wilson Chase, have taken another step forward, despite the flu, with the resuming of the football season Thursday afternoon on the new 21th gridiron with a hotly contested game between Companies "A" and "M." Company "A," recent winners of the cup offered the winning company team of the 24th football league, has announced a keen liking for the handsome football cup, while "M," athletic leaders of the 1st Battalion, fought to wipe out the feeling given them by "A" in baseball.

Recreational athletic board of the 21th plans two games a week, on Thursdays—officially designated by Colonel Chase as athletic evenings—and Sundays. Play starts each afternoon at 2:30 p. m.

Sunday's game promises to be one of the best of the season—the strong headquarters eleven taking on Company "B."

Buy War Savings Stamps.

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### J. R. BLAIR APPOINTED ON COUNCIL OF DEFENSE.

Mayor J. R. Blair, of Columbus, received appointment as a member of the Luna County Council of Defense, by Governor Lindsey, dating from October 25, to serve during the time of the present war and for such time thereafter as the Governor may deem necessary. This appointment gives Mr. Blair authority to act as a member of the Council at any although his commission has not yet been received. Mr. Blair accepts like appointment as a patriotic duty and will give all attention possible to the work.

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### DRIVE FOR WAR FUNDS STARTS NOVEMBER 11.

Now that the Fourth Liberty Loan has been cleaned up the next big effort that is asked of the American people is the raising of over \$170,000,000 through the United War Work campaign to provide comforts for the soldiers in France and in the camps in this country. Seven organizations have been endorsed by the President and by the War Department and the funds collected will be divided among these organizations and will be administered by them. The agencies that have received the official stamp of approval are the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., the National Catholic Council, the Knights of Columbus, the Salvation Army, the War Camp Community Board, the Jewish Welfare Board, and the American Literary Association. Each of these organizations is carrying on what President Wilson describes as "work of vital military necessity" in maintaining the morale of the soldiers and in furnishing them with the extras that the war department finds it impossible to provide for them.

New Mexico is asked to contribute \$200,000, and this amount should be collected within a very few days after the start of the campaign on November 11, as it represents much less than a dollar a head for every man, woman and child in the state.

Dr. John R. Mori, director general of the campaign, said: "The amount is the largest ever asked as a gift from any people in the history of the world. Viewed as a total it seems gigantic, but divide it by the two-million men under arms in our army and navy during the period it is expected to cover, and you will find that it means less than fifty cents a day per man. Surely there is no father or mother or brother or sister in this great country who will say that fifteen cents a day is too much to spend on his child, on his home, on his wife and his library. There has never been in the history on sportsmen, an example of the sacrifice of his means to such being presented on the western front. The success that is being won on the front is not being won by the arms of our army, it is being won by the spirit of our people."

Napoleon said that morale is another factor to war as there is no moral Perseus, in a recent letter commenting on the work of these agencies, quoted his approval in the comment of one of his soldiers who would give me two men who have a lot to spend their evenings at and I have a better fighting force than ten could be with a U. S. I.

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### COLUMBUS DOCTOR HANDLES EPIDEMIC SUCCESSFULLY.

Dr. T. H. Dabney, only civilian doctor here, has been very successful with the influenza and pneumonia during its spread through Columbus. Up to date the doctor has had 120 cases out of which he has lost but one, Mrs. James Heron. No community could have received more care and attention than have the people of Columbus. Dr. Dabney has worked both day and night and has accomplished good results.

### A SOLDIER "TRIG" CLASS



Educational classes at the Army Y. M. C. A. huts are proving popular with the soldiers. Thousands of young men who left school to go into the service are continuing their studies and classes while in the army. Many educational institutions are arranging to give credit for the work done in this way, so that students may not lose anything while serving their country, and can resume their studies on their return, with credit toward degrees and graduation for the classroom work in the army. The picture shows a group of college men continuing their study of trigonometry at one of the Y. M. C. A. schools. It will make them better artillerymen.

### RED CROSS NOTES.

The business meetings of the Red Cross will, beginning from November 11th, be held every Tuesday at 7:30.

### Chapters Must Continue Knitting to Sweaters.

Division headquarters is in possession of an important telegram from Washington, which requests that Chapters concentrate their knitting activities on production of sweaters. Urgent demands for military relief make this necessary. Please, therefore, until further notice, confine your efforts to making in preference to socks in your Chapter Production Order (P.O.).

### The Silent Moment.

The War Council of the American Red Cross recently adopted resolutions and minutes, calling on all Chapters through the nation to observe the "silent moment" at the noon hour each day. These resolutions and minutes were intended to be read at the annual Red Cross elections and acted upon thereafter only. The impetuosity of chapters in the Mountain Division have postponed their elections until November. These resolutions may be read and acted upon prior to that time in order that the "silent moment" idea may be inaugurated without delay.

It is suggested that copies of the resolution be posted in Red Cross headquarters. Publicity committees are urged to give the substance of the resolutions in their local papers.

The resolutions and minutes adopted by the War Council follow:

"The steady flow of Red Cross supplies to our own people and to our allies is an evidence of the loyalty, devotion and service of our Red Cross workers.

"The assistance given is to a good degree material, but a spirit permeates each gift which immeasurably transcends the value of the gift itself.

"We desire to preserve this spirit as the inspiration of our service. We hope as the work of our fighting forces increases that none more than our Red Cross workers will make apparent our kinship of thought, as well as kinship of effort, even through the rush and stress of active work.

"Therefore at a meeting of the War Council, held on Wednesday, October 2, it was

"Resolved, That every day at the hour of noon, in every workroom of

the American Red Cross, throughout all the world of these United States, upon a special signal, all work shall cease for a period of one minute.

"During that time in silence, as the members of the Red Cross, will endeavor concentrate one minute upon one beloved soldier and soldier-widow who are so nobly offering their all, even unto their lives, for us. We will think, as we linger a minute for their dearest wishes, and help individual well-being, remembering ourselves ever to our country, and to those who fight, labor and suffer for her becoming one with them in service.

"May this silent gesture, whether in power, come into being and help, amount to heaven itself, something more in the midst of our day and whatever they may do, fall upon them as a benediction, to be at all times their comfort and their strength.

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The Y. M. C. A. of the Salvation Army and Jewish Welfare Board are sending home money which the soldiers overseas give in their checks for mothers sisters and wives over here.

### EDITOR LEAVES FOR TRAINING SCHOOL.

E. E. Parks, former editor and publisher of the Columbus Courier, was inducted into the military service, October 20, at Deming, N. M., and left here for Camp Stanley, Kentucky. He expects to be away about three months, during which time the business will be conducted by Mrs. G. E. Parks, with the assistance of M. A. Harrison, who will have charge of the mechanical end of the work.

The new mail-traveler station is keeping up the standard of the paper as it has heretofore been, but to do so will require the united support of the more progressive institutions of Columbus.

There is a demand for "first leaders" in the army for the soldiers who are learning the English language. The American Literary Association is supplying this demand.

The Inevitable Cannon—Fighting Dollars and Fighting Men.

### STATE GAME WARDEN GIVES HUNTING SEASON DATES.

Game Warden Throckmole tonight wishes to correct an impression which has been spread over the State concerning the open season on deer, ducks and quail.

The deer season north of the 36th parallel begins Oct. 15, and ends Nov. 1, including both dates. South of the 36th parallel the deer season runs from Oct. 15 to Nov. 25. The quail parallel begins the state on its east and west line 10 miles north of Albuquerque.

The turkey season north of the line runs from Nov. 1 to Dec. 31 south of the line, the open season extends from Oct. 25 to Nov. 25, in the possession of turkey.

The duck season for all the state opens Oct. 15, and will not end until Jan. 31. The quail season runs from Oct. 25 to Nov. 25, in the possession of quail.

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### GIRLANS WANTED

For Billings' Children Training Camp at Camp Fremont, Calif., where a thousand children will be trained in fundamental and to be selected from New Mexico.

### GRAND JURY TAKES RECESS

Because of the influenza epidemic, the federal grand jury has taken a recess, after regarding only two cases, the latter being mostly of cases where alleged charges have not been taken into the service and proceedings against them dropped. It is quite a record made by the office of United States Attorney Benjamin Burdick to have so many cases dismissed by the grand jury in five days. The grand jury will be reconvened when the present epidemic has abated.

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### WIDERS BRING HOME A DEER

A. F. Widener and Jack London are successful in the hunting expedition in the Black Range mountains, returning home Thursday evening, bringing with them a fine fat deer. Jack claims credit for bringing home the deer and Mr. Widener claims not deer at all will have to take his word for it. Mr. London was once fishing mountain districts, and was once a member of the state game warden which was 1912 work approximately.

New Mexico stands second in efficiency in military work of the world, behind Alaska Island (Hawaii).

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Harrison, of Toledo, Ohio, who are here visiting with their son, Corporal G. W. Harrison, a contributor in the camp hospital are very fortunate in having the camp of Columbus and Camp Fremont, and other that through they are citizens here for some time to come to see the camp. They are very glad to see the camp and they are very glad to see the camp. They are very glad to see the camp and they are very glad to see the camp.

### ELECTION DAY NOVEMBER 10.

The regular election will be held next Monday, November 10, at Columbus, United States Senator, Representative in Congress, and State and county officers. The polls will be open at the district of the State Office of the National and State Building, from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. that day.

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UNITED WAR WORK CAMPAIGN  
New Mexico State Headquarters

—W. S. S.—  
Albuquerque, N. M., Oct. 25, 1918

Dear Sir:

Within the last few days we have been asked several times "Will the United War Work Campaign be postponed in view of the influenza situation throughout the nation?" For your information I quote from a telegram received from Director General John B. Holt:

"The General Committee have decided, after consideration and after wide consultation, to adhere to the original date and, to conduct the drive as planned. I visited Washington today and took the matter up with President Wilson and the war Department and they fully support this decision. The disadvantage of postponing the campaign out-weighs any apparent advantages of such delay."

You will see from this message that there is no intention or desire on the part of National Headquarters or from the War Department to postpone the drive. There is no question in my mind but what the campaign will be a great success, should the conditions remain as they are. It will mean a little more personal work for us and a little more time in getting out the big subscriptions. Should there be no meetings people will have more time for reading and with our efficient publicity department, I am sure that we will send the message to every one in this state.

May I suggest to you that there be no let up whatsoever on the part of any of us. As the big week draws nearer, let us put more time and energy into the work than we did the day before. The Fourth Liberty Loan was a great success notwithstanding the fact that many subscriptions were unmet.

There has been a decided improvement in the influenza in New Mexico the past few days and I feel that the operations will be lifted in a short time.

Thanking you for the splendid work you have bravely done, I am,  
Yours very sincerely,  
S. J. BREENT,  
State Director.

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VILLA IS CAPTURED BY GEN. INFLENZA.

Villa, the famous bandit chieftain after successfully evading all traps laid to capture him, has finally capitulated, according to reports received in Juarez yesterday. The name of his captor is General Spanish Influenza, and it is said that the bandit leader has unconditionally surrendered. Villa is said to be at Pilar de Guadalupe, which is located just south of the Guebarra river. The report that Villa has the influenza is apparently authentic.

—W. S. S.—  
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FALL'S RECORD IN SENATE  
PRAISED BY JULIUS KAHN.

—W. S. S.—  
California Representative Says New Mexico's Senator is Helping Win War.

Albuquerque, N. M., Oct. 25.—Hon. Julius Kahn, 59 years member of the house of representatives from the Fourth congressional district of California and ranking minority leader on the committee of military affairs of the house, passed through Albuquerque last night en route to California. In an interview on the political situation and on the New Mexico candidates for congress, Congressman Kahn said:

"Senator Fall was opposed to the president's Mexican policy. He was for carrying out the aggressive American policy. He, like many other senators and members of congress, could not remain silent when eighteen American boys were dragged out of a railroad car in Mexico, lined up against the side of the car and shot down in cold blood as if they were dogs, stripped of their clothing and their bodies mutilated, and no demand was made for reparation, that aroused the indignation of many red blooded Americans, of whom Senator Fall is only one.

"But when we got into this war Senator Fall has been standing by and has been helping in every way he can to put this country in a condition of winning the war speedily and victoriously.

"You know Senator Fall introduced a bill to have three regiments of New Mexico boys, volunteers, to patrol the border against Mexican snipers and Mexican rangers. It was simply wanting to protect his own and the people who honor him by electing him to the senate. He realized that a raid was made over here by Villa; he realized that his constituents were killed, and he was afraid that these conditions might occur again while our boys were fighting on the battlefields of Europe, and therefore he wanted three regiments of New Mexico cavalry down on the border to protect the border of his state. Surely no one can blame him for that. He was simply looking after the welfare of his fellow citizens.

"What was the attitude of the administration on that?" Mr. Kahn was asked.

"It was against it. Senator Fall stands very well indeed with his colleagues. He has established a reputation in the senate and no man can be ever so able, so capable, so immediately to attain a similar standing. Everybody recognizes that Senator Fall is a hard worker — is exceedingly industrious. I have had occasion to see what he does in connection with the military matters that come before the conference several times and advisory matters in which his state was especially interested.

"I remember Mr. B. C. Hernandez, now candidate for congress. Very well and I remarked while he was a member of the house that he was independent and fearless in his votes. I know especially with reference to the legislation of the so-called national defense act, which was approved by the president on June 3, 1916. Hernandez voted to put this country into a condition of preparedness.

"He repeatedly voted, while the house was in a committee of the whole, considering the measure, for an expansion of our military establishment, and when you consider that that law was passed only seven months before Germany served her notice on us that she would destroy our ships that dared cross the lines which she drew on the Atlantic ocean, it showed that Mr. Hernandez had vision and was looking into the future when he cast those votes."

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—W. S. S.—

The people of this county are fortunate at this time to be able to vote for a man of Phil McLaughlin's character, ability and integrity for Representative. His untiring, during his residence of two years and a half in Luna county has probably become better known to a large number of our citizens than has any other settler in the same length of time. His success during that period is a by-word and his industry and energy have been conspicuously manifest.

Mr. McLaughlin has played a conspicuous part in every movement in Luna county which has had for its object the advancement of the county's interest and its reputation of good name abroad. His zeal in promoting the work of the federal government in the present war crisis is known and appreciated in every part of the county, and many are willing to testify to the vigor and earnestness which he has displayed in achieving the results of which we are all so proud and which have redounded to the honor of everyone living in this district.

Mr. McLaughlin is unusually equipped for the position for which he has been nominated by his party. After coming from the east he spent seven years in Galindus City and Terrel, Mexico, as an editor and newspaper correspondent. As a trained observer and reporter he was engaged by the Associated Press as its representative when General Pershing was ordered into Mexico in pursuit of Francisco Villa, and his difficult position he filled in an eminently satisfactory manner. It was during this assignment that the people of Galindus came to know and respect Mr. McLaughlin. His experiences and his association at various times with the leading men of the United States and Mexico have given him that broad vision and sound judgment which fit a man for legislative work and enable him to act and speak wisely for a entire section. He is a personal friend of General Pershing, now commanding the expeditionary forces of the United States in France, and has been commended by this great soldier for the skill and acuteness which he displayed in a section demanding tact, diplomacy and discrimination, when the slightest misstatement might have been embarrassing to our government and lead to many serious complications.

—W. S. S.—  
SOCIALISM

Editor Columbus Courier:

In your issue of Oct. 25th there is an article which I request the privilege to answer, with the caption "The People Will Have to Choose." This reference to article makes it public ownership and socialism is misleading. Government ownership unless the people control, or in other words, elect the officials and can by majority vote recall such officials, when they do not do their duty, is not socialism but merely State Capitalism. Socialism would eliminate the politician and would introduce the best business methods obtainable in all departments of government. In short, socialism is the science of government.

—W. S. S.—  
Lee Thomas.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, Las Cruces, New Mex., October 25, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that George W. Farrar, of Columbus, New Mexico, who, on November 29th, 1913, made Homestead Entry, No. 08332, for 3 1/2 1/4 Sec. 7 and SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 9, Township 28S, Range 7W, SMP Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described before J. M. Reed, U. S. Commissioner, Galindus, New Mexico, on the 4th day of December, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: M. E. Tarwater, Seamus C. Plessa, James L. Walker, Clarence R. Burres, Columbus, New Mexico.  
JOHN L. BURNHIDE  
10-18 11-15 Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, Las Cruces, New Mex., August 13, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that John E. Sanders, of Hatchita, New Mexico, who, on August 19th, 1914, made Homestead Entry, No. 01084, for NE 1/4, Section 20, Township 21S, Range 16W, SMP Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before George Edmunds, U. S. Commissioner, at Hatchita, New Mexico, on the 4th day of December, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: David W. Sanders, Erastus S. Glyceron, of Hatchita, N. M., John D. Birgoff, Dan Phelps, of Walnut Wells, New Mexico.  
JOHN L. BURNHIDE  
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### W. W. WILCOX

Republican Candidate for Commissioner, First District, Luna County.

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### QUAIL SEASON IS NOW OPEN IN NEW MEXICO

The quail season opened in New Mexico October 25. The birds are fairly plentiful in parts of the state according to the Albuquerque Game Protective Association. Although in certain sections of the state the quail have suffered severely from the drought.

Specimens are urged by the Game Protective Association to use moderation in killing quail this year, especially where the game is not so plentiful. Careful shooting and moderate fire will insure an adequate breeding stock being left over for next year.

Hunters should adopt the rule of never shooting out a covey. Always leave at least from half a dozen to a dozen birds. A careful sportsman it is claimed by leaders of the fraternity, will not shoot at a covey that has already been shot out.

Many eastern states, notably Ohio, which was once teeming with bird, have had to pay for the improvement of their timber by closing the season on quail entirely. The situation reached the state in Ohio where the quail was put on the same bird list. The Game Protective Association warns New Mexico to profit by the bad example in the east and keep our coveys supplied with an ample breeding stock.—E.S.

### NO MORE SUGAR FOR CANNING

The sugar allowance for New Mexico for November and December is a million and fifty thousand lbs for all purposes each month. The allowance to manufacturers of soft drinks and ice cream has been cut 50 per cent over the summer allowance. The canning season is over and no sugar is available for canning after October 20th.

Buy War savings stamps.

### WAR WORKERS CONFERENCE ARRANGES VIGOROUS DRIVE

Executive Secretaries of United War Work campaign met with District Directors in Omaha Tuesday. The scope of the meeting was to emphasize the state the ability for war funds during the month of November. H. B. Brown, approaching general will not leave the time of the drive.

Speakers will make a canvass of the state.

Organizations represented are The V. M. C. A., the National Catholic War Council, Knights of Columbus, the Y. W. C. A., the National A. S. A., The American Library Association, the Jewish Welfare Board and the Camp Community Service.

New Mexico people will respond immediately to their request for lend-lease aid and comfort to our soldiers.

### RELEASED SOLDIERS INSUREANCE MADE MORE LIBERAL

Camp Lewis, Tacoma, Wash., Oct. 25.—The hours of soldiers who die in and after April 8, 1917, when the United States declared war on Germany but before the war risk insurance law was enacted, are added to the benefits of the act, according to a ruling received here today from Washington.

From Monday a soldier did not apply for insurance within 120 days after the act was published, but that within that period subsequent to the passage of the act, his heirs are entitled to compensation.

The opinion if it is said here, closed up cases of cases that have been awaiting settlement.

More than three million books have been collected and distributed to soldiers by the American Library Association.

Buy War savings stamps.

## Retail Food Prices For Luna County

WEEK BEGINNING NOVEMBER 1

These prices are set by the board appointed by the County Food Administrator and are subject to weekly revision. The prices quoted are maximum figures. Any cases in which a higher figure is charged should be reported to Fred Sherman, County Food Administrator.

COMMODITY	WHOLESALE	RETAIL
Wheat flour, bulk, lb.	8 00	8 07
Barley flour, bulk, lb.	8 51	8 58
Rye flour, bulk, lb.	8 08	8 15
Corn flour, bulk, lb.	8 64	8 71
Rice flour, bulk, lb.	11	12
Green meal, bulk, lb.	9 50	9 57
Victory bread, 24 oz. loaf	11	12
Victory bread, 16 oz. loaf	8 00	8 11
Old meal or rolled oats, pig.	10	11
Rice, unbroken, lb.	11	12
Sugar, granulated, lb.	10 1/2	11 1/2
Beans, white, navy, pea, lb.	15	16
Beans, pinto, all colored varieties, lb.	10	11 1/2
Potatoes, White or Irish	10	11
Onions, lb.	10 1/2	11
Peas, sorted, lb, pig.	12 1/2	13
Prunes, lb. 40-70 bush	11 1/2	12
Canned tomatoes, 20 oz. can	15	16
Canned corn, 20 oz. can	11	12
Canned peas, 20 oz. can	11	12
Canned salmon, pink, 16 oz. can	18 1/2	19
Canned salmon, red, 16 oz. can	18	19
Evaporated milk, unsweetened, 8 oz. can	26	28 1/2
Evaporated milk, sweetened, 8 oz. can	15	16
Butter, Creamery, lb.	30	32 over 20
Eggs, fresh, dozen	30	32
Eggs cold storage, dozen	28	30
Chow, American, lb.	30	32
Lard substitute, bulk, lb.	24	26
Lard substitute, tinned, lb.	10 1/2	11 1/2
Breakfast bacon, sliced, lb.	21	23
Bacon, smoked, sliced, lb.	28	30



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# County Nominees of Republican Party

THE REPUBLICAN PARTY IN LUNA COUNTY, IN PLACING ITS TICKET BEFORE THE VOTERS, HAS EXERCISED THE GREATEST CARE IN SELECTING MEN FOR THE VARIOUS OFFICES TO BE FILLED, BASING ITS SELECTIONS ON THE FITNESS OF THE CANDIDATES FOR THE DISCHARGE OF THE DUTIES THAT WILL FALL TO THEIR LOT IF THEY SHOULD BE ELECTED. THE TICKET IS EXCELLENTLY BALANCED, MEN FROM MANY DIFFERENT BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS BEING CHOSEN TO REPRESENT THE PARTY, AND WHEN ELECTED THEY CAN ALL BE TRUSTED TO CONDUCT THEIR OFFICES IN A MANNER THAT WILL GUARANTEE SATISFACTION TO EVERY VOTER AND TAX-PAYER IN THE COUNTY. FEW OF THE MEN WHOSE NAMES APPEAR ON THE REPUBLICAN TICKET SOUGHT THE NOMINATIONS. PRACTICALLY ALL OF THEM WERE ASKED TO MAKE THE RACE, AND SOME OF THEM HAD TO BE URGED STRONGLY TO PERMIT THEIR NAMES TO GO BEFORE THE VOTERS. BUT SINCE THEY SIGNIFIED THEIR ACCEPTANCE OF THE HONOR THAT WAS OFFERED THEM THEY HAVE BEEN MAKING A STRONG CAMPAIGN, COVERING THE COUNTY THOROUGHLY AND PLACING THEIR CLAIMS BEFORE THE VOTERS WHO WILL RENDER THE DECISION ON NOVEMBER 5.

## P. A. McLaughlin FOR REPRESENTATIVE

The candidate for the state legislature from Luna county is a young man who has made his mark in the short time he has been in Deming. Coming here two years ago, Mr. McLaughlin established himself as an insurance agent and has in that time won the respect and confidence of the business men of the city. He has invested his money here, both in his business and in house property.

When the Harding expedition was in Mexico, Mr. McLaughlin accompanied it as the representative of the Associated Press, and his knowledge of Mexico and Mexican affairs gained through years spent in Mexico, was such as to single him out from the other correspondents as the best informed newspaper man in the lot. Like almost all men with newspaper training, Mr. McLaughlin is able to view all sides of a question calmly and impartially, and when he has reached a decision he sticks to it fearlessly. Keen intellect, wide education gained both from books and from travel, and a knowledge of the needs of Luna county are Mr. McLaughlin's equipment for the office of legislator. He is a man who will be able to render invaluable service to this state and country in the legislature.

## W. A. Cassman FOR SHERIFF

William A. Cassman, the candidate for sheriff, has been a resident of New Mexico for the greater part of his life and has a record as a police officer extending over more than fifteen years. He has held the positions of sergeant, deputy sheriff, sheriff, agent, and deputy sheriff, and he has worked on both state and federal cases. Among the other offices he has held has been that of deputy United States marshal at Silver City under C. M. Foraker and he also filled the same position in Albuquerque for eleven years. Mr. Cassman has shown himself to be a brave and efficient officer, and his knowledge of local conditions, gained at first hand as a member of the Deming police force, will be of great advantage to him in the conduct of the sheriff's office. He is conducting a clean and aggressive campaign and is making it a point to interview personally every voter in the county.

## Alexander R. Hamilton FOR COUNTY CLERK

One of the candidates who has been drafted for service on the ticket is Alexander R. Hamilton, one of the brightest and most popular young men in the city. Added to a natural ability, Mr. Hamilton has had the benefit of experience in one of the local banks, where, as is presently supposed, his character is of the highest possible type, and his patriotism is shown by the fact that he has almost five years of military service to his credit. That was not pure time soldiering. He first enlisted when the troops were sent to the Mexican border in 1916, and he rapidly rose to the rank of sergeant. On the entry of the United States into war with Germany, Mr. Hamilton at once enlisted again and spent some time in training at Camp Kearney. But it was not long for a slight physical defect that prevented his remaining in the army for the duration of his service. Mr. Hamilton would have been in Europe now and his advancement in the service would have been certain, as his intelligence would have brought him to the front rapidly as it has brought him some recognition both in business and political circles here. His acknowledged ability would enable him to perform the duties of county clerk to the satisfaction of everyone in Luna county.

## Julius Rosch FOR PROBATE JUDGE

Julius Rosch's campaign card states that thirty-five years of his life have been spent in Deming and that every year of it is spent for investigation. Everyone in Deming will bear out the statements made by Mr. Rosch in this respect. Luna county possesses no more respected citizen than the candidate for Probate Judge, and his record as the head of the firm of Rosch & Leopold during all the years that it has been in existence here, shows that he has a fine grasp on the vital principles that control the conduct of his business. He served seven years on the board of trustees of the village of Deming, and his share in the management of the affairs of Deming was one that entitles him to every consideration at the hands of the voters when he comes before them at this time. His patriotism as a citizen of the United States reaches 100 per cent, and the fact that he has given a son to the service of his adopted country effectively settles any question of how he stands in the present crisis.

## R. F. Hamilton FOR DISTRICT JUDGE

The district convention honored itself in nominating Attorney R. F. Hamilton for the office of judge of the sixth judicial district. His standing in the courts, not only in his own district, but all over the state, is too well known to call for any particular review at this time. Suffice it to say that as a member of the New Mexico bar he possesses of the judicial temperament in a stronger degree than R. F. Hamilton, and the steady increase in the number of requests for his services in the highest cases that have been brought before the courts of late years shows where he stands and how he is regarded by those who want the best legal talent available. His election to the position of district judge would place on the bench of a man who would dispense justice fearlessly and a man whose decisions would be made in the strictest accordance with the statutes governing the cases brought before him.

## Miss E. Marie Stevens FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Miss Marie Stevens has been a teacher in the Deming schools for the past year and is now principal of the junior high school, where her work is judged to be remarkable and a source of vision that are admitted to be remarkable. Miss Stevens was born in Ohio and was a student at the leading schools of that state. She studied at Oberlin College, taking a course in honor at the university there. She has also pursued her studies at the University of California, completing a special course of study there during the past summer. Her experience before coming to Deming is extensive, having ten years in the Ohio schools, of which three were spent in Cleveland.

She is a daughter of Albert S. Stevens, who came to Deming in 1871, and she is also a niece of Mrs. Mary F. Hudson, her father still owns valuable property here, and Miss Stevens feels that Deming is her home, just as much as her native state of Ohio ever was.

Miss Stevens is young, cultured and in touch with the latest educational methods, and those who have been associated with her in her work state that she possesses administrative ability of a higher order, which should fit admirably to discharge the duties of superintendent of schools in Luna county.

## C. B. Morgan FOR SURVEYOR

Clarence B. Morgan, the candidate for county surveyor is the well known to the people of this county to need any long introduction. Everybody in the county, irrespective of his political allegiance, knows and likes Mr. Morgan and is anxious to see him returned again for another term in the office which he has filled so acceptably for the past two years. His popularity is so great that no opposition has developed to his candidacy in either ticket, and his re-election is certain. In addition to his work as county surveyor, Mr. Morgan is also city surveyor and engineer, having been appointed to those important positions on his merits alone. Mr. Morgan recently offered his services to the United States government in the engineering corps, and passed the examination with one of the highest percentages of any of the other candidates for a commission, and he was competing with many of the brightest engineers in the southwest. His knowledge of the details of his profession is unquestioned and he keeps abreast of every improvement in his own line of engineering, so that he is always up-to-the-minute on everything pertaining to his work.

## Dr. J. J. Gibson FOR ASSESSOR

A residence of several years in Deming, coupled with the practice of his profession as a veterinarian, has fitted Dr. J. J. Gibson to an eminent degree to fill the office of county assessor. His professional work has brought him a deep and accurate understanding of the conditions that govern the lives of the stockmen and farmers of the county, for his interest in those with whom he has done business does not stop with the money coming by their flock, and no man can live in a town and never be careless from day to day, as he has done for years, without bearing a great deal from them. What Dr. Gibson has learned in that time, both from others and from his own actual experience, furnishes his equipment for the duties of tax assessor, and that this equipment is a sound one is admitted by everyone who knows him with any degree of accuracy. His election will place in office a man who has the interests of the taxpayers and property owners at heart and who will serve them faithfully in every detail connected with the work of his office.

## J. V. Schurtz FOR TREASURER

The office of county treasurer and collector calls for the exercise of modern business practices, more, perhaps, than any other office that is to be filled at the coming election, and few men in Deming are better equipped to manage this important department of the county's business than J. V. Schurtz. As head of the Mimbres Valley Lumber Company, Mr. Schurtz has shown ever since he came to Deming that he possesses a thorough insight into present day commercial methods and his work there has brought him into actual daily contact with every class of citizen in the county, so that he is intimately acquainted with their problems and their needs. He is a brilliant executive, who has placed his own business on a plane where it is returning handsome dividends to its stockholders, and he would bring the same executive ability to the work of the county treasurer and collector.

On the county commissioners of Luna county falls a heavy responsibility. They must run the business of the county and must run it right, if the county is to conserve its resources and to get the best results from the money expended. In selecting the candidates for commissioners, every section of the county was considered and the men chosen were selected to represent every class of industry in the county.

## W. W. Wilcox for Commissioner DISTRICT NO. ONE

The administration of the county's business demands the election of business men, and W. W. Wilcox is the right man for this office. He is a man of affairs of many years experience, and is regarded as the logical man for commissioner from District No. 1. He has held the position of property manager of the Great Northern Railroad, and during the time he occupied this position he looked after the sale of the lands of that company. He managed the expense department of the Mississippi Valley Telephone company, which installed the two million dollar system of St. Paul and Minneapolis. He had charge of the money spent on the paving of the Third ward in Minneapolis, when that ward had a population of 30,000.

Mr. Wilcox is a Deming man who is heavily interested in local real estate and his shrewdness is shown by the quality of the investments he has made here. He is one of the owners of the Majestic Theatre, and he installed at his own expense a line of lights on north third avenue.

As a commissioner he would devote his attention to the building and maintenance of good roads and streets and to the general betterment of his district.

## J. W. Hollander for Commissioner DISTRICT NO. TWO

A farmer of years of experience both here and in Ohio, Mr. Hollander asks for the votes of the people of Luna county on his promise to give the best service he is capable of in administering the affairs of the county. He is a man who has traveled widely and he has made a special study of good roads as they affect farmers and farmers. Mr. Hollander does not pretend to be a practical politician but a business man and a farmer, and on both counts he is entitled to the support of those who wish to see the county secure a business administration. At present he is trying to aid the government to the best of his power by assisting in the production of foodstuffs to feed the people of the country and their allies, and he intends to pursue this course as long as the war lasts, and afterwards. His four years residence in this county have given him an insight into the needs of all classes of the people, especially into those of the farming classes.

## H. V. Whitehill for Commissioner DISTRICT NO. THREE

A life-long resident of New Mexico and one of Deming's leading and most respected citizens, Mr. Whitehill is known to every citizen and new comer in the city and district. He needs no introduction to the voters of this county. After being engaged in the stock raising business for the greater part of his life, Mr. Whitehill disposed of his estate last year and engaged in construction work at Camp Goby for a term. He is an extensive property owner in Deming, and this fact, together with the knowledge he acquired while in the cattle business, render Mr. Whitehill a candidate who is worthy of support from every taxpayer, farmer and stockman in the county. No man in Deming stands higher in the estimation of those who know him than Harry Whitehill and his election will place in office a man whose first duty would be to the taxpayers of Luna county, and one who can be trusted to discharge that duty to the last iota.

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