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# The Carlsbad Current

TWENTY-FOURTH YEAR.

CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1916.

NUMBER 44

## STATE DEMOCRATS

### PERSONEL STATE TICKET, WELL DISTRIBUTED OVER STATE.

Santa Fe, Sept. 5.—The expected has happened. The democratic party has named a splendid state ticket and gone before the people of the state confident that its action will be ratified in the most decisive manner at the polls on November 7.

The Democratic ticket is absolutely unassailable. Not a candidate on it is seeking "vindication." Not a candidate on it has an ugly official record, with a history of removal from office by an executive of his own party because of it. There are no tacks of the Invisible Government in the list; no representatives of corporate greed and unequal taxation no violators of ballot boxes and pilferers of election; no framers of vicious legislation and promoters of unscrupulous politics. Nothing but clean, honest, capable, efficient Americans, who have achieved success and renown, and who stand four square to the wind of public opinion.

Adrian M. Jones, of Las Vegas, a national figure in the United States today, described by Governor McDonald before the Democratic convention as the "foremost citizen of New Mexico," whose work as first assistant secretary of the interior is a matter of statewide pride, and whose exceptional ability is recognized by the leading men of the country, is the Democratic candidate for U. S. Senator and stands as a tower of strength at the head of the ticket. In place besides him, as the congressional nominee, is State Senator William B. Walton, of Grant county, a man who for years has been one of the most earnest and determined workers for the Democratic party in his county and in his state, and who has been repeatedly honored by the people of his district, and who is particularly qualified to represent New Mexico in the lower house of Congress. "You have nominated for Congress," the state executive told the convention, "a man who will carry the banner of Democracy as few men can carry it."

In nominating Ezequiel C. de Baca, of San Miguel county, for governor of New Mexico, the Democratic party announced to the world that within its ranks every citizen of the state is regarded only as an American, and that every man is judged solely on his merits and honored in accordance with them. At the same time, in its recognition of the steady consistency in Democracy and the ability of the man who has been lieutenant governor of the state for more than four and a half years, it honored those of New Mexico's population in whose veins run the blood of the Conquistadores—of the pioneers of Old Spain who helped so wonderfully in carving out a nation out of the wilderness. Ezequiel C. de Baca is every inch an American—a man of the broadest ideas and highest ambitions, and his unquestioned statesmanship was demonstrated notable in his handling of a Republican senate—a bitterly antagonistic body—through three sessions of the state legislature, his work winning him the admiration and praise of all who witnessed it. No man in the state is better fitted by learning, character, ideals and experience to take charge of state affairs and administer them impartially, justly, economically and effectively.

And behind Ezequiel C. de Baca stands William C. McDonald, present governor of the state, and the ablest and best executive in the long list of those who have presided over the destinies of New Mexico, who graciously accepted nomination for a subordinate position that he might continue actively to serve the party, and that the great record he has so made by add in its full measure of strength to the Democratic ticket this year. The magnificent ovation tendered Governor McDonald by the Democratic convention in connection with his keynote speech as temporary chairman, indicated how thoroughly the Democrats of New Mexico

### Cowboys Well pleased With Roping At Lovington.

A large crowd attended the fair grounds daily which were in a pasture just south of town and with Mr. Bert Weir the champion roper, as arena manager was considered a success throughout. He having received many compliments upon his management and awarding of prizes. Many of the features brought back old time memories to the cowmen and there were a lot of them from hundreds of miles around bringing with them some of the cleverest cow ponies ever seen in Lovington so it is said. On of the old ranchers who had been on this part of the plains for several years stated that the last time he was over the grounds where our little city now stands he saw nothing but ranchmen or bronchos, but now time has changed and almost every ranchman rode around in his auto.

So the chuck wagon race brought back to his memory the days of yore and was amusing to the whole crowd. Two wagons loaded with cowboys, two in the wagon and two on horseback accompanying each, raced for a quarter of a mile up to the fair grounds, jumped out unharnessed, pitched out bedding, built a fire in camp style, put on coffee and called "chuck." The one performing the feat the quickest winning the prize.

Another amusing scene was the grab race given in by one of the boys as follows. "Some part of wearing apparel was placed in packages at the end of the track, the riders not knowing what they contained were to ride to them jump down and grab one dress and return as quickly as possible.

### Pig and Poultry Contest at Otis

Thursday the County Agriculturist J. W. Knorr and County Superintendent W. A. Poor were at Otis. The Pig and Poultry Clubs were on hand with a fine display of poultry and pigs. In the pig contest Bill Hardy won first in the Fat hog contest, which was three dollars at T. C. Horne. In the breeding class Rosewell Force won first prize, Three dollars at R. L. Halley's store. These children will attend the fair at Artesia.

In the Poultry contest five prizes were awarded. Elisa Granda and Claude Cunningham entering Plymouth rocks Georgianna and Margaret Galton entering White Wyandottes, and Lillian Greenwood entering the R. C. R. I. Reds.

First prize was won by Georgina Galton, \$4.00 in merchandise at Joyce-Pruitt Co.

Second prize Claude Cunningham, \$3.00 in merchandise at the Peoples Mercantile.

Third prize Margaret Galton. A Brownie kodak at the Star Pharmacy.

Fourth prize \$150 in cash won by Lillian Greenwood.

Fifth \$1.00 in cash won by Elsie Granda all of the children will attend the county fair at Artesia on the 13th, 14th and 15th of September.

Lawrence Merchant will enter Harvard University this year, going as far as Chicago Ill, with Aude Lusk. Lawrence had attended the U. M. I. for two years or more and will make good at Harvard, for one thing that Carlsbad boasts of is the young men or young ladies that go away, always make good.

Miss Delia Gist came Saturday afternoon from Bluff Dale, Texas, and will spend the winter with her aunt Mrs. Mulvane and family and enter school here.

Eli Ethridge came in from the D ranch and strated off for a vacation, but did not get very far when he returned here to spend his vacation.

Samie Lusk left last week for Poughkeepsie, N. Y. where he will complete a business course.

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

THE WHITE MARKET is now open. Phone 231.

### CARLSBAD SCHOOLS OPEN

#### Good Enrollment—Enthusiasm Shown Private Schools Open.

The Carlsbad Public Schools opened for enrollment on Monday, Sept. 4th. Over five hundred students enrolled in the various grades. The enrollment at the end of the first month last year was 530. The enrollment the first day this year was 510. Several students have entered since and the prospects are that the enrollment at the end of the first month will exceed that of last year.

In the Grammar school the attendance ranges from 35 in the fourth grade to 56 in the primary. The primary grade enrolled 70 last year. The primary grade in the Spanish American school already has 59 entered.

The eighth grade in the high school has 37 enrolled in the two divisions. The A division of this grade will pass to the high school at the close of the first semester.

The freshman class this year is not as large as last due to the fact that there were many failures last year in the eighth grade. Sixteen have entered for this grade.

The graduating class numbers fifteen. Eight were graduated last May with nine enrolled.

Some difference in attendance is due to private and parochial schools, the number, however, is nearly up to that of the close of the first month last year and the prospects for the year are bright.

Teachers and pupils alike are enthusiastic over the work. Real work began on Tuesday morning, the regular program being carried out without a break in the arrangements.

Thus far the Departmental Plan for the fifth to eighth grade seems to be working with satisfaction. Teachers change to the different rooms for their special work. This plan gives the students the advantage of instruction by teachers especially prepared for the work.

The teaching force in the Carlsbad schools now numbers sixteen yet the attendance is so large that almost too many are assigned to a teacher in the grade work. Should the increase continue, more teachers will be required to meet the school demands.

### Special Attraction for The Eddy County Fair.

The Eddy County Fair this year promises to eclipse anything our Artesia friends have ever pulled off. In addition to an unparalleled exhibit of Live Stock and Products, a number of special attractions have been arranged for. A water fight between the Fire Companies. A Bloomer Costume Base Ball Game between the Ex-Stars of the Valley. Another between the two crack negro teams, Brokens Busting, Goat Roping, Races and "Baloon Ascensions" every day, continual Mardi Gras Ball and other things too numerous to mention.

While the contract for ten Balloon Ascensions has been closed with the Aviation Company, the Fair Committee have not yet been able to learn the name of the Aeronaut who will be sent here. They are trying to get "Baloon Phillips" the negro aeronaut who created such a sensation last season. Phillips on account of his color has had to be exceptionally daring and spectacular in his work in order to attract attention and win recognition. He is the aeronaut who, in a defective parachute a few days ago fell through the dilapidated roof of a negro meeting house near Atlanta Ga., during a revival service and was left in sole charge of the meeting; the terrified congregation scattering in all directions screaming that the judgment day had come and that St. Peter was a nigger.

The Fair dates this year are Sept. 13, 14 and 15.

Julius Baker, the Association and Sanitary Board inspector from Eastern Eddy was in town this week.

## COURT IN SESSION

### State University.

Albuquerque, N. M., August 25:—Three hundred and fifty students, the largest opening attendance in the history of the New Mexico State University, and an audience of citizens who packed Rodey Assembly hall to its utmost capacity, gathered this afternoon for the formal opening of the University for the 1916-1917 year. The occasion was given special observance by Albuquerque people because of the notable growth of the attendance at the state university which is now certain to pass 400, and because of the fact that for the first time street car transportation to the university is available. The feature of the opening exercise was an address by Robert E. Putney, who in spite of his definite refusal, continues to be discussed as the most available man for the democratic nomination governor. It was an address which revealed Mr. Putney in a new light. Taking as his subject "The Spiritual and Moral Part of Our Daily Lives" he showed that behind the energy and judgment which have made him a successful merchant, community builder and state fair maker Mr. Putney has given deep thought to the finer and higher sides of living, if indeed his attention to the moral and spiritual phases of living have not been the principal contributors to his success. The address was an inspiring call to the young people to whom he directed his remarks to consider the value of due regard for development in early life of the spiritual and respect for the development of moral fiber. It was a business man's talk with it all, giving attention to the practical value of the spiritual in self control and proper guidance of body and mind in the work of every day living.

"If I did not believe that my talk to you today would bear good fruit I would not be here," he said, "for I am not seeking publicity at the present time. It is likely that a great many of you may think that this body of ours is made of nothing more than blood, bone and meat and that it is maneuvered by something up in our heads called the brain, all of which is correct as far as it goes. But let me tell you something my friends, you have not started to live, nor will you be much more than mere animals until you have discovered that back of that brain lies an indestructible something which when thoroughly discovered and used never fails you and will accomplish for you your very highest ambitions. You are all entitled to a living and any fool can make money; but what about that ambition that inclination and desire to rise and to be something more than a mere ordinary working mule? Discover your soul; discover the spiritual part of you that force which drives this machine of ours and which allows you to do as you will with the body, giving you perfect control, giving you power to accomplish the impossible and raising you to the very highest pinnacle of happiness and efficiency."

The speaker paid a high tribute to the constructive work of President Boyd, in the University of New Mexico and urged upon New Mexico people cordial support for the home state institution as a college thoroughly prepared to give to the young people of New Mexico the best there is in practical, useful education and training along all lines.

A new county Agriculturist arrived on the scene Monday, August 31st and will bear the name of John William Knorr, jr. He weighed nine pounds. Mr. Knorr has gotten him a fine Metz car in the honor of the heir, and he drives like he was the only dad in town. Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Knorr and all their friends are anxious that he will be as intelligent, as pleasant and as useful as the older Knorr.

Some idea of the excellent class of bakery turned out at the Model Market may be seen in their elegantly decorated window.

Mrs. J. D. Hart, a sister of the Model Market baker came this week from Wichita, Kansas.

Mrs. O. B. Sawyer, formerly Miss Ethel Little is expected here tomorrow to visit her sister Mrs. Penny and brother Mr. Gene Little.

## GRAND JURY GETS TO WORK AND RETURNS NINE TRUE BILLS STILL AT WORK

The September term of the district court for the Fifth Judicial district court convened at 9 a. m. Monday with Hon. Granville A. Richardson presiding judge, K. K. Scott as district attorney, Miss Ada C. Estes stenographer, A. R. O'Quinn County Clerk, R. B. Armstrong as deputy.

The regular grand jury was returned in open court as follows.

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.  
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. R. Phillips, Monument.  
G. M. Williams, Carlsbad.  
D. B. Bowster, Knowles.  
W. T. Gissler, Dayton.  
J. M. Jackson, Artesia.

All responded to their names except W. L. Tomlinson, F. E. Fite, Cecil Kinel, O. M. Trotter, J. H. Graham and L. L. Prude. The court excused E. J. Carter, H. S. Record, Wm. Carson, C. P. Pardue.

A Special venire was issued and the completed grand jury is as follows:

W. S. Neff, Jodie Graham, D. E. Miler, S. O. Higgins, H. C. Beckett, W. E. Ragsdale, J. J. Simpson, S. S. Ward, D. B. Bowser, W. T. Gissler, J. R. Phillips, G. M. Williams, George Whelton, G. W. O'Bannon, Will Ed. Carter, S. A. Finkenbinder, J. M. Jackson, Henry Tipton, J. R. Holt, G. H. Dishman and J. A. May.

J. R. Holt was appointed foreman of the Grand Jury.

J. R. Rascoe and E. V. Albritton were appointed bailiffs to the grand jury.

Miss Wood was appointed stenographer to the grand jury.

D. A. Calderon was appointed as grand jury interpreter.

The Court then read the usual instructions to the grand jury and the body at once commenced its work, returning nine true bills and three no bills Tuesday evening among them the following:

Charles Lasseter, murder.  
Louis Dominguez, robbery.  
Martias Siaz, murder.  
Jesus Aguilar, assault to kill.  
Lorenzo Ontigas, larceny from the shop.

The court worked Tuesday and on Wednesday on the civil docket and adjourned at 5 p. m. Wednesday to convene next Monday at three p. m.

The case of the Dearborn Development Co., v. Michael Iribane came up on a demurrer of defendant which was sustained by the court.

Mrs. Chaytor now has charge of the Palace Hotel and will run it as a rooming house until she returns from her visit in Texas and Arkansas. Then she will serve meals in the dining room at the Palace. Mrs. Chaytor understands the culinary art and always pleases the palate and extends a welcome to the public.

Robert Finlay left Wednesday to join the boys at the Hachita. Robert is a general favorite in Carlsbad and his shot of friends here, are wishing that he may soon return.

Many of the Carlsbad boys are now leaving for the N. M. M. I. Among those going are Blythe McCallum, William Rud Jr., The Arns boys, Sam Roberts, Jr., Jim Walker, Granville Hardy, Elmore and Dallas Jones.

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PENSLAR

### Delber M. Jackson

For the past five years Wells Fargo Express agent, has severed his connection with the Express Company and will engage in business. He will conduct a meat market and has determined to run the most sanitary market in the state. Those who know him believe he will make good. The market has been named the "WHITE MARKET" and from its appearance is fully up to its name. He will handle both packing house and homekilled products in all lines.

Mr. Jackson has been intimately connected with the people of Carlsbad as express agent and has many friends who will wish him success in his new undertaking.

Johnnie Kircher who has been trying his luck in the northern part of the state came home Friday. Johnnie says he is glad to get home.

Dave Myers came in with Dolph Shattuck Monday. Dave got a piece of steel in his eye while running the cycle at the Thayer place Saturday and it was suffering him in a very painful manner. He was operated on at the Anderson Sanitarium and is doing very well, but may lose the sight of one eye.

Will Purdy was operated on Monday at the Eddy Hospital. While he is out of the store John Wells will be with the firm. John has held a position with Mr. Purdy and knows the stock.

E. V. Albritton, wife, Elizabeth and Christine Petersen returned from the ranch Saturday. The girls enter school Monday. Virgil will be in town about ten days as he is bailiff for the court.

Christian & Co., INSURANCE.

### Two Girls Killed By Lightning.

Two daughters of the Baptist minister, B. G. Richburg, at Lovington were killed by lightning Saturday. The girls lived with their parents about 1 1/2 miles from town and were walking home, as they were creeping under the fence during a thunder storm they were electrocuted. This occurred about four o'clock and on looking for them found them as described. They were buried in the same casket Sunday at the Lovington cemetery.

The Boy Scouts meet Saturday evening at Seven o'clock at Mr. Pratt's. The troop took vacation after camp in May, many of the members going out of town, but with the beginning of the school year all activities are resumed. Several boys have been added, but there is still room for more. Applications may be put in with Mr. Pratt or Mr. Lowry.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron K. Clark have for their guests her mother Mrs. A. A. Davis and Elizabeth, her brother Sam H. Kelly, wife and baby. Mrs. Davis and daughter came from El Paso Wednesday evening and Mr. Kelly and family from Oklahoma City yesterday.

Miss Frona Leck is here for a month. She has been getting a much needed rest with her sister Mrs. Fred Nymeyer; Mrs. Nymeyer came in the same time and they expect to be here for a month.

Mrs. Reagan Middleton and two little girls Edith and Ethel are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. James Tulk this week. Mr. Tulk came in from the ranch Saturday quite ill, June driving the car.



## THE OHNEMUS SHOPS

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ECONOMICAL CAR ON THE MAR-  
KET, SEE THE NEW MAXWELL

SEE THE STUDEBAKER—THE  
GREATEST CAR FOR SERVICE  
ON THE MARKET.

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Laid Before Congress.  
Before congress in joint session the  
president laid the railroad controversy  
and recommended legislation.

Cholera Epidemic Denied.  
The health director at Manila denies  
that an epidemic of cholera is preva-  
lent in the Philippines.

Five Strikers Shot.  
Five striking milk wagon drivers at  
St. Louis were shot, two seriously, and  
another had his skull fractured, while  
killing strikebreakers.

## Kovermann's BOOT SHOP

Carlsbad, N. M.

FIRST-CLASS COWBOY BOOTS  
AND SHOES  
Repairing Neatly and Promptly Done.

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Parcel Post Orders  
All Repair Orders received by parcel  
post attended to promptly and postage  
paid to return goods.  
THIRTY-FIVE YEARS' EXPER-  
IENCE enables me to guarantee my  
work.

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J. N. Livingston, Cashier J. A. May, Asst.-Cashier

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CARLSBAD, N. M.

## RAILROAD STRIKE CALLED OFF. THIS ACTION FOLLOWS PASSAGE OF ADAMSON MEASURE.

The Adamson bill, which had pre-  
viously prevailed in the house, was  
passed by the senate 43 to 28. Two  
Democrats—Hardwick of Georgia and  
Clarke of Arkansas—voted in the neg-  
ative. La Follette was the only Re-  
publican voting in the affirmative.

A proposed amendment providing  
that the interstate commerce com-  
mission should have power to fix railroad  
wages and hours lost—57 to 14.

President Wilson signed the bill on  
his return from the notification cer-  
emonies at Shadow Lawn, N. J.

President Wilson signed the bill in  
his private car at the union station,  
Washington. An engineer blew his  
whistle several times in celebration of  
the signing.

As soon as the senate acted heads  
of the four brotherhoods sent out 600  
code messages calling the strike off.

The law provides that after Jan. 1,  
1917, eight hours shall be regarded as  
a basis of reckoning for a day's pay  
of men engaged in the operation of  
railroad trains engaged in interstate  
commerce (excepting roads less than  
100 miles long and electric lines); that  
they shall receive pro rata pay for  
work in excess of eight hours, and  
that their rate of compensation shall  
not be changed pending an investiga-  
tion of six to nine months of the effect  
of the eight-hour day upon railroads  
by a commission appointed by the  
president.

The brotherhood leaders in a cir-  
cular letter to members made no com-  
ment. They declared that should the  
law be held unconstitutional and the  
railroads attempt to restore the ten-  
hour day on their lines a strike would  
follow. None of them were present  
when the bill was signed.

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

### CARLSBAD PEOPLE GET INSTANT ACTION

Those who have used it in Carls-  
bad are astonished at the INSTANT  
action of simple buckthorn bark, gly-  
cerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-ika-  
Because it acts on BOTH lower and  
upper bowel, ONE SPOONFUL  
Adler-ika relieves almost ANY  
CASE constipation, sour stomach or  
gas. It removes such surprising foul  
matter that a few doses often relieve  
or prevent appendicitis. A short  
treatment helps chronic stomach  
trouble. Star Pharmacy.

### NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Notice is here given that Nellie  
Gray, as plaintiff, has instituted suit  
against Paul R. Gray, as defendant,  
in the District Court of Eddy County,  
New Mexico; that said suit is  
numbered 2514 on the Civil Docket  
of said court; that the general ob-  
jects of said suit are to recover judg-  
ment against the defendant for an  
absolute divorce and to be awarded  
the custody of the minor child, Vir-  
ginia, during the minority of said  
minor, and for costs of suit.

That said defendant, Paul R. Gray,  
is hereby notified that unless he en-  
ters his appearance in said cause on  
or before October 23rd, 1916, judg-  
ment will be rendered against him  
by default.

Messrs. Bujac and Brice are the  
attorneys for plaintiff and their  
business address is Carlsbad, New  
Mexico.

Witness my hand and seal of the  
Clerk of said Court this 6th day of  
September, 1916.

(SEAL) A. R. O'QUINN,  
County Clerk.

### NOTICE OF SUIT.

In The Probate Court, Eddy County,  
New Mexico.

No. 346.  
IN RE: LAST WILL OF DELPHINE  
ROBLES.

To Whom it may Concern:  
Notice is here given that the Last  
Will and Testament of Delphine  
Robles was filed on the 29th of  
August, 1916, in my office and on  
the 4th day of September, 1916, an  
application to probate the same was  
made; wherefore the Probate Judge  
of Eddy County, New Mexico, has  
fixed the 10th day of October, 1916,  
at 10 o'clock, A. M., as the time for  
the approving of said Will and the  
hearing of said application.

Done at Carlsbad, New Mexico,  
this 4th day of September, 1916.

A. R. O'QUINN,  
County Clerk.

By E. M. KEARNEY,  
(SEAL) Deputy.

New Precious Stone Record.  
Importations of diamonds, pearls  
and other precious stones to New  
York during August show a record  
of the war profits are going and  
establishes a new record. This  
year the importation of precious  
stones totals \$35,433,811, nearly 30% in  
excess of the total in 1915.

### NOTICE OF CONTEST.

Serial No. 026059

Department of the Interior, United  
States Land Office.

Roswell, N. M., Aug. 26, 1916

To William E. Beaubien, of Carls-  
bad, N. M., contestee:

You are hereby notified that Joseph  
W. Lackey who gives Carlsbad, N. M.,  
as his postoffice address did on Aug.  
26, 1916, file in this office his duly  
corroborated application to contest and  
secure the cancellation of your Hd. En-  
try, Serial No. 026059 made May 8,  
1912, for S $\frac{1}{2}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 4 and N $\frac{1}{2}$   
NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 9, Township 22S, range  
26E, N. M. P. Meridian, and as  
grounds for his contest he alleges that  
William E. Beaubien has failed to es-  
tablish residence on said land, and  
same is not settled upon, cultivated  
or improved by said party as required  
by law.

You are therefore; further notified  
that the said allegations will be taken  
by this office as having been confessed  
by you, and your said entry will be  
cancelled thereunder without your fur-  
ther right to be heard therein either  
before this office or on appeal, if you  
fail to file in this office within twenty  
days after the fourth publication of  
this notice, as shown below, your an-  
swer, under oath, specifically meeting  
and responding to these allegations of  
contest, or if you fail within that time  
to file in this office due proof that  
you have served a copy of your an-  
swer to the said contestant either in  
person or by registered mail, if this  
service is made by the delivery of  
a copy of your answer to the con-  
testant in person, proof of such ser-  
vice must be either the said con-  
testant's written acknowledgment of his  
receipt of the copy, showing the date  
of its receipt or the affidavit of the  
person by whom the delivery  
was made, stating when and where  
where the copy was delivered; it must  
be registered mail, proof of such ser-  
vice must consist of the affidavit of  
the person by whom the copy was  
mailed stating when and the post of-  
fice to which it was mailed, and this  
affidavit must be accompanied by the  
postmaster's receipt for the letter.

You should state in your answer the  
name of the postoffice to which you  
desire future notices to be sent to you.  
EMMETT PATTON, Register.

1 Sept. 4.

### NOTICE OF CONTEST.

No. 05075.

Department of the Interior, United  
States Land Office.

Roswell, N. M., Aug. 26, 1916.

To Mack Eliff of Carlsbad, N. M.,  
Contestee:

You are hereby notified that Felix  
Miller who gives Carlsbad, N. M.,

## Academy of Our Lady of Mercy

STANTON, MARTIN COUNTY, TEXAS.

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## Sisters of Mercy,

STANTON, TEXAS.

as his postoffice address, did on Aug.  
26, 1916, file in this office his duly  
corroborated application to contest and  
secure the cancellation of your Home-  
stead Entry, Serial No. 05075 made  
Nov. 12, 1908, for NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 9,  
Township 22 S, Range 26 E, N. M. P.  
Meridian, and as grounds for his  
contest he alleges that

Mack Eliff abandoned said homestead  
entry on or about the latter part of  
1909 or the early part of 1910, and  
did not reside upon said land since  
that time.

You are, therefore, further noti-  
fied that the said allegations will be  
taken by this office as having been  
confessed by you, and your said entry  
will be canceled there-  
under without your further  
right to be heard therein, either be-  
fore this office or on appeal, if you fail  
to file in this office within twenty  
days after the fourth publication of  
this notice, as shown below, your an-  
swer under oath, specifically meeting  
and responding to these allegations  
of contest, or if you fail within that  
time to file in this office due proof  
that you have served a copy of your  
answer on the said contestant either  
in person or by registered mail, if  
this service is made by the delivery  
of a copy of your answer to the con-  
testant in person, proof of such ser-  
vice must be either the said con-  
testant's written acknowledgment of his  
receipt of the copy, showing the date  
of its receipt or the affidavit of the  
person by whom the delivery  
was made, stating when and where  
where the copy was delivered; it must  
be registered mail, proof of such ser-  
vice must consist of the affidavit of  
the person by whom the copy was  
mailed stating when and the post of-  
fice to which it was mailed, and this  
affidavit must be accompanied by the  
postmaster's receipt for the letter.

You should state in your answer the  
name of the postoffice to which you  
desire future notices to be sent to  
you.

EMMETT PATTON, Register.

1 Sept. 4.

### NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT.

Notice is hereby given that E. P.  
Bujac has intervened in Cause No.  
2468 upon the civil docket and now  
pending in the district court of Eddy  
county, New Mexico, wherein Mrs.  
Geo. H. Harroun is plaintiff and Win-  
fred T. Kirkpatrick, Harroun Land  
Company, a corporation, Commerce  
Trust Company, of Kansas City, Mo.,  
a corporation, Trustee Eva K.  
Harroun, John A. Hartshorn and Ezra  
E. Hartshorn are defendants; that the  
general objects of said intervention  
are to make as additional defendants  
herein C. C. Marshall, W. H. Harroun,  
Joyce-Fruit Co., a corporation, the  
First National Bank of Carlsbad, a  
corporation, C. M. Richards, Trustee,  
Pecos Valley Alfalfa Farms Company,  
a corporation, and to cancel that cer-  
tain mortgage and note, the subject  
of plaintiff's action herein, said note be-  
ing for \$43,000.00 payable to the Pecos  
Irrigation Company signed by Hager-  
man Development Company and said  
mortgage securing the same, dated  
January 19th, 1910, recorded in Book  
8 of Eddy County, New Mexico, Mort-  
gage Records, conveying as such se-  
curity the following lands:

That certain stone and concrete dam,  
located in Sec. 11, Twp. 23 S., R. 29  
E., N. M. P. M., and known as the Hager-  
man dam; also that certain canal  
used in connection with above describ-  
ed dam and which is more fully de-  
scribed as follows: Commencing at  
the Hagerman dam, running thence in  
a general southerly direction through  
Sec. 11 and through Secs. 14 and 13 in  
Twp. 23 S., R. 29 E., and through  
Secs. 18, 19, 30, 31, and 32 in Twp. 23  
S., R. 29 E., and through Secs. 6, 7,  
18, 17, and 16 in Twp. 24 S., R. 29  
E., and from thence projected on  
through the intervening Sec. to the  
boundary line between the Territory  
of New Mexico and State of Texas;  
and also the following described lands:

E $\frac{1}{2}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , NE $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 12 Twp.  
23 S. R. 29 E., N. M. P. M.; SW $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  
W $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , SW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  
SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 18; N $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$   
4, Sec. 19; S $\frac{1}{2}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , NW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  
N $\frac{1}{2}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 20; NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 20;  
E $\frac{1}{2}$  and NE $\frac{1}{4}$  N  
W $\frac{1}{2}$  Sec. 30; SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 31; W  
1/2 S. E. 4 Sec. 32; SW 1/4 and S 1/2 N  
W 1/2 Sec. 32 Twp. 23 S. R. 29 E. N.  
M. P. M.; W 1/2 NE 1/4, NW 1/4 SE 1/4, N  
E 1/4 SW 1/4, W 1/2 SW 1/4 and NW 1/4 Sec.

5; N $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , E $\frac{1}{2}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 8;  
E $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , SW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 8;  
SW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  and SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 9; S $\frac{1}{2}$  S  
W $\frac{1}{2}$  Sec. 10; SE $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , W $\frac{1}{2}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  
S $\frac{1}{2}$  and NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 15; NE $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  
Sec. 17;

N $\frac{1}{2}$  N $\frac{1}{2}$  Sec. 22, Twp. 24 S. R. 29  
E., N. M. P. M.; and also that certain  
water right covering above described  
lands and other lands granted said  
Pecos Irrigation Company by Vernon  
L. Sullivan, territorial engineer, on the  
22nd day of October, A. D. 1909, and  
recorded in Book 2, Miscellaneous Re-  
cords of Eddy County, New Mexico, at  
pages 440 to 455 inclusive; together  
with all and singular the lands, ten-  
ements, hereditaments and appurten-  
ances thereunto belonging, or in any  
wise appertaining and the reversion  
and reversions, remainder and re-  
mainders, rents, issues, and profits  
thereof; and all the estate, right, title,  
interest, claim and demand whatsoever  
of the said party of the first part,  
either in law or equity, of in and to  
the above granted, bargained, sold and  
described premises, with the appurten-  
ances. Also to cancel a certain deed  
of trust made by the Harroun Land  
Company in favor of the Commercial  
Trust Co. of Kansas City, Mo., se-  
curing \$250,000.00 of the bonds of said  
Company. Also to cancel said bonds,  
said deed of trust being recorded in  
Volume 14 of page 424, et seq., of Re-  
cord of Mortgages of Eddy County, N.  
M. To revive a certain mortgage and  
indebtedness made by the Pecos Val-  
ley Alfalfa Farms Company for \$12,-  
600.00 and an equitable lien created by  
the U. S. District Court for the State  
of New Mexico, in behalf of Intervenor  
E. P. Bujac, said mortgage being  
recorded in Volume 14 at pages 190  
and 191 of Record of Mortgages of  
Eddy County, New Mexico, covering  
all the lands hereinbefore described as  
being covered by the mortgage of the  
Hagerman Development Company and in  
addition thereto the following land,  
to-wit:

W $\frac{1}{2}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , and NE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , and  
NW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 16 T. 23 S. R. 29 E.,  
N. M. P. M.; NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 31, Twp. 23 S.  
R. 29 E., N. M. P. M.; N $\frac{1}{2}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  and  
SE $\frac{1}{4}$  and SW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 31, Twp.  
23 S. R. 29 E., N. M. P. M.; NW $\frac{1}{4}$   
NW $\frac{1}{4}$  and S $\frac{1}{2}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , and all of  
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , and SW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 7 Twp. 24  
S. R. 29 E., N. M. P. M.; E $\frac{1}{2}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  
and S $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 18, Twp. 24 S. R.  
29 E., N. M. P. M.; together with all  
water rights appurtenant thereto.

Or in the alternative to establish  
plaintiff's equitable lien to secure \$12,-  
600.00 of said bonds to the lands last  
mentioned declaring said debt existing  
against said property and securing the  
same with an equitable lien impressed  
against the same.

To cancel a certain contract, insofar  
as it affects intervenor, dated the 19th  
day of May, 1914, entered into be-  
tween this intervenor and defendants  
W. H. Harroun, Joyce-Fruit Company,  
J. A. Hartshorn, E. E. Hartshorn, C.  
C. Marshall and C. M. Richards, trust-  
ee, and for judgment against the  
plaintiff Mrs. Geo. H. Harroun and the  
defendants A. L. Harroun, W. H. Harroun,  
Mrs. Eva K. Harroun, Harroun  
Land Company and Winfred T. Kirk-  
patrick for the full amount of \$12,600.  
00 and interest due on certain bonds of  
the Harroun Land Company, held by  
intervenor and for such other and fur-  
ther relief both at law and in equity,  
as intervenor may be entitled to under  
the allegations in his petition.

That said plaintiff Mrs. Geo. H.  
Harroun and defendant A. L. Harroun  
and hereby notified that unless they  
enter their appearance in said cause  
in defense of intervenor's petition of  
intervention on or before October 9th,  
1916, judgment will be rendered a-  
gainst them by default. C. R. Brice is  
attorney for intervenor and his busi-  
ness address is Roswell, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and the seal of the  
Clerk of said court this August 25th,  
1916.

A. R. O'QUINN  
(Seal) County Clerk.

E. M. KEARNEY,  
Deputy.

### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

United States Land Office.

Roswell, New Mex., June 30th, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that the  
State of New Mexico, under the pro-  
visions of the Acts of Congress ap-  
proved June 27, 1898, and June 20,  
1910 and acts supplementary and am-  
endatory thereto, has filed in this  
office selection lists for the following

described lands:  
List No. 7333, Serial No. 034967.  
NE $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 33 T. 24 S., SE $\frac{1}{4}$   
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , NE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 7 T. 25 S. R.  
34 E., N. M. Mer. 120 acres.

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

EMMETT PATTON,  
25-Aug-5 Register.

### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Roswell, New Mexico, May 31, 1916

Notice is hereby given that the  
State of New Mexico, under the pro-  
visions of the Acts of Congress ap-  
proved June 21, 1898 and June 20, 1910  
and acts supplementary and amenda-  
tory thereto, has filed in this office  
selection lists for the following de-  
scribed lands:

List No. 7253, Serial No. 034838.  
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , SE $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 18.  
Lots 3 & 4, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , E $\frac{1}{2}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 19,  
Tp. 23 S, Range 26 E, N. M. P. Mer.  
518.89 acres.

List No. 7250 Serial No. 034841.  
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 27, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 28, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  
W $\frac{1}{2}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , SE $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 29 Tp.  
26 S, Range 16 E, N. M. P. Mer., 600  
acres.

List 7251 Serial No. 034842 S $\frac{1}{2}$ , Sec.  
29, Lots 1 & 2, N $\frac{1}{2}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 38, Lots  
3 & 4, N $\frac{1}{2}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 34, Tp. 26 S,  
Range 16 E, N. M. P. Mer., 605.78  
acres.

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

EMMETT PATTON,  
25-Aug-5 Register.

### NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT.

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

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

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

Said defendants F. M. Masters, Sa-  
rah E. Masters, Wilson L. Ashbrook  
and Estelle Ashbrook are hereby noti-  
fied that unless they enter their ap-  
pearance in said cause on or before  
the 29th day of September, 1916, judg-  
ment will be rendered against them  
by default.

S. D. Stennis, Jr., Esq., is the at-  
torney for plaintiff and his business  
and postoffice address is Carlsbad, Ed-  
dy 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.



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### COUNTY NEWS ITEMS

#### KNOWLES LOCAL

J. H. King, of Yoakum County, Texas, was a business caller in Knowles last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Perry left for their home in Stephenville, Texas, last Friday morning.

Wm. Bracken of Seminole, Texas, was in Knowles visiting relatives during the past week.

W. C. Howard one of Lovington's foremost business men, was over calling on the business men of Knowles.

Manning Lewis one of the popular punchers was in town on a short vacation last week.

R. I. McCully made a business trip to Carlsbad last week—will stay to look after the court.

Miss Ruth Turner, is taking a well earned vacation, after conducting the hotel for several months.

John Warren, one of the old time boys of this section, now of Dublin, Texas, was a visitor, last week.

Billy Quinn from across the Texas line, was a caller in this being the other day.

Mrs. G. O. Chance came in from the ranch and did some necessary shopping this week.

R. H. Trowbridge, of the Monument section was a business caller, here the other day.

Allen Stewart the deputy from Carlsbad, was in this vicinity, an official business last week.

Kirk Patterson, one of the old settlers of this section, has returned, and is looking around.

J. W. Pruitt the Lovington officer, was in this vicinity, taking a peep, the other day.

Billy Dublin, of Midland, Texas, was up to see us, in his big fine roadster, during the big rain.

J. H. Hughes of the Nadine country, was a welcome visitor among the bunch the other day.

The Knowles school house now has a most pleasing appearance. Beard and Spelman were the boys that did the work.

Fred Nymeyer came up from his ranch south of Monument just to see how the country was progressing last week.

Wm. Scarborough, of Midland, Tex., bought the Garret yearlings last week. Price not stated.

E. W. Heath of Yoakum County Texas, was a pleasant visitor in this village last week.

H. P. Estes of Midland, Texas, came by to see how the boys were behaving themselves the other day.

Obe Chance went to Lamesa after a load of lumber, and of course as usual it rained on him all the way.

There seems to be some demand for land in this vicinity, thereby of course advancing the price asked, several points.

Kerosene John was in Knowles the other day, and he wasn't blazing either.

Geo. Bloomfield, of Lamesa, Texas, was here for several days during the past week.

Hy Fotes, of Andrews, Texas, was a visitor in town the other day.

J. M. Wickson of Plains Texas, was a prospector in this vicinity a few days ago.

Gertude will join her aunt, Mrs. Heinse in Douglas and will enter school there Gertude has many girl friends here that wish her a pleasant journey and will be glad to see her again next summer.

F. Owen, of Artesia was in town Tuesday on business.

V. G. Barrow and Whit Knowles, both of Monument, were here the first of the week, looking after their interests.

Mrs. F. A. Wright was in Carlsbad the first of the week. She was enroute to Knowles from their home near Hope. Mrs. Wright was visiting their son here. She will teach near Knowles at the east Berber school.

Mrs. Cunningham and son Joe came in from their ranch near Lovington. Mrs. Cunningham was looking so well and spoke cheerfully of the new ranch home and seemingly enjoyed living out there and was especially well pleased with the picnic. Said so many Carlsbad people were ranching near them they felt very much at home.

B. T. Davis and daughter, Miss Edith were trading in our city Wednesday.

Mr. McCormack, of Eunice, N. M., was down Wednesday, making proof to his homestead. Mr. Grizzell and Mr. Turner also of Eunice were witnesses.

Mr. Wallace and family of Hobbs, New Mexico, were in our part of the country the last part of the week.

R. S. Withers and family and Mont Beckham and family returned Saturday from the Lovington picnic. They report an enjoyable time.

Pony Andrews and family were Jal visitors Saturday.

In the precinct election held here justice of the peace and Sam Dabbs Saturday, A. N. Chase was elected was elected constable.

Ben Collison of Midland, is in our midst this week looking for grass.

Rev. G. W. Irby and wife of Cooper were trading in Jal Friday.

Jeff Potter and R. T. Collison have gone to Midland after a herd of cattle for Doc Coates.

The contest for building the addition to the school house was let to J. B. Kumbrough.

Mr. Heath and son of Midland, Texas, were in Jal Wednesday in the interest of Walker-Smith Co.

Howard Chase made a trip to Pyote, the last part of the week.

R. L. Dyer is freighting from Pyote, Texas, for C. W. Justis this week.

Mont Beckham and family and Mrs. Whitmore and Bob Leck and family passed through Jal, Wednesday, on their way for Lovington to attend the big picnic.

L. M. Buffington went to Barstow this week.

Loving Represented at the Picnic.

Carl Smith and Earnest Rudeen left Carlsbad early Friday morning and made the run to Lovington in Carl's car in almost three hours, this was doing very well for any one not acquainted with the roads. The boys took their beds and were prepared to be comfortable leaving all the girls at home. They said themselves they did not need to be so selfish as Jerry Dunaway at Lovington treated them like lords, showing them every favor that could be expected. They visited Carl's uncle, Rufe Scoggins at Knowles, and decided he had a splendid ranch, good soil and fine grass, they sang the praise of the plains town so cheerfully that one would not be surprised to hear they had gone to the plains and staked out a claim.

Mrs. Thomas and children, Mrs. Gwartney and daughter, Mrs. Moritzky and children, Mrs. Keller, from Malaga went over to Mrs. Luther Thomas home at the Harroun ranch Tuesday and spent the day, enjoying a splendid twelve o'clock dinner.

Wednesday was a day of visiting Miss Sallie Gwartney and Mrs. Luther Thomas spending the day with Miss Margaret Cleveland and Mesdames Thomas and Moritzky and children were guests of Mrs. John Queen and family.

Sam Renicker and family of Otis, have been here at the Malaga gathering their crop of hay for the past few weeks, but have returned to their home at Otis.

Mrs. Kitty Keller who has been visiting Mrs. Thomas and her daughter Annie Overman visited Mrs. Sherman and Mrs. Moritzky Sunday afternoon.

Saturday, a number of Malaga folks were in Carlsbad, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Queen and Miss Josie, Mrs. Williams, Messrs John Plowman, Wallace, Thomas, Tod and Johnnie Moritzky motored to Carlsbad Saturday. The roads have been in a bad condition but they are getting passable now,

their cars, maybe for a long time if and many are getting out trying the strike really takes place.

Mr. Beeman's mother left for her home this week after a very pleasant visit with her son and family.

Mr. Hatfield, wife and daughter, Miss Inez are spending this week with Mr. Beeman and family fishing and resting. Mr. Hatfield has been very busy all summer at the normal in Silver City and he deserves a rest before school starts Monday.

Tom Reeves big Chalmers conveyed a picnic party to Avalon, Tuesday evening, where a splendid picnic supper was spread picnic fashion and enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Reeves and boys, Mrs. Bert Sands and children, Mrs. Sprong, Mrs. Atkinson and little son, Mr. and Mrs. Reeves left next morning for Lovington to look at a ranch. They were accompanied by Will Sprong and wife. Mrs. Atkinson and Mrs. Graham and children returning to their homes in Alamogordo last night.

#### NOTICE TO THE FARMERS.

The new flour mills for the valley are nearing completion, and will be ready to mill all kinds of grain on or about October 1st, and we will be in position to buy all Indian Corn, Kaffir corn, milo maize, etc., or any grain that will make feed, and pay the highest cash prices for the same. Especially Indian corn. If you have some good white corn that will make good meal we will pay you a fancy price for it.

We also expect to buy all wheat raised in the valley and will pay about ten cents per bushel more than you can get by shipping, or in other words will pay within twenty cents per bushel of the Kansas City cash grain market when it would cost you about 30c to 35c per bushel to deliver it there besides the shrinkage. We expect to furnish you with a much better flour than you have been getting at no additional cost.

Kindly soliciting your patronage, we beg to remain

Very respectfully,  
**CARLSBAD PROJECT MILLING COMPANY.**  
Loving, New Mexico.

#### QUEEN ITEMS

Lee Middleton and wife and baby Gus, went to Carlsbad Sunday accompanied by Mr. Poole, a government representative that came to Queen with Billy Anderson to classify some of the land. Mr. Poole left on the night train for his home in Alamo. Mrs. Middleton is going to spend the week in Carlsbad at the Anderson Sanitarium for treatment for neuralgia and getting dental work done.

School opened here Monday with good attendance—Wood Middleton teacher.

Dr. Lyon, who has so successfully treated Mother Middleton, has moved to the Ned Shattuck ranch, and Ned has moved his family to the residence at Queen for school purposes.

Billy Anderson representing the forest reserve is here this week, looking after the business in general. Mr. Anderson is an old timer in these mountains and hills and knows all the trails and water places.

Born—Tuesday to B. M. Raborn and wife a baby boy, mother and baby doing nicely.

Pat Middleton moved his wife and children to Queen for school benefits—and the baby boy has been critically ill all week.

The school in Dog Canyon will open Monday. The instructor Mrs. Dudley Smith is here this week classifying and arranging.

Dolph Shattuck passed through Queen enroute for town in his roadster the first of the week.

Ed. Bass and son Fred, left Dog Canyon for Carlsbad, Sunday where they will attend court.

Johnnie Stewart, wife and Wesley passed through Sunday enroute for Roswell to attend the Elks social.

**JAL LOCALS.**

Allen Stewart was in Jal Tuesday on court business.

A. N. Chase and J. R. Rich have sold their improvements east of Jal. The Walker's Medicine Co. agent to John Collison and C. A. Dublin, for Edy county was drumming business in our part of the world last Tuesday.

Mr. Acuff, and family left the early part of the week for Mitchell Co. Texas.

Mrs. Jim Dublin and daughter, Miss Stella returned Friday, to their home in Midland for the coming school year. They had spent the summer at the ranch near here.

D. C. Coates and Robert Trowbridge made a trip to Midland the early part of the week.

Miss Myrtle Cox and Lois Labeff and Messrs Reeder and Gussom came out from Pyote, Saturday. Miss Cox is to teach the Cooper school the coming term.

**Franklin**



**Chalmers**

"ASK ANY OWNER"

**J. S. OLIVER**

#### EDDY HOSPITAL NEWS

Miss Christine Krueger, of Lake-wood was operated on Thursday and is doing well.

W. C. D. Hill who resides west of town was brought in by Mr. Swickard. Mr. Hill's old age and weak condition making it doubtful for his recovery.

Master Roscoe Etter was operated on August 27th and is doing nicely.

Miss Louise Moore underwent an operation Aug 27th and removed home the same day.

Mrs. Victor Alveraz who underwent a serious operation Aug 23rd will leave the Institution Saturday.

Master F. Vermillion of Lake Arthur was operated on Monday and left for home Wednesday.

#### Killed in Hotel.

Mrs. Julia B. Moore, wife of Sam J. Moore of Dallas, was shot and instantly killed in a room at the Dowdy hotel, St. Jo, Tex.

Mr. Moore made a statement in which he said he was cleaning a pistol and it was discharged accidentally, the bullet passing the body of his wife. The couple were members of a carnival company.

#### High Cost of Bibles.

Now comes the high cost of Bibles. Dealers at St. Paul have received notices from the Church News association that on account of the high cost of paper they are urged to make last year's edition of the Bible do for this year. The European war, the dealers say, has increased the demand for Bibles along with the limited supply.

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## SPECIAL Excursion



Account Republican Nominating Convention at Santa Fe August 23d, round trip tickets to that point will be on sale for one and one-third fare, or \$28.47, on August 21st, 22nd, 23rd with final return limit of August 28. **ROUND TRIP SUMMER TOURIST.** Los Angeles, San Diego, San Francisco, Cal. \$58.50

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The present session of the District Court is the largest in number of civil cases and will probably develop more criminal business than any other in the history of the county. It is said that more than 300 witnesses will testify before the grand jury finishes its work. The murder of the sheep herder which occurred last winter or early in the spring seventeen miles west will require about forty witnesses to investigate. This was no doubt the most foul murder ever to have occurred in the county. A boy of 18 was herding sheep to support three little sisters who had been left orphans by the death of both father and mother. Now, that their only support was taken by the foul hand of a murderer who shot the boy in the back the poor little ones are left to the charity of strangers. That the grand jury may ferret out the guilty party and that his neck may be stretched is the hope of all good citizens.

The Eddy county Fair to open at Artesia the 13th and to be in session for three days is one of the most mer-

itorious of enterprises. The people of Carlsbad were prevented by bad roads from attending the picnic at Lexington to any great number and it would seem that we should all go in a body for at least one day of the Eddy County Fair. As the people of Carlsbad have failed for the past ten years to have any "doings" to which to invite their neighbors and even failed to get up a fair they should show their good will for those who have the energy to get up something by attending.

Monday was a busy day in Carlsbad, the streets were crowded with automobiles and the children coming and going from school made Carlsbad look like a business center. Court was convening and the private school, the high school and the Grammar school give an outsider an idea of the live town we represent. The enrollment the first day was 510, and the Parochial was 29 and Miss Kernodle's private school about 25.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Steinhage and son Carry have returned from the east where they spent the month of August visiting. They made the trip in their Ford roadster. Mr. Steinhage brought Garry to Carlsbad and placed him in school here. He is now boarding with Mr. and Mrs. Hyatt. Mr. Steinhage is foreman on the Swickart ranch.

W. T. Watkins, of Eunice, county Commissioner-elect came in Monday with his wife and three sons and three daughters.

Mrs. Ben Wheeler, her brother Bill Ohnemus, and the three children, Sadie Margaret, B. A. and the baby returned Thursday of last week from a ten days visit with their grand mother, Mrs. Miner, in El Paso. She is the great grand mother of the children and is strong and well. They had a very pleasant visit.

Saturday September 2nd Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rascoe celebrated their fifteenth wedding anniversary. Mrs. Rascoe was not very well so they quietly enjoyed the day, the neighbors and friends coming and going, bringing them greetings and wishing them many more happy years of wedded life.

THE WHITE MARKET is now open. Phone 231.

## THE CHINESE WAY

Taking a Street Car Ride in the City of Shanghai.

### A PUZZLE FOR A WHITE MAN

Experience of an American Tourist Who Made a Bluff at Appearing to Know All the Ropes—A Patient Conductor and an Interested Cargo.

Writing of his adventures in the Chinese city of Shanghai, Homer Croy, in Leslie's Weekly, tells of the experience he had there in taking a ride on a street car.

The car was full of Chinamen, with not another white soul aboard, all sitting there in their skirts, their faces as expressionless as the heads of drums, but as soon as I came in their faces began to fill with interest, one nudging another until the whole car was looking at me.

I felt that something was wrong, but I could not figure out just what. I knew that it shouldn't create that much of a sensation for a white person to get on a car in Shanghai, but still they were looking at me as if I could be signed by a circus. I struggled to look unconcerned, but I knew that my cheeks were blushing.

The conductor, in his suit of blue jeans, with a satchel over his shoulder, came up and said something to me, while I nodded with earnest carelessness and handed him a twenty cent piece, knowing that he could get enough out of it to satisfy his wants.

"Mun stau chong du?" he asked. "I nodded again and held out my hand for the change, plainly showing that I made the trip on the line twice a day."

"Mun stau chong du t'ing k'ing shon da?" he asked with more feeling, pointing down the street with one hand.

"I didn't catch the drift of his remarks, but I wasn't going to show him that I wasn't an old citizen and taxpayer, so I shook my head this time and nestled back in the seat as if I were all settled. But the conductor became more excited than ever, drafted the other hand and gurgled:

"Mun stau chong du t'ing k'ing shon da feah da tsu sz whoo peh quong?"

So I wavered in the other direction and tried to smile again, but the conductor came back with another round of monosyllabic re-enforcements. With that his fellow men in the car came to his help with an arsenal of words each one thinking that he could make it plain by raising his voice just a bit higher than the one before.



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The British torpedo boat Lasso was sunk off the coast of Holland by a German submarine. Six of the crew are missing and two were injured.

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When I went to get off I saw several other white people piling off, but they were all from the front end of the first car. Then I looked at the markings on the car and saw what was the matter—I had been riding in the third class section with the coolies!

All the Shanghai street cars are divided up into classes—first, second and third. The white people all ride first class, the better to do Chinese second while no one ever ventures third except the coolies.

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Novelties Galore With Howe's Big London Circus.

The great London Shows Consolidated will appear in Carlsbad Monday September 18.

While the Glasgow World Famous \$25,000 Prize Winning Horses are the great feature, the regular line of circus acts is fully up to the standard set by the Howe Circus in the past.

The Bartik Parisian Troupe are seen for the first time in America, the original Zanfretta family are among the big acts; Marie Meers of the Meers Sisters, the Riding Low-Indes; the bronco troupe of acrobats have no peers. The Kentucky High School Horses are seen only with this show. The clowns are funny, the gymnasts clever, the elephants numerous and the menagerie is large.

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## CARLSBAD LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Pate of Otis were shopping in Carlsbad yesterday.

Hank Williams and wife of Monument were in town Wednesday shopping.

Bob Weather and L. E. Estlack both of Eunice are here this week for court.

Luther Cooper and Alfred Pope are here from Monument, attending court.

Word from Bert Sands locates him in Douglas, Ariz., where he may decide to locate.

S. T. Burk the ranch man from Monument came in Tuesday to attend court.

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J. H. Williams, wife and two children, of Monument, were shopping in town Wednesday.

Jules Baker the Association and Sanitary board inspector from Eastern Eddy was in town this week.

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H. S. Record and Jule Baker who are partners in ranch and cattle were here all week on court duty.

F. E. Little and family have moved to town for school purposes. They occupy their residence south of the Dean home.

Miss Garnett Fletcher came up from Lovington Saturday and will stay with Miss Gladys Eaken and attend school.

Paul Ares and wife came down from the ranch yesterday and are the guests of their parents Dr. and Mrs. Bearup.

B. H. Turner, the hustling merchant from Hobbs came in Monday in his jitney and delivered a large quantity of produce.

Miss Roberta Henderson of Malaga is with Mrs. Redmon, and being a trained nurse. Her speedy recovery is certain.

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H. G. Howard and family have returned to Loving where they opened school Monday. Frank is at Otis looking after the apery there.

Ed Burleson, and two children, J. D. and Dalie are spending a few days in town getting school supplies. They will attend school at Queen.

Mr. Owen from Dog Canyon is here to move his family home. They have been here since the drought and he will move them home this week.

Father Valerian Renier formerly stationed at Jemez, N. M., now at Roswell came down from there Friday for a visit with the fathers here.

Miss Irene Wesley came up from Loving Saturday and entered High School Monday. She spent this week with the Misses Chilcoat.

Charlie Ward has moved his wife and baby to town. Mrs. Ward's little sister Katy Simmons will spend the winter with her and attend the school.

Hillery Boyd returned Tuesday afternoon from Dalhigh, La., where he went with three cars of horses with R. C. Barnes at Oak Grove and then returned.

Miss Modine Bates and Miss Wardie came in from Panama ranch. Wardie will stay with Mrs. J. G. Osborne until her mother moves to town.

Miss Ora Nymeyer and two children came up from Loving Tuesday evening and was the guest of the Misses Elsie and Naomi Wallis for a couple of days.

C. C. Harbert returned last Saturday to his ranch after a very pleasant visit to Ocean Beach, Cal., where he left his wife and daughters for a visit of a couple of months.

Mrs. Henry Robb and son, Preston are joining Mr. Robb in Tryon, going get off in time to get there before the strike, but her many friends here are not so pleased that she is going. With her going Carlsbad loses one of the best photographers in the west, one that makes your interest hers, is always wide awake and studying the latest thing in her line. She has many friends and neighbors that appreciate her and feel sure that she will find pleasant friends and neighbors in Tryon. Preston will be missed by the boys and girls at school, church and in a social way. Only pleasant memories can be associated with their name and wish they may not be absent too long.

W. G. Woerner, Colonel Harden, Mrs. Lavery, Mrs. Cooley and little daughter Jaunita came in Monday. Some of the party are visiting others on business.

Ray Cox returned from Pecos Saturday on the evening train. He accompanied his cousin home and was there for a short visit with his aunt before school started.

Miss Jessie Glen Bullock of Artesia, who finished the high school there this last term of school, passed through Carlsbad, spending Tuesday night with her aunt Mrs. Stanford on her way to Denton College. Mrs. Stanford returned from Artesia Sunday afternoon when she enjoyed a pleasant visit with E. B. Bullock and family.

J. W. Thurman and son Harlan, and granddaughter Vera were in town Wednesday from their home on Black River.

Mr. Asbury Moore has accepted a position with J. F. Flowers, as saleslady. Mrs. Moore is well and favorably known by everyone, and she will find the work a pleasure seeing and meeting so many of her acquaintances.

Johnnie Stewart and wife and baby spent Tuesday night with Mr. Stewart's sister Mrs. Vest. They were returning from Roswell where they attended the Elks social, they returned to the Queen Wednesday.

The old friends of W. H. Wimberly, familiarly known as Heck, who has been ill so long, and was removed to San Angelo, where he immediately underwent a number of operations on the lung has recently come to his daughter's Mrs. J. H. Mullane's at Van Horn, Texas where he seems to be on a fair way to recover. He has been in about eight months.

Mr. Crauder has moved his family to Loving where the children will enter school and Mr. Reaker and family now occupy the residence with Carl Smith, as Miss Pearl is leaving soon for California where she will Nellie.

Tuesday a gay party of young folks motored to Avalon Dam enjoying a swim and a picnic supper of fried chicken and various other dainties, returning to town formed a gay line at the "Movies" and repaired to the Sweet Shop where the popular proprietors served them the "Best." These enjoying the evening were the Misses Merchant, Christain, McIntosh, Roberts, Tracy, and Messers Lawrence, Arthur O. Dism, Ande Luk, Robert Toffelmire.

Letters from Miss Mary Hubbard at Ray Arizona, cause one to think that she is certainly the center of attraction in many social affairs being given in her honor and she has not thought of coming home.

Lee Middleton and wife are leaving today for Queen. Mrs. Middleton was at the Anderson Sanatorium for treatment all this week.

Word was received here this week that Mark J. Price, a druggist at Emporia Kansas died at his home Friday. Mr. Price will be remembered by many Carlsbad people as he spent last winter here returning to his home in February. He was here for health benefits, and made many friends. All the children on the near street where he roomed were very fond of him. He had a wife and was a talented young man.

L. G. Elliott and wife of Roswell are delighted with their new baby daughter Mary Elizabeth Elliott who arrived Monday September 4th. Mr. and Mrs. Elliott were residents of Carlsbad and have many well wishing friends in the valley.

### Her Own Vegetables.

**Reduces High Cost of Living; Raises Carlsbad, N. M., July 21.**—And a woman shall show them, in this particular case, how to grow a garden successfully. Mrs. Mr. Chaytor conducted a hotel and this year hit upon the plan to grow something for the table on a city lot. Her patrons have revealed in everything in the way of fresh vegetables right out of this tiny garden.

Back of a decorative billboard is hidden this spot with everything listed in the seed catalogue growing vigorously and luxuriantly. One crop harvested, another takes its place. Every bit of ground is busy all the time. A flower here and there gives color to this patch of utility.

The lesson is obvious enough. Here Mrs. Chaytor without any special training and no irrigation experience raises a prolific garden. The Pecos Valley and New Mexico as a whole for that matter ships in any quantity of garden stuff at this very time, even the farmers being often patrons of the green grocer. New Mexico needs a "feed itself" campaign.

**Dance at Club Rooms.** As cooler weather returns the young people return to their favorite resort. Wednesday at the club rooms in the evening, twenty couples or more, with Mrs. Lige Merchant as hostess, danced the hours away to the pleasing strains of the Mexican orchestra. The crowd repaired to the Sweet Shop parlor where dainty refreshments were served.

**Off For San Antonio.** Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Tucker of Loving are leaving in their auto for Texas to visit various points, going direct to Fredericksburg to visit Mrs. Tucker's mother. Her mother is 84 years old and gets around with ease, looks after her own home. They want to get to San Antonio by the 13th to take in the fair there. Mr. and Mrs. Tucker have friends and relatives from Fredericksburg to Pleasanton and their friends here wish them a pleasant trip. They are leaving to-morrow if the rain does not prevent.

**Home and School Association.** The Home and School Association will meet at the high school auditorium next Friday evening and a full attendance is requested on account of the annual election of officers.

**Contest at Loving.** The contest between the school children at Loving has been closed. In the pig contest, B. A. Nymeyer, William Nymeyer, second, Dudley Welsh, third; Wallace Bullock, 4th, Lee Nymeyer, 5th, Lucas Fletcher, 6th; Lucian Fletcher seventh. Carl Donelson was first in the freestyle class.

J. F. Flowers is getting a much needed rest. He has stood the warm weather remarkably well, and with the good help he has at the Cash Store he will rest up to be for the winter's work.

Mrs. Bill Ward accompanied her son Homer to the state agricultural college at Mesilla Park, New Mex., where he will take a course in Live Stock husbandry. Mrs. Ward expects to return when Homer is pleasantly located.

Ralph Thayer and wife came down from the ranch Wednesday to see Miss Mabel Thayer before she left for school Monday and found her very ill with a number of aches and of which would cause high temperature.

Miss Mabel Thayer, who has been very ill this week will not be able to get off to school Monday as she had planned. She expects to return to Denton Texas where she attended school the past semester.

B. H. Abbs came in Monday from the mountains. He says they have had fine rains and a big rain fell all over that country on Sunday flooding the last Chance and the Seven River Country.

The ladies of the Christian Church will have a Red Cross Tea on Wednesday the 27th inst. The place to be announced later.

Dan Jones the carpenter from Hope with his family are occupying the residence north of the Rightway hotel.

W. C. Brainard and sister Miss Callie Williamson and little brother Dwight returned Saturday from Kansas City. Mrs. Brainard was afraid the strike would keep her away from home too long, so she returned a week earlier.

Mrs. J. E. Lavery returned Monday from Knowles with W. G. Woerner, where she has spent a few weeks with her daughter Mrs. John L. Emerson. Mr. Lavery going out last week spent a few days with them. There was about twenty assembled for a week of pleasure—Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Perry, two daughters and Mrs. Gertrude Bazel coming from Stephenville, Texas, by auto, and shopping a week. Mother Bell, of Andrews and two sons I. C. Bell and family from Midland and Oscar Bell and family from Andrews—Mr. and Mrs. Shumate and family from Midland, Mother Bell and Mrs. Lavery are sisters and Mrs. Shumate is Mrs. Bell's daughter. Each family came up in their cars and most of them spent a day or so at the Lovington fair. The weather was fine and the party enjoyed a number of picnic dinners and social hours together.

**Birth—Monday, September 4th** to Mr. and Mrs. Bud Pruitt an eight pound, bright eyed baby daughter, the tiny Miss seemed as well pleased with her new home and blue ribbons as her fond mother and smiling dad were to have her. It has been four years since a baby has gladdened their home and all are doing nicely.

A handsome Smith-Wesson revolver was presented to Frank Kindel by Robert-Deaton Co., for his bravery in notifying the night watchman and officers, when the Mexicans entered that store a few weeks ago.

Jaunita Cooley, of Knowles is spending the week with her little friend Mary E. Mullane. She came in Monday with her mother in the big Woerner Chalmers. They have had a pleasant week spending their nickles at the Sweet Shop and visiting the movies.

J. Floyd Hart—Doc Jackson and others left early Thursday afternoon for the Delaware where they spent the night fishing. Some one in the party landed an 18 pound cat fish, other smaller ones were caught and fried them.

Mrs. H. C. Dickson and two children, Harold and the baby girl, Alena returned from a very pleasant visit in Roswell Sunday afternoon, where she enjoyed a number of social affairs planned in her honor by her former school mates, relatives and friends.

Mrs. Little Lindley, of Sherwood, Texas, and three children, sister of the Pruitt boys came last Thursday. She has spent this week with her brother and family Bud Pruitt. She is enroute for Lovington where she will place the children in school.

Whit Wright and J. G. Osborne returned from Santa Fe, Saturday, where they with many others attended the democratic convention. Mr. Wright is in Carlsbad this week attending commissioners meet.

Mr. and Mrs. Wingie, of Blue Springs, have moved to town and are occupying one of the Woerner rent houses. They have six nice daughters and are here for school benefits.

Mr. Frank Wesley and son Edward came in from Loving Friday. Edward was suffering from a slight dislocation in his back caused by heavy lifting and visited the osteopath, Munger. Mrs. Wesley was a guest of Mrs. W. H. Mullane and was arranging to place their daughter, Irene in the High school here.

C. C. Harbert returned last Saturday to his ranch after a very pleasant visit to Ocean Beach, Cal., where he left his wife and daughters for a visit of a couple of months.

M. L. Matkins, of Eunice, county commissioner elect came in Monday with his wife and three sons and three daughters. The sons are, Leo, James and Ode and the daughters Esther, Susie and Helen. The children were much entertained as it is seldom they come to Carlsbad.

C. E. Thomas, the merchant of Dog Canyon came in Monday with Dolph Shattuck in the latter's Ford. Mr. Thomas says the country is settling fast and his business growing, there being over forty families within eight miles from his store and that a postoffice is badly needed.

Dr. Diefendorf left for Chicago, Ill., Tuesday night, where he will join his wife and spend the winter. His daughter and grand daughter live there. Dr. is leaving the Buena Alfalfa farm in the care of Mr. and Mrs. Downing. Mrs. Downing arrived from Sioux City, Iowa, Friday and attended St. Edward's Church here Sunday. She is favorably impressed with Carlsbad and the valley inclusively.

### Four Years Old.

Little Mercedes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Halbert arrived at the mature age of four years on last Saturday, September 2nd. The occasion was duly celebrated by Mercedes and fifteen or twenty of her little friends and several grown ups at her home on Canyon street from three to six.

The little tots amused themselves on the lawn with games and the cute little gifts brought to Mercedes by her friends. Some of the grown folks contributed stories. "Madam Thorne made the little folks eyes very big with a wonderful blue story.

Telling them a bear story and one about the woman and the pig, which seemed to be new to them all—Miss Vera Hart the artist sketched Red Riding Hood" and told the story, then swiftly her nimble fingers drew a lovely rosy face and a beautiful story was told of the rose girl. The children were very still and wonderfully good listeners.

The crowning event was the birthday cake decorated with four pink and blue cakes, pink cakes and little animal favors so sweet that they melted away in quite a miraculous way. Refreshments were served by three little maids Louise Moore, Nellie Chilcoat, and Wardie Leek in quaint little caps and aprons of pink and blue. Those who assisted Mercedes to celebrated were Marjorie Waite, Louise Moore, Nellie Chilcoat, Wardie Leek, Lucile Hays, Hazel Herring, Emily Geer Moore, Alice Gordon, Leroy Rhy, Howard and Delvin Smith, Lowell Price, Victor Minter, Jr., John Barb, J. M. Halbert, Jr., Mrs. Minter, Madam Thorne, Miss English, Mrs. Barb, Mrs. John Moore, Mrs. Boyd, Miss Hart, Mrs. Halbert.

B. A. Nymeyer and Carl Donelson will go to the Artesia Fair with their hogs.

The School on Black River opened Monday with good attendance with Miss Edna Johnson as the teacher. Mr. Johnson and wife came to town with Miss Edna that afternoon to get books and other necessary things for school.

### ANNOUNCEMENT.

On August 11, 1916, Ray's Electric Studio will be moved to the present Carlsbad Studio, opposite the Carlsbad Garage, and the following prices will be our regular prices from now on on kodak work compare them with what you are paying:  
Vest Pocket 10c per roll, 3c per print  
2 1/2 x 3 1/4, 10c per roll, 3c per print  
2 1/2 x 4, 10c per roll, 4c per print  
3 1/2 x 4 1/4, 10c per roll, 4c per print  
3 1/2 x 5 1/2, 10c per roll, 4c per print  
3 1/2 x 5 1/2, 15c per roll, 6c per print  
Post Cards, 6c per print  
10 prints, \$2.00 per doz.  
Discounts on Amounts over \$2.00  
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Mrs. Gorney and daughter Miss Sallie, passed through Carlsbad last night, returning to their home in Mountain Valley Kansas. Mrs. Gorney is the mother of Mrs. Moritzky at Malaga, where they have visited the last month.

Mrs. Will Sprong and little son R. B. left last night for the home of her grandmother in Cherokee, Oklahoma. Will expects to join her later and they will make their home there.

Car and Co. INSURANCE

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Neville and family have taken the second residence north of the Rightway hotel. Mr. Neville is the new expressman succeeding Mr. Jackson. Mrs. Neville is a sister of H. B. McCormick, who married the niece of J. F. McClure. Miss St. Johns, Mr. and Mrs. McCormick are expecting to spend their vacation here this fall.

J. W. McCallum from the mountains was in Carlsbad trading Monday. He said he was getting ready to ship his goats, expecting to commence about the fifteenth.

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## A LARGE BATCH OF INTERESTING LOCAL NEWS UNAVOIDABLY CROWDED OUT OF LAST WEEK'S CURRENT

Mr. Pilgrim a cousin of Lester  
Barker is here for a short visit.

Frank Stetson was here Wednes-  
day from his ranch on Black river.

E. A. Hamlet, of Odessa, Texas,  
was here this week looking after busi-  
ness.

Dave Stewart was here Wednesday  
from the Marvin Livingston ranch  
Tuesday.

Miss Pearl Smith is joining her  
mother and sister Nellie, in Califor-  
nia, where her father is ill. She goes  
tomorrow.

Mrs. and Mrs. S. E. Adams are pro-  
prietors of the Golden Leaf Cafe and  
admit a liberal patronage from the  
public.

Mrs. John Nymeyer and daughters  
Miss Nellie, also Mrs. Fred Nymey-  
er from Loving were in town yester-  
day shopping.

Mrs. Wm. Jones and son Leonard  
have returned to their residence on  
Greene Heights. They were planning  
to spend a few days in Roswell.

E. J. Harb's mother, Mrs. C. E.  
Hark from Hagerman, has spent a  
week or ten days here enjoying her  
grandson's company. She returned  
yesterday morning.

Mrs. Arthur Forehand has moved  
in from Black river this week and  
has rented one of the Tracy houses  
and will send the children here to  
school this winter.

Miss Louisa Baxter came in from  
Arizona, Wednesday, where she has  
been with her aunt Mrs. Durham.  
Miss Baxter will teach in the Otis  
school this year.

Miss Mary Usery has resigned her  
position with J. F. Flowers to take  
up her work at the high school. Miss  
Mary has filled the place acceptably  
and has made many friends.

Mrs. R. M. Thorne and children  
visit with relatives in Tennessee, also  
in Kansas.

Uncle Billy Fonville left for Wei-  
mert, Texas, Wednesday for a pro-  
longed visit.

Mrs. Redmon who was very ill  
again last week with very high fever  
is reported some better today.

E. C. Carter, E. B. King, Richards  
and Estlack returned from Roswell,  
stopping here a short time yester-  
day for gas.

Nat and Harry Huston, Jol L. Gra-  
ham and Reagan Middleton from the  
plains came to town yesterday and  
left for home Monday.

Mrs. Pierce and family returned to  
Kearney the first of the week. They  
have spent the summer here. Mrs.  
Pierce attending the normal.

Miss Mildred Walter accompanied  
Miss Isabelle Gray to the ranch  
Tuesday where she will stay until  
Sunday returning in time for school  
Monday.

D. J. Sweeten and party left for  
Roswell, Tuesday morning, expecting  
to tour the northern part of the  
state, and Arizona returning by way  
of El Paso.

A Mexican was brought in from  
Malaga Wednesday with blood poi-  
son in his arm. He was carried to  
the Anderson Sanitarium and is  
doing nicely.

Bob Leck and family of Kermit,  
Texas, have been here all week. Their  
little child was operated on at the  
hospital and they are waiting to take  
him with them.

A card from Mrs. H. C. Dickson in  
Roswell, states she is getting strong-  
er every day and is having a very  
pleasant visit with friends and old  
school mates there.

From Bear Springs  
J. R. Means, wife, Miss Julia Oran,  
Harden and the "Beas" John R. came  
down from their ranch at Bear  
Springs in their new Ford, passing  
through town yesterday afternoon  
enroute for Malaga to visit their  
daughter Mrs. John Plowman and  
family. They met Lewis Means their  
oldest son here and talked to him a  
few minutes before he started out to  
Queen. Mr. and Mrs. Means are  
wide and favorably known through-  
out the valley and the mountains, having  
lived here a score or more of years.  
They are not expecting to stay long  
at Malaga as Mr. and Mrs. Means  
are planning to visit Mrs. Means  
uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Geo.  
Latham at Almodoro. Miss Julia  
will spend two or three weeks with  
her sister at Malaga. They will em-  
ploy a governess at the ranch this  
year and expect to have school be-  
gin in October.

### PROGRESSIVE PITCH.

Mrs. Frank Miser was hostess Tues-  
day evening entertaining with pro-  
gressive ruck, a number of the boys  
and girls who are planning to en-  
ter school here and others who are  
going away. Games were played at  
various tables scattered through the  
spacious rooms of the Allen Heard  
residence. High score was won by  
Allen Tipton, a lovely woven bon bon  
basket filled with choice home made  
candy. Miss Grace Daugherty favor-  
ed those present with vocal numbers.  
Luncheon followed served at the  
various card tables. All present de-  
clared Mrs. Miser a pleasant hostess  
and hope she will decide to repeat  
the favor quite often. The guests  
present were Misses Grace and Ruth  
Daugherty, Lucile Johnson, Helen,  
Wallace, Nettie Smith, Mary Mize,  
Grace Stephenson, Lorene Powell,  
Gladys Bush, Helen McIntosh, Dora  
Smith of Portales, Helen Wright,  
Lillian Crawford, Ada Fowler, Dor-  
othy McIntosh, Mary Usery, Mes-  
srs Sam Roberts, Frank Lucas, Char-  
les Walker, Allen Tipton, John R.  
Snow, Paul Joyce, Everett Gran-  
tham, Jim Walker, Will Reed, Jr.,  
Ted Pate, Lyton Lewis, George and  
Robert Hemenway, Elmore Jones.

Mrs. Robinson and daughter, Cordo  
have returned from Ohio. She stop-  
ped over a few days in Artesia and  
finding a nice residence there that  
suited her, came down here and had  
her household goods shipped to Ar-  
tesia, and she and her daughter went  
up Wednesday. The daughter will  
enter school in Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. Harden Clark and the  
four girls returned from the ranch  
where they have been spending their  
vacation. Mr. Clark has come in to  
place the girls in school. He will re-  
turn to the ranch, where he will look  
after the cattle.

Mrs. J. H. Downing of Sioux City,  
Iowa, joined her husband Mr. Down-  
ing here yesterday afternoon. Mr.  
Downing has charge of the Dr. Dief-  
endorf acreage near Otis. They are  
splendid people, come well recom-  
mended and like the valley and will be  
a benefit to the valley socially and  
financially.

Nettie MacKindel accompanied Ova  
Butcher to the ranch this week  
going out with Mr. Lee in his car.  
They found he family ready to move  
in for school so did not get to enjoy  
it for many days.

Mrs. Dudley Smith left today for  
the Queen country where she will  
teach school in Dog Canyon. Mrs.  
Smith, (nee Harriet Vaughn) is a  
lovely young woman and besides  
being an educator is a splendid vo-  
calist and will make many friends in  
that vicinity, and on the other hand  
she will meet splendid people and  
have good talent in her school. The  
good wishes of many friends are with  
her.

Miss Mary Vaughn left for El  
Paso, Thursday morning. She has  
accepted a position as teacher in a  
school near that city. Miss Vaughn  
taught in the Otis school last term  
and was very popular as a teacher  
and as young lady.

Ira E. Taylor, wife and children  
have spent a few days in town. They  
have made arrangements to place  
Lola the oldest girl in school. She  
will board with Mrs. Courtney and  
her daughter.

Arthur Mayos and wife were in  
town from Upper Black river Wed-  
nesday. Arthur was looking like  
they had never thought of a drouth,  
and was driving that Ford of his just  
like he had not heard of the strike  
and that gasoline would be a thing of  
the past.

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

Mrs. Bert Leck was hostess Tues-  
day afternoon at her home, entertain-  
ing a few neighbors and friends  
honoring Mrs. C. E. Barb, of Hager-  
man. After spending a few hours  
chatting and sewing they were serv-  
ed with ice cream and cake.

Miss Francis Nutt left for Silver  
City, yesterday morning where she  
has accepted a position as steno-  
grapher. Miss Haney formerly from  
Mississippi, but direct from Clovis  
here has accepted the position with  
S. D. Stennis.

John Harvey moved his family  
from the residence they formerly oc-  
cupied on Canal street to the resi-  
dence near Dr. Boatman. Mr. Butch-  
er and family will occupy the resi-  
dence between the Wallace and Holly  
Benson homes.

Miss Myra Williams and Miss Her-  
tha Smith returned from Chicago,  
where Miss Smith has spent the sum-  
mer with home folks and Miss Myra  
has been with her while taking in-  
struction in all the new lines of mil-  
linery. Miss Smith is one of the fac-  
ulty of the high school and Miss Myra  
will be with J. F. Flowers as mil-  
liner and sales lady.

Y. R. Allen and wife also Roy  
Walker and wife left for Santa Fe,  
Monday morning in the Allen car to  
attend the democratic state conven-  
tion.

Miss Marie Simons sister of Mrs.  
Roy Walker returned to her home in  
Chicago, Ill., last night. Miss Marie  
has spent the past month or six  
weeks with her sister and friends  
Mrs. Joe James, Mrs. Ellworth James  
and others. She has enjoyed her stay  
in the valley and her many friends  
expect her to return next summer. Her  
father is an engineer from Chicago to  
some point in Iowa, and possibly has  
advised to her to get home before the  
strike, which now seems to be inevi-  
table.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poore motored  
to Santa Fe, Monday, where Mr.  
Poore will attend the convention.

J. S. Oliver left Wednesday for  
Alamogordo where he will join  
John Oliver on her return trip  
from a visit with her mother in Ho-  
bart, Oklahoma. They are expected  
home Sunday night to be ready for  
school Monday morning.

Jim Simpson was in from the ranch  
at Chalk Bluff, the first of the week  
and was accompanied home by Mrs.  
Simpson, who has spent the last two  
weeks with her son and family Har-  
ry Woodman.

### Christian & Co., INSURANCE.

Wood Middleton arrived Wednes-  
day from Riddel, N. M., He is origi-  
nally from North Carolina. Mr. Mid-  
dleton has contracted for the Queen  
school and will go up first chance and  
be ready to open school Monday.

Mrs. Harlan Thomas and children  
spent a few days at the home of her  
brother John Reed, returning Tues-  
day. This is Mrs. Thomas' first visit  
there in three years. Mr. and Mrs.  
Reed and the children came to town  
with them.

H. E. James and wife were host  
and hostess at their home Tuesday  
evening last week entertaining their  
guests in a pleasing way and serv-  
ing them with a cow boy lunch at 6:30.  
Mrs. James was voted one skilled in  
the art of preparing this dainty and  
wholesome dish which served with  
the trimmings was surely pleasing to  
the eye and pleasant to the taste.  
The guests present were George  
Pendleton, wife, Miss Ruth and  
Henry, Fred Pendleton and wife and  
J. R. Linn.

Miss Hake, the popular milliner  
with Joyce-rPruit Co., who has been  
spending vacation with home folks  
in Missouri, and selecting popular and  
up-to-date styles at the various mar-  
kets returned to Carlsbad Saturday  
and has been very busy meeting her  
former customers and arranging her  
stock. She is thorough and pleasing  
with her work.

Mr. Lavery tiring of the solitude  
of keeping batch spent a few days on  
the plains, going out with Will  
Woerner the first of the week and  
returning yesterday. Mrs. Lavery  
is having a very pleasant visit with  
her daughters, Mesdames Perry and  
Emerson.

Mrs. Fannie Baird and daughter  
Miss Fannie Mae, returned from a  
pleasant visit Wednesday. While  
away they visited Mrs. Bairds sister  
in Goodnight, Texas, and her daugh-  
ter, Mrs. John Stephens in Clovis.  
Helen Lee stayed in Clovis with her  
sister and she and her sister Mrs.  
Stephens expect to come Sunday. The

altitude seems too high for her and  
she may stay down with her moth-  
er for some time.

Frank Vesley and wife, of Lov-  
ing, were in town yesterday by  
chance or mangement. They kept  
their hay from being damaged by the  
rain, and have had lots of fine mel-  
ons and vegetables.

John Draper, wife and two child-  
ren left this week by auto for their  
home near Corpus Christi. They ex-  
pect to be ten days or more on the  
way as they will visit Mr. Draper's  
sister Mrs. Brantley at Monahan and  
other relatives along the route.

Walter Glover was here the first of  
the week. He says the country is  
in fine shape but it required several  
hours to come owing to bad roads.

The people in that section had  
agreed to work the road this week and  
he was in favor of it. When asked  
about Clayton Miller he said he feared  
he was not doing as well as could  
be wished as the limb was very pain-  
ful and still running. He expected to  
bring him to a physician right away.

W. B. Chilton, father of Mrs. O. B.  
Wisdom arrived Friday from Nash-  
ville, Tenn. He came to see his daugh-  
ter who is at the Eddy Hospital  
for treatment and under went a min-  
or operation there Sunday. She is  
doing nicely today.

Mrs. F. Moore and little daughter  
returned to California Tuesday night,  
where they will join Mr. Moore, who  
has been there for some time. They  
have bought them a home in Califor-  
nia and Frank has a good position  
and enjoys his work.

Fifty pounds of buffalo fish  
was brought home from Avalon dam  
Saturday evening. W. H. Mullane  
and family and brother-in-law D. J.  
Sweeten, E. Sweeten wife and baby,  
J. Floyd Hart and family and Miss  
Lila Courtney motored to the dam to  
enjoy a picnic supper and show the  
visiting party this immense govern-  
ment plant. While there the  
gates were closed for a short time  
for the safety of the P. U. Co., who  
was doing some work at the plant,  
and a few pounds of buffalo was se-  
cured, which were brought home and  
used in various ways.

J. H. Graham, with George as ch-  
auffeur left for Post, Texas, Monday.  
They were taking some of their kin  
people to Post. Misses Rebecca and  
Eusie Graham, Miss Eliza his daugh-  
ter and Miss Johnnie Graham a  
cousin from Hagerman went over  
with them for the trip. They had  
been enjoying the barbecue and pic-  
nic and had a very pleasant time.

### HARRY WOODMAN

**VETERINARY SURGEON  
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All examinations at the CLUB  
STABLES will be made FREE  
OF CHARGE, services will be  
reasonable and satisfaction guar-  
anteed.

FOR RENT—My residence, four  
rooms and bath, west of the Mansion  
house will be vacant first week in  
September.

Wm. H. MULLANE.

**NOTICE—ICE CUSTOMERS.**  
Until further notice, private deliv-  
eries of ice will NOT be made Sun-  
day morning. Get your ICE Saturday.  
Ice deliveries during the week will  
be made from 7 to 10 a. m., and 4 to  
5 p. m.

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Meets first Thursday night each  
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Mrs. Helmick, with Miss Julia and  
Henry Hughes formed a fishing party  
to Avalon dam Sunday, where they  
had a splendid day and from the sta-  
ry they tell the fish did certainly bite.  
They caught about sixty nice fish,  
and all they could eat and brought  
a big string home, more than en-  
ough for both families for supper and  
breakfast, catching about sixty nice  
fish in all.

Mrs. M. L. Hughes and two child-  
ren left last night for an extended  
visit in St. Joe, Mo., with her moth-  
er Mrs. Duffet. They do not expect  
to return until the middle of Novem-  
ber. Mr. and Mrs. Weatherspoon  
and family are in from the ranch on  
the Delaware. They are making ar-  
rangements to move to town for the  
children to attend school this win-  
ter.

### Car Skidded.

Joe Richards and his father came  
near having a serious accident yester-  
day going up to Artesia, when  
within a few miles of town the Ford  
car they were driving skidded and  
threw both of the men out. Joe re-  
ceived a number of bruises and one  
arm badly hurt, his father seemed to  
escape unhurt.

### Picnic Party at Black River.

Sunday morning three Ford cars  
carried a party to the Albert John-  
son home on Black river, where they  
enjoyed a splendid picnic dinner un-  
der the big cotton wood trees on the  
bank of the river, where so many  
good dinners have been eaten. After  
dinner the crowd expected to see  
Blue Springs and eat supper there,  
but the rain drove them toward  
town and they eat supper at the  
flume. The water being out of the  
flume the party walked through to  
the other side, and some of the  
bravest walked over the top. Kodak  
pictures were made of the cars and  
the party in various ways—and mel-  
ons were enjoyed. The crowd was  
showing the Messrs. Sweetens and  
their wives the sights, and they seem-  
ed favorably impressed with the coun-  
try. Among those enjoying the day  
were the honored guests, D. J.  
Sweeten, and wife, his son Earnest  
Sweeten, wife and baby, Vasha, John-  
nie Harvey, wife and baby, Anna El-  
len, J. F. Hart, wife and two little  
girls, Verl and Guendelen, W. H.  
Mullane, wife and Mary E.

### FISH FRY.

Tuesday morning last week E. Hen-  
dricks and J. H. James took their cars  
and conveyed a party to Avalon dam  
where they spent the day catching  
fish and frying them and having an  
all day outing. Among those having  
the pleasure of going were the three  
Franciscan fathers, Gilbert,  
Cughbert, and the brother Christo-  
pher, Maggie, Elsie and Catherine  
Kircher, Edward and Christen Wal-  
terschied, Wilford and Leona Brock-  
man and others whose names we did  
not get. The party caught a number  
of nice fish 28 or 30 in all. After fry-  
ing all they could eat they brought  
some fish home.

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(Philadelphia Record)

## WILSON ACCEPTS RENOMINATION

IS FORMALLY NOTIFIED BY SENATOR OLLIE M. JAMES.

### TAKES PLACE AT LONG BRANCH

Before an immense gathering on the beautiful grounds of Shadow Lawn at Long Branch, N. J., President Wilson was formally notified of his renomination by the Democratic party for another four years as its choice as the head of the nation by United States Senator Ollie M. James of Kentucky.

A record of "peace, prosperity and happiness," while the Old World staggers beneath a load of sorrow, insures President Wilson's re-election in November, Senator James assured the chief executive.

The Kentuckian, who was chairman of the notification committee chosen by the St. Louis convention, spoke of the accomplishments of the administration.

In accepting the renomination the president outlined the achievements of his administration and scored the Republicans as a "party of masterly inactivity, standing pat to resist change. He declared that the Democratic party holds to very definite ideals.

The president said, in speaking of the party's legislative record, Democrats have virtually created commercial credit for the farmer; had given a veritable emancipation to the laboring man; had released the children of the country from "harmful labor," and, in addition to many other things, had put through national defense legislation greater than any ever "seriously proposed upon the responsibility of an entire political party."

And he concluded in this discussion, "we have come very near to carrying out the platform of the Progressive party as well as our own, for we are also progressives."

The president said his foreign policy was built on two fundamental principles: That property rights can be vindicated for claims for damages, but that "the loss of life is irreparable. I neither seek the favor nor fear the displeasure of that small alienmen among us which puts loyalty to any foreign power before loyalty to the United States," he said.

President Wilson advanced his Mexican policy as an issue upon which he could stand in the face of any criticism. While admitting the possibility of mistakes "in this perplexing business," he flayed those who would have recognized the "unspeakable Huerta."

### FIGHT IN THE DARK.

OKLAHOMA OFFICERS LAY IN WAIT FOR WHISKY WAGON.

As the result of a battle in the dark six miles southeast of Ardmore, Okla., Policeman Oscar Alexander of that city was killed, Mose Love, an alleged whisky peddler, in an Ardmore hospital seriously wounded, and William Love, his brother, slightly wounded, jailed. A young man named Williams was also taken into custody. One of the mules hitched to a loaded wagon was killed.

The officers were informed of the coming of a wagonload of whisky. They stationed themselves by the road and when they heard a team approaching commanded those in the vehicle to throw up their hands. The answer to this was a volley from shotguns. The officers fired their pistols. Some fifty shots were fired in the dark, the fight ceasing only when the officers had exhausted their ammunition.

In the party were three other officers, Alexander, who was about thirty years old, is survived by a widow and child and a widowed mother.

#### ON MILL MAN DIES.

J. W. Cleary, a leading cotton oil man of Dallas, died suddenly.

### COTTON, GRAIN AND LIVESTOCK

Dallas, Sept. 2.—Cotton: Middling fair, 15.75; strict good middling, 15.50; good middling, 15.12; strict middling, 14.94; middling, 14.75; strict low middling, 14.27; low middling, 14.00; strict good ordinary, 13.50; good ordinary, 13.25.

Grain.—Wheat: Per bushel, at Dallas mills, \$1.50, No. 2 bush soft. Corn: White, 93 to 95 1-2c; mixed, 91 to 95, delivered carload lots mill. Oats: Texas red, 50 to 53 sacked; 50 to 51, bulk.

#### Fort Worth.

Livestock.—Cattle: Beefsteaks, \$6.00 to \$7.00; cows, \$4.00 to \$6.00; heifers, \$3.50 to \$7.50; bulls, \$4.00 to \$5.25; calves, \$4.25 to \$9.50; stockers, \$6.00 to \$6.75. Hogs: \$10.20 to \$10.40. Sheep: \$4.00 to \$8.75; lambs, \$9.00 to \$9.75; goats, \$4.50 to \$5.50.

### MRS. C. VANDERBILT.

Head of National Active Guard Service Auxiliary.



### AUSTRIANS WRECK TUNNEL.

THIS ACTION TAKEN TO CHECK THE ROUMANIAN ADVANCE.

The famous Tomos railway tunnel through the Transylvania Alps has been dynamited and completely ruined by the Austrians to check the advance of the Roumanians on the important city of Kronstadt.

This tunnel is about 900 feet long and is situated on the Bucharest Budapest railway just inside the Transylvania frontier, eleven miles south of Kronstadt.

Sharp fighting occurred in that section shortly after the Roumanian declaration of war. Roumanian detachments, advancing from Predeal, went across the frontier and attacked an Austrian frontier guard. A portion of the latter was captured and Roumanians withdrew to the border and entrenched. Counter attacks by the reinforced Austrians were repulsed.

Roumanians invaded Transylvania in force on the southern border south of Hermannstadt and had an engagement near the Red tower pass.

Russian and Roumanian troops captured the principal Carpathian passes was information received at London from Bucharest.

Berlin advices are that two Roumanian battalions were defeated in an attack on the Austrian positions at Verstorony pass, south of Red Tower pass, and on the railway that leads to Hermannstadt.

Roumanians took the offensive at every point where fighting occurred, but were everywhere repulsed. Their principal attacks were against positions defending the cities of Hermannstadt and Kronstadt.

Berlin authorities issued an order attaching all the assets of the Roumanian state. German houses were ordered to pay money neither to Roumanian houses nor to Roumanian subjects.

Newspapers of the central powers and those friendly to the central powers pointed out that Roumania was practically allied with Germany and Austria until her declaration of war. It was also declared that street riots occurred at Bucharest following the war declaration.

#### Gigantic Sum Named.

Former officers, directors and counsel of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad were made defendants in a liability and restraining suit for more than \$100,000,000 filed in the United States district at New York by five Massachusetts stockholders of the road. The suit is based on evidence taken at the recent trial of William Rockefeller and other former directors of the road for alleged criminal conspiracy under the Sherman anti-trust law.

#### Woman Football Coach.

Jonesboro (Ark.) agricultural college will boast the first woman football coach. Mrs. Earl W. Brannon, a graduate of the University of Nebraska, will be mentor to the second eleven to be announced. Her husband is the head coach at the college. Heretofore the second team has been coached by members of the faculty.

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## WILSON'S ACTIONS DELAY CONGRESS

Legislation Concerning Strike Postpones Adjournment.

### SIX WEEKS MAY BE NEEDED

Even the Most Optimistic Assert That They Cannot Get Away From Washington Before Middle of September. Effect of Recommendations Will Be Far-reaching.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Sept. 4.—[Special.]—If congress could act as quickly as the president there would have been no need of the consternation which was caused when the railroad situation was passed on to the lawmaking body. Congress could have disposed of the various problems in a few days if it were as diligent and active as the executive in disposing of public business.

But congress is not active; congress is deliberate, and congress also has a way of making long and searching inquiries and longer and less searching political speeches when such a subject as the railroad problem is considered.

#### Month or Six Weeks.

Estimates of a month or six weeks were made as to the prolongation of the session on account of the latest move by President Wilson. Some of the most pessimistic individuals thought it would take at least six weeks to enact all the legislation recommended in order to meet the railroad labor questions, while the real optimists thought everything could be disposed of by the middle of September.

#### Far-reaching Effect.

After mature consideration it was concluded that the ultimate effect of the president's recommendations will be far-reaching. It is generally believed by men in Washington that there will be some difficulties in putting in operation all he suggested, but even that which congress deems necessary and will enact must be important upon future relations between capital and labor.

#### Four Thousand the Dividing Line.

Congress quite a long time ago decided that \$4,000 was the dividing line between rich and poor, and that line is maintained. The man with an income of more than \$4,000 is rich enough to pay income taxes. The man below that amount is poor enough to escape. Of course such exemptions are purely class legislation, but this government has gone a long way in the direction of legislation for different classes and against certain classes, and the probabilities are that it will go still further in the future. It might be well to remember in this connection that one class has the votes—the poorer class—which attempts are made to favor.

#### Kitchen Not Pleased.

While quite a large number of Democrats showed great pleasure over the final completion of the army and navy bills which go so far toward preparedness, Claude Kitchen, the house leader, did not display any great amount of pleasure. It did not look good to him, this expenditure of \$500,000,000 in order to be ready to fight somebody somewhere, we don't know just whom or when.

#### Long Conference Disputes.

The present congress has been remarkable for long conference disputes. Bills often remain in conference for more than a month because the conferees fail to agree. "If I was on a conference," remarked Senator Niggin of Virginia, and he has been on many, "I'd either have an agreement or I would stop conferring. It is the most childish thing I ever knew for grown men to meet and go over and over the same ground and come to the same result. I'd settle these questions one way or another or I'd stop talking about them."

One of the bills in dispute had been considered by Martin's committee, but he was not on the conference.

#### Adamson Sarcastic.

Chairman Adamson of the committee which deals with railway problems has often been brought in contact with Senator Newlands, chairman of the similar committee in the senate. No one was more interested than the Georgia member when it was known that the railroad problem was to be thrown into congress, and one day he delivered this sarcastic remark: "I do not know just what we will do. I see the president has been over to the senate to consult Newlands, which is the greatest public calamity that could have happened."

The Nevada senator is one of the most lovable men in congress, but he is thought to be impracticable in legislation.

#### Talk About Appropriations.

There is a little talk now and again about the large appropriations by this congress. Sometimes it takes on the character of a scrap, especially when Minority Leader Mann and John Fitzgerald lock horns or Cox of Indiana and Moore of Pennsylvania get to exchanging comments. At such times the colloquies become scraps and a war of wasty words flung back and forth across the middle aisle.

It is evident that the Republicans intend to make the expenditures a part of the campaign talk.

## SUGGESTIONS TO SETTLE STRIKE

Would Prohibit Shipment of Goods Made in Long Hours.

### LABOR LEADERS SEEKING IT

If Supreme Court Holds Child Labor Law Constitutional the Fight Will Be Instituted—Long Hours of Those Who Work on Farms Are Criticized Also.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Sept. 5.—[Special.]—One suggestion is made in connection with the proposed railroad legislation which would put in effect the eight hour plan all over the country and settle once for all that much agitated question. It is that a provision should be added to the recommendation of the president making it impossible to ship by interstate carriers any goods unless all component parts were produced by eight hour labor.

If the child labor law is held constitutional it is well known that labor organizations propose to have such a measure as suggested pressed in congress, but there will never be a better opportunity than during the consideration of the eight hour measure for the railroads.

#### Make It Apply to Farms.

"If such a bill is passed I hope they will make it apply to farms as well as factories," remarked a man who had spent his boyhood on a farm. "The long hours on the farm should be curtailed if long hours in shops, factories and on the railroads should be shortened."

One leading labor man said that there was just as much justification for barring the shipment of goods made by more than eight hours of labor as there was for making the railroad man's day one of eight hours.

As this question develops it will be found a big and interesting problem.

#### Chamberlain Versus Hay.

For four years Chairman Chamberlain and Chairman Hay of the two military committees have been in constant disagreement, scrapping over what ought to be done for the army. Hay has been holding back and opposed advanced legislation. For many months after President Wilson had changed his mind on preparedness Hay maintained his former attitude. In fact, he scarcely changed after the president had done so, but rather grudgingly granted what was demanded. However, even then he could not agree with Chamberlain, who went much further in the matter of military preparation than the president recommended, but finally had the president's support.

As to which man, Chamberlain or Hay, won out, it looks like a drawn battle. Chamberlain got the best of it in the legislation, but Hay got a life job on the court of claims.

#### Hughes and Wilson.

The interesting question has been about the candidates and which has been making the greatest headway.

"While Hughes has been campaigning in the west," remarked a Democrat, "Wilson has been campaigning in the east. Hughes has been traveling and talking; Wilson has been staying on the job and working. In my opinion he is winning the most votes by his methods."

"But," interjected a Republican, "there is where you are mistaken. The more Wilson does the more votes he loses."

And so it is a question of the kind of party glasses which are used.

#### One More Old Soldier Retired.

The senate will lose another old soldier of the civil war in the defeat of Senator Catron of New Mexico. Catron served four years on the Confederate side; but, unlike most men of the southern army, he did not become a Democrat. There are few more pronounced and staunch pat Republicans in public life than this New Mexico senator.

#### Wines of the Sections.

"East is east, and west is west," wrote Rudyard Kipling, and he might have applied his song to the wine schedule in every revenue bill which comes up in congress. There is an old, lasting and determined war between the wines of California and those of the other states. Missouri, Ohio, New Jersey and Virginia produce wines, but for some reason they do not get quite the same treatment as the California wines, and any attempt to equalize the difference is met with strenuous opposition by the California men.

#### Brought His Fame Along.

There is no doubt that Oscar W. Underwood brought his fame from the house to the senate. He was a leader in the lower house, and his leadership is frequently mentioned in debates in the senate. Particularly when he disagrees with his Democratic colleagues in regard to items in the revenue bill. Underwood thinks he knows the tariff and he also thinks he knows the Democratic attitude toward it.

#### They Have to Come Back.

Had it not been for the new railroad problem it is likely that the members who are away in their campaigns might have been allowed to remain. Perhaps a quorum would have been necessary for a day or two, but not for several days and weeks. The absentees had to come back.

## HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

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

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

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

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### PRESIDENT PRAISES LINCOLN.

FORTY THOUSAND CHEER UTTERANCES AT LATTER'S LOG CABIN.

President Wilson paid tribute to the memory of Abraham Lincoln before the humble log cabin in Laramie county, Ky., where the civil war chief executive was born.

Forty thousand people massed upon the hillside about the cabin and applauded Mr. Wilson as he spoke of Lincoln as the embodiment of democracy. Previous to delivering his address the president entered the granite memorial building housing the Lincoln cabin and for several minutes stood reverently examining the crude structure. Standing before the memorial, he accepted in behalf of the United States the Lincoln homestead, acquired by popular subscription by the Lincoln Farm association.

His train stopped at Hodgenville and at that place the chief magistrate laid a wreath on the Lincoln statue. There was a parade to the station. It then proceeded to the Lincoln farm, a distance of two miles.

### TEXAS ROADS GET INJUNCTION

SECURE A TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER AGAINST COMMISSION.

What promises to be a hard fought legal contest between Texas railroads and the state railroad commission had its inception when Houston attorneys for the Texas roads secured a temporary restraining order in the Fifth United States circuit court at Atlanta, Ga., from Judge Pardee to prevent certain increases in rates recently authorized by the commission from being canceled. Hearing date on temporary injunction was set for Sept. 28.

#### Long an Invalid.

Dr. William J. Finch, aged eighty-five years, died at McKinney, Tex., his home since 1881. He entered the Confederate army in Mississippi when the civil war broke out and became a captain before its close. Dr. Finch was a graduate of Tulane university, New Orleans. He resided with his son, Mayor H. A. Finch, and had been confined to his home over two years.

#### Santa Fe Manager Dead.

Charles W. Rouns, general manager of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa railway's eastern lines, died at his residence in Topeka, Kan., from heart exhaustion. He had just returned from Washington, where he participated in the eight-hour controversy, being one of the seven managers representing the railroads. He began his railroad career as a brakeman.



## FOUR MEASURES ARE SIGNED. ARMY, NAVY, PHILIPPINE AND BILL OF LADINGS.

President Wilson signed the army, navy, Philippine and the bill of lading measures.

The ceremony was featured by the presence of nearly a hundred persons, including Secretary of War Baker, members of the committees who handled the different bills in the house and senate, prominent Filipinos and others.

"I think the whole country will feel that congress has done a great service in the cause of national defense," the president said after signing the army appropriation bill. This bill, which provides appropriations for the army and does not deal with the reorganization plan, shows that the nation's finances are behind the defense movement.

"The navy bill," he declared, "is a remarkable one. Never before has so much been done to develop this branch of the service."

"The Philippine bill excites a peculiar feeling in me because there have been times when the people of the islands have doubted our spirit toward them. This provides for a genuine and broader self-government, contentment and political capacity. It is high time this country admitted this act of justice."

### Patterson Succumbs.

After lingering twenty-four hours Texas Insurance and Banking Commissioner J. S. Patterson, shot at Teague, died in the Providence sanatorium, Waco, where he was carried by special train. The bullet perforated both lungs. Burial was at his former home, Moody. He leaves a widow, three brothers and a sister. State Examiner McKinnon said Mr. Patterson was shot just after closing the bank. J. D. Moore of Austin was appointed receiver of the institution and suit to forfeit its charter filed. The governor telephoned Sheriff Harrison to take charge of the bank and lock it up. Two state rangers accompanied Mr. Moore to Teague.

### President Congratulates Cullerson

President Wilson sent the following letter to Senator Cullerson: "My Dear Senator: Your extraordinary success at the primaries in Texas gives me very deep pleasure. It is very delightful that you should have been so sustained by your own people and I congratulate you with all my heart. The party also is to be congratulated on your remaining at the post in which you have rendered such conspicuous service. WOODROW WILSON."

### Girl Rented to Death.

Terribly mutilated, Miss Pearl Murphy, twenty-six years old, was found unconscious in a barn at Chicago and one hour later died in the county hospital. Michael Flynn, thirty years of age, a laborer, was arrested. Flynn and Miss Murphy were sweethearts, according to the police. They were seen together the previous night and Flynn seemed in a quarrelsome mood. Miss Murphy was found lying on the floor of the barn. She had been beaten and mutilated with a pitchfork.

### Fifty Soldiers Blown Up.

Fifty Mexican soldiers were blown to atoms and fully twice this number more or less seriously injured by the dynamiting of a military train at Coahuila, Mex., according to statements made by non-commissioned officers arriving at Nuevo Laredo to accompany the Mexican peace delegates to New York. This week, which resulted in the almost total destruction of the train, is alleged to have been done by bandits operating along the line of the old Mexican Central railroad to the north of Queretaro.

## 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.  
Evening service 7:30 p. m.  
Choir practice 7:30 p. m., Tuesday.  
Prayer meeting 7:30 p. m., Wednesday.

At the Presbyterian church next day the pastor will preach in the morning "Religion in a Busy Life" and in the evening on "The Right Disposition." Evening worship with the change of the season has returned to seven thirty o'clock.

### 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.

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

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## RELIGION MAKES GREAT PROGRESS

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## EVERY CREED SHOWS GAINS

War Tragedy is Credited With Turning Men's Minds to Contemplate Serious Things of Life—Financial Support and Literature Keep Pace With the Professions of Faith.

Religion, despite the war or because of the war, made extraordinary progress in this country and throughout the world in the year 1915. Although the churches entered upon the year much discouraged on account of the disturbance of material things they have been making steady gains. Some analysts of the situation hold that the minds of men are turned by the tragedies of the trenches and the battle fronts to consider life from a more serious point of view. The year 1916 opens with the hopes of religious leaders fixed on still greater fruitfulness for their work.

Statistics now at hand from the principal religious bodies in the United States show an increase of 780,000 in a total of nine large denominations, which were credited with having 33,400,000 communicants out of the grand total of 38,725,000 reported for 1915.

year, when the complete figures are compiled in February it is believed that the same substantial rate of increase will be shown. The indications are that smaller organizations are making relative progress.

The Presbyterian church has gained a larger number of new members than in any year in its history. The gains of other churches for 1915 are: Catholics, 242,000; Baptists, 145,000; Methodists, 104,000; Lutherans, 60,000; Disciples, 50,000, and Episcopalians, 25,000. These figures would indicate that of the more than 100,000,000 inhabitants of the United States about 40,000,000 have church membership.

### Lately Has Been Most Active.

It is asserted that one factor in this growth on the Protestant side is due to the development of various activities among the laity, such as the laymen's missionary movement and various efficiency organizations in which the members themselves help the clergy in surveys and canvassing.

Contributions for missions to the various denominations have been unusually large. The Protestant Episcopal church has raised \$20,000,000 for its work and exceeded its missionary apportionment. The Methodists passed the amount which they hoped to raise by \$105,000. The Roman Catholics have been successful in obtaining abundant funds, and they have recently started to raise \$500,000 for a headquarters of the Knights of Columbus in New York city.

Benevolence to the war sufferers, to Christian associations, the Salvation Army and other agencies have been very large. The Jews have recently started a movement to raise funds for those of their race in war stricken lands.

Roman Catholics have shown growth in influence and under the new pope have increased their power in various European countries, including Eng-

land. Most of the religious faiths are free from controversy. The Episcopalians are debating still the question as to whether or not their board of missions should have voted to send delegates to the Panama congress on religious work. The Presbyterians are still struggling with the perennial problem of the orthodoxy of the Union Theological seminary, New York.

The literary output of the religious organizations has been unusually large. The printing of Bibles was the largest in the history of the world. American publishers, in part because of the war, have even been selling copies of the Scriptures in England. The American and British Foreign Bible societies in 1915 distributed the largest number of copies of Holy Writ in their existence.

The output of books on general religious subjects written by both clergymen and the devout laity has been unusually large. There has also been a notable increase in the production of religious musical works.

Boys and girls! Did you know that over \$6.00 has been paid out for Bibles? One girl has received \$1.50! Do you not want some money too? Dead files will be received Saturday morning from 8 to 10 o'clock by Mrs. Will Purdy, Mrs. Hatfield and Mrs. Raley. Remember each pint brings 5 cents. For each ten quarts an additional ten cents or a ticket to the picture show will be given. There will also be a prize at the end of the season for the child who has brought in the most files.

Bill Daugherty of Atoka was in town yesterday looking fine, he made this office a pleasant call.

Christian & Co., INSURANCE.

Miss Edith Pollew from Toronto Canada arrived last Friday to spend the winter with her aunt Mrs. McArthur. Miss Polley's has two brothers with the English army, one of them, Herbert Polley made his home with Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McArthur for four or five years and will be well remembered by many of his friends here.

Mrs. J. P. Wangler returned Saturday from a visit at her old home in Iowa. She is looking well and said she had met many of her friends while away.

Mrs. W. J. Barber and little daughter returned Tuesday from San Marcos Tex., where Mrs. Barber was looking after rent property there. Barber-Nell is with Rev. and Mrs. Lowry attending school. Mrs. Barber and Annie Lee are at the ranch home. Mrs. Barber was detained Monday by a wash out on the road from a cloud burst.

Misses Allene Baker and Flora Hogg, Messrs W. I. Johnson and Ross Clemens of Lakewood were the guests of the Hatfield home, coming Saturday, a party of friends accompanied them to Avalon Dam Sunday and spent the day Kodaking and enjoying a picnic spread.

Jud Alston of Pearl called at the Current office today. He says things looking fine out their way.

Miss Johanna Hudiburgh left last Thursday for some point in Kansas where she has a position as teacher.

## STATE DEMOCRATS

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appreciate the service he has rendered, and how highly they esteem him as an official and a man.

Every other candidate on the ticket has attainments and achievements to his credit which entitle him to a marked consideration and the support of all the best elements in the state, Antonio Lucero, one of the most popular men in New Mexico, nominate for secretary of state in recognition of what he had accomplished in that position.

Other state candidates will be given mention next week.

Ray Saliday and wife (Nee Miss Ethel Stephenson) have returned from Mitchell South Dakota where Ray was with the Mitchell Printing Co., the two years they have been away. Mrs. Saliday was organist here for a number of years before her marriage. The young people have a host of friends in the valley that will be pleased to know they have returned to make their home here. They are with Mrs. Soliay's parents E. Stephenson and wife.

Mrs. Pitchford's mother, Mrs. Price, and her own little daughter Evelyn Pitchford returned yesterday afternoon from a visit in St. Louis Mo.

Miss Wilma Nutt left for Parkville Mo. going last week, earlier than she expected to go on account of the fear of a strike. Miss Wilma did not come home last summer but had a very pleasant visit with home folks and her many girl friends, for she is a high school graduate and a lovely girl and will graduate with higher honors at Parkville.

Aude Luske is leaving tomorrow night for Lexington Va., where he is attending the Washington-Lee University. He has had a pleasant summer with old friends, all of whom wish to see him return next Summer a graduate. The good wishes of the entire valley go with him and urge him to work diligently and return with the highest honors.

Miss Dora Smith returned to her home in Portales Monday night after a very pleasant six weeks visit with her sisters and brothers here. During her stay she has been a favorite socially and has enjoyed a number of affairs given in her honor. She is a lovely girl and all the young people enjoy having her visit in Carlsbad.

FOR SALE.—Thoroughbred Jersey Duroc Boar. Eligible to register.—W. F. Gerlock.

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Archie Nelson wishes to announce to his patrons and friends that after September 1st owing to the increase of the cleaning, pressing and hat work, he will no longer call for and deliver laundry to Roswell, will please leave bundles at office of Nelson and Ralph, Cleaners, Pressers and Hatters opposite Palace Hotel.

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