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The Carlsbad Current

TWENTY-FOURTH YEAR.

CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO, FRIDAY, AUGUST 11, 1916.

NUMBER 40.

PECOS ON RAMPAGE

TANSILL DAM EARTH-WORK GIVES WAY

Last Monday about noon rain commenced falling and at two in the afternoon the streets of Carlsbad were like canals the water in many places being a foot deep. Water continued to fall all night and Tuesday morning Reclamation Jim found that 5.12 had fallen. This was the heaviest rain in twenty years or more in Carlsbad, and it extended west to the head of Dark Canon and, including the rains of the past few weeks or, since July 27, over 11 inches having fallen in Carlsbad. Both the Pecos and Dark Canon were up and the only damage done was to the Tansill dam over 150 feet of the embankment on the west having washed away, which went out about daylight Tuesday, causing the river to run around the west end of the concrete structure and will probably necessitate an expense of about \$8,000 to repair with concrete which will make the dam about 600 feet all of concrete. This will make a substantial structure that will carry floods of much larger proportions. In talking with the superintendent of the company Mr. Ritchie, it was learned that the water was higher than at any time previous all other floods having failed to reach the floor of the power house while the water was near two feet deep in the power house, last Tuesday morning before the embankment washed away.

The whole country on the west and south received heavy downpours for it was impossible to cross Dark canon until Wednesday evening. That great water course washed away the approach at the north end of the railway bridge across the canon and it was impossible to run trains south until yesterday. Down at the Harroun farm the Pecos flood took away a portion of the dam and about 700 feet of the canal embankments leaving some 1,000 hogs in a bad condition for water, but none were lost. Will Sprong went down yesterday to install a gasoline engine to pump water for the hogs and other stock. The bridge at Blue Springs, twenty miles south was washed so badly as to render it almost impassable. Trains on the north were delayed by several hundred yards of track having been washed away and the "Polly Wog" tipped over at Lakewood and the engineer Ralph Eversole received a broken nose and hip bruised when the engine tipped over. The brakeman Phifer was also pretty badly hurt. Several passengers were also more or less injured.

The fine concrete bridge at the Sam Jones place on Rocky was taken out completely and much other damage done by the flood.

RAIN ON THE PLAINS.

The following from Mr. Heard, explains itself:

Highlonesome Ranch, 8-8-16. Mr. Mullane, Carlsbad, N. M.

Dear Mr. Mullane: It commenced raining last night about dark, and fell one drop at the time till it had, at daylight this morning, rained one inch rain, and still raining, looks like it would rain all day today, the best grass rain we have had for some time. Stock of all kind have held up well, and this rain will insure us grass for winter.

Yours very truly,
DADDY HEARD.

A PREMIUM.

The Carlsbad Project Milling company that is putting in the new flour mill in the valley, will manufacture at least four brands of flour, i. e. First and second grades of hard wheat and first and second grades of soft wheat flour, and in order to secure suitable names for each, offers a sack (48 pounds) to each of the four persons sending us the best names, or for any names accepted by us. The rules will be that each person send in only one name. In case two or more persons send in the same accepted name the prize will be divided equally. It costs you nothing but the postage. Send in your selection early as we wish to place the order for the printing of the names before the first of September. We expect to be milling flour from wheat grown in the valley by Oct. 1.

Carlsbad Project Milling Co.
By F. T. Cook, Mgr.
Lovins, N. M.

Christian & Co., INSURANCE.

STORE BURGLARIZED.

Finlay-Pratt Hardware Co., Lose Six or Seven Six Shooters and Some Cash.

Monday night during the rain and while the town was in darkness on account of the high water rendering the power light some one entered the store of the Finlay-Pratt Hardware Co., over the back door by smashing the glass of the transom. The show case near the front of the store was kicked in and the cash drawer opened and four dollars or more in change was taken from the drawer and about the same amount left. The show case was broken and six or seven revolvers taken. The first one to discover that anything was wrong was the night man who, in his rounds after the rain let up a little saw the broken transom and at once called Elbert Smith, one of the firm. This was at about five in the morning. It was found on examination, that the burglar had cut his hand either on the glass of the transom or the show case, for small blood stains were found on the case, which is the only clue so far discovered. After getting his booty the thief left by the back door which had a bar across the inside which he removed and left the door unfastened.

Born: Monday morning at an early hour a tiny baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morden, of the Model Market. She will tip her scales at about eight pounds and seems well and good natured.

Birthday Party.

Gertrude Lowenbruck was hostess last Friday afternoon from two until five. This was her eleventh birthday and many of her girl friends were invited. They played many jolly games on the lawn and were served with devil food cake and delicious cream and many choice gifts were received. An all round good time was enjoyed by the young people. The guests were Marionett Reed, Florence May, Henrietta Dilley, Dorothy Draper, Frances Etter, Evelyn McIntosh, Helen Benson, Adelle Bujac, Zelpha Bates, Cecil Gordon, Muriel and Marion Fuller, Mesdames Pete Lowenbruck and Elsworth James and little son Ellsworth Jr.

DISTRICT COURT.

The case of Michel Irabarne vs. Stockmen's Guaranty Loan Co., of Albuquerque, N. M., was up before Judge Richardson Tuesday and Wednesday. This was an action for injunction to prevent the loan company from disposing of a note of \$4,000, the plaintiff alleging fraud and misrepresentation by representation of the company. The case occupied two days and the plaintiff was ably represented by his attorneys Jones & Dilard. The company's attorney H. R. Coors, Jr., of Albuquerque was here. The note had been transferred to the First National Bank of Carlsbad represented by S. D. Stennis, Jr. The question of making the injunction permanent was taken under advisement by the court after all the evidence and arguments by the attorneys were in. The facts and evidence in this case would make a good story but it is impossible to give the full account this week.

Cruz Hernandez plead guilty to burglary and took a sentence of not less than one year. This is the Mexican who burglarized the saloon at San Jose.

For abstracts and insurance go to the Guaranty Abstract and Title Co., Hull Building, South of Courthouse.

L. D. Merchant and wife came in from the ranch yesterday morning. They report plenty of rain and great lakes of water where people had forgotten water ever stood. They could not come the road through the Farrell pasture as they came up on a lake that was about one and a half miles long and Mr. Merchant said it was 25 or 30 feet deep in places, and he had to back out and come in by the W. W. Smith ranch and Blue Springs. They are expecting to rent a residence in Carlsbad and spend the winter here.

LITTLE GIRL LOST.

Last Saturday afternoon the four year old daughter of Ira Taylor and wife, who live out on a ranch near Walnut or in that vicinity, in some way became separated from the other children and wandered all the afternoon and night, and was found next day, Sunday, noon about ten miles from home. When found she was close to the ranch house of Chas. Grammers on Walnut. The children had gone down in the pasture to play, and went on to the house and left her, thinking she was coming; when they went back to find her she had gone the opposite way from home. Her track was seen one mile east of the house, and she turned and went south, two miles, it was getting too late to track

her, so Mr. Taylor went over to the Will Simmons place on Black River getting there about ten o'clock. Mr. Simmons took his car and went to get help to find her, getting Johnnie Reed, Cecil Cass, and Barney Beech to help him hunt the child. They found her track, she wore shoes, in the canyon at the mouth of Walnut and tracked her close to the Grammer home, where she apparently had stopped to play, and seeing the house went off another way, where they found her. She did not seem excited in the least and knew her father. Mrs. Taylor was frantic with grief. When asked where she slept she said under a bush. She did not seem thirsty and not very hungry, although she had walked a long way.

Christian & Co., INSURANCE.

NEWLY ORGANIZED GERMAN FORCES IN TERRIFIC OFFENSIVE.

By Associated Press.

Petrograd, via London, August 6.—Since the loss of Brody by the Austrians and the successful operations of the Russians against the Germans, which resulted in their gaining the whole line along the Stockhod and the capture of several fortified villages, considerably west of the river on the direct route to Kovel, the situation on the Russian General Brusiloff's front has remained virtually unaltered.

Germans Change Tactics.

The Russians by no means have lost control of the initiative but another wave of the most energetic German resistance has set in and the newly organized German army, which is composed of all available reserves and fresh recruits, has undertaken the task of changing its tactics from passive resistance to a most active

REPUBLICAN MACHINE FIGHT DESPERATELY FOR CONTROL THIS YEAR.

Santa Fe, Aug. 10.—The Republican organization of New Mexico, backed by the Invincible Government, will make the most desperate fight in its history to secure control of state affairs this year.

The Democrats of New Mexico make no mistake about this. Overconfidence must be guarded against. Nothing that will contribute to the certainty of Democratic success must be overlooked.

The welfare of the state, present and future, is involved in the contest this year. The fight of the Republican machine will be not only for control during the coming two years, but for the perpetuation of that control. The machine leaders realize, and admit, that a decisive defeat in November will blast their hopes for good and all. If they win they confidently

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counter offensive. Field Marshal von Hindenburg's personal direction of the operations in this field is quite apparent, but it is not thought possible by the Russian observers that he can more than temporarily check the advance of the Russian forces upon Kovel.

Russians Consolidate.

The Russians have succeeded in consolidating all positions they won in the recent battle between the Stockhod and Kovel, except one village which they were compelled to yield before a determined German counter attack. Meantime, the Russians by gaining control of the northern part of the Stockhod where it crosses the Pinsk marshes, seemingly have effectively eliminated all danger of further flank attacks by the Germans and are in a position to continue their progress along the direct routes to Kovel without fear of the possible encircling of their right wings. The Austrians, concentrating on the roads to Lemberg are endeavoring to hold their opponents in the region of the Sereth river a few miles southwest of Brody. The Russians already have scored minor successes in the continuation of the Brody battle, but the strong Austrian defense leaves the outcome in doubt.

The extreme southern flank of the Austrian forces under General Pflanzer, which were so badly shattered after the fall of Czernowitz, have brot about a partial reorganization and are making a new attack upon the left wing of General Brusiloff's forces in the region southwest of Kuti. This attack, however, is by small numbers of men and military observers seem to think there is a slight hope of effecting any real change in the situation.

expect to perfect their organization to such a degree that they will long be able to resist future Democratic onslaughts.

They will be fighting with their backs to the wall in the approaching campaign. No manner of promises will be beyond them. No falsehood or misrepresentation calculated to help their cause will be overlooked. No form of intimidation or other unscrupulous and dishonest method of securing votes will be forgotten.

If the Republicans win in November the people of New Mexico can count absolutely on every state office, every state institution, every state agency and activity being used primarily with the object of building up and strengthening the Republican organization, the bulwark of the Invisible Government. Already the machine leaders are discussing the "possibilities" involved in the great business of the state land office, which this year will amount to approximately three-quarters of a million dollars, and which within the next two years will undoubtedly reach the enormous total of one million dollars annually. They are contemplating the "benefits" to be derived by the "judicious" distribution of the \$400,000 in Federal road funds that will come to New Mexico in the next two years under the provisions of the Federal good roads act, as well as the state funds controlled by the state highway commission. They have plans formulated for turning state institutions into vote-building establishments; for entrenching the organization in various counties by providing additional campaign funds through more exorbitant county salaries, and for carrying out their a-

DEMOCRATS TO MEET

Call for Democratic County Convention in and for Eddy County New Mexico.

By virtue of the power and authority in me vested, I the undersigned, chairman of the Democratic Central Committee of Eddy County, New Mexico, do hereby call a Democratic County Convention, to convene and be held in the District Court room, in the Court House in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, on Saturday, August 19, A. D., 1916. Said convention to convene at 10 o'clock a. m. on said day.

The purposes for which this convention is called, is the selection and election of delegates to the State Democratic Convention, which is called to meet in the city of Santa Fe, New Mexico, August 30th, 1916, at 2 o'clock p. m., on said day.

And for the transaction of any other business lawfully and properly coming before said County Convention. The basis of representation in said County Convention, shall be one delegate and vote in said convention, to every twenty-five democratic votes cast at our last Democratic primary election in this county. The several Central Committeemen, who are Precinct Chairmen, will please call and hold Democratic Precinct Conventions on Saturday August 12, A. D., 1916, or as soon thereafter as possible, and before the convening of the County Convention, above called, and select delegates to said county convention on the basis of one to every 25 votes in our last primary election. (Send as big delegations as you can.)

Dated, Carlsbad, New Mexico, Aug. 7, 1916.

D. G. GRANTHAM,
Chairman Democratic Central Committee, Eddy County, New Mexico.
Attest: J. G. OSBURN,
Secretary Pro Tem, Democratic Central Committee, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Call for Meeting of Democratic Central Committee.

A meeting of the Democratic Central Committee of Eddy County, New Mexico, is hereby called to meet in the District Court room of the Court House in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, on August 19th, A. D. 1916, at 9 o'clock a. m.

The purpose for which said meeting is called, is, the election of a chairman and secretary of said Central Committee.

For the consideration of any and all other matters that may be properly and legally brought before said committee for its action.

Dated, Carlsbad, New Mexico, Aug. 9th, 1916.

D. G. GRANTHAM,
Chairman Democratic Central Committee.
Attest: J. G. OSBURN,
Secretary Pro Tem.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dow, Mrs. Sadie Cheatham and Miss Camille Grant-ham went out to the Thayer ranch Saturday and had a very pleasant time at the Thayer home until Monday when they decided to come home. The weather clerk decided to let it rain and rain it did. The canyon was high and the rain fell in torrents, wetting two cars thoroughly. It was impossible to get anywhere, so Bob found it necessary to go over to the Cecil Cass ranch and get a buggy and team to take the ladies over to the ranch where they staid until Tuesday and came home when the canyon ran down. The road was water and water seemed plentiful.

greements with the Invisible government by distributing more unequally the burden of taxation.

These are facts for the earnest consideration of every voter, irrespective of party affiliations, who wants honest government, equal taxation and state development. Millions of dollars will be handled and disbursed in New Mexico during the next two years. The question before the voters is: Shall these millions be honestly and economically used for the real benefit of the people and state, or shall they be used to strengthen and perpetuate a corrupt and discredited political organization? Democratic success in November means the former; Republican success the latter.

CALLS FOR STATE AND COUNTY CONVENTIONS.

CALL FOR STATE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

A State Democratic Convention is hereby called to be held in the Hall of the House of Representatives in the Capitol Building at the City of Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the 30th day of August, 1916, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the purpose of placing in nomination the following Congressional, Judicial and State officers, to-wit:

One candidate for United States Senator for the term of six years:

One candidate for Representative in the Sixty-fifth Congress of the United States:

One candidate for Justice of the Supreme Court for the term of eight years:

One candidate for State Corporation Commissioner for the term of six years:

One candidate for Governor for the term of two years:

One candidate for Lieutenant Governor for the term of two years:

One candidate for Secretary of State for the term of two years:

One candidate for State Treasurer for the term of two years:

One candidate for Attorney-General for the term of two years:

One candidate for Superintendent of Public Instruction for the term of two years:

One candidate for Commissioner of Public Lands for the term of two years:

One candidate for State Auditor for the term of two years:

And the Chairman of the County Central Committee of each county in the state is hereby authorized and requested to call a county delegate convention for his county and to fix the time and place for holding such convention in his county which shall not be later than Monday the 28th day of August, 1916, and to give ample notice thereof, and he is further authorized and requested to notify and request the Chairman of the Central Committee in each precinct in his county to call a primary in his precinct, and to fix the time and place for the holding such primary for the selection of delegates to such county delegate convention, and to give ample notice thereof throughout his precinct of such time and place of holding such primary, which notice shall be at least five days prior to the date of such primary convention in each precinct, and such chairman shall designate the number of delegates to be sent by each precinct primary to said county delegate convention, and such precinct chairmen are requested to invite all electors to take part in such primaries who may wish to do so regardless of past party affiliations and who may wish to support the principles of the democratic party and the candidates to be nominated by such State Democratic Convention.

Each county will be entitled to the number of delegates in said state convention as follows:

Delegates	
Bernalillo	18
Chaves	14
Colfax	12
Curry	7
Dona Ana	10
Eddy	10
Grant	16
Guadalupe	8
Lincoln	6
Luna	7
McKinley	5
Otero	9
Quay	9
Rio Arriba	11
Roosevelt	6
Sandoval	2
San Juan	5
San Miguel	18
Santa Fe	11
Sierra	4
Socorro	11
Taos	4
Torrance	4
Union	12
Valencia	8

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Did you ever know a boy who didn't like to have a room of his very own with a stove in it, so that he could stay there even on a cold winter night?

Did you ever know a boy who didn't like to have a horse and buggy of his own? How did you like to see him for the horse and buggy every time

you wanted to go somewhere?

Did you ever know a boy who didn't work better when he had a share in the crop, or when he had one field with which to do as he pleased?

Did you ever know, from being a boy, how the town-worker boy was envied because he had a room that was his very own; a room in which he could leave his trunk and good clothes and know they would be unmolested?

Do you realize that the way you felt under these conditions is about the way all the other boys feel?

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DALLAS MAN LOSES HIS LIFE

E. C. MEADOR EXPIRES FROM INJURY AND G. C. GRAY ARRESTED

Early Monday a Dallas man, E. C. Meador, died at Mount Pleasant, Tex., from injuries he received during a fall. The accident occurred at the home of G. C. Gray, a Dallas man, who had returned from a automobile ride. He sustained a fractured skull. Gray was bound over to the grand jury in \$1,500, which was set on given.

Gray exhibited several knife wounds about the arms and shoulders, which were inflicted by Meador.

The latter had been at Mount Pleasant for two or three days, having been made frequent calls on his regular itinerary as a commercial traveler. He leaves a widow and a son eleven years old. Burial was a Dallas.

ACCIDENT DUE TO DERAILING ENGINEER AND FIREMAN AND A PASSENGER KILLED

Engineer Hollis and Fireman Wood were both killed when a special train was derailed two and one-half miles south of Lancaster, in Dallas county.

James A. Bennett of Dallas, a passenger, also lost his life. Thirty-seven persons were injured, seriously.

The train was wrecked as it was approaching a long curve at the rate of forty miles an hour. Road officials

saw a "sun kink" or "buck-kink" of the rails caused the accident.

With his gloved hand on the throttle the body of Engineer Hollis was found. Fireman Wood also remained at his post. The engineer had apparently applied the air brakes and reversed the engine as soon as he realized the danger, as the engine wheels ran backwards for a while after the wreck. Both bodies were mangled in a horrible manner and scalded. It required six hours to get out Hollis' corpse and over two hours that of the fireman. Engine and tender went 15 feet after it had left the rails. The first coach, a combination baggage and passenger car, jumped a fifty-foot ditch. Second coach landed on a side in the ditch.

Kansas Banks Set Record.

More money is deposited in Kansas today than ever before, according to a statement made public by State Bank Commissioner Benson. The statement shows that deposits of the 967 state and private banks and the eleven trust companies in Kansas were June 30 last \$145,685,397.15. Besides showing an increase of \$4,000,000 over the statement of last March, it shows an increase of \$16,000,000 over a year ago and \$45,000,000 more than two years ago. "Since this is the time of year when Kansas farmers are using their deposits or borrowing money to buy new machinery and to move the wheat crop the record is excellent," Benson explained.

HARRIS WARNED MAN KILLED

THIS IS JUSTIFICATION GIVEN BY DEFENDANT IN CASE.

KISSED AND HUGGED HIS WIFE

Behind a Screen at Fort Worth is the Accusation Against the Late Autrey Rowland—Bond Placed at Five Thousand Dollars.

Ray B. Harris, charged with murder of Autrey Rowland at Fort Worth, was given preliminary hearing before Justice Mahan and his bond was fixed at \$5,000.

The testimony of witnesses showed that Harris shot Rowland after he had warned him that his continued and persistent attentions to Mrs. Harris must stop. Rowland, who was twenty-one years old, was unmarried. Harris has been married six months.

The testimony showed that Rowland, who drove a wagon, had been in the habit of stopping almost daily at a drug store where Mrs. Harris was employed and talking to her. Harris learned of this and on the morning before the shooting he brought Rowland and his wife together. They both admitted, according to witnesses, that they had been carrying on a "love affair," and that Mrs. Harris planned to go to Dallas and obtain a divorce.

Mrs. Alice Baker testified that Mrs. Harris was at her home, where she and Harris boarded, and the latter took Rowland there, and that in her presence Rowland and Mrs. Harris admitted going together and that they had planned for her to go to Dallas and secure a divorce, Rowland agreeing to go to Dallas each Saturday night and return to Fort Worth Monday.

She testified that Mrs. Harris at first denied this, but that Rowland told her that they might as well admit it, as it would cause trouble for him.

She testified that Rowland admitted having kissed and hugged Mrs. Harris behind the screen in the drug store where Mrs. Harris was employed and that she begged Harris not to kill him. Harris, the witness said, told Rowland that he did not want to kill him, but he wanted his attentions to his wife to stop. Harris and Rowland, according to the witness, shook hands after the latter had agreed not to see Mrs. Harris again. Harris was excited and had been crying during the interview she testified.

Mrs. Mary G. Ambrose, owner of the drug store where Mrs. Harris was employed, testified that Rowland frequently came to the store twice daily and conversed with Mrs. Harris from half an hour to an hour. Mrs. Ambrose said Rowland was only a boy and that she warned him he had better keep away from Mrs. Harris and that his answer was: "I should worry."

She testified Rowland spent some time at the store talking to Mrs. Harris the day before he was shot.

Target for Snipers.

Several shots were fired into the camp near El Paso of the Massachusetts soldiers. No one was hit. It is believed Mexican smugglers carrying ammunition to bandits across the Rio Grande river did the shooting. More patrols are on this side to stop sniping.

Thirty-Day Respite.

In order to consider an application for commutation to life imprisonment of Johnnie Jones, a negro, under sentence of death at Waxahatchie, Tex., Governor Ferguson has granted a respite of thirty days. Johnson was convicted for the murder of Jack Jones.

Texas Man Purchases Bonds.

J. A. Thompson of Corsicana has purchased the \$100,000 good road bonds issued by Frost district of Navarro county and the \$100,000 good road bond issue of the Dawson district.

Scriptures in Demand.

Demand for Bibles on the Mexican border among the soldiers is said to be great. It is estimated that 40,000 will be required if more men are sent.

COTTON, GRAIN AND LIVESTOCK

Dallas.

Dallas, Aug. 7.—Cotton: Middling fair, 14.50c; strict good middling, 14.50c; good middling, 14.20c; strict middling, 13.95c; middling, 13.75c; strict low middling, 13.37c; low middling, 13.00c; strict good ordinary, 12.50c; good ordinary, 12.25c.

Grain—Wheat: Per bushel, at Dallas mills, \$1.30, No. 2 basis soft.
Corn: White, 92 to 94 1-2c; mixed, 91 to 93, delivered carload lots mill.
Oats: Texas red, 41 to 43 sacked; 38 to 41, bulk.

Fort Worth.

Livestock—Cattle: Heaves, \$6.00 to \$7.00; cows, \$4.00 to \$6.00; heifers, \$3.50 to \$6.50; bulls, \$4.00 to \$5.00; calves, \$4.50 to \$6.75; stockers, \$5.00 to \$6.50.
Hogs: \$7.00 to \$9.45; pigs, \$4.75 to \$5.50.
Sheep: \$4.00 to \$8.75; lambs, \$9.00 to \$13.75; goats, \$4.50 to \$5.50.

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Three Times Greater.

Naval losses, say Berlin advices, sustained by the allies since the start of the war, have been three times those of the Teutonic forces. The six tables cover the period up to June 30. During this time the allies lost forty-nine men-of-war of 562,000 tons. Of this loss, forty vessels of 485,000 tons were British. Teutonic allies lost thirty vessels of 191,000 tons, of which Germany's part was twenty-five vessels of 172,000 tons.

Converted Sunday.

Harry Monroe, who is credited with having converted Billy Sunday, the evangelist, to Christianity, died at his home in Chicago at the age of eighty-six years. Death came as the result of a street car accident sustained last November. Mr. Monroe had served as superintendent of the Pacific Garden mission at Chicago for twenty-four years, and was known throughout the country by hundreds of former converts and gamblers whom he had been the means of converting.

Edwin Gould at Head.

Directors of the Cotton Belt railway a meeting in New York elected Edwin Gould president.

Be it remembered that on this 1st day of August, A. D., 1916, the board of county Commissioners of Eddy county met in special session at which meeting the following proceedings were had:

Present: Mr. C. W. Beeman, chairman.

Mr. V. H. Lusk, commissioner from district No. 1.

R. B. Armstrong, deputy sheriff.

A. R. O'Quinn, county clerk.

Absent: Mr. Whit Wright, commissioner from district No. 2.

Mr. Wright appeared after the board had adjourned and reported that he had been unavoidably detained on the road in attempting to get to the meeting before the board adjourned.

The Board having heretofore advertised for bids for the flooring of the Carlsbad Green Street Bridge and the La Huerta bridge, the following bidders were present:

Mr. J. E. Wallace of Wallace & Pond.

Mr. U. S. Hamilton.

Mr. J. D. Walker of Toffelmire and Walker.

The bidders were notified that while the call for bids did not specify that the lumber in the bridge floors must be removed, nails drawn and piled up at either end of the bridge, it must be understood that this work was to be included in their bids. The following bids were opened:

Mr. U. S. Hamilton, bid \$2329.

Wallace & Pond bid \$2267.55.

Toffelmire & Walker bid \$2400.

It appearing to the Board that the bid of Wallace and Pond is the lowest and best bid, it was moved and carried that the chairman be and he is hereby instructed, and authorized to enter into a contract with Wallace and Pond to floor the Carlsbad Green St., and the La Huerta Bridge for the sum of \$2267.55.

The following bids were received for furnishing coal for the court house for the following winter in car load lots. Joyce Fruit Company bid \$8 per ton for Hastings Lump coal; Mr. C. C. Lewis bid \$8 per ton for Blended Lump coal; A. G. Shelby Co. bid \$7.75 per ton for Hastings washed nut coal.

It appearing to the board that the bid of A. G. Shelby Co. is the lowest and best bid, it is hereby ordered by the board that A. G. Shelby Co. be and they hereby are awarded the contract for the furnishing of coal for the coming winter for \$7.75 per ton for Hastings washed nut coal, delivered in the bins at the court house.

Mr. T. E. Williams having presented his resignation as member of the Eddy County State Fair Board, it was moved and carried that said resignation be accepted.

It was moved and carried that Mr. W. F. McIlwain be and he hereby is appointed member of the Eddy county state fair board.

It is hereby made the order of the board that the clerk be and he hereby is instructed to draw warrants No. 2541 to 2549 inclusive in payment of claims this day approved by this board.

Whereupon the board adjourned until September 1st, 1916.

C. W. BEEMAN,
Chairman.

Attest: A. R. O'QUINN,
County Clerk.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT.

Notice is hereby given that G. W. Parkhurst, as plaintiff, has instituted suit against F. M. Masters, Sarah E. Masters, Wilson L. Ashbrook and Estelle Ashbrook, as defendants in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico; that said suit is numbered 2495 on the Civil Docket of the said court; that the general objects of said suit are to recover judgment upon a promissory note dated the 1st day of June, 1914, for the sum of Seventeen Thousand, Five Hundred (\$17,500.00) Dollars, executed by F. M. Masters and Sarah E. Masters with interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from date, together with reasonable attorney's fees and costs, and the foreclosure of a certain mortgage executed by F. M. Masters and Sarah E. Masters to the plaintiff to secure the payment of the above note, and the sale of the following described property situate, lying and being in Eddy County, New Mexico and described as follows, to-wit:

All of Section Twenty-six (26); South half of Section Twenty-seven (27), and Southeast quarter of Northwest quarter of Section Twenty-seven (27); south half of Southeast Quarter of Section Twenty-eight (28); Northeast quarter of Northwest quarter of Section Thirty-three (33); and North half of Northwest quarter of Section Thirty-three (33); northeast quarter of section thirty-four (34), north half of southeast quarter of section thirty-four (34) and east half of southwest quarter section thirty-four (34); northwest quarter of section thirty-five (35), northwest quarter of northeast quarter of section thirty-five (35), north half of southwest quarter of section thirty-five (35), all in township twenty-four (24) south of range twenty-six (26) east of the New Mexico Principal Meridian. Also the west half of the southwest quarter of section one (1), southeast quarter of southeast quarter of section two (2), northwest quarter of northwest quarter of section twelve (12), west half of southeast quarter of section eight (8), and south half of southwest quarter of section eight (8), all in township twenty-four (24) south of range twenty-eight (28), east of the New Mexico Principal Meridian, together with ten (10) cubic feet per second of water from the Blue Springs, as fixed by decree of the District Court of the United States for the Fifth Judicial District of Territory of New Mexico, Case No. 112.

The total area of the above described land is twenty-one hundred and twenty (2120) acres, more or less.

Said defendants F. M. Masters, Sarah E. Masters, Wilson L. Ashbrook and Estelle Ashbrook are hereby notified that unless they enter their appearance in said cause on or before the 29th day of September, 1916, judgment will be rendered against them by default.

S. D. Stennis, Jr., Esq., is the attorney for plaintiff and his business and postoffice address is Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and the seal of the clerk of said court this 10th day of August, 1916.

(Signed) A. R. O'QUINN,
11-Aug-4 County Clerk.

NOTICE OF SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, subject to the approval of the court, the following property situated in the Eddy Drug Store, at Carlsbad, New Mexico, to-wit:

All of the stock, fixtures, tools and instruments pertaining to the Jewelry Store situated in what is known as the Eddy Drug Store in the town of Carlsbad, State of New Mexico.

The said sale is to be made at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the 30th day of Aug. A. D., 1916, at what is commonly known as the Eddy Drug Store, at Carlsbad, New Mexico; said sale to be made pursuant to the judgment and decrees of the District Court for Eddy County, New Mexico, rendered on the 2nd day of August, A. D., 1916, in a certain cause therein pending wherein the National Bank of Carlsbad, of Carlsbad, New Mexico, a corporation, is plaintiff and H. H. Dilley is defendant, to satisfy a judgment for \$4899.44 recovered by the plaintiff against the defendant, with costs, including costs of this sale and interest on judgment at 10 per cent from August 2nd, 1916, until paid.

Witness my hand this 4th day of August, 1916.

J. A. MAY,
Special Master.

When you see Nelson think of Clothes. When you see Clothes think of Nelson.

NOTICE OF SUIT.

Mrs. M. F. Schmidt, Plaintiff,
vs.
J. Boyd Allen, Mary D. Allen, Annie P. Jacks, Marie Jacks, Wilma Jacks, and Jas. P. Jacks, Defendants.

No. 2477.

To J. Boyd Allen, Mary D. Allen defendants, in the above entitled cause, you and each of you are hereby notified that a suit has been commenced against you in the District Court in and for the County of Eddy, in the State of New Mexico, by the plaintiff, Mrs. M. F. Schmidt, who in said plaintiff seeks to recover judgment against you and each of you in the sum of \$1248.50, together with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 13th day of July 1916 until paid, together with all the costs of this proceeding.

Plaintiff also asks judgment to foreclose her certain mortgage deed securing said amount, said mortgage deed bearing date the 20th day of November 1909, and is made and executed by the defendants J. Boyd Allen and Mary D. Allen in favor of the plaintiff herein, upon the following described property lying and being situate in the County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, to-wit: The Northwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section 23, Township 23, South Range 28 East N. M. P. M., which said mortgage is recorded in book 10 of Mortgages at page 331 of the Records of Eddy County.

You are therefore notified that unless you enter or cause to be entered your appearance in said cause on or before the 15th day of September 1916 judgment by default will be rendered against you and the said property sold to satisfy same.

The attorneys for plaintiff are Hunkler & Hedgcock, whose post office is Las Vegas, New Mexico.

Dated at Carlsbad, New Mexico, this 29th day of July 1916.
(Seal) A. R. O'QUINN,
4-Aug-4 County Clerk.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

034103.
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., July 17, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Margaret C. Middleton, of Queen, N. M., who, on May 24, 1916, made H. D. E. Serial No. 034103, for E4SE4, Sec. 33; and W4SW4, Sec. 34, Township 24-S, Range 21-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before A. R. O'Quinn, Clerk of the Probate Court, in his office at Carlsbad, N. M., on Aug. 22, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: John W. Stewart, W. Randolph Shattuck, Edward S. Shattuck, Thomas H. Gordon, all of Queen, N. M.
EMMETT PATTON,
July 21-Aug. 18, Register.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

United States Land Office.

Roswell, N. M., June 30, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, under the provisions of the Acts of Congress approved June 21, 1898 and June 20, 1910 and acts supplementary and amendatory thereto, has filed in this office selection lists for the following described lands:

List No. 7333, Serial No. 034967, NE4 NE4, Sec. 33 T. 24 S., SE4 NW4, NE4 SW4, Sec. 7 T. 25 S. R. 34 E., N. M. Mer. 120 acres.

Protests or contents against any or all of such selections may be filed in this office during the period of publication hereof, or at any time before final certificate.

EMMETT PATTON,
14-July-5 Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

019244-021037.
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., July 12, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that John W. Stewart, of Queen, N. M., who, on Aug. 3, 1909, made H. D. E. Serial No. 019244 for E4NE4, Sec. 19; and W4NW4, Sec. 20; and on Dec. 9, 1909 made additional H. D. E. Serial No. 021037 for W4SW4, Sec. 17; and E4SE4, Sec. 18, all in Township 26-S, Range 21-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before A. R. O'Quinn, Clerk of the Probate Court, in his office at Carlsbad, N. M., on Aug. 22, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: W. Randolph Shattuck, Joseph J. Plowman, William Magaby, Lee Middleton, all of Queen, N. M.
EMMETT PATTON,
July 21-Aug. 18, Register.

Department of the Interior.

United States Land Office.

Roswell, New Mexico, May 31, 1916

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, under the provisions of the Acts of Congress approved June 21, 1898 and June 20, 1910 and acts supplementary and amendatory thereto, has filed in this office selection lists for the following described lands:

List No. 7253 Serial No. 034848 NE1-4, SE1-4NW1-4, Sec. 18, Lots 3 & 4, SE1-4, E1-2SW1-4, Sec. 19, Tp. 23-S, Range 26 E, N. M. P. Mer. 518.89 acres.

List No. 7250 Serial No. 034841 SW1-4, Sec. 27, SE1-4, Sec. 28, NE1-4, W1-2 NW1-4, SE1-4NW1-4, Sec. 29, Tp. 26-S, Range 16-E, N. M. P. Mer., 600 acres.

List 7251 Serial No. 034842 S4, Sec. 29, Lots 1 & 2, N1-2NE1-4, Sec. 33, Lots 3 & 4, N1-2 NW1-4 Sec. 34, Tp. 26-S, Range 16-E, N. M. P. Mer., 605.78 acres.

Protest or contents against any or all of such selections may be filed in this office during the period of publication hereof, or at any time before final certificate.

EMMETT PATTON, Register.
7-July-5

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COUNTY NEWS ITEMS

Our readers will no doubt miss the items from Knowles this week which from some unknown cause failed to reach this office.

JAL ITEMS.

C. K. Auburg and wife returned from Nadine last week.

G. A. Smith and family visited the orchards at Barstow this week. They report fruit plentiful but not enough to meet the demands.

W. S. Speer and W. E. Lester went to Pyote the latter part of the week after freight for C. W. Justis.

Ed. Houston and family of Nadine were Jel visitors Saturday.

Mr. Johnson and family of Eunice visited at the home of Jno. A. Stewart Saturday and Sunday.

Max Vance went to Midland Tuesday to meet his mother who will spend the balance of the summer among us.

Mrs. Maud Weathersby left Tuesday for an extended visit to relatives at Midlothian, Texas.

The Christian meeting is progressing nicely. Revs. Auburg and Lindley are doing the preaching.

Jim Dublin and family and D. C. Coats made a flying trip to Midland this week.

W. T. Watkins and family visited with C. A. Dublin and family Sunday. Shelton Howe of Kermit is spending the week at the C. A. Dublin ranch.

B. C. Davis and Fred King of Eunice passed through Jal Saturday. They were returning from Pecos and were loaded with lumber for G. P. Crenshaw.

TILE TRAP FOR RABBITS.

An inexpensive and permanent sewer tile trap for cottontail rabbits which has proved very effective in Kansas, is described in Farmers' Bulletin 702, "Cottontail rabbits in relation to trees and farm crops." To make the trap, proceed as follows:

Set a 12 by 6 inch T sewer tile, with the long end downward, and bury it so that the 6-inch opening at the side is below the surface of the ground. Connect two lengths of 6-inch sewer pipe horizontally with the side opening. Second grade or even broken tile will do. Cover the joints with soil, so as to exclude light. Provide a tight removable cover, such as an old harrow disk, for the top of the large tile. The projecting end of the small tile is then surrounded with rocks, brush, or wood, so as to make the hole look inviting to rabbits and encourage them to frequent the den. Rabbits, of course, are free to go in or out of these dens, which should be constructed in promising spots on the farm and in the orchard. A trained dog will locate inhabited dens. The outlet is closed with a disk of wood on a stake, or the dog guards the opening. The cover is lifted and the rabbits captured by hand.

These traps are especially suitable for open lands and prairies where rabbits cannot find natural hiding places. They are permanent and cost nothing for repairs from year to year. If it is desired to poison rabbits the baits

CURRENT COMMENTS. By C. J. Blanchard, Statistician.

Our first visit to the Carlsbad project was in 1914, and my trip over the valley in an auto with Project Manager Foster left us very much discouraged at the outlook for the future. Pessimism might have overcome us but for the manager, who strenuously insisted that the project was alright and that the people would win out in the end. Secretary Lane's attitude of sympathy and his help in securing the 20-year extension, together with the subdivision of numerous large holdings, have resulted in bringing about a remarkable change in the mental attitude of the farmers and in the appearance of the project generally.

Whereas two years ago nearly every farmer whom we met wanted to talk about his troubles and voice his protest against the Service, today we found them proud to show their fine fields, good stocks, and new buildings. Two years ago the fields were remarkable chiefly for the absence of farmers and evidences of cultivation. This year the acreage in crop will be the largest in the history of the project. Good farming too, is shown in cleaner cultivation, diversified crops, and increased numbers of cattle and hogs.

With the Government photographer we were escorted over the project by Secretary Scott Etter, who had planned the trip in advance so well that no time was lost in making up a double reel film, which furnishes convincing evidence that this "Valley of Sunshine" is coming quickly into its own. Limited as we were in the amount of film exposed, it was difficult to choose objects and not offend some who were anxious to show their stock and crops. We found everybody enthusiastic and helpful. Carlsbad on a few hours' notice furnished a whopping parade and a big crowd at the mill pond, where Carlsbad youths disported themselves for the camera man.

We were most fortunate as to time and subjects. On the first day we filmed a bunch of yearling steers worth \$80,000. In one field we pictured 3,000 sheep awaiting the clipper. Harvest and haying scenes were numerous and attractive. All in all the material gathered here should prove of great value in convincing home-seekers that the Carlsbad project is worth looking over.

The visit, we feel sure, resulted in creating a better spirit between the people and the Service. For ourselves we frankly admit that we have changed our ideas about the project and are more than glad to get onto the boosters' wagon. Our trip was made possible by reason of the co-operation of the Carlsbad Chamber of Commerce and the Water Users' Association, and to both of these organizations we are under many obligations for courtesies and hospitality extended.

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may be placed inside these traps, out of the way of domestic animals or birds. This trap also furnishes an excellent means of obtaining rabbits for the table or even for market.

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APATHY GOVERNS POLITICAL WORLD

Committees Unable to Arouse
Interest in Campaign.

MAY OVERFLOW LATER ON.

Idea Prevails in Many Localities That It Doesn't Make Much Difference Who is Elected, as Both Parties, It is Assured, Have Nominated Good Men—Partisanship Lacking.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

New York, Aug. 8.—(Special.)—Can the campaign committees arouse a great public interest in this election? Will the people get worked up to a point where the selection of a president for the next four years is more important than anything else?

At present it would appear that no such public interest has been aroused. It looks as if it might be one of those campaigns where a lot of people do not care very much who wins. The idea seems to be that both parties have nominated good men and that it does not make much difference who is elected. No doubt the conditions will change very much when the committees get in good working order and the country is covered with spellbinders of the two parties who will tell the people all about the conditions which demand a change or the imperative situation which needs the same hands at the helm.

"General Apathy" in Command.

Old "General Apathy," a familiar figure in the mind's eye, a creation of newspaper men who did not have much to write about, seems to be in command just now. This old officer, the most prominent in many campaigns, has taken charge this year, but he won't remain in command all the time. Already there are numerous other "generals" working for a place in the limelight, and they ought to be able to drive this hoary old political man of straw into the background.

Partisanship Lacking.

After all, there is a lack of partisanship. There is no fierce party conflict. The differences between the parties are not so great as to cause much contention.

Even on the tariff the division is one of small degree and terms rather than of such diametrical disagreement as a few years ago. The Republicans are for protection, but they are not for such high rates as those of the three last tariff laws they passed. The Democrats are for a tariff for revenue, but for such duties as will prevent injury to American interests. The Republicans are no longer for the very highest protection nor the Democrats for free trade.

In other matters the differences are largely on methods, with an apparent desire to reach the same ends and benefit the whole country.

The Real Contest.

Then what is the real contest? you may ask. Well, the Democrats want to stay in and the Republicans want to get in. And, as a matter of fact, many a campaign is for that and little else. It is a fight for control, a world old fight and one which has been one of the healthy signs in a democratic government.

Under various names parties have struggled for control of governments. Sometimes there have been great issues involved, and the people by their votes have settled the important questions in dispute, but always and ever there has been a contest for control by the two great political divisions, composed of men who, for one reason or another, have aligned themselves with different parties.

Colonel House Consulted.

Although there has been very little said about Colonel E. M. House, he is a very important personage in the campaign. Colonel House is spending the summer up in New Hampshire, but quite often a confidential emissary of the Democratic national committee leaves New York and spends a day with the Texas colonel and returns with the views of that silent but powerful individual. Colonel House is the only man who possesses to the fullest degree the confidence of the president.

Will Co-operate.

Although the Republican senators appointed a committee to look after the election of senators in doubtful states, it is the intention of the committee to work almost entirely with the national organization. They intend to co-operate rather than conduct separate campaigns. After talking with Chairman Wilcox they concluded better results could be obtained in that way.

One of the Doubtful States.

West Virginia is one of the doubtful states. It has been Republican since 1860, save four years ago, when it went Democratic. This year there will be a battle for its electoral votes, not only because both parties want those votes, but also because a United States senator is to be elected.

An Assistant For Hughes.

L. H. Green of Washington was with Justice Hughes as his secretary and he is one of his valuable assistants during the campaign. Green was not in the line of politics while in Washington, but he is getting in line very fast this year.

SIR ROGER CASEMENT HANGS PUT TO DEATH IN LONDON PRISON FOR HIGH TREASON.

Sir Roger Casement paid the penalty for treason with his life. He was hanged in Pentonville prison, London. Ten minutes later his body was cut down after life was pronounced to be extinct. The Irish leader's last word were spoken fearlessly while he was on the scaffold while he waited for the drop to fall and were "I die for my country." Casement was attended by two priests. His relatives are Protestants.



LATE SIR ROGER CASEMENT.

tants, but he was a recent convert to the Roman Catholic church. While the execution was in progress thirty Irishmen knelt outside the prison and prayed for the repose of his soul. A large number of persons were before the prison, and when the bell tolled announcing the law's satisfaction there were a few cheers mixed with groans. Several Irish women standing at the rear of the prison, led by an Irish member of parliament, attempted a demonstration but were quickly hustled off the scene by guards.

Found Dead Before Mirror.

Seated before a mirror at her home in Paris, Tex., and the skull split between the eyes the corpse of Mrs. G. T. Saunders, wife of a wealthy retired business man, at the time in Colorado for his health, was found by a laundry driver, who had called for the washing. Her head was leaning back and a pool of blood had formed upon the floor. Mrs. Saunders had been in bad health for a long time. Burial was at Waco.

Cotton Value for 1915.

The total value of the country's commercial cotton crop, exclusive of the seed, for the year ending July 31, was \$755,500,560, compared with \$563,432,978 the previous year, according to the annual report of H. G. Hester, secretary of the New Orleans cotton exchange. Including the seed the total value of the year's crop was placed at \$958,200,000.

Falls Heir to Fortune.

William McGraw of Texarkana has received advice that he has fallen heir to a share of an estate left by an aunt in Detroit. Estate is valued at from \$20,000,000 to \$40,000,000. There are three heirs and each gets a third. Mr. McGraw, who is sixty-five years old, went to Detroit. He says he expects to invest a large part of his inheritance in Texarkana property.

Dead Man's Rank Raised.

By special act the senate gave rank of lieutenant colonel to M. C. Butler, killed at Alpine, Tex., by Harry J. Spannell in the double tragedy that also took Mrs. Spannell's life. The promotion from major was declared effective as of July 1. This means Butler's widow will get the larger pension that accompanies the higher rank.

Get Much Booty.

Three automobile bandits held up pay clerks at Detroit entering plant of the Burroughs Adding Machine company and after shooting one clerk escaped with bags said to have contained \$31,000. Other employees gave chase in an automobile and a running fight ensued. The bandits, armed with rifles, got away.

Large Flour Order.

A Philadelphia firm has received an order from the entente allies for one million barrels of flour. A large part of the order will be milled in South Dakota and Minneapolis, it is said.

Jealous of Baby Sister.

Raymond and Geneva Holland, aged eight and eleven years respectively, displeased at the arrival of a baby sister, ran away from the Chicago residence. Police went after them.

"Moonshine" Whisky Seized.

Three men are held for the federal grand jury at Durant, Okla., and 1,500 gallons of "moonshine" whisky were seized in two raids by Special Officer T. E. Brents and three deputies on stills at Swink and Fort Towson.

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SUBMISSION MAJORITY 1,784.

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SENDING IN RETURNS.

When the official total vote of the recent Texas Democratic primary election was cast up Sunday at Houston by Charles J. Kirk, secretary of the state Democratic executive committee, submission was leading by but 1,150 votes. To that lead was added 630 submission majority from Bastrop, Fannin, Gaines, Menard, Shackelford and Upton counties, which failed to send in official returns. This gives a net majority for submission of 1,784.

Patient Beating Charged.

An affidavit on information and belief charging Miss E. Dobbins, nurse at the Dallas city hospital, with aggravated assault upon Catherine Ellis, a child patient, suffering with typhoid fever, was made before County Attorney Lively by Miss Elizabeth Baker of the humane society and the charge filed in criminal court No. 2. Miss Dobbins denied the charge. The charge stated the child, eight years of age, was crying and that the nurse told a fourteen-year-old girl to go in and slap her, and that later the nurse herself hit the child. Several witnesses were listed on the complaint. Miss Dobbins was exonerated.

Army Hospital on Wheels.

The first United States army hospital on wheels is under contract, to be built at Pullman, the Chicago suburb. The hospital will be a ten-car train, converted Pullmans, which will bear the insignia of the United States army medical division. By the terms of the

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agreement the government is "to rent the cars with the privilege of purchase at any time. The train will be ready for use in about ten days, it has been announced.

SPECIAL

Excursion



Account Republican Nominating Convention at Santa Fe August 23d, round trip tickets to that point will be on sale for one and one-third fare, or \$28.47, on August 21st, 22nd, 23rd with final return limit of August 25th. ROUND TRIP SUMMER TOURIST. Los Angeles, San Diego, San Francisco, Cal. \$58.30

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VAIN PEACE TALK.

Albuquerque Journal.

The thought of the world is turning to the question of how the great war is to end and what shall be the terms upon which peace may be finally established.

For more than six months, Germany was frankly for peace, but up on Germany's terms and with German prestige at its apex. With that apex passed, and the power of the Teutons waning, Germany doubtless still would like for peace to come as quickly as possible and not entirely upon her own terms. She would be more than willing for the war to end with the restoration of territorial boundaries as they were before the struggle began.

But the allies have different ideas of the conditions upon which peace shall be restored. Russia wants, and means to have, Constantinople, and control of the Dardanelles. To accomplish that dream of centuries, Russia is making such gigantic efforts as history never had witnessed. She has armed her inexhaustible hordes at last, and her commanders are pouring out the blood of her soldiers with terrible profusion. Russia will not be content with small gains. Her own preservation merely is not her aim. She is fighting for the vast consummation of her destiny.

Alsace and Lorraine is the demand of France and assurance that she shall remain a great power and a great people. Italy insists upon Italia Irredenta—unredeemed Italy—being restored to her by the Austrians.

England, like Germany, is fighting for her existence. Supremacy of the seas must be maintained by her, or she is bound to become a second-rate power like Portugal, even her independent government dependent upon the will of other powers. England will insist upon Belgium being restored, upon the self-government of Serbia, probably as a dependency of Russia, and upon retention of the territory conquered in Africa from Germany. She may demand the destruction of German sea power and the dismantling of Germany's great munition factories.

So far as we judge at this time, peace is not yet in the air. It is not likely to come until the great powers, deprived of imports, forbidden exports, financially pressed, and on short food rations, holds her conquests in France

and Belgium, and is only yielding in Russia, inch by inch, and forcing the czar to pay a staggering price for every foot of territory regained.

If Germany is to be defeated, the German armies must be defeated and broken to pieces, and the pieces must be destroyed beyond the power of successful reorganization. The capture by the Russians of Lemburg and Kovel, of Egnigsburg and Posen, of Berlin itself, would matter little if the Germans were able to maintain a powerful army in the field. Only when the confederate armies were destroyed was the south conquered. Only when the kaiser's armies are destroyed can the allies impose their peace upon Germany. The kaiser's armies can be destroyed if the allies are willing to pay the price.

Should peace come tomorrow, in the name of humanity and Christianity, it would last just long enough for the belligerents to make the preparations necessary for a still greater struggle. It must be a real peace, or all the blood shed will have been shed in vain.

On account of much trouble at the lower dam of the P. U. Co. no power was available yesterday or today to run linotype or presses and we are having some strenuous time getting the paper out. One man worked all night the power being available during the night but the work on the water wheel, which was jammed full of trash and mud required daylight to clean hence no power in daylight.

W. A. Moore received a message Monday that Mrs. H. Wells, his wife's mother, died Monday at Denver. Mrs. Moore and daughter were in Denver, being called there two weeks ago. Mrs. Wells was here two years ago this fall and spent the winter. She died from a paralytic stroke. She came out here after the first stroke and after she returned, had a second one, then a third, for about two years she has been an invalid and for some time could not speak. She died Monday after four distinct attacks. Mrs. Moore and two other sisters were with her when the end came. The Current joins the many friends of Mrs. Moore in offering condolence.

Miss Flossie Roberts came in Sunday afternoon and is spending the week with Miss Gladys Bush and Mrs. Bob Hamblein.

ALFALFA SEED YIELD.

In the valley and around Loving the alfalfa has produced a big yield of seed. Mr. Arthur near Loving, threshed from two acres of choice alfalfa, 2,000 pounds of seed; from the ten acres 42,000 pounds, about 700 pounds to the acre.

R. R. Archer of the Albuquerque Journal came in today and is meeting with good success in placing that live paper in the hands of all who want to know about their state.

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Mr. Rossen has been threshing his seed this week and got a yield of 350 pounds to the acre. The seed has been bringing 16 cts at the machine. The acreage of cotton in and around Loving is more than usual and is looking fine. Work on the flour mill is progressing rapidly and they expect to be milling by the first of October.

The cotton gin at Otis, is nearing completion. Mr. Little has the road from here to Cass drain in good shape once more and it will soon be passable all the way to Malaga. The crossing on Dark Canyon has been repaired.

Miss Elizabeth Garrett will be here tomorrow night and will sing between reels for her Carlsbad friends.

BIG LOVINGTON CELEBRATION

The big Celebration Picnic-Barbecue which has become an annual affair at Lovington will be pulled off this year on August 24, 25, and 26. Sim Eaves was in town Tuesday and was contracting for several thousand loaves of bread and other provender to use with the barbecue.

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Mrs. Ben Kuykendall and little son Loran left with her brother Walter Coffey and family for Hot Center Saturday and were at the end of their destination Sunday evening.

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LOST—\$200.00 REWARD.

Chas. L. Moore, U. S. Surveyor in Forest Service.

Disappeared July 5, 1916, from camp near Fraser, Colorado. Careful search has resulted in no clue, and it is believed he has wandered out of that district. Height, 5 ft. 10 in.; weight 135 pounds; light brown hair, large blue eyes, high forehead, fair complexion; age 20 years. Wore khaki pants; gray shirt, heavy tan shoes, gray Stetson military hat. Had folding hatchet at belt. Corner of right thumb cut off. Wore glasses.

The sum of \$200.00 is on deposit at The Hamilton National Bank, Denver, and will be paid for his recovery, dead or alive.

C. W. MOORE.
Holbrook, Arizona.

Address—Box 141.

The lost boy will be remembered by many of the young folks as Charley, brother of Miss Susie Moore for several years the deputy in the post office. The Moore family lived here for several years and it is thought that if deranged from sickness he might come back to Carlsbad.

Mr. and Mrs. Dupre who have been at the Mansion House for the few weeks past have gone to Hope and will be located at the Prue ranch.

Mrs. Will Ed. Carter returned from her father's ranch Saturday. She says that Thelma's arm is doing nicely.

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TOWN TRUSTEES MEET.

Minutes of the regular meeting of the trustees of the town of Carlsbad, Aug., 8th, 1916.

On motion of W. A. Poore and seconded by Julian Smith, F. G. Snow was made recorder pro tem.

Present on roll call: Mayor, D. G. Grantham, Trustees Milton Smith, Julian Smith, W. A. Poore, and F. G. Snow, and J. E. Laverty, treasurer. Moved by W. A. Poore and seconded by Milton Smith, that the minutes of call meeting of July, 24th 1916 be approved.

The resignation of Jos. C. Bunch was read and on motion of W. A. Poore and seconded by Julian Smith and voted upon by trustees was accepted. Applications for the office of

ADVERTISING RATE CARD.

The Current will accept advertising from responsible parties payable on 1st of month following the appearance of the ad, at the following rates: Plates, cuts or electype with dealers name to be set, ad. to take run of paper, for not less than four weeks, and no preferred position, per inch of column, 12 1/2c.

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recorder were put before the trustees as follows: Arthur J. Linn, Howard Prater, Wm. Hannah, Jno. W. Wells, Francis H. Ryan, and L. E. Hyatt. Jno. Wells was elected recorder for the unexpired term of J. C. Bunch, resigned.

On motion of F. G. Snow and seconded by W. A. Poore, the report of Mayor Grantham of the receipts of street carnival be spread upon the minutes of this meeting. Motion carried.

On motion of A. Poore and seconded by Julian Smith, that Mayor Grantham turn the receipts \$125.30 of carnival fund over to F. G. Snow as a charity fund to be paid out per order of trustees. Motion carried.

Moved by W. A. Poore and seconded by Milton Smith that the minutes of all meetings be published, provided

there is no cost. Motion carried.

It was moved by Julian Smith and seconded by M. R. Smith, that action of trustee Snow and Poore in the filing of complaints against Joe C. Bunch with the information they had on hand and with advice of District Attorney K. K. Scott, be approved by the entire council. Motion carried.

Council adjourned until Thursday night, August 10, 1916, at 7:30 o'clock.

D. G. GRANTHAM,

Mayor.

JNO. V. WELLS, Recorder.

HARRY WOODMAN

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CARLSBAD LOCAL ITEMS

Snooks Gordon was down from the ranch on business, Wednesday.

J. S. Eaves came in from Lovington Wednesday and was registered at the Baies.

G. H. Cowden of Midland came in Wednesday by auto and will be here a few days.

A. C. Kenath, of Artesia, who was appointed jury commissioner, was here yesterday.

Miss Pratt returned Monday night from an extended visit to the Pacific coast and Victoria.

M. E. Sewalt came in from the plains country Tuesday and spent Wednesday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Farrell and Ruth came in from the ranch Tuesday. They left the auto home this time for a change.

The iron ware house of Joyce Pruitt Co., has taken another spread and all the hay and salt is being stored elsewhere.

Mrs. Jack Heard of Knowles, spent a week in Carlsbad visiting friends and relatives and returned home yesterday.

Carl Smith and sister and Miss Minnie Jones joined a picnic crowd to the Tom Gray ranch, going and returning Sunday.

C. C. Sikes this week sold two Fords one to John Plowman and another to a Malaga party whose name we did not learn.

J. T. Miller, claim agent for the Santa Fe, was here Thursday, settling up with those hurt on the train at Lakewood.

J. W. Gamel head man with Joyce Pruitt Co., returned from eastern markets Monday, looking well for so long a trip.

Will Killgore on Rocky is bringing some fine melons to town now, they are uniform in size and color and look like good eating.

Dan Lucas, wife, Fred, and Mrs. Nellie Gray and little daughter came in Saturday from the ranch and will be here this week.

J. Irvin Penny, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Penny arrived Wednesday from Kansas City, this is his first visit here for five years.

C. N. Jones and Lige Merchant made a flying trip up the valley going as far as the ranch where Mr. Jones has the cattle, and back, Saturday.

Harry McKim, one of the proprietors of the Sweet Shop paid parents at Roswell a visit, going up Sunday and returning the first of the week.

Wilks Glascock, wife and babies, were in from the Last Chance ranch Wednesday. He reports a big rise on Last Chance and everything full of nature.

Mrs. Chas. Ward and little son, also Miss Carrie Harrison left for Black river Sunday. Mrs. Ward will visit her parents, Will Simmons and family for a few weeks.

Mrs. Buford Polk and girls motored to the lower valley Sunday and enjoyed dinner with Mrs. Charley Ward. She and the children returned to town in the afternoon.

Paul Ares and wife came down on Saturday. Mr. Ares needed a piece for his car and had to wait a few days for it to come. He is well pleased with the fine rain.

Mrs. E. C. Brown and daughter are down from Artesia to attend the Pecos Valley Baptist Association which began last night. She is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Leck.

Miles Stone says the rain at his place was the best rain they have had for ten years. Big lakes of water everywhere, and two or three miles of fence had been washed away.

T. C. Horne, the popular owner of Horne's Best Store, returned Friday afternoon from the eastern markets, and has been busy ever since arranging his new stock of goods.

Clinton Ezell came in from Amarillo yesterday afternoon and finding the Pecos train was getting out for Pecos the first time since Monday, he rushed around and got out on the train.

Miss Mildred Walter returned from her visit at Oriental, Friday. She enjoyed her stay and seemed to have some influence with the weather clerk as a good rain fell there, it was much needed.

Mrs. Fannie Baird and daughters, Miss Fannie Mae and Helen Lee, left Wednesday night for a vacation. Mrs. Baird and Helen Lee will visit Mrs. Baird's sister in Goodnight, Tex., for a few weeks, and Miss Fannie Mae will stop in Clovis with her sister, Mrs. John Stephens.

Misses Mabel and Zada Mudgett returned last Friday evening from a very pleasant visit with friends in Barstow, Texas, and attended camp meeting in the Fort Davis Mountains where they met many old friends and had a very social time.

County Agriculturist Knorr came in from Artesia Friday afternoon. Mr. Knorr was just returning from a trip to Denver, Colo., where he attended the Tri-State conference of county agents and extension workers, from Colorado, New Mexico and Wyoming, and looked up the lamb feeding proposition. While away he was in Colorado Springs, Denver, Fort Collins, Longmont and Greeley.

Ross Middleton, wife and Johnnie Clark, a brother of Mrs. Ross Middleton, who have been in town for the past two months or six weeks looking after their horses they have been pasturing below Otis, left for their ranch in Dog Canyon Saturday. Their tank was full and range fine.

Mrs. Finlay who has been quite ill for some time was carried to the hospital and will be operated on as soon as she is in a condition. They fired her son Robert, at the border, and he is expected to come on the first train.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wallace and wife left El Reno, Okla., Wednesday and are to be here soon. Mrs. Wallace is a sister of Miss Atchison at Peoples. She has been in Oklahoma for some time and seems to be feeling real well.

Tom C. Johnson who has been with the Carlsbad Lumber Co. for some time past, left on the first train north this week to join his wife and grandchildren at Poplar Bluff, Mo. He thinks he will be gone a month. Mrs. Johnson has been away since June.

Julian Smith, wife and three daughters, Misses Ethel, Nettie and Hattie returned from an auto trip to Colorado, where Mr. Smith's relatives reside. They were gone about a month leaving here before the 4th of July. They express themselves as having a splendid trip, the roads good, and the weather fine.

Mrs. Milton Smith returned Sunday from the Pacific coast where she spent five weeks with her friend Mrs. Arenbeck. They were guests of that lady's sister and mother while in Los Angeles. This is not her first trip to the coast by any means, and she enjoyed a rest trip more than anything else.

Chas. W. Barrett and family from Coos Bay, Oregon, were delayed here from Monday until Wednesday night as there was no train out, they are expecting to locate in Roswell, but in case they do not like it there they became well acquainted with Carlsbad and will return here.

Mrs. Bob C. Lucas and Dona Bess are in Jackson, Miss., visiting Mrs. Lucas parents. Mrs. Lucas is talking of leaving Dona Bess in Jackson to attend school. We are not exactly pleased that she is being left so far from home as we are sure she is needed right here in Carlsbad.

Joe Wertheim one of the managers of the Boston Store is leaving Sunday by auto for Wagon Mound, where he joins his wife who is visiting her parents and will attend the wedding of his younger brother, who will be married to his wife's sister on the 16th. Mrs. Wertheim will return with her husband and they will make their home in Carlsbad.

The mountain cattle men were busy last Saturday and Sunday in the alfalfa belt getting their cattle started for home. Richard Smith and Charley Ward were looking after their cows and calves. The heavy rain must have caught them somewhere Monday, but as they were only taking them as far as the Ward ranch and Mosley, they may have gotten near enough home to turn them loose.

WATER BOUND.

Mrs. Bill Ward and son, Shafter, were out at the John Cantrel ranch when the rain began in earnest. Shafter was going on to the ranch and Mrs. Ward was coming back to town. All the draws around the ranch were full of water the chickens swimming and getting on bushes to keep from floating with the tide. Mrs. Ward says she has lived here 31 years and this is the first time she was ever water bound all day. She did not get to town until Wednesday and said it was hard traveling. Mr. Cantrel is well pleased with the rain if it did float the water troughs around and beat things up in general. The big cistern was full, and still Mrs. Cantrel looked pleasant.

TOMMIE REEVES HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reeves and the boys, Roy and Tommie Jr., came in Monday from an extended trip through Oklahoma and Texas. A they came through Amarillo they spent a week with Mrs. Reeves' sisters, Mesdames Atkins and Graham. Mr. Reeves is thinking of going into the cattle business and is looking for a suitable location.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Bob Hamblin and wife celebrated their ninth wedding anniversary on Tuesday with a chicken dinner and other good things that go with it. His mother and sister and a few friends were present.

SUNDAY DINNER.

Mrs. Annie Moore and children, Jewell, Willis and Louise Moore, also Misses Elsie Wallis and Hattie Eaker, were guests at the C. N. Jones home west of town. They enjoyed a day of perfect rest, a chicken and vegetable dinner and all kinds of fine melons. The children took a plunge and wade in the canal and talk yet of the fine melons.

John Zimmerman, of the post office force is enjoying his vacation this week. He is having a good season to fish, some very large ones having been caught during the week, on which weighed thirty-four pounds.

Mrs. Will Snodgrass and two children, from Midland and Mrs. Pike, of Big Springs, Texas, came in yesterday by auto and will visit their sister, Mrs. Jack Love, on the ranch. They report things very dry over their way and very little rain at Hobbs.

Mother Campbell is in from Rocky this week. She said they came in a buggy as the roads and crossings were so badly washed they had to pick their way.

The residence on the former Bittling home place is nearing completion under the skillful hands of Contractor Hamilton. It is very neat and attractive and will be an ornament to that section of the city.

The residence that U. S. Hamilton is building for Lester Meyers, family is beginning to show up and they expect to move in the first of September.

The new addition to the Mexican school house is progressing and will probably be occupied by the first of September.

D. Jernigan leaves Hope the last of this week to take Mrs. Jernigan's mother, Mrs. George Watts, to her home in Sweetwater, Texas. Mrs. Watts has been visiting her daughter at the ranch home for some time. They have brought the little son who was so ill here, to Hope, where he is still very sick. The two older children Willie and Orle will accompany their father to Sweetwater.

Mr. H. J. Durst has been up at Hagerman to meet his wife and Paul and spend a few days with Mrs. Durst's brother, Roy Warley. They were returning home on the train last Monday night when it slipped from the rails, the engine and tender left the track. The train was the other side of Lakewood, and high water had undermined the track and the weight of the train caused it to give way, shaking and jarring up every one on the train. Mr. Durst's cheek was badly bruised and bled for some time. Paul was asleep, and Mrs. Durst managed to keep him from getting hurt, she braced herself against the arm of the seat and kept her hand on Paul, to keep him quiet. They did not get home until Tuesday night.

Miss Sue Alley who has been here with her sister Mrs. Shannon, for a few weeks, returned to her home in Pecos, Monday morning.

NOTARY PUBLIC at the Current office. Do your swearing at the Current office. Notary always in.

Toucky as an old burro.

J. R. Means and John Plowman motored to the Uncle Bob Harden ranch last Saturday in the new Ford. Mr. Means said the new Ford was as touchy as old Bob the burro was when he tried to show the boys how to ride him. He said a new hand had better take lessons for he just tried a few new fangled breaks and accidentally struck the gas feeder when she shot out of the road and climbed a few hills and headed for the wire fence. When John Plowman laid a knowing hand on the throttle and she stopped right now. Mr. Means and one of the visiting nephews Clarence Means left here Tuesday afternoon in the new Ford for Bear Springs. Two cars left for Hope at the same time, Hugh Gage and others.

W. W. Means, the brother of J. R. Means from Ardmore, Okla., and two of the boys came down from Hope Saturday and visited at the Jno. Plowman home. Mr. Means and one son returned to Hope Sunday afternoon and with his wife and sons left for Bear Springs ranch Monday where they will visit for a few weeks.

Candy sale in our north window—Sweet Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lucas and Miss Gladys Bush returned Monday from a trip to El Paso and Palomares Hot Springs. They did not see David while they were out there, as company B. had moved from Columbus to Hichita. Mrs. George Lucas is with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Patchin. They have purchased them a home in El Paso and are very pleasantly situated. Mr. Patchin is mail clerk from El Paso to Tucson, Ariz.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Graham and daughter Bernice, also Mrs. J. E. Atkinson and little son, J. E. Jr., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sprong. They came in from Amarillo Monday afternoon on same train with Mr. and Mrs. Reeves.

Lewis Means, wife and baby boy Beauchamp are going from their home on Dark Canyon this week, to Bear Springs ranch where they will join the reunion of the family and spend a few days pleasantly and socially with Daddy and Mother Means.

The Mansion House like a few other good houses in dry weather, showed it needed a new roof during the big rain Monday, and is getting it alright, as a force of men have been at work all week.

Mrs. Willard Bates and the girls are at Panama ranch, coming from Mayhill talk week where they had a nice visit.

Morning Bridge.

Miss Mona Heard was hostess to the Thursday morning bridge at her lovely home, three tables playing, Miss Bettie Rule capturing the prize, a lovely sandwich basket. After the game a splendid luncheon was served. The guests were Miss Florence Owen, Mildred Cooke, Margaret Roberts, Myrtle Harkey, Josephine Tracy, Bettie Rule, Ida, Margaret and Elizabeth Breeding, Dorothy McIntosh, Marie Simons, Jim Penny, Miss Heard's guest Mrs. Richardson and Mrs. Christian.

Candy sale in our north window—Sweet Shop.

Russell Richie will accompany Mr. Wertheim as far as Santa Rosa and will go from there to Tucumcari for a visit.

Mr. Butcher and daughter Miss Ova Butcher came in from their ranch on Monday, and have been here this week Ova is the guest of Nettie Mae Kindel.

Mrs. Shannon who has been very ill for some weeks is leaving soon for an extended visit with Mr. Shannon's mother near Jacksonville, Ill. Mrs. Clyde Brainard will accompany her as far as Kansas City, where she will be for some time on professional business until the first of September. Mrs. Shannon is much improved and she hopes to be entirely recovered when she returns.

The seven year old nephew of Mrs. Durst, Herman Worley, at Caddo, Okla., died of typhoid fever at his home last week.

BIG FISH.

Mr. Renick, Mr. and Mrs. Hatfield and Miss Inez, have another big fish story to tell. If any one ever brings in big fish Messrs. Hatfield and Renick understand the art. While out Saturday night they landed a 20 pound cat fish and three or four weighing six and eight pounds. The question is what do they do with so much fine fish.

Will Smith and wife have been at his father's, Sam B. Smith, since the rain Monday. Will came in for supplies for the ranch and decided to stay in town until the rain was over. Then he staid another day to watch the water go down.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart and the two girls were guests at the Kindel home Wednesday night where they enjoyed eating some of the finest melons one has eaten this season.

Mrs. N. S. Patrick and Mrs. M. E. White both of Roswell, were laid over here a few days waiting for the track to be repaired. They were enroute to El Paso.

Misses Roberta and Janetta Henderson and brothers Tom and Clyde Henderson, of Malaga, were in town yesterday. Miss Janetta has taught in El Paso schools for the past three years and is expecting to return there again this fall. Miss Roberta said the road from here to Malaga was almost impassable, for there was water every where and no way to get around it. You had your choice of going through or staying at home.

Albert Johnson and daughter, Miss Edna, were in yesterday from their home on Black River, they were accompanied by Mrs. Jim Johnson and daughter, Mrs. Burton, who will spend a few weeks visiting and resting.

Rev. Lowry and wife and daughter, Miss Jessie, also Miss Grace Cooke, left yesterday for the White Mountains, where they will take a cottage near the White Mountain Inn and enjoy the study and the climate. This outing in the mountains sounded much more inviting last week, but since we have had a fine rain and everything thoroughly cooled, one can bear the idea of staying in the valley.

Owing to the absence of Rev. Lowry and family from town over Sunday worship at the Presbyterian church will be omitted morning and evening.

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SWEET SHOP

Father Cuthbert Kait O. F. M. who has been here for a year having the missions on the northern portion of the county was transferred to Gallup where his brother Father Robert has been for the past seven years. The growth of the missions at Gallup has been considerable for the past few years necessitating more help to do the work among the native people.

E. W. Olston, wife and daughter came in the first of the week and were going to visit El Paso and the Elephant Butte Dam, but the heavy rain that fell here gave them another notion, so they will return home and try it again when then roads dry up.

Mrs. Inez Hatfield will visit her friend Alline Baker on the ranch out from Lakewood. A number of social events are planned in her honor, among them a house party at Miss Flora Hogg's home.

Mrs. V. O. McCollam is leaving today for a visit in Roswell and from there she will go to El Paso and Dallas.

George Pendleton was waterbound at the J. D. Forehand ranch from Monday until yesterday. George said they could do very little but watch it rain, and the fences and water gaps go floating down the river, that the water came up in to the house about a foot, the fish got so brave they were left on the banks of the stream when the water receded. He was sure he grew three inches a day while the rain lasted, not any heavy damage was done, the auto crossing was washed out and some fence will have to be rebuilt, but no one complained.

C. C. Wainwright, of Altus, Okla., his son in law, Jim Gentry, and two friends, Alton Holdridge and Will Powell, came Saturday and are visiting J. D. Bailey on Black River. C. C. Wainwright is Mrs. Bailey's father and this is his first visit on Black river.

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The Carlsbad Bakery

Under the ownership and management of J. F. McClure has been renovated and the scrupulous cleanliness of the former owner, Mrs. Beers has been followed. The public is cordially invited to call during any time of the day and take a look at the bakery and hear the parrot talk.

Bread will be delivered from 8:30 to 9:30 mornings to people who desire to have fresh bread from the bakery.

J. F. McCLURE, Prop.

CONFERENCE AT FORT COLLINS, COLORADO VERY INTERESTING.

From Farmer's Exchange Bulletin.

The county agent has just returned from a conference at Fort Collins, Colorado. In attendance at this conference were all of the county agents from New Mexico, Colorado and Wyoming; extension workers of the three states; and a few from the Washington office and visitors from other states.

The object of the conference was to discuss extension work in general and to receive information that would better enable the county agent to carry on his work in his particular county. At the conference there were about 35 county agents. Each agent thought that he had the best county to work in and that his problems were the most difficult to solve and that in order to overcome certain outstanding difficulties it is up to the farmers of that section to work together to bring about a satisfactory adjustment of affairs. Cooperation and organization of the farmers and business men were found to be absolutely essential in order that effective work might be done by the county agent.

Several sections were visited on this trip. Farmers in different states and counties were met and asked questions about their particular section. There were prosperous farmers to be found everywhere and also the "knocker." The general prosperity of a section increased as the number of "knockers" decreased. Often a farmer fails to appreciate the section he is living in until after he has moved to some other locality. It is an easy matter to change from a dissatisfied to a satisfied person if that individual can appreciate the fact that every locality has its problems that must be overcome by the farmer no matter where he goes. Should you have difficulties in your section it is easier to overcome them than it is to move to a section and run up against new difficulties. "Get acquainted with your neighbor, you may like him." Go in for anything that is for the upbuilding of your community. Boost for good roads, better schools, a better social life and better homes on the farm. To do these things you must be content and willing to be a permanent satisfied farmer.

WHY THE SILO.

From Farmer's Exchange Bulletin.

In Colorado the farmers have silos and raise alfalfa hay that is worth from \$5 to \$7 a ton in the stack. It is a question as to just how valuable silage is in the presence of cheap alfalfa. Up there they claim that it is valuable because it furnishes a succulent feed in the winter and keeps the animals in a better condition than just the dry hay does.

If the silo is considered an essential under the conditions mentioned above there is even a greater necessity for the silo in the Pecos Valley. With hay selling at present at \$16.00 per ton and with such a large acreage devoted to seed production there is going to be a scarcity of feed during the coming winter. We all know the value of silage and the cost of building a silo. We know the vast waste there is in corn fodder if not put in the silo. The silo will be a most valuable asset this year. There is plenty of time to build one if you will start NOW.

CASE OF HOG CHOLERA REPORTED.

From Farmer's Exchange Bulletin.

This is to advise the farmers that a case of cholera was found in the county and it is up each and every one to do his part in preventing the spread of the disease. Hog raising is bound to become one of our most important industries. There is no disease that will check the development of this industry like cholera.

Sanitation is the first preventative. Keep your hog lots clean. If there is a wall on your place other than a clean concrete one it should be filled up with dirt and abandoned.

The wallow is a breeding ground for the germ. Feed your hogs a laxative feed and keep them in a good healthy condition.

If your hogs are sickly and not doing well or should one die for some unknown reason, call the county agent or a veterinarian. The one case of cholera that exists now is well under control so there is no great danger of the disease spreading. If you will notify the above parties at once there is no need for the disease to spread.

From Farmer's Exchange Bulletin.

ANOTHER WAY TO GROW SMALL GRAINS.

Mr. Harry Carder, a farmer at Artesia, tried out a method of growing oats last year with some degree of success. His method was to plant the seed in alfalfa. After he removed the last cutting of hay he thoroughly disced the alfalfa and drilled in the oats.

FARMERS SELL ON A BUSINESS BASIS

Advantages of Co-operation Pointed Out by Government.

BIG AID TO PRODUCERS

Volume of Business Handled in 1915 by Co-operative Marketing Associations Was \$1,400,000,000—Great Progress Has Been Made, but There is Room For Further Improvements.

The advantages of co-operation in the sale of farm products are emphasized in the annual report of the office of markets and rural organization of the department of agriculture, just published.

"The conclusion seems warranted," says the report, "that in communities where co-operation is practically applied to the farmers' business the results obtained are far more satisfactory than those secured by individual methods."

It is estimated that farmers' co-operative marketing and purchasing organizations transacted in 1915 a total business amounting to more than \$1,400,000,000. Agricultural co-operation in the United States is therefore far more prevalent than is generally believed, but it is not yet on a sufficiently strong business basis.

For this reason the office of markets has studied the various methods employed by these associations and has worked to devise means by which these methods can be perfected. The studies also have included the prevailing methods of marketing perishable products, cotton, grain, cotton seed, live stock and animal products.

Seeking Direct Outlets.

Studies have been also made of city markets in order to secure information which may open up outlets for farm products. In this connection the report calls attention to the experimental work in distributing timely market information concerning perishable products.

An effort has been made to keep producers informed of arrivals and conditions in the large markets and on the other hand to keep dealers informed of shipments from the important production sections. Strawberries, peaches, tomatoes and cantaloupes were the crops covered in this way during the past season. Glutted markets have been prevented to some extent, total shipments have been greater, and largedness of growers have received accurate information concerning conditions in competing producing areas and distant markets.

The work of encouraging the proper preparation of products for market has been continued. Investigation into problems of transportation and storage has been continued to determine the cause of the great loss of foodstuffs between producer and consumer.

Experimental shipments by parcel post and express were made during the year with many kinds of fruits and berries, lettuce, milk, butter, eggs, sirup and vegetables. In nearly every case it was found that the success of the shipment depended on the judgment used in selecting the quality of the product and the type of container.

When you see Nelson think of Clothes. When you see Clothes think of Nelson.

SUGAR BEET PRODUCTION.

From Farmer's Exchange Bulletin.

A recent trip to Colorado with opportunities to visit the farming districts in different parts of the state brought to bear upon the mind of the writer the vast proportions that the sugar beet industry has attained in that State. The new industry is expanding and extending into new fields and factories are being built as rapidly as possible.

This brings to mind that at one time the beet was a familiar crop on the Carlsbad project and that a factory was operated in Carlsbad. In Colorado the sugar beet is considered a valuable crop because it is a cash crop and fits well into a crop rotation.

Some experimental work is being done in the Mesilla Valley of this state to ascertain whether or not the sugar beet can be grown satisfactorily and if so in all probability a factory will be built at Las Cruces or some central point in the valley. It is questionable whether or not there could be sufficient acreage devoted to sugar beets on the Carlsbad project to warrant the building of a factory, but it is beyond a question of a doubt that there could be sufficient acreage in the entire Pecos Valley to maintain a factory at some central point. The farmers and various Commercial Clubs in this and Chaves county ought to look into this matter.

In addition to this field Mr. Carder had oats in land that was plowed, etc. The oats have not been threshed as yet but he is certain that the oats in the alfalfa are the best. He had excellent pasture during the winter and the oat crop did not interfere materially with the making of hay. The disking of the alfalfa ground tended to stimulate the alfalfa rather than injure it in any way. As soon as his crop is threshed some definite figures will be obtained. Try it out on a small piece of alfalfa.

UTILIZE THE GARDEN.

From Farmer's Exchange Bulletin.

Our housewives are familiar with the fact that fruits furnish us with mineral matter and laxative acids in forms of great use to the body, while the chief food value is in the sugar contained. Vegetables, some high and some low in food value, contain important mineral matter. This year when fruit is scarce it is all the more important that the garden products be made use of and canned for winter use. Home canned products are as a general rule superior to goods canned commercially with the possible exception of the most expensive factory brands. In buying cheaper goods one is risking unclean methods, poor quality, preservatives, or the substitution of saccharine for sugar in the case of fruits.

The two most favored methods for home canning are: first where the material is cooked before putting into the can; and, secondly, where the materials are cooked in hot water after being placed in the can. A third method, that of cooking by steam pressure, reduces the time but requires more or less expensive equipment.

Cooking the material before it is put into the can is good for such fruits as berries. It is a quick method when only small quantities are to be handled. The disadvantages are that it is harder to pack the hot materials without breaking the jar and difficult to exclude the bacteria from the air during the process of packing. In canning fruit, cooking should continue gently for half an hour, using as little water as possible. No sugar is necessary to keep the fruit but the addition of one-half cup to a pound of fruit improves the flavor. No vegetables, with the possible exception of tomatoes, are satisfactorily handled by this method.

To cook material after it is put in the can, be sure that it is packed tightly. For fruits pour in hot water with sugar dissolved in it—one half cup to a quart can. Screw the covers on loosely and put the cans in the boiler, providing a rack to keep them off at the bottom. Surround with warm water. Cover the boiler closely and bring water to the boiling point. Boil fruits for an hour and pour more liquid into the cans if necessary. Cook vegetables two hours, or even three for peas and string beans. Remove the cans and tighten the covers.

General Directions.

Carefully clean and sterilize by boiling in water all utensils to be used, including covers and rubber rings. Wash fruits or vegetables and pick them over, cutting out all bad portions. Be sure the cooking apparatus is in working order so that the proper heat can be maintained. If the cans are to be filled with hot material place them in a pan holding at least one inch of water. Pack all jars tightly, remembering that economy of space is economy of money.

Blanch vegetables as beans and corn before canning by plunging them into boiling and then cold water for one minute each. This sets the color and juices.

The secret of canning fruits and vegetables so they will keep lies in the killing of all bacteria present and allowing no more to enter the jars.

MRS. J. W. KNORR.

DATES FOR ARTESIA FAIR SEPTEMBER 13-14-15.

From Farmer's Exchange Bulletin.

What is a County Fair? A County Fair is an exhibit, a competitive exhibit of agricultural products. The success of the fair would depend upon the competition that was manifested. To create competition a number of exhibitors are necessary. In this case you farmers are the exhibitors and the competitors as well. You can make a successful County Fair or break the strongest organization that was ever made for the purpose of "putting on" a County Fair. In many instances when County Fairs have not been exactly what they should be the business man of the town has received the blame when in reality the accuser is guilty.

A successful County Fair should be representative of the county as a whole. When only portions of the county take an active part it is only a Community Fair. There should be keen competition between the communities. The competition created because of the exhibits made has an educational value.

The best of whatever is produced on the farm or range in this county ought to be shown to the people. Such things also have a tendency to shift the burden of proof upon the man from some other state that says, "it can't be done here like it could back there."

As yet we have no perfected County Fair organization in this county but there are some who are trying hard to bring such an organization about. At present they are working on the Artesia Fair and hope to have a good one this fall. The dates of this Fair are September 13-14-15. An invitation is extended to the farmers and ranchmen all over the county to attend this Fair and EXHIBIT SOMETHING.

WHAT THE BOYS AND GIRLS ARE DOING IN CLUB WORK.

A report of the Sweepstakes Champion boys and girls that were in club work in the United States last year shows that there were 17 Sweepstakes champions in Pig Club work. One of these champions was Lloyd Conn who lives at Artesia, Eddy County. How many are going to be Sweepstakes champions in club work from Eddy county this year?

The Artesia Boys Pig Club is going to Hope some time soon to play the Hope Pig Club Boys a game of baseball. The Hope team will play them a return game during the county Fair.

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at Artesia.

How many of the boys and girls are doing any work towards their studies and records? Now is the time to start on that work. In less than a month the contests will start in the various communities.

Who is going to win the prize in your club? You are of course.

CONCERNING SMALL GRAINS.

From Farmer's Exchange Bulletin.

Many of the fields that were in small grain last year did not turn out well at all. The farmer is taking for granted that the low yields and so on was due entirely to the peculiar climatic conditions that prevailed. To a certain extent this is true but the personal side of farming should not be overlooked. There were good fields of small grain this year although they were far in the minority. There were fields that were prepared excellently

that did not turn out satisfactorily. This fall there is going to be a considerable acreage planted to small grain, either wheat, oats or barley. Thinking that the poor yields were due entirely to climatic conditions last season many of the farmers will fail to prepare the seed bed, etc.

To make a good seed bed it is necessary to plow now. Disc the land after plowing and harrow. By plowing early the land will have time to settle and make a compact seed bed. Plant your seed early during the month of September. Early planting assures a better stand and a good growth before frost. Use this growth as pasture during the winter months. Do not irrigate your crop in the winter if it can possibly be avoided. Irrigating causes the ground to bake and destroys the mulch. Small grains

require plant food. Good yields cannot be obtained from seed planted on the poorest ground. The yields last season were decreased considerably because of SMUT. Treat the seed with FORMALDEHYDE.

The results of the past season would suggest the raising of more wheat and barley and less oats.

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STANLEY

(Elizabeth Evening Times)

MRS. J. H. PAXTON KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT.

(Clipping from Virginia paper, date apparently Aug. 1.)

Mrs. Kitty Fountain Paxton, of New Mexico, was instantly killed, and Jas. H. Paxton, her husband, sustained serious internal injuries, at 11:15 o'clock yesterday morning in an automobile accident on the Valley Turnpike near Burketown. Major R. G. Paxton, U. S. A., retired, brother of J. H. Paxton, the owner and driver of the machine, was only slightly injured.

The accident occurred on the famous "Burketown hill," where there are two sharp curves in the turnpike within a distance of fifty yards. In making the first turn the machine almost went over an embankment. Major Paxton not knowing that the road turns so sharply at that point. When he attempted to regain control of the machine, the rear wheel smashed under the weight thrown upon it in making the turn. This caused the machine to roll over sideways and turn completely around.

Harry Mace, of Burketown, was only a short distance ahead of the automobile party, and was an eye witness to the accident. He at once went to the scene. Mrs. Paxton's neck was broken. Her body lay under the running board of the machine, but was not held fast. Major Paxton was under the car, which had righted itself in the drain beside the road. James H. Paxton was found just behind the machine, unconscious from his injuries. He had apparently been thrown from the car before it finally overturned.

Mr. Paxton was removed to the home of F. S. Van Pelt in Burketown, where he was attended by Dr. Ward Harshbarger, of Weyer's Cove. Later he was taken to the King's Daughters Hospital in Staunton. His left wrist is broken, and his left knee badly bruised. There is a gash in his back, and he complains of severe pains in his chest. His face is also painfully lacerated. The full extent of his injuries cannot be determined for several days. Major Paxton has a scar under his chin, and another on his right elbow, but was otherwise uninjured.

Sheriff D. E. Croushom was the first officer to reach the scene. He found however, that the accident had occurred in Augusta county, about 150 yards south of the Rockingham line. Dr. J. B. Catlett, the Augusta coroner, and Magistrate J. C. West, of Harrison, were notified of the tragedy.

Mr. West was the first to arrive. He gave permission for the body of Mrs. Paxton to be moved, having decided that no inquest was necessary. The body was then removed to the undertaking establishment of Lusty Koonz, at Weyer's Cove.

Mrs. Paxton was about thirty-five years old, and was a native of New Mexico. She married James H. Paxton, who is a prominent lawyer, about ten years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Paxton left their home at Las Cruces, New Mexico, several weeks ago for Nicaragua, Central America. They came to New York City by boat and then to Washington.

Major Paxton was for many years an officer in the Tenth United States Cavalry, and more recently had been quartermaster at the army remount station at Fort Myer, just across the Potomac from Washington. He was retired only last week, and with his brother and sister-in-law, left Washington Saturday for the old Paxton home at Buena Vista. They spent Saturday night at Middleton and were completing the journey when this week occurred. Mrs. Paxton is the sixth member to meet a violent death.

The automobile, which is a Studebaker roadster, was not badly damaged aside from the smashed wheel and a broken wind shield.

Arrangements for the funeral have not been completed, but it is likely that the body of Mrs. Paxton will be taken to New Mexico for burial. Mr. Paxton does not know his wife is dead. He was unconscious when removed from the scene of the wreck, and has not since been told for fear of the shock causing his condition to become still more serious.

This was the fourth fatal accident on the Valley Turnpike within six weeks.

The above notice from a Virginia paper is the first intimation received in Las Cruces of this sad accident. The family of Mrs. Paxton has, as yet, received no official notification from the authorities of the Virginia town and are unable at the present time to state what arrangements will, or can, be made. A telegram has been forwarded from here to A. A. Jones, who is in Washington, D. C., asking him to confirm the report as given in the above clipping. The citizens of Las Cruces join with the Citizen in extending to the family of Mrs. Paxton sincere and heartfelt sympathy in this their hour of sorrow.

NAMING OF ROSWELL ALDERMAN IS ISSUE—CHOICE QUESTIONED.

Although McWhirt Received a Majority of the Votes, Irregularity is Charged.

Roswell, New Mex., Aug. 4.—The question which Roswell is discussing today is whether or not A.W. McWhirt is a councilman or not from the Fourth ward, to fill a vacancy caused by a resignation.

That much-discussed vacancy in the Fourth ward caused by the resignation of J. H. Mullis, who was elected mayor, is the cause of all the wrangle. A month ago the city council after demonstrating that it was impossible to get together on any one man, voted to leave the matter to the voters in the Fourth ward and abide by the decision of the primary. The primary named Willis Ford, giving him 151 votes, while F. M. Alvis, the other candidate, received only ten votes. Mr. Ford was the man nominated several times by Mayor Mullis.

Mayor Nominates Ford.

At the regular session of the council last night the mayor nominated Mr. Ford. A secret ballot was taken and five councilmen voted against him and four for him. The city attorney insists that it takes six to confirm. Those who voted against the confirmation were J. A. Aiken, Dr. O. R. Haymaker, J. M. Rose, R. M. Tigner, and R. K. Fleming. Those voting to confirm were Dr. C. F. Montgomery, C. W. Shepherd, Clyde Fulton and A. L. Whitman. J. A. Aiken was the only councilman who voted for the resolution to submit the matter to the voters and voted against the choice of the voters last night. He explained that when he voted for the original resolution he thought only democrats were to vote in the primary and that none of the councilmen or the mayor was to take an active part in the primary.

McWhirt is Named.

The opposition to the mayor then nominated A. W. McWhirt and he received the five opposition votes. However it is contended that nominations for vacancies must come from the floor.

There was much surprise among the people because they felt that the deadlock of the council was broken after the primary named Mr. Ford by such an overwhelming vote. It is believed now that the only course will be in the courts, as the mayor says McWhirt was not regularly elected and that he will require a court order before he recognizes him.

Fight Centers on Mayor.

It is the control of the city government which is at stake, and the two factions of the Democratic party are really on the two sides of the fight. The opposition to the mayor is made up of the so-called progressive wing of the party, which now has control of the county organization. This same faction made a hard fight to win in the city election, where the whole fight was centered on the mayor and city clerk. Mr. Mullis was elected by a majority of 25 votes, while J. A. Gilmore was elected city clerk by an overwhelming majority.

The council put aside the factional fight last night long enough to pass a few ordinances. Most important of these was the one reducing the sprinkling tax from 12 cents a front foot to 10 cents. This will mean a gross reduction in the sprinkling tax of about \$1,200 a year. Two of the ordinances had to do with gambling and the red-light district, both of which have been closed. Heretofore the ordinances have not held the property owners in any way responsible, but the new ones passed last night make it an offense for an owner of property to rent it to any woman bearing an immoral reputation. The gambling regulation make it an offense for a property owner to allow gambling in one of his buildings provided knowledge of such violation can in any way be traced to him.

WHY THEY TURNED THE NEGRO SOLDIERS LOOSE.

The following is an extract from a speech made to a bunch of Rocky Ford negroes by a local colored democrat at the depot Saturday night. He was sitting on a truck beneath the stars and delivered himself in this fashion: "The Lawd said, 'Pharo; turn my people loose,' an' when he didn't do it the Lawd said agin, 'Pharo; turn my people loose,' an' when he didn't do it the Lawd tuk Pharo down to the Red sea an' chucked him in. That Mistah Wilson, he say, 'Karranz, sot my niggers free,' an' when he don't do it that Mr. Wilson, he say agin, 'Karranz, turn my niggers loose or Ize comin' after 'em.' Still he don't do it an' that Mistah Wilson he say, 'Karranz, turn my niggers loose—bring 'em right home yosef—or tha's goin to be hell to pay.' An' next day fo' million white men with the big dogs on flat on's started for Mexico. Jou know what happened? Afo' they



Photo by American Press Association.
Captain A. W. Grant, Commander of U. S. S. Texas.

BRITISH DO PEACE TALKING.

RESTORATION OF BELGIUM AND SERBIA ARE REQUIREMENTS.

Great Britain regards as an essential part of any peace conditions the restoration by Germany of Belgium and Serbia both materially and economically and the repairing of devastated portions of France and Russia, Premier Asquith declared in a speech in the house of commons.

British eyes, the premier said, had been opened to the full meaning of the German system of economic, commercial and financial penetration, and it was necessary to combat this.

Asquith asserted that at the Paris economic conference of the allies the opinion was that the blacklist should be continued during the war.

The resolutions of this conference, he said, were not directed against the neutrals.

"We are aware of some uneasiness in America," the premier continued, "but this is not justified. The allies' measures are their sole defense against economic aggression. Every effort will be made to see that neutrals do not suffer."

First Armored Car.

The first one of a special design of armored cars for steam railroad service has been delivered to the war department by a Hammond (Ind.) car building company. The car was designed

got there old Karranz done turned them niggers loose, givin' 'em a Palm Beach suit of clothes an' a bottle of 'mule' apiece an' put 'em on a Pullman car an' sent 'em home. An' on the way they met Mistah Wilson, an' he says, 'boys, I wuz jus comin' to git you if it tuk ever white man in the Newwited States to do it. No man kin lock my niggers up er 'pose on 'em an' not hear from me. Come on an' git some of this watermelon.' Ever hear of a republican doin anything like that? Naw, you didn't. That Mistah Wilson is sho-nuff white folks. Republicans ain't got no use fer a nigger cept on 'lection day."

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LAKEWOOD.

(From The Progress)

John Murrah departed Saturday night for Cheyenne, Wyoming, New York City, and Chicago, Illinois, where he will participate in the wild west doings to be pulled off in these three cities. John will enter all of the roping and other cow boy contests for which handsome cash prizes are offered, and we sincerely hope that he will pull down the capital prize in each city.

A. J. Crawford and George V. Price, of the Peoples Mercantile Co., were up from Carlsbad Wednesday,

looking over their business at this place.

Mrs. A. B. Wood came up from Carlsbad Friday night and spent Saturday with relatives and friends.

Miss Marie Knowles, of Artesia, was a visitor in Lakewood, Tuesday, and Wednesday, the guest of her friend, Miss Velma Hester.

R. B. Knowles and family of Artesia, accompanied by Winifred Knowles and wife of Monument, were visitors in Lakewood Tuesday, riding in a new Ford car, which he said was all his own, he having purchased it at Artesia.

Home for Women.
A fireproof building, to cost \$30,000, to be erected on the Dallas county poor farm near Huchins. It will be similar to the building for men, lately erected.

Clerk Takes Oath.
Judge John H. Clark has taken the oath as associate justice of the State District Supreme Court.

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HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

After Four Years of Discouraging Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave Up in Despair. Husband Came to Rescue.

Caron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good. I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.

At last, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I commenced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I can now walk two miles without tiring me, and am doing my work."

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HUGHES TO AROUSE INTEREST BY TOUR

Both Parties Await Results of His Western Trip.

CAN DRAW LARGE AUDIENCES

Effect of His Efforts Still an Undetermined Factor in the Campaign—Everybody Admits West is Important, but New York, Ohio and Indiana May Decide.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

New York, Aug. 9.—(Special.)—The campaign tour of Mr. Hughes is now the most interesting feature of the political situation. Both parties are awaiting the results of this western trip of the Republican candidate, and the campaign managers will try to draw conclusions from what happens in the states where Mr. Hughes talks.

It is true that wise politicians long ago decided that no one could judge how the people were going to vote by the size of the crowds. Blaine was a tremendous drawing card, and everybody knows that Bryan could command greater crowds than any other public speaker, but he could not get enough votes to effect him in any of his three campaigns. On the other hand, Roosevelt not only could draw the crowds, but he also got the votes, although he was not on the stump the one time he was the Republican candidate for president.

Has His Old Time Punch.

It was demonstrated at the notification meeting when Mr. Hughes made his acceptance speech that he had his old time punch as a campaigner. Those who recalled the campaign he made for governor of New York in 1900 and for Taft throughout the country in 1908 are well aware that Hughes can draw large audiences and that he can talk to those audiences in an effective way. He knows how to lead up to and make telling points. He knows how to put his case to the people and make them understand.

There is no question about the power of the Republican presidential candidate to present his views on this tour, but there is a great question as to the effect of his efforts. That is what interests the men who are managing the political affairs of the two parties.

A Preliminary Skirmish.

The trip of Hughes is considered a preliminary skirmish. The managers say that the real work will begin at least a month later when Mr. Hughes speaks in Maine and the other eastern states. While the Republican managers assert that the western states are important, they also say that the big fight, as usual, will be in New York, Ohio and Indiana. It is in these states that much is expected of Mr. Hughes, as he has campaigned in those states.

They Talked Confidence.

Perhaps it was on account of the gathering of the clans, but, at all events, the Republicans took an optimistic view of the situation when the men from different parts of the country were in New York for the notification. It was evident that these men were determined to equal the opposition in their claims, and, what was more, they showed that they meant what they said. Once in a while some man might remark that it is going to be a hard fight, but the general tenor of the Republicans was assertions of success, and they talked large majorities in a number of states that are important in the election.

They Like McCormick.

Vance McCormick, the Democratic chairman, is popular with the men around the headquarters in the Forty-second street building. The men who are associated with him speak of him as a "live wire," which is generally taken to mean that a man is business all the time.

Interesting Features.

One of the features of the Republican notification was the presence of Colonel Roosevelt, the man who led the Progressive hosts four years ago. And he was there applauding the man who had defeated him for the nomination at Chicago. On the platform (one of the members of the notification committee) was Joseph M. Dixon, who managed the Progressive campaign four years ago.

There were on that platform also W. Murray Crane and Reed Smoot, two men who were very much opposed to Roosevelt both before and after the convention four years ago. And there were a number of men who were identified with the Progressive movement.

Another feature which was somewhat odd was the absence of a great number of Republican leaders of New York.

Two Western Men.

At the Democratic notification at the same time, the two Western men who were present were Fred B. Lynch of Minnesota. Lynch was a member of the national committee in 1902 and participated in the Democratic victory that year. Lynch has been a member of the committee for several years. He was identified with Democratic success in Minnesota when the state twice elected John A. Johnson governor and once selected W. B. Hammond.

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CALL FOR PRIMARY MASS MEETING.

In conformity with the call of the chairman of the Democratic Central Committee, of Eddy County, New Mexico, we, the undersigned members of the precinct committee, of Precinct No. 1, of said County, hereby call a primary mass convention of the Democratic voters of said precinct, to meet at the courtroom in the county court house, in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, on Monday, August 14, 1916, at 8 o'clock p. m.

The object of said meeting is to elect 22 delegates to the Democratic Convention to be held August 19th, 1916.

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BAPTIST CHURCH.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Preaching service, 11 to 12 a. m.
B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m.
Preaching service 7:30 p. m.
Choir practice 7:30 p. m., Tuesday.
Prayer meeting 7:30 p. m., Wednesday.

GRACE CHURCH (EPISCOPAL).

Lord's Day Services:
Holy communion 1st. Lord's day at 11 a. m.
Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m., on all other Lord's Days.

ST. EDWARD'S CHURCH.

Sundays: Early mass at 7 A. M.
High mass at 9 a. m.
During the week: Mass every morning at 7 o'clock.

METHODIST CHURCH.

The Epworth League at 7 P. M.
Bible school at 10 a. m.
F. W. PRATT, Vicar.

The address by Judge Armstrong was of high class and well received by all.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

A NOURISHING MENU.

THURSDAY—BREAKFAST.
Grapfruit. Cereal.
Lamb Chop. Muffins. Coffee.
LUNCHEON.
Fish Chowder. Browned Crackers.
Chocolate Eclair or Cake.
Tea.
DINNER.
Potted Chicken.
Tomato Jelly Salad.
Baked Potatoes. String Beans.
Tapioca Custard.
Coffee.

"An Apple a Day."

FRIED BACON AND APPLES.—Place bacon on rack in dripping pan. Dripping pan should have enough water to cover bottom. Place in hot oven, cook until bacon is brown and crisp. Slice corn, unpared apples. Heat bacon drippings in pan, lay in the apples, sprinkle with sugar, cook in the oven until brown. Serve bacon on platter surrounded with apples.
Apple Shortcake.—To two cups of flour are added one-half teaspoonful of salt, four teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one tablespoonful of sugar and one-half cupful of shortening. Mix as for baking powder biscuits. Fill pie plate with sliced apples and cover with the crust. Bake until apples are tender and crust is thoroughly baked. Turn on plate, dot with butter, sprinkle with sugar and cinnamon. Serve with or without cream.
Apple Sauce Cake.—Mix one cupful of apple sauce, unsweetened, with one cupful of sugar, one-half cupful of shortening, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, one-half teaspoonful of cloves, one-eighth of a teaspoonful of salt, one cupful of raisins, one teaspoonful of soda and two and one-half cups of flour. Stir and bake a light brown.

Steamed Apples.—Pare and partly core apples. Do not remove the blossom end. Place apples in steamer and fill with butter, sugar and cinnamon or sugar, cinnamon and lemon or candied ginger. Serve with meringue or whipped cream.

Apple Charlotte.—Big lanes tart ap-

ples, one-half cupful of sugar, one-half box of gelatin, one cupful of cold water, one pint of cream.

Pare and strain the apples, then press through a colander and add sugar to them while hot. Add the gelatin, which has soaked for one-half hour in the cold water, and stir until dissolved. Stand in a pan of ice water and stir continually until the mixture begins to thicken; then fold in the cream, which has been beaten to a stiff froth. Turn into a pudding mold and serve when very cold.

Anna Thompson!

WHITE MOUNTAINS TO BE ARIZONA'S SUMMER PLAYGROUND.

Springville, Ariz., Aug. 10.—Forest officers here have completed the survey of a number of summer home sites in Lee Valley near Greer, Ariz., which they claim offer exceptional opportunities for city folks in search of rest and recreation. The lots overlook a beautiful mountain valley and are within easy distance of the town of Greer, where postoffice facilities and farm products are obtainable. The little Colorado river, an excellent trout stream, is close by. An extraordinary feature of the location is that nine consecutive lots are each served by nice separate springs, so situated that water can be easily piped into each cottage at a negligible expense. In spite of the distance from railway transportation, it is believed here that these lots will attract people in search of a good location for a summer home. The Old Trails transcontinental highway is only a few miles distant.

Local forest officials state that these lots are now available under long term leases, and that applicants will be served in the order of application. The annual rentals are paid to be nominal. Additional lots will be laid out on application anywhere in the White Mountain region.

PERUVIAN ALFALFA.

The Bureau of Plant Industry, Department of Agriculture, has the following to say regarding Peruvian alfalfa:

Peruvian alfalfa was first introduced into the United States from Peru in 1899. It is in general like ordinary alfalfa, but sufficiently different to be readily distinguished from that variety. When grown as individual plants the crowns are more erect and have fewer stems than ordinary alfalfa, but when grown in a thick stand there is no appreciable difference in this respect. The leaves and stems are quite hairy, giving the plants a slightly grayish cast. The leaves are larger than those of ordinary alfalfa, being longer and as wide or wider than the leaves of that variety. When allowed to mature beyond the flowering stage the stems are coarser and somewhat more woody than the stems of the common variety, and for this reason it is desirable to cut the crop not later than when one-half in bloom. When cut at this stage of development a hay of first-class quality is produced.

In experimental tests covering a number of years Peruvian alfalfa has yielded decidedly more hay to the acre than ordinary alfalfa, the increased yield per season being about three-fourths of a ton per acre. The heavy hay-yielding quality of this variety is the chief reason for recommending it; however, the fact that it is much more certain of producing a good seed crop is also in its favor.

Peruvian alfalfa is nonhardy to severe cold and can be grown successfully only in places having mild climatic conditions. It makes rapid growth and quick recovery after cutting. It also has the ability to make growth in cooler weather than ordinary alfalfa. It commences earlier in the spring and continues to grow later in the fall than the common variety. On account of its nonhardiness, the area adapted to Peruvian alfalfa is limited to the western, southwestern, and southern United States. In general, it may be said that it can be grown to advantage only in sections where the minimum temperature is not lower than 10 degrees F. above zero, and where ordinary alfalfa can be made to succeed.

NEW MEXICO AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

Agricultural College, N. M., Aug. 10.—New Mexico boys who plan to attend college during the coming year, and who are wondering just how they will get through school on a limited money allowance, will be interested to know that the New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, thru the assistance of the United States government, will be in a position to offer a decidedly attractive proposition in the way of financial help.

The bill which recently passed congress, signed by the president, reorganizing the army of the United States, directs the War Department to provide uniforms and equipment to the students in agriculture and mechanic arts colleges, who will take military drill three times a week. This will mean a saving in clothing alone of about sixty dollars a year to the boys attending the New Mexico Agricultural College, thus reducing greatly, an already very low educational cost for the year. While the War Department is overburdened with work just at present, it is believed the legislation will be in actual operation before Christmas.

Another important provision of the bill is that boys who will drill five times a week during their junior and senior years of the college course, will receive a salary of seven dollars a month, in addition to their uniforms. Upon graduation, such boys may, upon application, be assigned by the president of the United States to a military camp, for a period of six months at a salary of one hundred dollars a month.

The provisions of the bill make a very bright prospect for the boys attending the New Mexico Agricultural College, especially inviting to those who might otherwise have difficulty in raising money for their clothing and incidental expenses.

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DEMOCRATS TO MEET

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Total 234
The credentials of all delegates to said State Convention, and any notice of contests must be in the hands of the secretary of the democratic state central committee at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on or before the 29th day of August, 1916.

In any county in which there may be no democratic county chairman, or one capable of acting, then the county convention shall be called by a member of the State Democratic Central Committee of such county.

Proxies for delegates to the State Convention will not be recognized except when held by persons who are residents of the county from which the delegate-elect was chosen.

The precinct primaries shall be held in each county not less than three days prior to the date of holding the county delegate convention of such county.

The State Democratic Central Committee will hold a meeting at the Capitol Building in the City of Santa Fe N. M., at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of August 29, 1916, for preparing the temporary roll of the convention, and the hearing of contests if any exists and for the selection of the temporary presiding officers of said State Convention, and for such other purposes as may be properly considered by the said Committee, and it is urgently requested that every member of the State Democratic Central Committee be present at that meeting.

By order of the State Democratic Central Committee.

N. B. LAUGHLIN,

Chairman.

JOSE A. BACA, JR., Secretary.
Santa Fe, N. M., July 24, 1916.

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quired at the college, under the direction of a regular United States army officer, will be of great and lasting benefit to the students. Uncle Sam furnishes everything necessary to conduct the work successfully and systematically.

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The New Mexico Agricultural College has a wide variety of courses to offer prospective students. It is the home of agricultural development of the state. The courses in agriculture, for boys and girls, covers a wide range and are nothing if not practical and thorough. The engineering courses are exceptionally strong, taught by splendid teachers, in fine engineering school in the southwest.

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Mr. Jones owns Queen's Flying Pegasus, No. 140586, registered in the American Jersey Cattle Club April 6, 1916. Dropped Oct. 1, 1915. Solid color, black tongue and switch. Sire, Flying Foxy Lad. Dam, Queen of Thrushland. The above bull will stand at \$3.00 to insure calf, at my place on Greene's Highlands.

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