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# The Carlsbad Current

TWENTY-FOURTH YEAR.

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## STRIKE TO BE SETTLED

OFFICIALS BELIEVED WILLING TO CONCEDE EIGHT HOUR DAY DEMAND OF MEN.

By Associated Press.

Washington, August 15.—President Wilson's efforts to bring the railroad managers and the brotherhood leaders together in some form of settlement of the differences which threaten a nation-wide railway strike, has, after two days of conference, progressed only to the point where a ground work for further negotiations has been laid.

Railroads Concede 8-Hour Principle.

Hope of arbitration of all issues waned today, but the situation was brightened by the possibility of a settlement being reached by the railroads conceding the principle of the eight-hour day and both sides settling collateral issues by some form of negotiations, as yet undetermined. After conferring with President Wilson tonight the employee's sub-committee sent to New York for the 640 members of the general committee to come to Washington in order to facilitate negotiations. They are expected here Thursday and probably will see the president Friday. The manager's committee will confer with him again tomorrow.

No Report on Conferences.

Two official statements issued from the white house during the day merely stated that the discussions still were in progress and that no report could be made on results.

The first statement issued by Secretary Tumulty after the president had met the railroad managers during the forenoon follows:

"The president spent an hour and a half this morning with the representatives of the railway management. After the conference he said it was impossible as yet to report on the results; all that he could say was that a very candid and honest discussion was in progress about a practical basis of settlement."

Trying to work out Settlement.

Later in the day after the president's meeting with representatives of the employees he made this statement:

"There is no change. There is an earnest effort being made to work out a settlement."

When it came clear that the entire program never would be agreed to, but that the railroads might concede the principle of the eight-hour day and dispose of other issues by some form of negotiation, the president exerted his energy toward obtaining expressions from both sides on how negotiations could be carried on. Direct conferences and inquiry by an investigating commission were sought and the president indicated his willingness to appoint such commission himself.

Crisis Temporarily Averted.

It was understood that the employee's representatives offered no suggestions on this feature of the situation. The railroads were reported to be ready to concede the principle of the eight-hour day on condition that all collateral issues be investigated by the interstate commerce commission or some other body.

It was not believed that a crisis would be reached before Thursday. In the meantime the managers and employees will confer with the interests they represent.

Full Committee Necessary.

The decision to send to New York for the general committee of the railway employees was reached because the sub-committee here is without the power of reaching important decisions.

At first it was suggested that the sub-committee here go to New York, but the president thought it would be better to have the general committee come here. He wanted an opportunity to explain to all the members any suggestions which may be made tomorrow or Thursday by the manager's committee.

Lamp of Hope Burning.

"The lamp of hope will continue to burn until some one kicks it over," A. B. Garretson, spokesman for the employees, said, smilingly as he left the white house. "Nothing has been done and nothing undone. We will see the president again whenever he desires to see us."

"It is now up to the railroads. The situation has reached that point where it is hanging in a balance and if the

railroads will do their part there is no reason why we should not be brought together. The situation may best be summed up by saying, 'let us continue praying.'"

Much of the discussion at the conference today revolved about the principle of the 8-hour day. The managers asserted that putting the eight hour day into effect would cost them \$100,000,000 a year, but the representatives of the employees reduced this estimate to \$20,000,000 a year. The employees suggested that the 8-hour day already is in effect on some roads and that officials on those roads have stated they would not change back to the 10-hour day.

The president sought to find the basis for the opposition of the railroads to the 8-hour day, asking whether the managers did not believe it inevitable at some time. The managers were firm, however, in their opposition to its adoption unless other collateral issues were taken up.

Representatives of both sides were told by the president that he would continue to do his utmost to discover a basis of settlement and that it was their duty to the public to co-operate. Without minimizing the difficulties in the way of a solution, he sought to impress upon them that a break could be avoided only by mutual concessions.

When men close to the managers suggested that a way might be found by the railroads accepting the principle of the 8-hour day and then having an investigation by an impartial body of all collateral questions, representatives of the employees said they had heard of the plan before, but that they would not commit themselves on it unless it was put in definite form.

Both managers and employees were fagged out by the long conferences, but said they would meet at the president's call as long as there was any possibility of settlement.

W. S. Carter of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen and one of the sub-committees that has been conferring with President Wilson, left for New York late tonight to lay the situation before the committee of 640. It was said that despite the request that the full committee come to Washington some leaders believed Carter's conferences in New York tomorrow might make it unnecessary for the other committee-men to be called into the conferences here.

### A BIG SEED CROP.

L. W. Arthur, of Loving Makes Good Crop.

Last week mention was made of the seed crop of L. W. Arthur, who is on the place formerly occupied by Mr. Fanning a couple of miles northeast of Loving and about thirteen miles southeast from Carlsbad.

The figures given last week were from the memory of one of the neighbors of Mr. Arthur and were slightly off. However, Mr. Arthur was in last Saturday to figure up and get his check for his seed which he sold at thirteen cents per pound and received payment for 31,220 pounds which he threshed from fifty-five acres, being 567 pounds and about nine ounces per acre or, about \$73.78 per acre besides the alfalfa straw which will be worth for feed about \$7.00 per acre or a grand total of \$80.00 per acre from one crop of alfalfa.

When we consider that he sold when the market had fallen three cents and will cut possibly two more crops of alfalfa from this same fifty-five acres is it not time to ask, in what other farming country on earth can land be made to pay as much? As all farmers know there are some portions of fields here and elsewhere that yield heavier than other portions and it is a matter of fact that two acres threshed 2000 pounds of seed, but the whole yield averaged as stated. Mr. Arthur is from the richest portion of Colorado, near Monte Vista and says there is no land in that country to compare in strength with the lands of the Pecos Valley in New Mexico, and that he is mighty glad he made the change from Colorado to New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thurman were in from the ranch on Black river the first of the week.

### CARPENTER DIES SUDDENLY.

Chas. Engelke, a carpenter, for some time past in the employ of Toffelmire & Walker, died last Saturday about 1:30 p. m.

He had just eaten dinner at the Missouri hotel and arose from the table looking faint and placed his hand to his mouth as if about to throw up and started across the street. He was found dead shortly after where he fell on the south side of the Mercantile warehouse with his head on the foundation with blood gushing from his mouth.

He had been troubled with hemorrhages and was for some time considered an invalid but had worked up

to the day previous. He was an old timer in the valley and is said to have worked on the Bates hotel in 1891. He was a resident of Roswell for possibly twenty years and worked with Mr. Moritz, of the Ohnemus Shops for twelve years. The remains were taken in charge by Undertaker Thorne. He was said to have been a member of the carpenter's union at Roswell which was notified and Mr. Thorne received word from the officials of that body to embalm the body and hold until the relatives of the deceased could be located, and up to Wednesday no further word had been received.

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### A COMMON SCOLD.

Never in the history of politics in this country has it been seen that a presidential candidate developed his campaigning into a common scold like Hughes has.

Read his speeches since on his campaign tour, beginning with his speech of acceptance at New York, and you will find nothing but "words, and again words" of criticism and scold.

This is all the more disappointing because of Mr. Hughes' antecedents. He has just stepped down from the most august bench in the world—has just severed his connection with the tribunal where, if anywhere, dignity, deliberation, poise are personified in the wearers of the noted black silken robes.

He descended much when he was the first of the many occupants of that exalted bench to violate the unwritten law of that great court—that no member thereof should again enter the stormy political arena. And now he descends still further and becomes

### EDDY COUNTY PIONEER TEACHER PASSES AWAY.

Mrs. Nannie E. Finlay, wife of W. A. Finlay died at Eddy County Hospital Wednesday at a few minutes past midnight. She was the daughter of C. A. Witt and wife, residents of Ray County, Mo., where she was born August 2nd, 1868, coming here when a young lady and spending more than half her life in New Mexico.

There were four of the children who came at that time William and George W., "Boston," Nannie E. and Josephine Witt, they were located at Blue Springs ranch.

She taught school two or three years before she was married to W. A. Finlay on May 26th, 1892, after two or three years they moved to Roswell and lived there five years. One of her twin boys William is buried in Roswell, the other one, George sleeps here at the Carlsbad cemetery, the victim of the gun not loaded, the most serious accident in the county.

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bitterly partisan in his criticisms of the Wilson administration—so fault-finding, scolding, without advancing ideas and policies of constructive statesmanship, that it is true to call him a common political scold.

"The last republican presidential candidate to campaign when there was a democratic president in the chair was in 1896, when McKinley stayed at home and made dignified, instructive speeches on his lawn at Canton when visiting delegations from far and near came to call on him.

How different the McKinley style from that of Hughes, and all to the credit of McKinley for such bearing as is expected in one who is worthy to be a candidate for this high office.

One looks in vain for recognition in his speeches of one good thing in the Wilson administration to temper the scold. Did Mr. Hughes lose his sense of justice entirely when he became a candidate? Has he become such a narrow, bigoted partisan that he can't even "give the devil his dues?" It looks like it. For example: he says he is in favor of rural credits, but he doesn't even give the Wilson administration credit for having taken a step in the right direction. And yet rural credits is an accomplished fact, without waiting for Hughes.—Santa Fe Eagle.

W. W. O'Neal, of Knowles, N. M., passed through Van Horn, Tuesday, headed for Silver City, N. M. with a car of fine bulls for Told Barber. Billy reports a fine rain in the vicinity of Carlsbad, N. M., Monday, which extended to Pecos.—Van Horn Advocate

## DEMOCRAT HARMONY

DEMOCRATIC PRECINCT CONVENTION.

Large Meeting of Democrats at Court House Monday Night.

Pursuant to the call of the members of the Democratic county committee of Precinct No. 1, a large and enthusiastic body of Democrats met at the court house at 8 p. m. Monday.

The meeting was called to order by J. S. Oliver of the precinct members of the county committee, who stated the purpose of the meeting was to elect twenty-two delegates to the county convention which is to meet at the court house at 10 o'clock a. m. August 19, and asked the meeting who it would have for permanent chairman. On motion of J. G. Osburn, properly seconded by several, F. H. Richards was nominated and there being no opposing candidate he received the unanimous vote of the meeting for chairman. On motion D. Jackson was elected secretary.

It was then moved and seconded that the chair appoint a committee of three to select a list of twenty-two democrats of Precinct No. 1, to be voted on by the meeting as delegates to the county convention, which motion was put and carried unanimously.

The chair then appointed J. G. Osburn, Jim Baker and M. C. Stewart as such committee. The committee retired to perform its duty and the convention was at ease for ten or fifteen minutes when the committee returned with the following report:

We your committee, appointed to select a list of names for delegates to the county convention of Eddy county, New Mexico, to be held Aug. 19, 1916, beg leave to submit the following:

W. A. Poore, J. S. Oliver, R. Ohnemus, R. M. Thorne, C. N. Jones, G. A. Beckett, S. D. Stennis, M. C. Stewart, Wm. H. Mullane, Carl B. Livingston, J. G. Osburn, F. H. Richards, M. B. Culpepper, Jim Baker, Roy Waller, C. D. Rickman, Robert Hunaick, Guy Orr, Bob Hamblin, W. B. Robinson, H. G. Muldrow, Howard Prater.

J. G. OSBURN,  
JIM BAKER,  
M. C. STEWART,  
Committee.

There being no protest or objection to the names selected by the committee on motion they were unanimously chosen to represent Precinct No. 1, in the county convention Saturday, August 19.

There being no further business before the meeting a motion to adjourn was carried.

### CARLSBAD REPRESENTED IN LAKE ARTHUR.

Mr. Ennis of Dexter and Miss Beatrice Groves were in Carlsbad Thursday, attending the Baptist Convention, and were accompanied on the return trip by Miss Georgia Wallis, bookkeeper with Joyce-Pruitt Co., Miss Maud Jones and Miss Thelma Toffelmire and brother Robert, went up on the train Saturday. They enjoyed a lawn party that evening with supper under the trees by the light of the moon, and games that evening, the girls spending the remainder of the night at a slumber party with six Lake Arthur girls; they had a very pleasant time. Sunday they were the victims of a chicken fry with loads of good things, in the way of vegetables, fruit, and a variety of melons; the day passed all too soon and the Misses Maud Jones and Georgia Wallace returned to town Sunday night to be here ready for work Monday morning. Thelma and Robert Toffelmire did not come down until Monday night.

### LAWN PARTY.

Miss Hedwig Walterscheid proved herself a social and entertaining hostess Friday evening at her home where she entertained the class of '15 with a lawn party and a splendid supper by the light of the moon, on the grassy lawn. The members of the class that were present were Misses Ethel Ryan, Thelma Toffelmire, Georgia Wallace, and the hostess Hedwig Walterscheid; Messrs. C. C. Cassingham and Frank Howard. Games were played and all class songs and rhymes talked of and a very social time spent.

EVE OF CAMPAIGN FINDS DEMOCRATS IN FIGHTING TRIM.

Santa Fe, August 16.—With the campaign of 1916 about to open, very gratifying reports are being received here concerning political conditions in the counties where the big contests between the Democracy and the Republican machine, representing the invisible government, will be staged, as well as in the counties safely Democratic. In Colfax county the Democrats will be more strongly united than ever before, and in their fight for the state and county tickets they will be aided by a Republican county revolt. In Union county, where sentiment against "jimmy politics" is today stronger even than at the time the Republican "jimmy" was used to unseat two legally elected Democratic members of the 1915 legislature, there is every promise of an overwhelming Democratic majority this year. In Bernalillo county the Democrats are thoroughly awake to their opportunities, and are prepared to take advantage of every opening afforded by dissatisfaction among the Republican forces there. Guadalupe county is bound for the Democratic column; in Santa Fe county there is a possibility of a serious Republican row; the Democrats of San Miguel, Mora and McKinley counties were never as hopeful as they are this year, and Rio Arriba and Taos county Democrats promise surprises in those counties in November. In Grant and Luna counties the Democrats are "up on their toes," as usual, and are determined to roll up increased Democratic majorities. In Lincoln, Otero, Dona Ana, San Juan and Socorro counties Democratic activity promises big results. In Sierra county Francisco Bojorquez, twice legally elected Democratic representative in the Second state legislature, and the theft of whose seat by the Republican majority constituted the "Crime of 1915," is a candidate for sheriff, and the voters of that county will this year register a telling protest against Republican unscrupulousness.

The Democratic state convention here on August 30 is certain to start a wave of Democratic enthusiasm that will sweep into every county, for the nomination of a splendid ticket—a ticket of able, honest, representative citizens—is assured. It will be a ticket in striking contrast to the machine-made Republican offering; a ticket that every Independent and Progressive voter, as well as every Democrat, can heartily support, knowing that its success means efficiency and honesty and economy in state affairs; progressiveness and real development along every line.

The work that now remains to be done is the welding of Democratic sentiment and spirit and aggressiveness into effective fighting units that will bring Democratic triumph in November. This can be accomplished only through organization, and Democrats in every county should open this campaign by organizing every precinct. In the Democratic counties of eastern New Mexico there is a big and vital work to be done, for every Democratic vote must be accounted for at the polls on November 7. There are several thousand new Democratic votes in the eastern tier of counties, and new votes—hundreds of them—also exist this year in Colfax, Mora, Guadalupe and Torrance counties. Every vote will be needed, and every vote must be cast.

In addition to state officers, the election of a Democratic U. S. senator and a Democratic congressman, to fill places now occupied by Republicans, is this year demanded, to the end that New Mexico shall aid in upholding the unrivaled policies of the Democratic national administration, and in continuing the party's program of unequalled constructive legislation.

Throughout the campaign the Democrats of New Mexico must constantly keep in mind that the Republican machine is battling for its life this year; that for the invisible government the struggle is a struggle for existence, and that the fight waged by the Republican organization will be in keeping with the desperation of its situation. Already an enormous Republican campaign fund is being talked of, and boasts of what can be

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#### \$250,000,000 FOR HIGHWAYS.

This Huge Sum Was Spent in 1914 For Roads in United States.

Very nearly a quarter of a billion dollars were spent in highway construction and maintenance in the United States during the year 1914, as shown by statistics issued by the office of public roads and rural engineering. One-fifth of the work was done under the state aid system, the various state highway departments paying \$24,220,000 and the counties and townships \$25,220,000. State aid laws are in effect in forty-four states, New Jersey having instituted the system in 1891 and Tennessee and Georgia being among the last to adopt it.

Thirteen states spent \$25,000,000 during the year in the construction and maintenance of state roads solely at their own expense, making a total of almost \$50,000,000 paid directly out of state funds. One-third as much (\$12,500,000) was spent for repairs and maintenance as was spent for new construction (\$35,500,000). This shows the enormous loss resulting from the building of types of roads whose surfaces are not durable under present traffic conditions. Six eastern states paid two-thirds as much out of the state treasury for maintenance as for new construction.

#### Drunken Hogs.

Hogs at Nara, Kan., ate a quantity of cherry pits put in their slops that had fermented and became possessed of a "jag."

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## CHILD LABOR BILL OPENS NEW ISSUES

If Constitutional, Convict Made Goods May Be Prohibited.

### FAVORED BY ORGANIZATION

Another Measure Likely to Follow Is That Closing Interstate Transportation to Leather Goods and Fabrics That Are Misrepresented by the Manufacturers.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Aug. 15.—[Special.]—Beyond the child labor bill, should the courts hold it constitutional, is much other legislation of a similar nature, but without the sentiment to push it along. The child labor bill appeals to the sympathies of people because most of us do not like the idea of small children spending their time in factories when they ought to be at school, with the liberty of play, every day.

The next measure which will follow the child labor bill is one to prohibit interstate transportation of convict-made goods. Following that, an effort will be made to prohibit the transportation of goods made where persons are employed more than eight hours a day. These measures will have the earnest support of the labor organizations.

#### Pure Fabrics and Leather.

For several years there has been pending a measure to prohibit interstate transportation of fabrics and leather goods that were not just such as represented. One man was elected to congress from Michigan on the issue and promise that he would pass such a measure. He came here and was lost, and so was his bill.

But if the principle is established that congress can prohibit the transportation of goods made by children under a certain age there will be a pure fabric and leather bill—yes, and many others of a similar kind.

#### Suited Tom Marshall.

Vice President Marshall did not make much of an effort to check the tide of humor which flowed over the senate during a running debate between Senators Stone of Missouri and Penrose of Pennsylvania. Such exhibitions please a man like Marshall, who likes a bit of humor as well as anybody.

The humorists are not plentiful in the senate. Penrose is the best, but he does not work at it very often. Kern of Indiana has a fund of humor on tap if he wanted to use it. John Sharp Williams of Mississippi is also gifted on those lines. Clapp of Minnesota makes humorous remarks now and then. That about exhausts the list, although several senators are good story tellers in the cloakrooms.

#### King and Taggart.

W. H. King, a Democrat of Utah, came to Washington to get help for the party in the western states. He told a number of men of the prospects and of the danger spots. While he was talking along came Tom Taggart, and they were introduced. King recollected the Indians man as a great political boss, and he went for him.

"We want some help," he said. "We want help from the White House. Wilson is a great man, but he doesn't know anything about politics. Why don't a dozen or more of you go up there and tell him some things—put some political pep into him?"

Taggart blinked and looked askance. "You see," he replied, "it's not exactly my job. I'm new here in the senate. Talk to some of the older and more experienced fellows."

#### Longworth's Quotation.

Congressman Longworth of Ohio read a quotation in the house which positively indorsed the principle of protection. He said he might set up a guessing contest as to the author, but would not take the time of the house. Sloan of Nebraska interrupted to say that he would give a guess that either Moore of Pennsylvania or Fordney of Michigan was the author, they being the two highest protectionists extant.

"It is neither," replied Longworth. "I am reading from a statement by President Wilson."

Leader Kitchin of North Carolina vehemently denied that the quotation came from any utterance of the president and insisted that it might voice the views of Fordney or Moore, but not a Democratic president.

"Well," replied Longworth, "I may be a little late. This was made a week ago, and the president may have changed his mind."

Thus do statesmen play at humor and politics when they have little to do.

#### Power of Twelve Men.

"When this war in Europe is over," Senator Clapp of Minnesota told the senate, "there will be revolutions of some sort which will take from twelve men the power to command a force which will plunge millions into war."

#### Hit the Italic Case.

As the printers of the older days used to say, Senator Lewis "hit the italic case hard" when he made his speech answering Hughes' acceptance address—scarcely a column that was not liberally supplied with paragraphs and sentences in italics. The Illinois senator wanted to make his readers understand that he was emphatic in his utterances.

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### NEW SORGHUM VARIETIES.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 17.—Four new varieties of sorghum which are worthy of trial in the Central and Southern Great Plains area are described in a new bulletin just issued by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. These varieties are the product of the introduction and crop breeding work of the Department.

Dwarf hegari is primarily a grain sorghum, but like Blackhull kafir it is valuable also as a forage plant. In general appearance it is intermediate between Blackhull kafir and feterita. It is almost, if not quite, as early in maturity as feterita, and at the Chillicothe (Texas) Field Station, where it has been under test for five years, it has produced better seed crops than any other variety of sorghum, and has become quite popular with the farmers in that locality. Many farmers prefer it to Dwarf milo on account of its higher forage value and the greater ease of harvesting, due to the erect heads.

Improved feterita is a late importation of this variety sorghum, having been obtained from Africa in 1908, two years after the first successful importation of feterita. It has been selected for uniformity and leafiness, and shows higher yielding power than the earlier importation.

Dwarf feterita originated from a plant which was only 2 1/2 feet high and two weeks earlier in maturity than the general crop of feterita. It has not fully retained either its dwarfness or its earliness, but has made consistently high yields of grain and appears to be of some value where an early maturing grain crop is desired.

White milo is a variety of sorghum which has been grown to a small extent throughout Oklahoma and Texas for a number of years. A dwarf strain of this variety has been obtained by the department, which very much resembles the ordinary Dwarf Yellow milo. White milo has given evidence of greater drought resistance than even the ordinary Dwarf milo and feterita.

These four varieties of sorghum, were grown in field tests at the Chillicothe (Texas) Field Station for the years 1913, 1914, and 1915. Dwarf hegari made the highest average yield of both fodder and grain for this period, with Dwarf feterita in grain yield, but lower in yield of fodder. At Amarillo, Texas, for the same period Dwarf feterita gave the highest grain yield, with Improved feterita second in grain yield and only surpassed by Blackhull kafir in the amount of fodder produced.

At Hays, Kansas, for the two years 1914 and 1915, White milo gave the highest grain yield and fodder yield about equal to that of Dwarf hegari. The grain yield of white milo was about ten bushels greater per acre than that of the ordinary Dwarf milo. It was found possible at Chillicothe, Texas, to obtain two grain crops in one year from Dwarf hegari and the two feteritas. The Dwarf milo, however, produced only one cutting.

The purpose of the bulletin is not to urge the general adoption of these new varieties in preference to the present standard varieties of the Great Plains. It is intended to serve as a source of information in regard to these varieties at a time when they are being sent out for trial among the farmers and it is believed that one or more of them is apt to fill the needs of certain limited localities and become of considerable importance within the next ten years. This bulletin, No. 383, "New Sorghum Varieties for the Central and Southern Great Plains" may be obtained free from the Department of Agriculture as long as the supply for free distribution lasts.

J. W. Tulk came in last Friday from Roswell in his new Buick 6 and tarried during the afternoon to take in the Baptist Association meeting, leaving for his ranch the same night.

#### DOVE SEASON OPENS 16th.

The open season for doves commences on August 16th and closes September 30. The birds are quite plentiful this year. The law fixes the number that may be in possession of a hunter any one day at 20 birds.

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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 decree 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 \$4699.44 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,  
4-Aug-4 Special Master.

### 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, wherein 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 situated 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. Meridian, 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 Hunk & 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 HD. E. Serial No. 034103, for E<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, Sec. 33; and W<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 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.

### 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 HD. E. Serial No. 019244 for E<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, Sec. 19; and W<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, Sec. 20; and on Dec. 9, 1909 made additional HD. E. Serial No. 021037 for W<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, Sec. 17; and E<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 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 Magee, Lee Middleton, all of Queen, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON,  
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## With the Coming of Early Fall and for the Whole Year

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Coleman, last Friday. The land they selected, being located west of that town. The public domain on the Plains, will soon be a thing of the past.

J. U. Garrett has charge of the work on the East Barber School House, which is being remodeled, papered and painted. He states it is slow work, but with the help of Pearl Griffin, Henry Teague and several others, he will endeavor to finish the greater part this week.

The indications from a distance, last Monday afternoon, were, the valley was certainly getting a rain to be proud of—at this point there was a sprinkle all that night, which wet the ground about two and a half inches, which was rather limited for the requirements.

A great many things which cause the public to sit up and take notice, seem to be just "all right," when they are for "self," but just all wrong when the opposite, and that, not over a thousand miles from "law."

J. T. White, the hustling cowman from Midland, Texas, came through Knowles, enroute to his ranch north-west of us, last Friday, and had a big pumping engine strapped to his car, which he states was a necessary article around his ranch, while the wind refuses to work full time. He claims the cows need a drink at least once a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Record, perhaps the most prominent stockman of the Monument country, passed thru Knowles last Sunday. Claimed they intended to take in the big dinner at the meeting in progress north of us.

Fred Nymeyer came up from his ranch last Monday morning, and was looking after his boat, which was slightly damaged by a "high dive," in this vicinity last week. It has been here in the meantime, for mechanical treatment.

W. G. Woerner in company with Mesdames Emerson, Miller, Cooley, and Miss Ruth Turner, hiked it to the Highlonesome Arber last Sunday afternoon, to take in the sermon. A real old fashioned camp meeting being in progress at that point, with a full attendance.

J. A. Neatherlin, of Hondo, Medina County, Texas, arrived in Knowles last week, and is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Teague. Mrs. Teague is his granddaughter. Mr. Neatherlin is one of the few real old-timers left in the west. He came to Texas from Mississippi, when a lad eight years of age, in 1839. Has heard the wolf howl, as well as the Indian war-whoop and can relate many interesting blood-curdling incidents of those early stormy days. We hope to have the old gentleman with us many days.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Graham returned from their trip to Post, Texas, via Lubbock. They attended the automobile races at that city, during the 3, 4, and 5th, and report many pleasing features on the programme, with an unusual crowd in attendance, and every one very much pleased with the blow-out. Johnson however claims there were more men there looking for grass, than for entertainment. Not much grass to be had.

### WEEKLY NOTES FROM KNOWLES.

August, 16.

Allen Stewart from Carlsbad, was in the vicinity on official business last Tuesday.

Jack Forehand of Lamesa, Texas, was a business caller in Knowles last Tuesday.

Walter Turland of the Midland country was a visitor in Knowles this week.

L. F. Snell, who "vamoosed" some days ago, has returned to this section, at least temporarily.

H. V. Wright went to Tahoka, Tex., on a matter of business last Sunday.

D. S. Cotes of Plains, Texas, was in Knowles attending to business last week.

W. A. Thedford of Olney, Tex., was a business caller in town a few days ago.

V. L. Fain, the great shoe peddler from Lubbock, was in town, plying his trade last week.

Ven Holden from the Plainview country was in town looking around last week.

W. M. Molloway returned from Andrews, Texas, remaining for a few days, and again hiked it.

Mr. Isaac Willhoit is still very sick at the home of M. Willhoit, in the suburbs.

Captain Ed. Gage, of Midland, Tex., was in town visiting friends last week.

R. S. Latham, of Bombarton, Tex., was in town, looking after his interests, last week.

Charley Lowery purchased himself a new Ford, and looks happy, since he can ramble again.

H. M. Mobley went to Roswell last Sunday, says he wants to see Uncle Sam, something about a patent.

The entertainment at the hotel, drew quite a large crowd, enjoying the hospitality of Miss Ruth Turner. Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hardin left for Stonewall Co., Texas, last Monday, visiting relatives.

Arthur Musick came in for a vacation from the Ross ranch last Tuesday.

Mrs. Royal is reported very sick at the ranch north of town.

Everybody is glad to find the road across the Big Sand materially improved, since the rain.

Will White traded a mule team for a Jit, in the future he will take to the woods "mo swiftly."

Superintendent Poore, Prof. Knoor, and John Wells, passed through Knowles last Saturday.

W. G. Woerner, M. Willhoit, J. D. Merrill and Mabe Mobley went to Lovington, for business last Friday.

Nay Stiles moved his cattle back to his ranch northwest of Lovington, last week, he claims the rain to be ample, and the grass which satisfies.

Col. F. Hardin bought the Brooks half section last week, he says he has no use for it at all, at all, but his cows have.

Elbert Shipp gathered and moved several hundred cows and calves, to his recently acquired Texas ranch, in Gaines and Andrews counties where he says the water's good, and the grass fine.

Col. Peterson the popular Casey-Swasey cigar hustler, was a visitor in Knowles the other day, selling his wares as he went.

We so much, miss a bright shining light, with so many stars awaiting a crown, some communities know how to appreciate "sich" but it's a mistaken idea, in our case. A new field is the proper place.

A grand picnic barbecue and ball game was pulled off at the East Barber school house last Saturday, and a great crowd was in attendance, and everybody happy.

Ed Russell says, yistidy is for dead ones, dead failures, and ain't worth a dead clam shell. Cut loose from it, today is the day to make life worth living.

Henry Teague, Doby Charley, Brown Jones and Mort Teague, all started to Carlsbad, a few days ago, going after merchandise—everybody hoping they will bog down.

G. O. Chance and Jack Teague had the contract to move the old postoffice building and printing office, they being moved to the Charley Miller ranch about fifteen miles north of town, where Charley intends to make his home in the future, so as to enable him to give the white faces somewhat closer attention.

A grand fish fry is reported at the Highlonesome ranch last Tuesday, we being unable to attend (which we very much regret) therefore can give no items on the subject, however judging from all reports, we are led to believe there wasn't a soul on the ground who was disappointed, in the most delightful day.

The latest report from the Midland Northwestern Railroad is, the company has forty teams at work, and are arranging for sixty more, which will work from the Midland end, they have also contracted ten miles from Seminole south, a local man having the contract, the grading being the most difficult on the line, in the vicinity of Seminole. They claim nothing will stop them until they have the steam cars running into Seminole.

### JAL LOCALS.

J. B. Dalrymple and wife of Cleburn, Texas, visited G. F. Woods and family Tuesday.

M. M. Leeman of Kermit, Texas, and Mr. French of Ft. Worth passed through here Thursday on their way to Floyd county points.

Will Brookfield and wife of Pecos, were in Jal Wednesday.

Mr. Johnson of Eunice was transacting business in our city Thursday.

Mr. Gooch of San Angelo, is visiting Lem Cowley of near Cooper this week.

John Griffith and son were trading in Jal Thursday. He reports condition in his section very good.

Rev. G. W. Toby returned this week from High Lonesome where he attended the annual Association of the Missionary Baptist Church.

George Coates of Pyote, Texas, visited at home of C. C. Dublin Friday and Saturday.

Dock Rice and family went to Barstow the latter part of the week.

W. H. Green made a trip to Barstow last week.

Max Vance went to Pyote and Pecos Thursday.

A. J. Harrison went to Pecos last Saturday.

Don Carter and wife left Saturday for Texas points for several weeks' visit.

John Calleson of Cooper transacted business in our city Saturday.

C. W. Justis is quite sick this week.

**Franklin**



**Chalmers**

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### Sunday Night Suppers.

**ROAST SQUAB.**—Clean squab nicely and truss as if it were a turkey. using wooden skewers. Pass a piece of nice fat pork over the breast of each pigeon and fasten behind. Put a small piece of butter inside of each pigeon and stuff with truffles, but that is not necessary. Put the pigeons in roasting pan and add a tablespoonful of butter and about two tablespoonfuls of water. Bake frequently and be careful not to scorch, letting the birds roast from fifteen to twenty minutes. Have a slice of toast for each pigeon. Butter well, remove fat pork and place on toast. Pour over each a little of the gravy in roasting pan, allowing it to soak into bread. Serve hot with jelly or cranberry sauce.

**Lamb Loaf.**—Trim and cut in small pieces a forequarter of lamb, place in kettle, cover with cold water and cook until meat will leave the bones easily; remove meat from liquor and bone, chop fine, season with pepper and salt, moisten it with three-quarters cupful of the liquor, put in bread tins and leave in a cool place.

**Creamed Shrimps.**—Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter, add the same quantity of flour and stir until well blended, then pour on gradually, stirring all the time, three-quarters of a cupful of rich milk. Bring to the boiling point and add three-quarters of a cupful of stewed and strained tomatoes mixed with a pinch of soda, two cupfuls of finely cut cheese, two eggs slightly beaten, one pint of shrimps cut in pieces and salt, mustard and cayenne to taste. Serve on pieces of toasted bread or crackers.

**Creamed Sweetbreads.**—Creamed sweetbreads calls for one pair of blanched sweetbreads, a half pint of cream, one tablespoonful of butter, one tablespoonful of flour, salt and pepper and two tablespoonfuls of chopped mushrooms. Cut the sweetbreads into small pieces. Melt the butter in a por-

celatin onion paste, stir in the hour, and when this is thoroughly mixed add the cream. Now add the sweetbreads and the mushrooms and cook for five minutes. If you like you may add a tablespoonful of sherry wine just before serving.

### SPECIAL

## Excursion



Account Republican Nominating Convention at Santa Fe August 29d, 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 28. **ROUND TRIP SUMMER TOURIST.** Los Angeles, San Diego, San Francisco, Cal. \$58.30

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## The Carlsbad Current

Wm. H. Mullane, Editor and Manager

OFFICIAL PAPER EDDY COUNTY.

Carlsbad, N. M., Friday Aug. 18, 1916.

### SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

One year in advance \$1.50  
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The Current is this week making an effort to give its readers a full half a cent's worth of reading on each of its eight pages, or four cent's worth in the whole paper. Quite a number who are in arrears will miss the paper this week as their names have been removed from the list and several more will come off next week, for the Current is to be a pay in advance paper to one and all alike.

It seems probable just now that the republicans of New Mexico are going to forget the services rendered their party by Senator Catron over a period of half century and throw him into the discard next week. New Mexico republicans are nothing if not grateful.

We wonder whether the republicans of this state are going to distribute posters during this campaign depicting the harrowing spectacle of democracy knifing the sheep industry? It is possible that some of these posters might be left over from the campaign of four years ago. They would look well just now with wool selling at from 25 to 30 cents a pound and lambs being contracted at 7 1/2 to 8 cents a pound.

There has been more money made in New Mexico in the past two years than has been made in any four years of any republican administration since New Mexico was acquired by the United States. This is prosperity with a big P.

Those demonstrative gentlemen who were so noisily in favor of intervention in Mexico until the state troops began to move to the border are conspicuous by their absence from the front. They seem to be perfectly willing to sacrifice their voices by shouting themselves hoarse, provided the other fellow faces the bullets. Cowards usually do most of their fighting with their tongues.

A bunch of unsympathetic editorial writers have put the blunt question up to Candidate Hughes as to whether, under present conditions, he would favor intervention in Mexico. Glittering generalities will not do for answer to this question. It puts Mr. Hughes in an awkward position, but, perhaps our own Senator Fall can help him out. Fall is for intervention but, at the same time, he is perfectly willing that his friends should do the intervening.

The flood of last week that took out the end of the earth work of the Tansill dam was the highest ever known, for the water raised to within about eighteen inches from the crest of Avalon dam. And this rise was entirely from Rocky and Seven rivers as the McMillan reservoir did not show but a few inches rise. When rain was falling at about 4 p. m., the big gates of the two immense tunnels at Avalon were opened full capacity and before evening water was pouring over all spillways and the reservoir had filled to almost the crest of the dam. As no water of any consequence came from the headwaters of the Pecos and even the Pecos did not run any extra it is now a question what would have happened if the Pecos and Pecos had come down at the same time as Rocky and Seven Rivers. Owing to the fact that ten feet of rock work protects the big Avalon dam on the south and an apron of rock, on the north it is calculated to withstand an overflow for several hours and even if the water should become higher than the flood of last week it would not destroy the dam.

Candidate Hughes has dug up the democratic platform of 1856. While he is engaged in digging up ancient history he might dig up the famous saying of Col. Webster Flannigan, of Texas, who inquired, in connection with political patronage, in one of the national republican conventions, "what are we here for?" Candidate Hughes might use this to advantage in connection with his remarks concerning the awful crime of stopping the pay of E. Dana Durand.

Several have made inquiry as to whether or not the Tansill dam would be repaired and we are informed that it will be. R. W. Tansill will be here today to perfect plans and let contracts for the work of repair which will probably consist of earthwork fully protected with aprons of concrete both below and above, which will again give Carlsbad the beautiful lake that the flood has temporarily destroyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells Benson have as their guest Mrs. M. E. McIntosh, and little son William. Mrs. McIntosh joins her daughters, the Misses Dorothy and Evelyn McIntosh, who pleasantly spent last winter at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Wells Benson and attended school. Mrs. McIntosh came from Redlands, Cal., Tuesday afternoon and may decide to spend the winter in Carlsbad for school benefits.

### REPUBLICANS ELECT DELEGATES.

The Republicans of Eddy County met in convention on August 14, and elected delegates to the State Convention which will be held in Santa Fe, August 23.

C. M. Richards and J. W. Turknott were elected delegates, the alternates being Dr. H. Austin Stroup and C. T. Adams. The delegation goes uninstructed, but the sentiment is very much Bursum-Hubbell.

### ARTESIA VISITORS.

Misses Lenna and Sadie McCaw of Artesia are the week end guests of Mrs. Sadie Cheatham.

### HAY RIDE TO AVALON.

The younger set of boys and girls chaperoned by Mrs. Dilly, enjoyed a hay ride to Avalon Tuesday evening. About two dozen girls and boys made up the party, honoring Miss Martha Dye, of Roswell. They enjoyed a splendid picnic spread and returned by the light of the moon, singing class songs and chatting over reminiscent days when Martha was a Carlsbad girl.

W. W. Means and family passed through Carlsbad Monday in their auto returning to their home in Oklahoma. They have been visiting his brother John R. Means and family at Bear Springs.

E. Stephenson will begin threshing his seed alfalfa tomorrow. They are feeding a car of fine hogs on their threshed barley which they have ground.

Mrs. W. R. Hagler and children came Wednesday and will spend a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leck.

Tom Reeves, wife and baby, with her sister Mrs. Adkinson and little son J. E., left in their new car for the plains country, where they will visit J. D. Hart and family, look out for a ranch and take in the barbecue. They may go as far as Elida and look at a ranch Mr. Reeves has on his string.

W. C. Graham left Saturday night for his home in Amarillo. His wife and little girl are still with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Sprong.

Marian Walker came in from his ranch Wednesday with Boston Witt who is building and overseeing the People's Mercantile building at Lovington. He was at his daughter's Mrs. Dolph Lusk when George Williams found him over long distance phone. They left for Carlsbad as soon as they could getting here before daylight, but Mrs. Finlay had passed to the great beyond.

Harris Garrett, wife and sister Miss Alma Gray Garrett of Lovington are visiting Mrs. Bert Rawlins. Miss Garrett left for Stanton, Texas, Monday morning where she will visit her girl friends.

D. J. Bailey sold his ranch, closing the deal Monday with Mr. Arledge. Mrs. Bailey and Mrs. Arledge were guests of the Springs hotel Monday. Mrs. Arledge thinks she will be well pleased with New Mexico. Mr. Bailey is looking for another location and hardly thinks they will leave New Mexico.

H. D. Hill of Loving, traded his hotel property there to J. W. Martin for his farm one and a half miles from Loving, and Mr. and Mrs. Hill were moving Monday.

Ed James was in from his ranch Sunday attending church and visiting his mother, Aunt Mary James, who seems to be suffering more than usual on account of her injuries and some rheumatism.

Mrs. C. B. Campbell, son and nephew, arrived from Mineo, Okla., on Tuesday, coming by auto Mrs. Campbell joined her daughters here, who have the E. Purdy home for the summer.

Miss Mabel Harshorn is spending her vacation at the Dolph Lusk ranch going out Saturday with Joe Cunningham and his mother. Joe seems to be very much interested in his ranch and spends most of his time in that vicinity. This is Mrs. Cunningham's first visit to the ranch.

Ed Burleson, one of the cattle men from the mountains, is here.

### WEDDING.

Wednesday evening about 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Will Ed. Carter, Miss Mildred Neveenger and Rex Freeman were married. The wedding was a very quiet one only the immediate families of the bride and groom witnessing the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. J. T. Redmon, pastor of the Methodist church.

The bride was very pretty in all white gown. Dainty refreshments were served. Those present were the families of John Neveenger, Lee F. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Irby and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Carter. The newly married couple Mr. and Mrs. Rex Freeman left by auto for the John Neveenger ranch where they will enjoy a few weeks rest. They have been a very busy young couple, and if they had not been with the same firm it is doubtful if Mr. Cupid had found a chance to use his arrow. Mrs. Rex Freeman has grown to womanhood in Carlsbad, and chosen her profession as stenographer from choice. She has been with the firm for two or three years and has a wide circle of friends. Rex has been with the company as salesman in the grocery department three or four years and has proven himself worthy of the trust of the firm. The young couple are deservedly popular. After a short vacation they will be at home to their many friends in Carlsbad, having furnished one of the Church

cottages where they will continue making their lives a pleasure and a success. The Current offers hearty congratulations and wishes them a happy wedded life.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Last Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Kilgore, a few of the many friends of Miss Maedean Campbell, gathered to celebrate Maedean's 15th birthday.

The young folks enjoyed various games until a late hour, when they were shown into the large dining room to enjoy the refreshments which Mrs. Kilgore knows just how to prepare. The color scheme of pink and white was carried out splendidly in the ice courses. The large pink and white birthday cake was beautifully decorated and tasted as good as it looked. The folks from town were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Campbell and children, Mrs. Frank Jones and three small children, also Elmore and Gladys Jones, Miss Laura Fanning from Dayton, and the Rocky folks. We hope Maedean has many more birthdays but doesn't get too old.

Will Bendel is rejoicing that his mother, Mrs. Margaret Trubenbach and a sister in law, Mrs. Pete Bendel, and two children, from Muenster, Tex., came Wednesday. Mr. Bendel said they went to the river and caught a big string of cat-fish in time for dinner yesterday which his mother certainly enjoyed.

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### MEXICAN BOY KILLED AT ARTESIA.

News came over the phone to San Jose that a Mexican boy was killed in Artesia Tuesday by an automobile striking the buggy. The father's name was Alanasio Pelaez. All the family were thrown out but not hurt, but the boy was killed outright. No particulars of the accident was learned.

Mrs. J. T. Redmon has been confined to her room for two months, was feeling strong enough to take a ride Wednesday.

Mrs. Iva J. Keckler of Kansas City came Thursday of last week and stopped at the Springs Hotel. She is well and favorably known here as a financier and after looking after her interests, returned to her home Saturday.

Edward M. Bell, a kinsman of Clarence Bell died at his old home in Utica, Ohio, last week. He was well known here, coming with his mother 13 or 14 years ago for her health, was afterwards employed in the First National Bank, and was here not long since for climatic benefits. He died of asthma and tuberculosis.

S. L. Posy of Pearl, and Alley Rushing and Mr. Jackson came in from west of Pearl to get lumber and material to fix up the Lone Star school house. They will give it a coat of paint and with a good instructor they will have a good school this term, and show that the spirit of improvement is keeping step with the adjoining towns.

Burl Watson is returning from a two week's vacation in El Paso, Columbus and other points in Texas.

Remember that you will be paid ten cents a quart for dead flies if you will take them Friday mornings between 8 and 10 o'clock to Mrs. Hatfield, Mrs. Rarey or Mrs. Will Purdy.

### PICNIC.

The infant class of the Baptist church entertained the Sewing Bee comprised of six little girls, with a picnic, Thursday afternoon. Mother Minter, who has charge of the little tots, marshalled them all together, and with the little girls proceeded to the grove west of the Sisters and after playing various games, a picnic lunch was spread consisting of all the good things which go to make little folks glad. Such as all kinds of sandwiches, ickles, stuffed eggs, fruit cake, etc. There were 16 in the merry crowd, John R. Joyce and Alberi Randolph, being invited to help along with the fun and incidentally to help clear up the good things to eat.

Mother Minter was assisted in looking after the little folks by Mrs. Pete Lowenbruck. The little folks all declare this to be one of the very best picnics that they have ever attended as mother Minter knows so well what the little folks want and what pleases them best. Owing to the inclemency of the weather there was not as many present as was expected.

Miss Garrett the singer, was here Monday evening and favored the audience at the Peoples with two or three of her favorite selections. Miss Garrett is a noted musician composing her own melodies and music. While here she was the guest of Miss Vera Hart. She left Monday night for Roswell and expected to join a fishing party today and spend a week in the White mountains.

Major Pearson, headmaster, Colonel Wilson, Principal, and Captain Saunders, master academy staff, came down from the N. M. M.I. and spent a few days here among the boys talking in the interest of the institute.

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Willard Bates the cow man from Panama tanks, was here yesterday, looking as pleasant as he did the day it rained. Mrs. Bates and the girls accompanied him. He says he came near losing his tank on account of the big rain for the water came within an ace of running over the embankment the spillway being insufficient to carry the water. He at once put man and teams at work enlarging the spillway and raising the embankment.

All the draws on the west were running Thursday from the heavy rain that fell in that direction and south, a good rain fell at the Mosley ranch and the Byrne place.

Jewel Moore, is spending a few days with Miss Elsie Wallis at Loving.

A large cavalcade of freighters left Carlsbad, yesterday and today for 9Knowles, loaded with freight from the Peoples Mercantile Co. Among the freighters were: Henry Teague with eight mules and horses Mart Teague with six and Chas Van Amber with three. Jones also went out with a big load. As all of the goods were for Knowles it is fair to presume the business at that point is some in volume.

Mrs. Hill, mother of Mrs. John Bolton, is suffering with rheumatism more than heretofore, possibly the damp weather has some effect causing the aches of the joints to be more severe.

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### GAME PARTY.

Mrs. H. H. Dilly entertained Monday evening, honoring the visiting guest Miss Martha Dye, of Roswell. The younger set spent the time very pleasantly playing various games and enjoyed a delicious ice course.

Rev. H. S. Johns, of Baton Rouge, La., a brother of Mrs. M. B. Wilson, arrived yesterday evening. Reverend Johns is a Methodist minister and any one coming from that vicinity always have pleasant things to say about his life and his work.

Mrs. E. Hendricks escaped yesterday what might have been a serious accident falling down the stairs and badly bruising her arms and lower limbs. She is quite lame but no bones were broken.

Whit Wright, county commissioner from Artesia was here Wednesday.


Frank Howard and two sisters, Marian and Clara were up from Otis yesterday. Frank said some of the farmers had their hay down.

Mrs. Warren Gossett and daughter Violet, have returned from a trip to Amarillo, taking little Miss Goldfield home and visiting a week or two, from there they went to Coleman, Tex., and visited at the home of Jack Wilson and family.

Dr. Doss state veterinarian has been here this week, making tests of milch cattle. The herd of Jerseys owned by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kindel stood the test. Mrs. Kindel says they are getting lots of rich milk since the rains.

Fresh wind, five wind blowing from the sea.  
Pour forth thy vials like streams from any fountain.  
Draughts of life to me.  
—Dr. J. M. Mabel

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## CARLSBAD LOCAL ITEMS

Jim Jones of Rocky was seen in town Wednesday.

Buren Sparks of Artesia was registered at the Bates Monday.

S. D. Stennis was called to Silver City Monday on legal business.

Fred Pendleton is in from the ranch for supplies and contracting hay.

Mr. and Mrs. Collin Gerrells moved Monday to the Thayer residence.

Frank Harden of Lovington was registered at the Rightway hotel Monday.

J. W. Stetson was here from Black river Monday looking after his interests.

Mrs. M. L. Davis has been ill for the past week, but is reported much improved.

Jim Simpson came in from his ranch Wednesday and reports stock doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Pateet and baby were here yesterday, bringing the baby to a physician.

Billy Hegler came in Monday with Green McComb in his car and went out same day.

Mrs. Jo White has been very ill for the past two or three weeks, but is some better now.

Grace Jones returned Tuesday from a very pleasant visit at the home of Mrs. Will Fenton.

Jack G. Love, of Pecos, well known through the valley was stopping at the Bates yesterday.

Amos Reeves and wife, of Monument, came in Tuesday and spent Wednesday in town.

Mrs. William Hannash was quite ill at her home Saturday and Sunday, but is improving nicely.

Miss Lorene Powell returned yesterday afternoon from a three months stay in and near Roswell.

Will Galton and family were up from their home near Otis Monday. The roads are improving some.

Jim Blackwell, came in from Knowles last week Thursday and spent a few days in town on business.

Dave Gordon came in from the ranch Sunday with his father and mother, Benton Gordon and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Wallace and sister, Miss Atchison, moved Monday to one of Mr. Crawford's houses.

Lawrence Merchant was in from the ranch Monday getting the mail and seeing many of his town friends.

Sam Jones, wife and two children were in from Rocky Wednesday, driving their fast team of match bays.

Mr. Disher will be here today and will visit with his old friend the painter and paper hanger, Jack Halbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Jud Alston and daughter, Gladys, were in town the first of the week from their ranch near Pearl.

J. D. Forehand wife and grandson Roy, were in town Thursday and said they got a good rain Wednesday night.

Beattie Wilson is on the job again with the Joyce-Pruitt Co. grocery. Beattie has been taking a much needed rest.

Mrs. Kitty Keller is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Luther Thomas at the Haroun farm near Malaga.

Dr. A. A. Bearup expects to return to Sunny New Mexico, where he will find no aches or pains (for himself) next week.

Edgar Williams and mother were in Carlsbad Monday from northeast of Lovington and will read the Current in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur and son, also Mrs. Arthur's mother Mrs. Shropshire, from Loving, were in Carlsbad Monday shopping.

Miss Minnie Gist, well known in the Queen country, Artesia and Carlsbad, is visiting her brother's family Aubrey Gist, in Bluffdale, Tex.

Tom F. Blackmore and wife of Artesia, are here today, guests of the Bates and will attend the funeral of their friend, Mrs. W. A. Finlay.

Conductor C. H. Shannon and wife left Saturday night for an extended trip through Iowa and Illinois for the benefit of Mrs. Shannon's health.

Mrs. Will McBride and children Lenon, Beatrice and Jewell came from the ranch Monday in their new car, and spent a few days in town.

Mrs. G. W. Witt, son Charles and daughter Marian, were here Tuesday from the ranch visiting relatives and Mrs. Finlay at the Eddy Hospital.

A. J. Muzzy, president of the P. U. Co., will be here this week. Lieutenant Roberts has asked for a leave of absence to be here about the same time.

Aubrey Gist left Bluffdale, Texas, Monday with his thoroughbred South African strain of Angoras, shipping them to Arizona, where Gist and Cherry expect to improve a ranch near Phoenix.

### FISHING PARTY TO DELAWARE.

Two autos of town people spent the first of the week at the mouth of the Delaware fishing. Robert Dow and C. C. Sikes landed a big fish, each one weighing almost 30 pounds and pulled like 70 pounders. Many smaller fish were caught and the party had a splendid outing. Those going were Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Dow, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sikes, Miss Jim Penny, her guest Mrs. Richardson, Irvin Penny, and John Wells.

Mrs. Jim Johnson and daughter, Mrs. Burton returned Tuesday from a very pleasant stay with Albert Johnson and family on Black river.

Miss Myrtle Ward, touring the attractions of the Lone Star State, returned to the Sunshine state Wednesday evening, to the delight of her mother Mrs. W. W. Ward and family, and her many friends. Miss Myrtle made quite a stay but she has not forgotten how to run the big car.

Mrs. Joe Lusk has for her guest, Miss Pearl Dawson of Wilson, Texas, who came Wednesday and will spend her vacation with her friend at the ranch.

Mrs. Will Fenton is spending the week with her friends C. N. Jones and family west of town, enjoying the fine melons, vegetables and peaches.

James Tulk drove down from Roswell Friday in a new seven passenger Buick, and on to the ranch Saturday. It was hard enough to keep up with Mr. Tulk when he drove the old car, now we can be excused as he has a fine new one.

Wallace Smith's smiling face was noticed on the street Tuesday for the first time since the big rain. He says the country around the state line on the south has all had a good wetting down.

Jos. C. Bunch returned from an auto trip to El Paso Tuesday at about 9 in the forenoon, accompanied by Ellis "Dutch" Crozier. They report a strenuous trip coming by way of Hope having stuck in the mud three times and were rained on nearly the whole time. They left El Paso Sunday at 3 p. m. Mr. Bunch has accepted a position with the Southern Piano & Organ Co., of El Paso, where he will be employed shortly.

The representatives of the republicans of the state of New Mexico are not going to blame the democratic administration for the high price of wool. They are going to shift the blame either to the "Drouth in Australia" or to the "war in Europe," with the chances very decidedly in favor of the "war in Europe."

Mother Thorne and sister, Miss English returned Saturday from a very pleasant visit in Roswell with Mrs. Thorne's son and old neighbors.

Mrs. Cook and two daughters Misses Clida and Georgia of Loving were visitors in Carlsbad the first of the week. The young ladies are teachers and will return to their former home in the east where they have good positions awaiting them.

Dolph Shattuck and his uncle Dr. J. R. Lyon, from Queen, were in Carlsbad, Monday, making the trip in Dolph's Ford roadster. They report fine rains and tanks and cisterns well filled, grass is getting good and Dolph thinks he can see the old cows themselves smiling.

J. Shelby, wife and daughter Mrs. M. L. Hughes of Hope came down on Tuesday and spent a few days looking over the town to locate a residence. They are going to spend the winter in Carlsbad.

D. L. Newkirk, the veteran Chautauqua promoter and Republican newspaperman visited Carlsbad last Saturday from his home in Artesia, where he is busy at present keeping the News afloat while his son Frank is at Columbus with the army.

Miss Elsie Wallis, one of the pleasing sales ladies with Joyce-Pruitt Co., is enjoying her vacation this week. She is spending the week with homefolks at Loving going Sunday.

Victor L. Minter, grandmaster of the I. O. O. F. grand lodge, was here from Carlsbad the past week and was the guest of Isaac S. Tiffany Lodge No. 13, on last Thursday evening. Silver City Independent.

### ROBT. FINLAY HOME.

Robert Finlay came in Saturday evening, called here by the illness of his mother. On inquiry about company B. and the boys personally, he stated they were now at Hachita having gotten there on the 7th, that they were some tired after the hike but liked the present encampment much better than they did Columbus. Capt. W. W. Dean and Lieutenant West marched with them two days and returned to Columbus as they were committee men at army court.

Lieutenant West arrived in Hachita Monday afternoon on the train and Company A and B. got there in the forenoon.

Johnnie Warren, came home Wednesday, and left here for Oklahoma, and only got as far as Dublin, Texas, where he had good luck in disposing of his stock. His wife is in Dublin and charged him to call at the Current office. He will attend the big barbecue and annual picnic in Lovington and be on the alert for bargains.

### MRS. WEBNER DIES.

Mrs. C. C. Webner died of tuberculosis at one of the Nelson tent cottages Monday night. Her mother Mrs. Davis has been with her here the past year. Her husband came from Texas a short time ago. The baby was shipped to Lockhart, Texas, Tuesday night. Mrs. Webner was about 36 years of age and had endeared herself to many Carlsbad people, was always hopeful and planning for the future.

Mrs. C. S. Bell and two children Bonny and Sylvester Bell returned Friday afternoon from a six weeks visit in Gleason, Tenn., with her parents and relatives.

### VISITING SISTER.

J. D. Rackley and wife have enjoyed a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith who came last Saturday night on the first train from Pecos. Mr. and Mrs. Smith came to Pecos in their big auto, and the heavy rains in this vicinity made the roads impassable. They left their car in Pecos and came up on the train. Mrs. Edwina Hardgrave, who has spent a few weeks pleasantly in Carlsbad with her daughter, Mrs. Rackley, returned with this daughter, Mrs. Smith, yesterday to Pecos and will go with them by auto to their home in Rotan, Texas, where they have a big ranch and blooded stock.

Mrs. W. F. Melvain and daughter Helen, Martha Dye, of Roswell, and Lillian Crawford motored to the Tip-ton home yesterday and spent the day fishing, bathing and having an all-around good time.

Miss Ada Fowler made a trip to Pecos Tuesday to meet her aunt, and returned same day. The aunt, Mrs. Fowler came Wednesday from Clarks-ville, Tex., and they are having a very pleasant visit.

A card from Mrs. Bell Pendleton, locates her at the home of her brother in Ira, Texas, from the size of the pumpkin on the card they must be enjoying pumpkin pies.

Mark Coad wired Clarence Bell to know the extent of the damage at the ranch of Coad Bros., at Red Bluff, 35 miles south on the Delaware. As far as we can learn the earth work of the dam went out Monday night of last week.

Mrs. John Merchant and daughter Miss Eulalia, Miss Lelia Christian, Mrs. Seay and two daughters returned from the Sam Simon ranch, where they had a pleasant stay. Two cars accommodated the party.

Edward L. Manson former editor of the McGregor Mirror, Texas, now a resident of El Paso, came Monday night of last week to look over the valley with a view of locating. He was detained by high water washing out the track, and returned to Pecos last Friday forenoon by auto. Mr. Manson is favorably impressed with Carlsbad and thoroughly believes it can rain here.

### SNAP BEANS AND ROASTING EARS.

No need to say that Lovington will have a good fair this year although it has been dry, as evidence of the fact is being frequently shown. The Leader having been presented with one gallon of fine snap beans from the W. N. Benson garden of Stanbro, and some nice well filled out roasting ears from Mr. N. H. Scott's place west of town—Lovington Leader.

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Pat Middleton was in this week getting supplies and material to improve his place at Queen, where he will move his family this fall for school purposes.

Jack Hooper, familiar to most every school boy and girl in and around Carlsbad is up and on the wagon again. He has been laid up for the past two weeks with something like blood poison; his lower limbs were badly swollen and he was confined to his bed.

Mr. and Mrs. Farstad of Dexter, were the guests of J. M. Halbert and wife a few days last week returning to Dexter Saturday, where Mr. Farstad is engaged in the mercantile business.

Chas. R. Beck, wife and two children Floyd and Ina motored here from Dexter Sunday and returned to their home the first of the week. They were old friends of Jack Halbert and wife, and own the telephone system at Dexter.

C. C. Cassingham left for Kansas City and other points in Missouri on Monday night. He always has a very social time in Carlsbad and is a favorite with many of the young people, has proven himself intellectually and morally capable of filling a position of high standing. He expects to enter the Stanford University this year.

Virgil Albritton and family are in from the ranch, coming the first of the week. They report fine rains and say "well the road is a little rough, but never mind that, we don't mind the road if we only get rain."

John and Will Woerner of Knowles were here Sunday getting in about noon. This is the first time Mr. John has given his many friends in town a chance to see how well he is looking. They came in the big Chalmers and only remained a few days.

Miss Martha Dye of Roswell came the first of the week and is the guest of the Dilly home visiting Henrietta. Martha has been in Roswell so long she has most outgrown the knowledge of her friends here.

Dr. Diefendorf came up from his farm near Otis Saturday night and took down with him to his farm for Mr. Downing, a choice lot of prize winning Rose Comb R. I. R. hens, and a few selected pullets, he purchased from Mrs. W. H. Mullane.

Don Lucas, wife, and daughter, Mrs. Nellie Gray and baby returned to the ranch Sunday. The roads were not in the best of condition and word came to town that they stopped a few hours in a mud hole and did not get farther than the Fuoss place on their way home Sunday.

### BARBECUE.

The barbecue at Dark Canyon Wells the 10th, given by J. Floyd Hart and wife, honoring the visiting brother of Tom Kindel, Mr. Richard Kindel, druggist at Weatherford, Texas, and their aunt Miss Fannie Gant, was quite a feature in the way of social affairs, only a few neighbors were present. When one attends a barbecue they only expect meat, bread and pickles, which were plentiful and served on the lawn, and was topped off with cake and ice cream, and a variety of melons. Mr. Kindel and aunt were much in love with the ideal home and surroundings of Mr. Hart and wife and were thoroughly convinced you could have anything you wanted in this country.

L. S. Crawford, wife, daughter, Miss Lillian, and son, Russell, returned on Thursday of last week from an extended visit in the east. Mrs. Crawford and daughter visiting at her home town, Connerville, Ind., S. L. Crawford and Russell spending part of their time at Glen Springs, Ky. Mr. Crawford visited an aunt in Huntington, West Va., she had been ill for a year and died some time ago. He visited in Cincinnati, Ohio where he saw some of their relatives he had not seen for 35 years. Mrs. Crawford and Lillian met him in Cincinnati, Ohio. They had a very pleasant visit and were delighted with the good rains that fell here while they were away.

Donald Swigart is doing nicely now and will return to Carlsbad when he is well enough to make the trip.

W. L. Rodellat, the Current's linotype operator, was an invited guest at the Galton home on Thursday evening, where an enjoyable chicken supper was partaken of. Such treats as this seldom occur in the course of a printer's life, therefore the same was "sho' 'nuff" appreciated.

### LEAGUE PROGRAM AUG. 20-16.

Leader Doma Ferguson.  
Subject: Growth of body, mind, spirit, symmetrical growth.

Song.  
Prayer.

Scripture reading, Luke 11-40-52.  
Song.

Growth of the body D. G. Grant-ham.

Growth of the mind, Mrs. Thorne.  
Piano Solo, Mildred Walters.

Growth of the Spirit, Mrs. Claude Wright.

Symmetrical growth, J. T. Redmon.  
Solo, Miss Lela Christian.

Song.  
Benediction.

Claude Farris, the barber, with Lee Donald left Friday night for a visit with relatives in Estelline, Texas. He expects to be away for the next five or six weeks and may not return alone.

Mrs. Harvey Ezell and the three children Susie, Elzie and Archie Dean came in Saturday night on the late Pecos train from Sour Lake, Texas, and will visit her mother, Mrs. Middleton, near Queen, also her brothers and sisters. This is her first visit for two years. While she was waiting for some of them to come to town she was the guest of her old friend, Mrs. W. H. Mullane. They left for the mountains Monday with her nephew, Oscar Middleton, who came down in the old safety hack, as the roads are considered too rough now for a car to go over them.

W. A. Work, one of the old time Carlsbad men but at present of Lovington came in Monday night and spent Tuesday shaking hands with old friends.

T. J. Banner, of Dryden, Texas, a little station on the S. P., east of Sanderson, came in from Roswell Monday afternoon continuing on his journey Tuesday. Mr. Banner is an old Confederate soldier and still hale and hearty at seventy-two. He was formerly a resident on the Penasco years ago, and about ten years ago married the widow of Uncle Bob Gilbert and she is now in California. Mr. Banner is in the horse and mule raising business, twelve miles south of Dryden and is doing well. He was here this trip to see his daughter Mrs. Chronister of Roswell.

## WEEK END SPECIAL

IN CREAM FUDGES 20c POUND.  
NORTH WINDOW

## SWEET SHOP

EXCLUSIVE CANDY AND SODA SHOP.

Miss Ruby Brown returned to her home in Fort Stockton Monday morning. She has spent a few weeks in Carlsbad with Miss Dorothy Swigart at the home of her aunt Mrs. C. T. Adams, after a three weeks stay with her sister Mrs. George Adams at the ranch.

Joe James, wife, son, Chas., and Miss Marie Simons, formed a picnic party to the James ranch, going out by auto early Wednesday. They expect to be away a few days.

Mrs. Ben Kuykendall and little son returned Tuesday afternoon from Hal Center, Texas, where they went by auto with her brother and family, Walter Coffey. She seemed to enjoy her visit, but was very well while away.

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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 priest talk.  
Bread will be delivered from 4:30 to 9:30 mornings to people who desire to have fresh bread from the bakery.

### J. F. MCCLURE, Prop.

B. L. Walker came in from the ranch fourteen miles west of town on Wednesday where he and Mr. Lane have a ranch well stocked. He is well pleased with the condition of the stock and range.

Miss Wilma Nutt is filling Miss Mildred Nevenser's place as stenographer at the Joyce-Pruitt Co's. store while that young lady enjoys her vacation.

Harry Woodman went to Chalk Bluff ranch yesterday and brought his mother, Mrs. Jim Simpson and little niece Lona Netherton, to town. Mrs. Simpson will visit with her son and family for a couple of weeks and Lona will attend school here this winter and stay with her Uncle Harry and wife.

### BIG RATTLE SNAKE KILLED.

Joe Lusk found a big snake on the hill near their ranch and shot it a couple of times, when it made a four foot lunge and struck the little pet dog Benjo on the neck. The little dog died in a few hours. The snake had twelve or fifteen rattles.

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# NEW HOMESTEAD LAW

Homesteaders May Now File on Additional Lands Not Adjacent to Original Entry.

With the receipt of Circular No. 486, a document explaining the provisions of the Enlarged Homestead Act, amended under Act of Congress of July 3, 1916, so as to permit entries for non-contiguous lands, one of the most important announcements ever made by the General Land office is given to the public.

The original homestead act providing for entry on 160 acres of government land set aside for homestead entry, was amended in 1909 by the passage of the enlarged homestead act, so as to permit of filing on an adjoining 160 acres, making possible the acquisition by settlers of 320 acres of free government land. With the great increase during recent years of the number of filings upon the government lands subject to homestead entry the benefits that this amendment intended to create became limited, the increase in entries automatically decreasing the opportunities to acquire contiguous lands; which up to this time was the only serious limitation placed upon the entry of the additional 160 acres.

Under the act of July 3, 1916, this restriction is removed and the benefits are extended to lands that are not contiguous or adjoining. Now, instead of the settler being forced to file upon land immediately adjoining his original entry, he is permitted to file upon any parcel of free government land regardless of its location. The provisions of the new act extend from one state to another, making possible the acquisition of the original 160 acres in one state, and 40, 80 or 160 acres more in another state, or different states, provided the land has been duly designated. In fact, it permits of the entry of additional land in excess of 160 acres in any of the states specified.

In commenting upon the liberal provisions of this new act officials of federal land offices in New Mexico, state that it is undoubtedly the most important legislation affecting the rights of homesteaders that has been passed, and will produce a most stimulating effect upon registrations in the land office of the union. Following is the circular just issued:

## Amendment to Enlarged Homestead Act.

Department of the Interior, General Land Office, Washington, D. C., July 8, 1916.

Registers and receivers, United States land offices, Arizona, California, Colorado, Kansas, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah, Washington and Wyoming.

Sirs: The act of July 3, 1916, (Public, No. 142), added a seventh section to the enlarged homestead act to permit an additional entry for land not contiguous to the tract originally entered—after submission of proof on the original entry. It reads as follows:

"That the act entitled 'An Act to provide for an enlarged homestead,' approved February 10, 1909, be amended by adding thereto an additional section to be known as Section 7:

"Sec. 7. That any person who has made or shall make homestead entry of less than 320 acres of lands of the character herein described, and who shall have submitted final proof thereon, shall have the right to enter public lands subject to the provisions of this act, not contiguous to his first entry, which shall not with the original entry exceed 320 acres; Provided, That the land originally entered and that covered by the additional entry shall first have been designated as subject to this act, as provided by section 1 thereof; Provided further, That in no case shall patent issue for the land covered by such additional entry until the person making same shall have actually and in conformity with the homestead laws resided upon and cultivated the lands so additionally entered, and otherwise complied with such laws, except that where the land embraced in the additional entry is located not exceeding 20 miles from the land embraced in the original entry no residence shall be required on such additional entry if the entryman is residing on his former entry. And provided further, That this section shall not be construed as taking any rights as to location of additional land homesteaded under Section 2 of the act of July 3, 1916, away from the settler, unless the first entry was made in one of the states where the enlarged homestead act is in force, as listed

above, and the additional entry cannot be allowed until both tracts shall have been designated thereunder. However, in considering allowance of the entry it is not material whether the applicant owns or occupies the original tract. A person whose two incontestable entries do not take up 320 acres, who has submitted proof on the first and occupies his unperfected second claim, may amend the latter by adding land contiguous thereto, so as to aggregate that area, subject to the requirements of this act respecting residence and cultivation. Also the benefits of this act may be claimed by a person who has made and perfected more than one homestead entry, but the aggregate area of the land thus acquired with that applied for is limited to 320 acres.

3. The only qualifications required of an applicant under this act are that he has not already made an additional entry thereunder, and that the tract applied for will not, with other lands which he has entered and acquired title to under any of the non-mineral public land laws, of which he is then claiming thereunder, make an aggregate of more than 480 acres.

4. It is not necessary that any of the land be designated under the enlarged homestead act when the application for additional entry is filed. The applicant must state that both tracts have been so designated, or he must file petition for designation of the undesignated lands, as provided by the act of March 4, 1915 (38 Stat., 1162) and separate petitions must be filed for the different tracts if both be undesignated. There will be forwarded by the local officers, as directed by the regulations under said act.

Where an original tract, outside of the land district, is said to have been designated you will at once make inquiry of the proper office. If the response be satisfactory, action will be taken accordingly; but, if part or all of the original tract appears not to have been designated, the applicant will be allowed 30 days within which to file a petition for its designation.

5. On the notice of allowance of an application, and on the application itself, you will stamp, "This additional entry is within 20 miles of the original," or that it is not, as the fact may be. To ascertain whether two tracts are within 20 miles of each other, the shortest distance in a straight line between the nearest points will be considered as controlling.

6. There must be shown in proof on the entry the usual residence and cultivation and the existence of a habitable house upon the land entered, except to these rules being made only where said tract is within 20 miles of that embraced in the original entry and the entryman is residing on the latter. In that event the homesteader need not reside on the additional entry nor have a habitable house thereon, if he owns and resides upon the original tract when applying for said entry, and continues both ownership and residence until submission of proof.

In the proof, to be submitted within five years after the date of the additional entry, there must be shown residence on the additional tract—or on the original, if permitted under the 20-mile exception above explained—for not less than three years, subject to the privilege of being absent five months in each year, as provided by the three-year homestead act; also cultivation of not less than one-sixteenth of the additional tract during the second year after the date of the entry and of not less than one-eighth of its area during the third year and until submission of proof. Credit for military service will be allowed as in other cases.

7. As in other cases, a petition for designation, filed in connection with an entry after this act, must consist of an affidavit—executed in duplicate by the applicant and at least two witnesses—setting forth a description by legal subdivisions of all the land involved, its character, and the conditions governing the irregularity of both tracts.

If any part or parts thereof are irrigated, their location areas, source of water supply, and other pertinent facts should be stated. If any part or parts thereof are under construction or proposed irrigation ditches or canals, or adjacent thereto, the relation of the lands to same and the reasons for applicant's belief that the lands are not irrigable therefrom should be explained. The relation of the tract to said streams or springs rising on or flowing across them or in their vicinity should be indicated. If such source of water supply are inadequate for the irrigation

of the applicant's lands, or are not available to him, full particulars should be given. The location and depth of wells, elevation of water plane relative to the surface, and other pertinent facts which will disclose the quantity and quality of the water supply, obtainable from either ordinary artesian wells on the land, should be given. If there are no wells thereon such information should be furnished as to any other wells in that vicinity, and the possibility of irrigating the tract involved from underground sources should be fully discussed. If any attempts have been made to irrigate and reclaim the tract, or if it has been included in a desert-land entry, the reasons for lack of success should be stated. The petition should be supplemented by a map or diagram in cases where the facts may be advantageously presented thereby.

Where the geological survey advises this office that it is unable to classify the land, or some part thereof as subject to designation, this office will, through the proper local land office, furnish the applicant with a copy of the survey's report, and will allow him 30 days within which to file response. At the applicant's option he may either appeal from the findings to the secretary of the interior, alleging errors of law, or he may present further showing as to the facts, accompanied by such evidence as is desired, tending to disprove the adverse conclusion reached by the survey. Such appeal or response, if filed, will be forwarded by you to this office, whence it will be transmitted to the geological survey for further consideration. That bureau will consider the evidence submitted and, if it warrants such action, will recommend designation of the land; or if its conclusion be still adverse, will transmit the record to the secretary with report. The case will thereafter be considered as having the status of an appeal pending before the secretary's office. In cases where the applicant fails to furnish a showing, or to appeal from the order of this office requiring him to furnish it within the 30 days limited, or where the secretary refuses designation, final action will be taken and the case closed by this office on the basis of the designations which may have been theretofore made.

8. The act does not apply in any manner to the state of Idaho. Therefore entries cannot be made thereunder in that state.

9. The provisions of this act do not apply to entries under Section 6 of the Enlarged Homestead Act.

Very respectfully,  
CLAY TALLMAN,  
Commissioner.

Approved:  
ANDREWS A. JONES,  
First Assistant Secretary.

### BIG DANCE AT STATE FAIR.

Albuquerque, N. M., Aug. 16.—The announcement that one night of the State Fair week will be given up to a grand mask ball on central avenue the principal thoroughfare of Albuquerque, makes it certain that those who enjoy real rollicking fun will be satisfied to the utmost on that occasion.

Arrangements have been made to rope off the street for several blocks. The pavement will be specially prepared for dancing and four bands will furnish music for the occasion. Every provision has been made to assure orderliness and those who take in this extraordinary social event will have the time of their lives in the most innocent and harmless manner imaginable. A "kangaroo court" which will punish violations of the rules of the dance will be a side-splitting feature of the dance. All dancers will be required to unmask at a given hour. The date of the street mask ball is to be announced later.

J. W. Kinney has been named by President Southard as manager of concessions of the fair, one of the most important positions in connection with the big show. Mr. Kinney has had much experience in this line of work having made a pronounced success at a number of Texas fairs and also elsewhere. He has already assumed his office and all who are interested in any way in concessions at the fair should communicate with him.

From all sides come reports of enthusiasm for the fair surpassing even the fondest expectations of the management. The prospects are that the greatest crowds ever seen in New Mexico will gather at Albuquerque next month and that the railroads will be taxed to their capacity to carry the people who will be in attendance.

### Stanislau Taken.

Stanislau, an important railroad center, southeast of Lemberg, capital of Galicia, has been occupied by Russian troops. Petrograd advices say over 20,000 prisoners were captured.

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### NEW PRICES AUGUST 1, 1916

The following prices for Ford cars will be effective on and after August 1st, 1916

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Town Car . . .	595.00
Sedan . . .	645.00

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These prices are positively guaranteed against reduction before August 1, 1917, but there is no guarantee against an advance in price at any time.

### A WONDERFUL DREAM.

I dreamt a most wonderful dream last night.  
I dreamt I had crossed the river Styx,  
Where Old Nick is keeping his flames alight,  
For a number of fortunate hicks.  
"Let me in," I barked to an imp at the gate,  
My demeanor was peevish and cross,  
But the little devil told me to stand there and wait  
Till he took in my card to the boss.  
When Old Nick arrived he remarked with a snort,  
And a voice that was freezing and stern:  
"There is no more room in this Summer resort;  
Go back to Pecos and burn."

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

### DOUBLE TRAGEDY QUITE UNUSUAL

#### ONE OF THE MOST PECULIAR AFFAIRS HAPPENS IN ROCKWALL COUNTY

#### MAN SHOT THRICE IN STOMACH

Pursue Assailant Some Distance. Beats His Brains Out and Going to the Residence of Wife's Father Soon Expires.

After he had been called to the front door of his residence, three and a half miles southwest of Royse City, Rockwall county, Tex., about 1 o'clock in the morning by Jack Canup and shot three times in the stomach with a puny gun, B. James pursued his assailant some distance, took the gun away from him and beat him to death. He broke the stock over the head of Canup at the first blow. James then walked to the home of his father-in-

law, about 3000 yards away, related the circumstances and in a short time was a corpse.

Canup was unmarried. A wife and child are left by James. Trouble of long standing had existed between the parties.

All Ordered to Border.  
A general order to all department commanders has been issued by the war department to send all the rest of the national guard organizations in their districts to the border as soon as they are equipped and transportation can be obtained.

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## PROHIBITION NOW LEADING FACTOR

Moral Question of This Nature Hits Both Sides.

### OVERSHADOWS PARTY TIES

Once Converted to the Cause, the Average Dry Advocate Cannot Understand Why His Old Party Does Not Indorse His Sentiments—Reveals Loose Party Ties.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Aug. 16.—[Special.]—Information from various states indicates that the prohibition question is cutting quite a figure. In some states the liquor question is regarded by the people as of more importance than the election of one or the other of the presidential candidates or the election of senators of one party or another.

"On a great moral question," remarked one of the shrewd politicians of the senate, "the people become fanatics and do not care about anything else than the one aim they have in view."

And when one side becomes a moral fanatic the other is apt to discard national and all other kinds of politics and fight for its own protection and what it thinks is its rights.

Cuts into Both Parties.

Prohibition cuts into both parties. The prohibitionists are not going to consider the effect upon either party when they once become aroused. They are as likely to attack the party with which they have formerly been affiliated as the one which they opposed in other years. Having once become a pronounced prohibitionist the average person cannot understand why his party should not oppose that cause and is generally willing to punish his old party because, like him, it does not indorse prohibition.

Shows Loose Party Lines.

The fact that prohibition should be so important in several states at this time shows how loosely party lines are drawn. If there was a great national question at stake, if some important policy divided the parties which created intense interest, then the prohibition issue would not be the dominating question in those states where it is creating so much political concern. But the fact that in several states it is more important than party ties shows how little some people really care whether the Republicans or Democrats win this election.

Woman Suffrage and Senators.

The states in which there is now women suffrage and which elect senators this fall are Arizona, Montana, Nevada, California, Utah, Wyoming and Washington. In the first three Democrats hold the places and the last four Republicans. It is believed by Republicans that the declaration of Mr. Hughes in favor of suffrage will have good results in all the states where women vote and may elect Republicans in all of them. It is said that in Utah there is such an intense fight over the prohibition question that the suffrage issue may be entirely forgotten, Hughes declaration and all. In other states the women may elect senators on the Hughes declaration.

Man is Not a Machine.

It was suggested that Mr. Hughes should give more attention on his tour to the personal side and do more "glad handling." It was said that thousands of people wanted to see him, talk with him and shake hands—the great American habit. Senator Borah of Idaho says that a man on a speaking tour cannot do this. "It exhausts a great deal of human energy to make a long speech," he said, "and a man who wants to be at his best before an audience cannot give time to receptions, dinners, social and political discussions and things of that sort. I know there is a bitter complaint because men on speaking tours do not give more attention to these things, but it is a physical impossibility if he is to do good work."

"Come Back and Work."

It is evident that quite a number of members of the house are tired of staying here, while a majority are away in their campaigns or at summer resorts. "Come back and work" is the slogan, and the absentees are being called to Washington.

Champ's Twenty-three Years.

Kindly disposed Jim Mann has on occasions called attention to the fact that Champ Clark has been in the house twenty-three years. That is almost the fact. Champ went down in the Republican landslide of 1894 and lost two years. He has had twenty-one years of actual service, but first appeared in congress twenty-three years ago in August when Cleveland called an extra session to repeal the silver purchase law.

Beveridge Indorsed.

A dozen years make many changes. How the old fellows, the "elder statesmen," chuckled about Beveridge and his child labor bill ten or more years ago! They had fun with the "Boy Orator of the West" and his bill. But today his arguments, his points of constitutional law and his energy were used in the senate to help to pass the child labor bill. If Beveridge could have remained here it would be quite a triumph to see himself so thoroughly indorsed.

## MAKE MEXICO MAIN MATTER. PRESIDENT WILSON SAYS HE IS WILLING TO DO THIS.

President Wilson will accept Mexico as the main campaign issue if Republican Candidate Hughes and his followers continue to indicate they desire the fight for the presidency waged on this question those close to the chief magistrate say.

President Wilson has agreed to open the Democratic campaign around Sept. 1, regardless of congress. Sept. 2 has been agreed upon as the date for Wilson's notification, but should it appear evident that congress will stay in session until well into September the president may make his speech of acceptance the last week in August.

The rallying call for the Democrats is practically completed. The first draft has been made. It will contain about 4,000 words.

Senator Ollie James, who will officially notify the president of his nomination, will emphasize the contention that "a reunited America stands behind the president."

While Hughes' campaign tour may develop necessary changes from time to time in the president's addresses, the features, which will be put forth most strongly, according to the present draft, include:

The policy of this country toward Mexico and the South American republics.

Plans for continuing industrial preparedness to meet the economic situation facing the country after the war.

The course of the administration in maintaining peace.

A resume of the legislation offered and passed by a Democratic congress, what it has already done and what it is expected to do in meeting the unusual business conditions facing the country.

What the administration offers to labor.

### R. H. CREAGER FOR GOVERNOR TEXAS REPUBLICANS MAKE HIM THE STANDARD BEARER.

In convention at San Antonio the Republicans named the following ticket: United States senator, Dr. A. W. Atchison, Denison; congressman at large, Charles Warkon, Houston, and M. A. Taylor, Bonham; governor, R. H. Creager, Brownsville; lieutenant governor, J. L. Hickson, Gainesville; comptroller, T. L. Darling, Temple; attorney general, G. N. Harrison, Brownwood; state treasurer, C. O. Folkes, Del Rio; land commissioner, M. H. Johnson, Eastland; commissioner of agriculture, Alvin Harbort, Guadalupe county; superintendent of public instruction, W. G. McClain, Ellis county; railroad commissioner, Dupont Lyon, Sherman; chief justice of the supreme court, J. W. Cooke, Waco; associate justice of supreme court, C. A. Lord, Beaumont; associate justice court of criminal appeals, O. S. York, Galveston; chairman of the state executive committee, Phil E. Baer, Paris. Platform scores both the national and state administrations and a telegram sent Charles E. Hughes "on his triumphal march to the Pacific." Declaration made citizens along the border "have had to hang their heads in shame because of the president's conduct of our foreign affairs, especially our relations with Mexico."

### PROS NAME STATE TICKET. IN SESSION AT DALLAS NOMINATE A NUMBER OF PERSONS.

Texas Prohibitionists met at Dallas and named this ticket: United States senator, E. H. Conibear, Dallas; governor, Dr. H. Lewis, Dallas; lieutenant governor, Dr. J. A. Richardson, Seymour; congressmen at large, I. E. Teague, Whitewright, and E. G. Cook, Wichita Falls; state treasurer, J. L. McFarland, of Pilot Point; railroad commissioner, J. E. Linquist, Cross Plains; superintendent of public instruction, Oscar Hudson, of Hamilton; land commissioner, H. L. Winchell, Cisco; comptroller, L. M. Hewitt, of Bryan; commissioner of agriculture, J. Winters, Woodsboro. P. E. Paige of Dallas is chairman of the state executive committee. Woman suffrage is favored and also national prohibition. Democrats charged with making no further progress toward national prohibition than Republicans. A fund of \$20,000 for campaign will be sought to be raised.

Husband Built First Quinoy House. Mrs. Mary A. Phenix, aged ninety-six years, whose husband built first house in Quincy, Ill., died at the home of her son, Dr. N. J. Phenix, at Colorado, Tex. Her husband also built the first house in Jack county, Tex., afterward used as a courthouse, and in which the county was organized. She is survived by seven children and two brothers.

Child Labor Bill Passes. By 52 to 12 the child labor measure passed the senate. Negative votes were cast by ten Democrats and two Republicans. The bill had already passed the house.

## THE KITCHEN GUPBOARD

### THE FISH COURSE.

#### FISH BAKED WITH CLAMS.

Use large or small fish, cod or haddock, according to size of family—a three pound fish for a family of four. Open fish to back, leaving back whole; spread one-half with raw clams, either a pint or a quart, just as you wish; lay the other half over and tie with several strips of cotton cloth; make four or five little slits in top and press in thin slices of fat salt pork and sprinkle a little flour over all. Bake an hour and serve with melted butter.

Finnan Haddock. Cut half a green pepper in fine, short shreds. Add one tablespoonful of finely chopped onion and cook in three tablespoonfuls of butter until softened and slightly yellowed. Add three tablespoonfuls of flour and one and one-fourth tea-spoonfuls each of salt and paprika. Stir until blended with the butter. Add one cupful of cream and one-half cupful of milk. Stir until boiling; then add one pint of cooked finnan haddock and let stand over boiling water till hot.

Boiled Cod.—Clean and prepare fish tie in piece of cheesecloth and plunge into boiling water. Cook twenty minutes to pound. Be sure that it boils continuously; lift to large hot plate to drain; let stand for four minutes in a hot place; take from cloth, dish on hot platter, pour sauce over fish and serve.

Egg Sauce.—A cupful of milk, one-half cupful of fish liquor, three tea-spoonfuls of butter, three tea-spoonfuls of flour, seasoning and hard boiled egg. Blend butter and flour, add milk and broth, cook five minutes, add seasoning and cut egg in thin slices, lay on top of fish, pour over the dressing, garnish with parsley. Egg may be chopped instead of sliced for sauce.

Baked Finnan Haddock.—Place fish on waxed paper in baking pan and bake in moderate oven fifteen to twenty minutes or until well heated. Remove oachbone and season with little butter. It is very delicate and easy to prepare. The waxed paper prevents sticking.

Creamed Finnan Haddock.—Cut fish into serving portions and place in baking pan on top of stove, nearly cover with water and boil gently until bones can be removed. Drain and pour milk (heated), in which put butter and pepper, over fish and serve.

Anna Thompson

## THE KITCHEN GUPBOARD

### WEEK END MENU.

#### SATURDAY—BREAKFAST.

Orange. Cereal. Creamed Fish (Leftover Fish). Toast. Fried Potatoes. Coffee.

#### LUNCHEON.

Liver and Rice. Celery and Apple Salad. Cheese and Tart.

#### DINNER.

Spiced Soup. Baked Beans or Scramble. Lettuce Salad. Graham Bread. Preserved Peaches. Sponge Cake. Coffee.

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## GORIZIA HAS BEEN CAPTURED.

### AUSTRIAN STRONGHOLD IS TAKEN BY THE ITALIANS.

The Italian war office announced the capture of the Austrian stronghold of Gorizia, together with 20,000 prisoners, has been captured.

Two million men are said to have battled fiercely along the Isonzo front, the Italian troops pouring across the river for attack on Gorizia, singing joyously as they went. Their helmets were decked with flowers.

Rome was swept with enthusiasm as details of the fighting were received. The whole city was at once bedegged when announcement of the capture of Gorizia was made. A huge crowd soon gathered in Piazza Colonna and the army, King Victor Emanuel and General Cadorna cheered. Similar demonstrations occurred in the theaters and the cafes.

Scores of great guns pounded the Austrian stronghold. The resistance was stubborn and the casualties truly dreadful.

Some claim this Italian victory may prove the turning point of the war, as Gorizia was considered great vantage point for the Teutonic allies.

## MANY TROOPS IN THE NORTH.

### CARRANZA HAS EIGHTY THOUSAND IN THAT PART OF MEXICO.

Eighty thousand Carranza troops, according to Mexico City advices, are now patrolling the northern border states, rounding up and exterminating bandits as rapidly as possible. This statement was given out by Minister of War Obregon. He describes conditions along the border as being satisfactory.

Both in Mexican official and financial circles it is denied that the Mexican government plans at this time to attempt a loan in the United States. Because Commissioner Cabrera is particularly fitted to discuss financial and economic questions, it was rumored that the conference between the Mexican and the American commissioners would discuss the economic situation and survey the field with the object of securing a loan.

### Military Clerk Suicides.

S. C. Conover, member of a prominent family of Dayton, Ohio, and clerk in the office of General Funston at San Antonio, was found dead in a room of a hotel. A pistol with one discharged cartridge was found lying on the floor near the body. The bullet had penetrated the right temple. In a typewritten note, addressed to "Dear Mother and Dad," he assigned domestic troubles as the cause of the act. The remains were forwarded to Dayton and buried at that city.

### Noted Railroad Man Dies.

A. B. Stickney, founder of the Chicago Great Western railroad and interested in several other northwestern railroads, died at his home in St. Paul from an intestinal trouble. Stickney built several lines that later consolidated as branches of trunk lines. One son, Samuel C. Stickney, is assistant manager of the Erie lines.

### Lumberman's Long Leap.

George K. Smith, for many years secretary of the Yellow Pine Manufacturers' association and secretary of the National Lumber Manufacturing association, leaped to his death from a fifteenth-story window of the Boatmen's bank building, St. Louis.

### Plowboy to Senator.

Former United States Senator John M. Thurston of Nebraska died at a hospital in Omaha, where he had been since July 16, where he was conveyed after being prostrated with heat. He rose from plowboy and driver of a delivery wagon to a prominent position among attorneys.

### President's Suffrage Views.

In a letter to the Jane Jefferson Democratic club, a woman's organization of Denver, made public at a banquet Saturday night, President Wilson outlined his position on equal suffrage for women. In substance, he favors extension of the voting privilege to women through state action.

## MIGRATORY BIRD LAW SUS-TAINED BY SENATE.

Albuquerque, N. M., Aug. 12.—Officers of the New Mexico Game Protective Association today received word that the Agricultural Appropriation Bill, bearing an item of \$50,000 for the enforcement of the Federal Migratory Bird Law, was signed by the President yesterday. This marks the end of a long and bitter contest between the champions of the federal law and the "spring shooters" of the central states, the latter having launched a powerful organization for the purpose of killing the federal regulations by killing the appropriation for their enforcement.

The New Mexico Association, as evidenced by running controversies in the sporting papers, played a part of national prominence in championing the continuance of federal protection for the birds. Its officers have been bitterly maligned by the spring shooters and at the same time heartily praised and commended by sportsmen from almost every state in the Union. They regard the outcome of the fight as a signal victory for their cause.

"The absolutely solid backing which New Mexico gave the federal law was remarkable," says Robert E. Dietz, Secretary of the New Mexican Association. "It was one of the very few states which did not manifest one iota of encouragement to the enemies of our wildfowl. When one remembers that only six months ago we were listed as among the most backward states in game protection, we have grounds for encouragement. Of course, we are still far behind in actual law-enforcement, which after all is the proof of the pudding, but things are at least on the mend."

A DEMOCRAT.

No president of the United States, except Lincoln, has developed such unthought qualities of executive ability and statesmanship as President Wilson.

During his candidacy for the nomination four years ago he was variously discussed as the "school-master," as a theorist, as a book-worm, as a doctrinaire.

Now he is the most talked of ruler in the world, and he has achieved a fame that will live while the history of the 20th century is not "forgotten lore."

And rightly, justly so!

Has he not dealt with more and unprecedented problems of international trouble than all other presidents put together?

Who says, nay?

Has he not become the greatest known or recorded champion of the rights of neutrals in the only real warlike times among men on the earth?

Who says, nay?

Has he not marvelously kept 100,000,000 of his people at peace and in prosperity when millions of men of the first nations of the earth were being blinded and deafened and delirious and slaughtered on the blood-soaked soil of Europe.

War is hell, and the people of his country are not in the hell solely because of the patient and wise diplomacy of Mr. Wilson.

Who says, nay?

But Wilson has lately shown himself to be more of a real rock-bottomed democrat than many of us thought him to be. He stands for state suffrage and state prohibition. This is the practical application of the doctrine of state's rights to these problems.

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No doubt you are, if you suffer from any of the numerous ailments to which all women are subject. Headache, backache, sideache, nervousness, weak, tired feeling, are some of the symptoms, and you must rid yourself of them in order to feel well. Thousands of women, who have been benefited by this remedy, urge you to

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states, and every white man and every woman in the United States who vote obtained that vote through the states.

Considerably more than half the territory of the United States is dry, and this was brought about by state prohibition and county local option, in complete accord with the dearest American idea—that of local self-government.

We have been traveling at a rapid pace in these latter years toward paternalism and centralization. As the New York World remarks: "we might as well advocate complete abandonment of all local self-government and the centralization of all authority in Washington."

The constitution provides that "the powers not delegated to the United States by the constitution are reserved to the states respectively, or to the people."

This is where we get local self-government, and it is good, old-fashioned democratic doctrine.

If you want to find a real, dyed-in-the-wool democrat, look for a states-rights. Wilson is showing himself to be that kind of a democrat.—Santa Fe Eagle.

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## CHURCH NEWS

**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.

### BRIDGE.

Mrs. Holly Benson entertained on Tuesday afternoon with bridge at her residence in Carlsbad, two tables playing, honoring her visiting guest, Mrs. Grady, of Phoenix, Ariz. Mrs. Mary Wright making high score won the handsome leather traveling bag and Mrs. Grady received one as the guest prize.

Mrs. Hughes writes his mother he was thrown from one of the cavalry horses last week and badly hurt. When the accident happened they were out on a hike and it was three or four days before he could reach a hospital, when he did they gave him every care, and Mrs. Hughes received a wire Thursday that he was doing nicely.

### PICNIC AND BARBECUE.

Announcement of Seventh Annual Picnic and Barbecue at Lovington, New Mexico.

AUG. 24, 25, AND 26, 1916.

Fifteen hundred dollars in cash prizes for sports and pastimes of the picnics. Bigger, better, and grander than ever.

Ten reasons why this is true:  
1st—The city is fitted up with electric lights and several other modern conveniences just installed the past few months.

2nd—The fair grounds and race track have been improved.

3rd—The date does not conflict with any other fairs or celebration in the country, making it possible for all to attend.

4th—Visitors from a distance will have no trouble getting their cars looked after, as Lovington has one of the best equipped garages in Eastern New Mexico.

5th—We entertained four thousand visitors last year and will have more in 1916.

6th—We had fifty-three entries in calf branding and goat roping in 1915. The cowboys know the latch string hangs on the outside in Lovington.

7th—A Texas man won the calf branding and a Lakewood man the goat roping last year. This is good evidence that we play no favorites. If you win you get the yellow coin.

8th—Holding the celebration near the last days of August ought to insure cooler weather.

9th—We have added a tip-top ball game for the second day.

10th—The barbecue and picnic has grown steadily each year, and every one in Lovington is striving to make the 1916 celebration surpass anything ever attempted here before.

C. C. Keller and Mr. Moritzky left yesterday for the ranch where they will reinforce the tank work and complete other improvements that were not finished when they spent most of their time hauling water.

### VAN HORN, TEXAS.

V. H. Justis, the mail contractor has a new Ford on the line between here and Orange, N. M.

One of the best rains of the year fell in this country last Monday morning. This rain was apparently general throughout the county. It was a slow soaking rain, one of the kind that do the most good. It extended as far south as we have been able to hear from and to beyond Orange in New Mexico on the north, and to Sierra Blanca on the west.—Van Horn, (Tex.) Advocate.

### MOHAIR SALE.

The angora goat industry is proving a very profitable business, as the mohair alone brought a good price to say little of the other returns. Some of the net prices attained from the spring clip of mohair was that Chas. Grammer's at 4264 per pound. J. W. Hamilton's brought 3944 per pound.

Miss Grace Geer had for her guests Wednesday at 6 o'clock dinner, Mrs. Sadie Cheatham and her guests Misses Lenna and Sadie McCaw of Artesia. They formed a line at the People's and enjoyed the movies.

### GOING TO TEXARKANA.

Mrs. Walter Ralph and two sons Walter, Jr., and Billie were passengers on the train Monday morning, expecting to visit in Texarkana, and be away until the middle of October.

Mrs. Ralph will study music in Fort Worth and Dallas and resume her music classes when she returns. Mrs. Ralph is splendid in her line, and her friends wish her a pleasant stay.

Mrs. J. E. Laverty and grandson, John L. Emerson, Jr., went out with Joe Hunch yesterday, Mrs. Laverty to visit with her daughter, Mrs. Emerson and meet her daughter, Mrs. L. H. Perry who is coming through with her husband and two daughters Marybert and James Hill, in their car from Stephenville. They hope to get there Monday and get rested up to enjoy the picnic and barbecue at Lovington.

### GRAND AND PETIT JURIES.

The following names were drawn as grand and petit jurors for the September term of the district court.

#### Grand Jury:

W. S. Neff, Hope.  
R. T. Carter, Carlsbad.  
H. S. Record, Monument.  
W. M. Carson, Hope.  
W. L. Tomlinson, Knowles.  
F. E. Fite, Hope.  
Cecil Kendil, Lovington.  
O. M. Trotter, Artesia.  
Jodie Graham, Lovington.  
D. E. Webb, Lakewood.  
S. O. Higgins, Artesia.  
H. C. Beckett, Hope.  
W. E. Ragsdale, Artesia.  
J. J. Simpson, Monument.  
S. S. Ward, Artesia.  
D. B. Bowater, Knowles.  
W. T. Gissler, Dayton.  
J. R. Phillips, Monument.  
G. M. Williams, Carlsbad.  
C. P. Pardue, Loving.  
George Whelpton, Artesia.  
G. W. O'Bannon, Artesia.  
Will Ed. Carter, Carlsbad.  
J. H. Graham, Lovington.  
S. A. Finkenbinder, Artesia.  
L. L. Prude, Hope.  
J. M. Jackson, Artesia.

#### Petit Jury:

John Henderson, Lovington.  
Ernest C. Trice, Artesia.  
D. S. Martin, Dayton.  
W. G. Brown, Carlsbad.  
J. A. Hardy, Otis.  
J. F. Dickson, Monument.  
John W. Teel, Hope.  
Fred A. Linnel, Artesia.  
W. T. Gilmore, Monument.  
Earl Johnson, Lovington.  
Will Purdy, Carlsbad.  
E. M. Caudill, Lovington.  
William Dudley, Artesia.  
E. B. Kemp, Artesia.  
F. M. Keller, Hope.  
G. R. Brainard, Artesia.  
Liddon Cowden, Eunice.  
R. M. Cole, Artesia.  
J. D. Millman, Lakewood.  
E. S. Phillips, Lakewood.  
E. S. Phillips, Monument.  
Earnest Rudeen, Loving.  
C. Bert Smith, Artesia.  
Mills Barlow, Artesia.  
C. E. Stiles, Lovington.  
Dan Elpper, Artesia.  
J. F. Bowman, Artesia.  
E. P. McCormick, Artesia.  
H. D. Hubbard, Carlsbad.  
G. B. Killough, Knowles.  
W. N. Winans, Dayton.  
J. I. Hobbs, Nadine.  
P. V. Pardon, Artesia.  
W. J. J. Owen, Hope.  
Justice Beach, Malaga.  
Clarence Danwalder, Artesia.  
Philip Thomas, Artesia.

### BAPTIST ASSOCIATION MEETS.

Pecos Valley Baptist Association met Thursday 10th, and the day following, at the Baptist church. The ladies of the Baptist aid and church ladies had provided ample hospitality for the visiting guests, and a splendid supper was served on the lawn for all Thursday evening. Very little time was lost as everything was planned and carried out accordingly. About twenty-five visitors were here from the various churches, Roswell, Hagerman, Artesia, Hope, Dexter, Lake Arthur and Lakewood, being represented.

Among the distinguished visitors were Reverend E. B. Atwood, state secretary of missions, and the state Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. worker, C. Ross Payne, and Rev. Jenkins, who addressed the assembly in an interesting and instructive sermon on Thursday evening. Dinner was served at the church Friday noon and supper that evening and Rev. E. B. Atwood's sermon Friday on "Missions" had required some thought and was readily received by his audience.

### MALAGA NEWS.

Mrs. Kate Keller came down from Carlsbad Tuesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Beulah Thomas.

Mr. Keller and Mr. Moritzky left for the mountains Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Plowman and son Paul, left for Chamberino, N. M., Wednesday.

Mr. Elsworth and daughter of Otis, ate supper with Mr. Moritzky and family Monday evening.

Mrs. Moritzky, daughter, son, and mother motored to Carlsbad Tuesday.

Miss Sallie G. Wartney spent several days with Miss Josie Queen last week.

Mr. Robert Cleveland went out to Mr. Mayes last week.

Mrs. Gerlach returned home from Mr. Mayes Tuesday, where she spent the week.

J. W. Hamilton, his son-in-law, T. S. Pickens and his sister Miss Mary Pickens came in yesterday from the ranch at the Hess hill. Mr. Hamilton says they have had fine rains.

W. E. Bean of Otis was here yesterday with a fine load of hay. He reports another good rain at Otis Wednesday night.

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### LOVINGTON TO HAVE A RURAL ROUTE.

Our postmaster has received a reply to the application for a rural route from Lovington north, which with a few changes in route to add ten miles, making it a fifty mile route, speaks favorably. This ten miles can be easily added so we think and thus the fifty mile rural route is almost assured, and will be a great help to the people in general as well as to Lovington especially.—Lovington Leader.

### PICNIC AT THE FLUME.

Monday evening two cars motored to the flume conveying a number of families and all kinds of good things to eat, which was served picnic style. A big campfire lighted the ground until the tardy moon peeped above the horizon. Those enjoying the outing were Judge Robinson and family, Mr. Dudley and family and Mrs. Snyder and children.

Fred Nymeyer and Miss Frona Leck came in from the ranch Friday afternoon. Miss Frona intended to spend a few weeks at home and Mrs. John Draper was going to the ranch for a visit, but she did not go as Mr. Draper was expected here, and Miss Frona returned with Mr. Nymeyer, as her sister has never become strong from her recent illness.

County Agriculturist Knorr left for Hope Monday to arrange the contest there among the pig and poultry clubs. The contests as a whole have been arranged among most of the clubs and dates set for home contest. The winner at the home contest will be allowed to take their exhibits to the air at Artesia and prizes have been offered. The dates have been arranged at the Lovington, Loving, and Otis schools, and Mr. Knorr will arrange on this trip with Hope, Artesia, and Lakewood.

Dick Kindel brother of Tom Kindel west of town and their aunt Miss Fannie Gant left on the train Saturday morning for their home in Weatherford, Tex. They have enjoyed a long promised visit with Tom Kindel and family and believe that it sometime rains in New Mexico. Mr. Kindel owns and runs a large drug store in Weatherford and could not leave his business for many weeks at the time.

Mrs. H. C. Dickson and children returned home Monday from a few weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Ben Dickson and family at Coada ranch. Mrs. Dickson was there recuperating from a long but not serious illness.

S. N. Lee and Monroe Lee, were in from the D. ranch Monday, and returned Tuesday accompanied by Gov. Stubbs and son, Roscoe Stubbs, who arrived in Carlsbad from Hereford, Texas, Monday.

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## DEMOCRAT HARMONY

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done with it are being made. But in this connection Democrats have the satisfaction of knowing that as this year's election involves a U. S. senator and congressman the Federal corrupt practices act, entailing prosecution in Federal and not in state courts applies, and that a blow for clean politics and honest elections can be struck by making examples of any political workers who attempt unlawfully to influence voters.

Dean Smith writes from Los Angeles that he will fly the big government tractor today in order to acquire a license as an aviator.

Mr. Laidlaw left Monday for St. Louis, Mo., his old home where he will visit a few weeks. He accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Harry Huston as far as they went on his route.

Rom Holt, wife and little son, Billy are in from their ranch on the plains coming Monday. They are figuring on having the interior of their residence repapered and painted and have some enameling done.

Miss Renda Cunningham recently from California, but at present visiting her father in Lakewood, came down the first of the week and is the guest of Miss Lillian Bearup.

Mrs. G. F. Mann and little daughter Margaret Evelyn left last Saturday night to join Mr. Mann in Albuquerque where they expect to make their home.

John T. Bolton, ex-postmaster, now associated with Joyce-Fruit Co., had a close call Sunday night from an attack of acute indigestion. Mr. Bolton is creeping around today.

Harry Huston and wife who have been spending the summer with his parents at Loving, left Monday for Blackwell, Okla., where Mr. Huston will teach in the school at that place. They went in their car and their many friends in the valley wish them a pleasant journey.

### CLEAN UP NOTICE.

To the Citizens of Carlsbad:  
Owing to the late rains the town has become infested with more flies than ever before in its history and I would kindly request all good citizens to make the fight they never made before to destroy these pests and also ask that a general clean up crusade be inaugurated that the reputation for healthfulness of the town may be sustained. While the ordinances gives the town board the right to force this move it is to be hoped all good citizens will take part in the crusade without further notice.

D. G. GRANTHAM, Mayor.

FOR SALE—Lots 2, 4, 6, 8, and 10, block 19, Spencer addition to Carlsbad, for sale cheap for cash, or will trade for team good mules. Address Geo. I. Starks, owner, Barstow, Texas. 18-Aug-4.

Alfalfa pasture for grazing for horses and cattle. G. B. Moritzky, phone 41-N, Malaga.

FOR RENT—Mrs. R. Osborn desires to let her 5-room cottage unfurnished.