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The Carlsbad Current

SEVENTY-FOURTH YEAR.

CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO, FRIDAY, APRIL 9, 1920.

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AGRICULTURE

By N. O. Shanks

Nature with her magic hand
Built an empire rich with land;
Then came man with brawn and brain
And turned the west to golden grain."

How true that is of the valley just west of the mystic hills of the purple Pecos; of that fertile little valley between the Guadalupe and the river from which these thirsty lands get their supply of water.

Even in the early nineties most people (even settlers) were of the opinion that this country would never be adapted to anything but livestock. But the material resources of Eddy county will be and never have been any greater than its mental. Today Carlsbad has girded her loins, found its bearings, and has taken its place in the procession of prosperity towards its ultimate ends. The county and the town are today better than ever before in their history.

For years this fertile soil was regarded as only something for the steers to graze over; then the agricultural microscope went to work. It has been working ever since, and cultivation of the soil offers wonderful opportunities in Eddy county.

Of the acreage in the county less than one-fifth has yielded to the plow; thousands lie non-productive, but awaiting the man who will. But even then Eddy county stands at the head of the list in horticultural and agricultural resources, the past year having a monetary crop valuation of two million and a half dollars, not to say anything of the bee, forage crop, sheep and cattle industries.

The soil is of the highest fertility, being composed of disintegrated limestone and enriched through the ages by decaying vegetation; and the overflows of the many streams and rivers throughout this section. The predominating is a sandy loam; the Carlsbad section has much of this sandy loam, the north end of the county has considerable clay loam; the Hope and Cottonwood sections have a predominance of clay and silty loams.

Here is an approximate estimate of the crop production of the county the past year: alfalfa, hay, 2331 cars, valuation, \$839,860; alfalfa seed, ten cars, \$100,000; cotton, 5000 bales \$1,200,000; cotton seed, 2100 tons, \$126,000; fruit, apples and peaches mostly, 225 cars \$202,000; miscellany, 24 cars, with a valuation of \$3,350. Of this the Carlsbad section produced all of the cotton, or more than half of the country's crop production in wealth. The Artesia, Hope and Cottonwood sections produced forty per cent of all of the alfalfa seed, 35 per cent of the hay; 190 cars of the fruit and practically all of the miscellany crops. The cotton acreage under the project is being increased twenty-five per cent. More than 2000 acres of cotton will be planted in the Artesia section this year. A special article on cotton is to follow. This will deal particularly with cotton under the project.

Truck farming is not practiced extensively in any part of Eddy county; however, the opportunities are great in this line of farming. Tomatoes are a bi-product of the farm and the fame of the Lakewood and the Dayton tomatoes are known all over the United States. There has been a steady increase since 1918 in the alfalfa acreage and the fact that four and sometimes five cuttings can be taken from the Eddy county lands with a ton to two tons and a half to the acre makes it a very attractive crop to the farmer.

The acreage in Indian corn, especially in the Artesia section the past three years has been remarkable. The increase has also been very marked in barley and oats, and it is an established fact according to government reports that the acreage yield on barley and oats

GRIFFIN ASSIGNED TO HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY.

Eugene Griffin, hydrographer in the office of the state engineer, has been assigned to the Pecos river hydrographic survey now being made for the court, George M. Neel, assistant state engineer announced today. Mr. Griffin will have charge of the work from Cowles, near the source of the Pecos, to Santa Rosa. The work includes not only the measurements of the flow of the Pecos at various points, but also the measurement of all water that is being diverted for irrigation. The survey will cover every detail that the court may have complete data on which to base its adjudications of rights to water from the Pecos. It is expected that the survey will require two years to complete.

CATTLE, COTTON AND HAY SHIPMENTS.

Several small shipments of cotton have been made by different parties this week and three cars of that staple were loaded at Otis and consigned to market at New Orleans.

Four cars of hay were shipped to Kansas City this week by local shippers.

On the 6th instant Jack Mount shipped eleven cars of cotton to Hereford, Texas.

H. E. Cauley shipped two cars of burros to Shreveport, Louisiana. It is said it required almost the entire day to load the animals. The same shipper shipped two cars of mules to the same destination.

Is above that of any place in the United States.

The acreage of small grain is increasing so fast that unless more seeding operations are accepted the county will have to ship out in carload lots, something that has not been necessary before.

This section is well adapted to horticulture; in the Carlsbad section the leading is peaches, and the peach orchards of this section are known all over the southwest. Apples are a feature of the Artesia and the Hope sections. Many times in the history of the country have orchards paid for themselves in one year's production; according to fruit men the coming season promises as large results for 1920.

No country under the sun offers more diversified opportunities for farming than Eddy county; dry farming, farming under the government reclamation project; farming under the ditch; by artesian well; by shallow pumping; just choose the kind you want. If you are energetic and have the will—you can succeed.

While yet cattle and sheep are the great financial backbone of the county, in fact the whole state, the long horn and the bosin roam no more over the trackless prairie and valley fields; it is now the ploughman's song reverberating across the fields of sweet smelling alfalfa; fields of waving grain, the lowing of the pure bred herds, the b-a-a-h of the high grade sheep, the contented grunt of fattening hogs, the merry cackle of industrious hens, the chug-chug of the tractor and the pounding of the drifilers' bit as it goes after the precious fluid that makes men rich over night—that is the joyful music that floats through the atmosphere today in Eddy county.

And the west beckons the eastern farmer to come and help in the further development of Eddy county; come and enjoy the many opportunities; make wealth and enjoy health, peace and contentment.

Carlsbad has always been noted for her health giving, health restoring climatic conditions, with an altitude around 3200, mild winters, ideal summers, it is the paradise for weak lunged people; right at her door are the famous mineral springs and from those Carlsbad gets her name—because the waters from these springs are so near like the famous Carlsbad springs of Europe.

Come, help in the development of the country; come enjoy what those who are here are enjoying.



WILD SUBJECTS OF KING ENVER PASHA OF TURKISTAN.

Photo shows a group of mounted Kurds, typical of the two million who have placed themselves under the leadership of Enver Pasha and crowned him King. The Kurds are a nomadic, wild and untractable race ranging hither and thither or massing up their tents where ever there happens to be good grazing ground.

STOCKWELL AUTO SERVICE STATION OPEN.

The Stockwell Auto Service Station will be open for business Saturday, April 17th. This is one of the new businesses in the city of which every citizen has a right to feel proud. The new building on the corner of Canyon and Greene streets represents an outlay of over \$4,000.00 exclusive of the lot.

The building was designed by Frank Moritz and built by J. E. Wallace and is a fine example of the art of the architect and skill of the builder. It is a concrete building 28x36 feet, with large concrete pillars and is pronounced as complete as any station in the state, with no exception. The building is equipped with the latest thing in a visible gasoline pump, with an underground tank, which has a capacity of 1,060 gallons, and two underground lubricating oil pumps. The tank is made of 3-16 inch steel. Mr. Stockwell will carry a complete line of automobile tires and accessories and will have day and night service. He will have on exhibition the largest tire manufactured being a "Firestone pneumatic, giant cord" 44x10. Some idea of the size of the article may be learned when contrasted with an ordinary Ford tire, which is 30x3. An airplane tire will also be on exhibition.

Mr. Stockwell has arranged a part of the room to be used as a "Rest Room". A neat fireplace with mantel, easy chairs and a writing table, will appeal to women who need to spend a few hours in town. The vacant space in front of the garage will be sodded and made into a slightly lawn; and window flower beds have already been made and will be filled with blooming plants and if the women of Carlsbad do not enjoy and make use of this little rest room provided for them we will miss our guess.

Mr. Stockwell is an industrious and wide awake young man; he was hard hit by the recent flu, but went ahead as though nothing had happened and now has a building second to none in the state and we voice the wishes of the entire community for his future success. C. L. Firestone, of the Firestone Tire and Rubber company will be present at the opening.

STRONG IN CONTRAST.

"Male and Female" Latest Cecil B. De Mille Picture.

Contrast has much to do with the exquisite dramatic quality of Cecil B. De Mille's latest Paramount - Artcraft picture, "Male and Female," which is to be the attraction at the Crawford theatre next week, Monday and Tuesday. Sir James M. Barrie's famous play "The Admirable Crichton" forms the basis of the story, which relates the thrilling experience of a super-intelligent English butler, Crichton. A mere menial in England, Crichton becomes the man of the hour when his master's yacht-party is wrecked on a desert island. He rules the fortunes of the group and wins the heart of his master's beautiful daughter, only to refuse her for a little serving maid. The sumptuousness of the English country home, where the story opens, contrasted with the primitive tropical isle; the magnificent Lady Mary and the humble servant, Tweeny, who finally wins Crichton's heart; Crichton, the butler, and Crichton, the monarch, are excellently brought out by the supreme art of Cecil B. De Mille. It is a lavish, realistic production throughout and will gain new honors for the director extraordinary.

C. W. Lewis, livestock commissioner, who was in town for several days on official business, left for his home in Roswell the first of the week.

OLD FOLKS ENTERTAINED.

One of the most complete entertainments ever given in this city was the reception to persons above middle age, at the Methodist church Tuesday night. The affair was given under the auspices of the Carlsbad W. C. T. U. and was attended by upwards of sixty persons who were hostesses of the occasion.

A short program was given at the church consisting of the old hymns, which H. H. Ellsworth led. The old time way of singing by "lining the hymns" was observed and such tunes as "All A Soldier of the Cross" and "When I Can Read my Title Clear" sung in that manner without accompaniment, brought tender recollections to many hearts of the days of long ago and of loved ones who sang.

Devotional exercises have been hushed to earth's music for many years. Mrs. W. C. Marable sang "My Mother's Song" in a touching manner, her sweet voice filling the room, with the audience and choir joining in the chorus. Anyone doubting the singing abilities of the old folk of Carlsbad would have had the doubt removed if they had been present at the meeting. Devotional exercises were conducted by the president of the union, Mrs. Hattie Mercer, who read a part of the 90th and 91st Psalms, and a portion of the 15th chapter of John, and Rev. Lowry offered prayer.

An address of welcome by Mrs. Bush and a response from Mrs. Hemenway were heartily applauded. Madam Thorne gave two readings in negro dialect in which she excels, and Mrs. Beard recited a war time poem with much feeling. Rev. Givan, who was unavoidably absent, had written a poem which the union had printed and distributed as souvenirs, tied with the magic "white ribbon" the insignia of the union of women which has for its motto: "For God and Home and Every Land." The poem was read by Mrs. Asbury Moore. At the conclusion all were invited to the Sunday school rooms in the rear of the church where an elaborate supper was served, sixty persons being seated at one time. A decorating committee had been hard at work and the room was decorated simply but tastefully. A huge white bow over the middle door kept the idea of the W. C. T. U. before the guests.

After supper the president called on different ones for speeches, Rev. T. C. Mahan, E. R. Lyon and others responding in happy vein. Cars were in waiting to convey the guests to their respective homes when the pleasant affair was ended. A list of those present was taken, with their ages, and revealed the fact that the majority of those present were nearing the seventieth milestone. C. D. Hill had the honor of the being the oldest person present, being 88 years old; Grandpa Coleman was next, 85; Mrs. Sarah Crawford was the oldest lady, she being 80 a few weeks ago and there were several who registered as 79 years of age.

The young, old people were happy and the affair from beginning to end was well planned and worked out, and made the recipients feel that when all is said old age has its compensations perhaps even more than the earlier years of life. Dr. Lowry led in the dismissal prayer.

Blessings on the noble women of Carlsbad Temperance Union for their thoughtfulness to those who are going down the hill of life, and may sweet memories of kindness extended be ever with them.

Remember the market to be given by the ladies of the Christian church at Purdy's furniture store tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. These ladies are famous cooks and you may always be sure of something good for your Sunday dinner if you patronize their markets.

LIST OF ELECTION OFFICERS.

The following is a list of the officers who will participate in the democratic primaries to be held tomorrow, April 10th:

Carlsbad—Judges: W. R. Owen, J. E. Lavery, T. B. Quirey; Clerks: C. D. Rickman, R. A. Toffelmire. Artesia—Judges: V. E. Fatheree, T. J. Collins, J. H. McCreary; Clerks: Louis Means, Sam McMahon.

Lakewood—Judges: T. G. Low, Geo. Medonagill, B. L. McAleer; Clerks: R. D. Pulliam, D. E. Webb. Upper Cottonwood—Judges: W. S. Morgan, E. S. Wells, A. W. Fore; Clerks: Fred Nelson, B. D. Briscoe.

Lower Cottonwood—Judges: G. W. O'Bannon, M. J. Howard, T. J. Terry; Clerks: O. A. Pearson, Noah Buck.

Dayton—Judges: J. W. Berry, W. C. Marable, J. T. Gillette; Clerks: To be supplied. Otis—Judges: W. B. Whison, E. A. Moberley, E. D. McKenzie; Clerks: Mrs. Henry Tipton, other clerk to be supplied.

Loving—Judges: Mrs. C. A. Miller, J. W. Donaldson, C. V. Rosson; Clerks: Garnet Jones, Troy Jenkins.

Malaga—Judges: John Plowman, John Queen, Henderson; Clerks: Mrs. John Plowman, Mrs. John Queen.

Upper Black River—Judges: Hanc Harrison, John Forehand, J. G. Usberry; Clerks: Mrs. Geo. Stone, Arthur Mayes.

Mayes. Queen—Judges: Ralph Thayer, Tom Middleton, Dave McCollum; Clerks: Collins Gerrell, Mrs. Tom Middleton. El Paso Gap—Judges: C. E. Thomas, W. R. Shattuck, other to be supplied; Clerks: To be supplied. Hope—Judges: Seborn Roach, E. M. Teel, N. L. Johnson; Clerks: R. E. Brewer, W. L. Jenkins.

P. E. O. MUSICAL.

The local chapter of the above named organization gave a reception and musical afternoon at the J. R. Linn home Wednesday afternoon. Each lady was privileged to invite two friends and about sixty persons were present. A delightful afternoon was the result with dainty refreshments which added to the pleasure of the pleasant affair. The following program was rendered:

PROGRAM.

"Hungarian Rhapsody No. 8," by Liszt, Miss Linn.
Reading, "Aux Italian", Madam Thorne.
"Impromptu", Reinhold, Mrs. J. H. Jackson.
Vocal solo, "Down in the Desert" by Gertrude Ross, Miss Christian.
"A La Bien Aimee," by Edward Schutt, Miss Mildred Cooke.
"Solvig Song," by Grieg.
"The Wren," by Sir Julius Benedict, Miss Harrison.
"Legend of the Plains," Cadman, Marguerite Roberts.
"My Heart at thy Sweet Voice," Saint-Saens, Mrs. Lytle.
Prelude in C minor, Rachmaninoff, Mrs. A. Z. Smith.
Arabesque, MacDowell, Miss White.
"From the Land of the Sky-Blue Water", Cadman, Miss Lela Christian.

JIMMY HUDGINS ELECTED MAYOR

SUCCEEDS MAYOR GRANTHAM, WHILE FORTY THOUSAND DOLLAR BOND ISSUE CARRIES.

Carlsbad has a new mayor-elect, J. D. Hudgins having been chosen to head the city administration on election day for the next two years. He was elected without opposition. Robert Toffelmire was named as City Clerk, and J. D. Lavery as City Treasurer.

The bond election carried overwhelmingly, and the city will now proceed to sell the bonds, secure the plans and erect a modern municipal building as soon as it may be done.

R. M. Thorne was elected to succeed L. E. Hayes, as city alderman for the third ward, the latter, as is well known, having gone to El Paso to enter the food brokerage business.

A hundred votes were cast in the bond election, and fifteen of them were against the issuance of the bonds. The bond election had certain limitations which restricted it to property owners as voters.

The new administration will take office on the first Monday in May, at which time it will be sworn in, and hold its first meeting. Milton Saitta, Will Purdy, and Franklin G. Snow remain on the board of aldermen.

Mayor Grantham and the Rev. D. F. Sellards, retiring mayor and City Clerk, have given many arduous hours of labor to the public good and retire with the unbounded respect and admiration of the city populace. Rarely are two more public spirited and well loved men to be found associated in public work, and the city owes them much for their clean and able labors.

Carlsbad is entering upon a new phase of activity, and the incoming mayor will find many intricate problems of administration confronting him. City paving and the erection of the City Hall will call for the best efforts of the administration.

The vote as tabulated, follows:

For Mayor—J. D. Hudgins:
Ward No. 1 18
Ward No. 2 13
Ward No. 3 23
Ward No. 4 26
Total 80

For City Clerk—R. J. Toffelmire:
Ward No. 1 18
Ward No. 2 14
Ward No. 3 36
Ward No. 4 27
Total 95

For Treasurer—J. E. Lavery:
Ward No. 1 18
Ward No. 2 12
Ward No. 3 37
Ward No. 4 27
Total 94

Five scattering votes were cast for other citizens who were not candidates.

For the Bond Issue for Municipal Building:

Ward No. 1 12
Ward No. 2 10
Ward No. 3 27
Ward No. 4 20
Total 69

Against the bond issue:

Ward No. 1 2
Ward No. 2 3
Ward No. 3 7
Ward No. 4 3
Total 15

Total vote cast on bond issue:
Ward No. 1 19
Ward No. 2 17
Ward No. 3 37
Ward No. 4 27
Total 100

A drive for funds for the Salvation Army work will be put on between the 12th and 20th of May. Prior to that time, however, the scope of the work will be brought before the people in various ways: through the county papers, by sermons from the pastors of the different churches, and by talks at the picture shows. Eddy county has been divided into two districts, north and south. John Wells will act as chairman for the southern district which includes Carlsbad. The quota for this entire county is \$1,000.00 and should be easily raised when the aims and work of this wonderful organization is clearly understood.

E. S. Sprong returned to the city Wednesday night. He will immediately proceed to put the Missouri hotel in good shape again, painting papering and making many other improvements that will add to its efficiency.

F. G. Tracy, Vice-Pres. Annie L. Dalton, 2nd Vice-Pres. Lewis E. Alexander, Secy.-Treas.

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TO DRILL IN EDDY COUNTY.

A report from Eddy county, N. M., is that F. L. Howard and L. R. Crockett, representatives of an Eldorado, Kansas, drilling concern, have contracted and made bond of \$5,000 to drill 4,000 feet if necessary on 12,000 acres of Harry Thorne and others about 15 miles westward from Lakewood in that county. It is said that the contract provides that machinery must be on the ground by June 20 and actual drilling commenced by July 20.—Pecos Enterprise.

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MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

TO THE MEN AND WOMEN VOTERS OF EDDY COUNTY

Gentlemen and Ladies:

Owing to the early setting of the primaries by your Democratic central committee, I will have no opportunity to see you all and personally solicit your vote and support in my candidacy for the office of District Attorney, and it is only through the newspapers and my supporters can I solicit those I fail to see.

Owing to the importance of this office I earnestly ask that, before you vote, you look into the qualifications of each candidate for the office, and especially as to the age and experience, that you give consideration to the party standing of each of us and what we have done personally for the democratic party; that you take into consideration that one elected to this office holds it for a term of four years (which should be for the good of the party be held only one term).

I am a democrat with twenty years of active service for the party in this state, always working in the ranks.

As to woman suffrage I have always placed woman on a higher plane than common man, and while deploring their desire and wish to participate in political affairs, I have always supported their cause believing and feeling that woman, when given the right and privilege to participate in politics, would in her wisdom solve the problem to the satisfaction of all concerned.

I have no large stock or ranch interests to take up my time and attention, nor shall I have any, as I am a lawyer and depend upon what I receive from the practice of my profession for the support of myself and family and if elected I will give my personal attention to the affairs of the office.

I believe that in higher education lies the key to the reduction of crime and miseries that flow from it, more so than the criminal courts and I pledge myself if elected to give my special attention to every law of our State that in any way tends to a higher and better education of our boys and girls.

Soliciting your vote and support, I am,

Yours very truly,

J. C. GILBERT,
Candidate for District Attorney.

EASTER EGG HUNT.

Among many other pleasant affairs of the Easter season, was an egg hunt at the Will Purdy home last Saturday. Mrs. Purdy entertaining the three primary classes of the Christian Sunday school at that time. An abundance of eggs had been dyed and concealed in various places in the yard and the boys and girls had great sport hunting them. Games of many kinds were played by the children and at the close of their play each little one was treated to ice cream cones and went happily to their respective homes.

M. G. Stewart left on the morning train for Pecos where he has spent the week rather expecting to return this evening or tomorrow.

L. W. Arthur returned Monday from Excelsior Springs, Missouri, where he has been for the past fortnight. Mr. Arthur, we are sorry to state, did not receive the benefit expected from the baths. He was met at Clovis by Mr. Arthur, who has been with her mother in Pomona, California, since the death of their son, last fall, and she accompanied Mr. Arthur to this city where they have taken rooms at the Crawford temporarily their future plans being uncertain.

The unprecedented cold of Saturday night and Sunday has in all probability destroyed the fruit in this locality. It had already been damaged to some extent, and the freeze put the finishing touches to the work of destruction. So cold on Easter Sunday has not been known in this locality for years, if ever, and instead of Easter bonnets heavy winter coats were the order of the day.

H. E. James recently purchased two lots in the north part of town, north of the High school, one lot cornering on Main street the other being an in lot on Bonbright street. Mr. James has not decided definitely but rather expects to erect a small house for the use of himself and wife, the home they now own being too large for two people.

Burr Watson, the young brother of Mrs. Archie Nelson, came in this week from Mesilla Park, and hopes to remain here for the future. On the way here he visited relatives in Roswell. Burr is popular among young and old and all are glad to have him a resident of Carlsbad once more.

Candidates have been very busy this week seeing their friends and presenting their claims and qualifications for the various offices. Tomorrow, Saturday, the tenth of April, promises to be a very busy day in Carlsbad.

Mrs. Lee Hansen and baby daughter, Roberta, were passengers to Big Springs, Texas, Tuesday morning on a visit to relatives there.

E. Christiansen was in town this week and spent a couple of days here attending to business, going from here to Pecos.

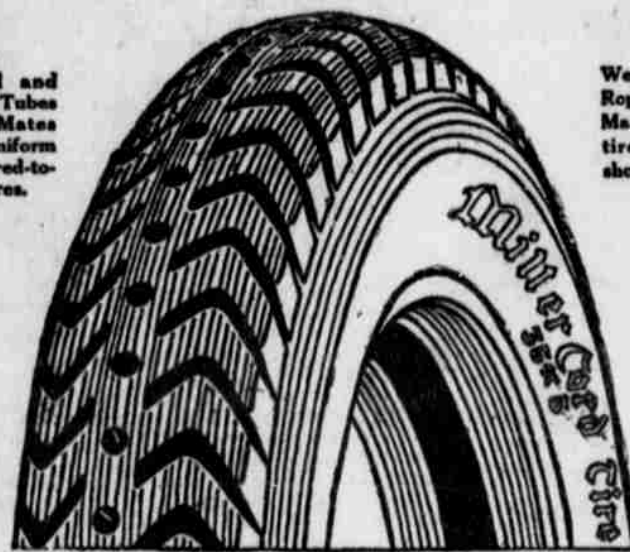
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, Mar. 15, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that John F. Thomas, of El Paso Gap, N. M., who, on February 14th, 1917, made Homestead entry, No. 031936, for S½NW¼SW¼W¼SE¼, Section 31, Township 25-S, Range 21-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Dover Phillips, United States Commissioner, at Carlsbad, N. M., on the 21st day of April, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses: Walter R. Shattuck, of Queen, N. M.; Reos Rowls, of El Paso Gap, N. M.; Lee Magby, of El Paso Gap, N. M.; Lee Middleton, of El Paso Gap, N. M.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Work has begun this week on the old Bates hotel building and very soon the walls will be torn down and the debris removed from this beautiful corner.

Weaver's Garage has in stalled a Crouse's clear vision gasoline pump which seems about the latest thing in that line. The air forces the gasoline into a glass receptacle on top of the pump proper, where gauges show the number of gallons called for. This device entirely eliminates guesswork from the handling of gasoline, and will prove very advantageous to both buyer and seller. Mr. Weaver is always at the front with every new device that will add to the convenience and efficiency of his well equipped garage.

Mrs. Edgar Williams arrived in the city from her home in the plains Tuesday and is spending the rest of the week here with relatives and friends.

Fruit Dawson, of Odessa, Texas, is a newcomer in the city and has a position with the Peoples Mercantile dry goods company, as clerk in the men's department of that establishment. The young man is experienced in salesmanship and will no doubt prove an acquisition to the selling force of that concern.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Rosson are parents of a boy baby, which was born Monday at their home near Loving. He has received the name of George. Congratulations and best wishes are in order.

John H. Hewitt left Saturday for Santa Fe having in charge the two Mexican men who were found guilty of burglarizing the Boston Store and who were sentenced to serve approximately two years each in the state penitentiary. Mr. Hewitt also had the young Mexican boy in charge, who was sentenced to the state reform school for a statutory offense. Will Fenton and wife accompanied the sheriff, Mr. Fenton, going as guard.

Will Fenton and wife came up last night from Carlsbad to spend some time here, Mr. Fenton being a juror in the federal court. He is one of the leading cowmen in the Pecos valley and also interested in banking.—New Mexican.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Foote, of Roswell, came down from there Saturday and have spent several days since then at the home of Mrs. Foote's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Matheson.

W. R. Hegler came in Wednesday from his ranch southwest of town in Culberson county, Texas, bringing with him his spring clip of mohair, some 1800 pounds. Mr. Hegler estimates the entire clip of the Pecos Valley Angora Goat Raisers' Association at something like 40,000 pounds. The mohair will be stored in the Joyce-Fruit company warehouse until such time as the complete crop is in. Mr. Hegler says the kidding season is just commencing and he expects about 500, all of them fine animals.

All kinds of legal blanks for sale at Current office.

Cemetery Dinner.

The Cemetery Association, assisted by other friends, will give a chicken dinner at the Armory tomorrow beginning at 11:30. The menu embraces chicken pie, and gravy, creamed potatoes, baked beans, cabbage salad, pickles, bread and butter, pie and coffee. The money obtained in this way will be used for improvements on the grounds, one contemplated change being the erection of a fence across the front of the grounds, an iron gate and various other needs to make things beautiful. The present casket, Mr. Hartley, is retiring in his efforts to have things neat and clean and the little city of the dead, with the improvements contemplated, will be keeping pace with the spirit manifested in all the property belonging to the town.

RICHARDS RESIGNS.

Clarence M. Richards, road superintendent of Eddy county, resigned his position this week, Monday, to be effective the 15th of this month. Mr. Richards was obliged to do this on account of the health of Mrs. Richards, which has been declining for some time, and which necessitates an early removal to a lower altitude. The resignation will not be acted upon until Governor Larrazola returns from Los Angeles.

Jim Billings came in Wednesday night from State College, where he had been in school since the opening of school last fall. He is pursuing a course in auto mechanics at the college and is making excellent progress, but will defer the completion of the course until he replenishes his chequer. He will take a job with the Southern Auto Co. at Carlsbad after a few days visit with the homefolk. Jim thinks State College a great place to study and learn the practical things of life as well as to delve in the arts and sciences.—Hagerman Messenger.

The Bishop & McMahon shows and amusement company arrived in Carlsbad Tuesday and opened for business Wednesday evening on the lots south of the Southern auto company's garage. As the affair is sponsored by the American Legion and Carlsbad Fire Department, it will no doubt have a successful run. The aggregation will remain until Saturday the 10th instant and perhaps longer.

MARRIED.

Earl Matheson and bride arrived in Carlsbad Saturday night from Texas. They were married March 26th at Dallas and visited kinsfolk in Ranger and Eastland enroute here. The marriage is the happy culmination of a war time romance began when the lady, then Miss Marie Walters, of New York City, was working in an airplane factory and Earl was working for a boat corporation. They met by chance, the usual way, were attracted each to the other and at last the wedding occurred, the little bride coming alone from New York City to Dallas, where Earl met her. Carlsbad people, who have known Earl all his life, are offering heartiest congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy life to both of these worthy young people. May they find happiness in lives of loving service to all about them.

Several of the teachers for the coming school year have been selected by the local board of education. Mrs. Kaiser has been elected principal of the Grammar schools; Miss Rebecca Graham has been transferred from that building to the High school and Miss Cora Gouwen has been re-elected to work in the 7th and 8th grades.

As J. Floyd Hart, of the Dark Canyon Wells was hiving a swarm of bees at his home Monday of this week, one obstreperous insect stung him between the eyes with the result that he was almost entirely blinded for a couple of days. What made the matter worse is that after all his trouble in hiving, when he went to look after the welfare of the bees, an hour later, he found they had taken flight, and all he had to show for his work were two badly swollen eyes.

C. C. Lewis successfully accomplished the moving of his large dwelling house from its site in North Carlsbad to their farm in the Otis section. Although a very heavy job the building was not injured to nearly the extent expected when distance and other drawbacks are considered.

M. E. Bales has been transferred from Hagerman station to the telegrapher's key at the railroad office. D. P. Harrison has taken charge of the commercial office of the Western Union, in the James building.

FERTILIZER

CUDAHY'S BLUE RIBBON FERTILIZER
(Steamed Bone Meal)

Carrying a high content of Nitrogen and Phosphoric Acid. You can buy your plant food for less money in Steamed Bone Meal than in any nitrogen for your cotton. Have only a small amount left for this season planting. Phone your order in now.

R. B. WORLEY, Phone 43A

J. W. Parks, who now resides at Hunnswell, Kan., came in Tuesday He was accompanied by Mrs. Parks, who went to Carlsbad to visit their daughter, Mrs. Rich Carter, and Mr. Parks also went to Carlsbad Wednesday. They will be in the valley ten days or two weeks visiting and looking after business. They will go to Pine Lodge to visit their daughter, Mrs. R. H. Walworth, before returning to Kansas.—Hagerman Messenger.

KNIGHTS' TEMPLAR EASTER SERVICES.

The Easter services of the Knights Templar, held Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, at Grace church, were very impressive and beautiful and were attended by quite a number of citizens, the little church being filled at the hour appointed. Twenty-three Knights, in uniform, were present and occupied seats reserved for them in the front of the church.

Beautiful music was furnished by a quartette choir consisting of Miss Christian, soprano; Mrs. F. G. Tracy, alto; Rev. F. W. Pratt, tenor and J. S. Oliver, bass. The solo, by Miss Christian, was one of the most beautiful numbers heard here in many years. The young lady shows the result of her year's study under a fine teacher in California. Her voice, always sweet, has a wonderful volume and quality and her lovely unaffected manner added much to the selection.

Rev. F. W. Pratt, prelate, preached the sermon which was short and practical, and the solemn and impressive exercises were closed, in form.

Members of Carlsbad Rebekah Lodge No. 13, held a practice meeting last Monday night at the lodge rooms with excellent results. A degree team has been organized with Geo. M. Brinton as captain, and the new drill will be put on for the first time next Monday night when a class of six will be initiated. Members are requested to be at the hall next Monday at 7 o'clock to go over the drill before the lodge opens. Refreshments will be served.



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There's a new way to sew—one that will help you in the war economy, of making your own and your children's clothes.

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Western Electric
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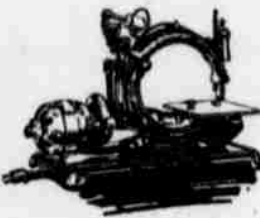
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It is portable. No larger than a traveling bag and as easily carried and put away, you can carry it wherever you wish to sew.

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It will make your sewing a pleasure!



—For Sale at—

Purdy Furniture Store

"Your Credit Is Good"

The sermon with morning worship at the Presbyterian church next Sunday will have for its subject "God's Kind of Love". Sunday school will be held at ten o'clock and Endeavor meeting at seven.

C. H. DISHMAN

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Phone 224.

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For Month of March.

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1 A—Robert Catton, Ailie Lea Horne, Elva Sifford, Lula Bell King, Ann Lawton Marquess, Guy Vest, Virginia Yates, Allie Mae Small.
2 B—Fern McCaw, Elizabeth Noel, Agnes Rohmer, Lynn Dillard, William Glasier, Odes Rawls.
2 A—Frances Musick, Marybelle Rickman, Virgil Harrington, Gus Middleton, Eugent Miller, Raymond Zimmerman.
3 B—Erma Allen, Frank Andrews, Merle Darrows, Jack Barnett, W. C. Cotten, Horace Hubert, Ganson Lockhart, Georgeana Stone, Hazel Stevenson, Sue Katherine Williams.
3 A—Willie Boatwright, Evelyn Eaker, Mary Gee, Alice Gordon, Edna Hays, Gertrude Harris, June Joyce, Evelyn Moore Kircher, A. J. Loyd, Thomas Pickens, Irma Jeanne Quirey, Joseph C. Yates, Leola Zimmerman.
4 A—Anna Beth Alexander, Jim Baker, Billie Holt, Perry O'Connor, Annie Prickett, Marguerite Rohmer, Annie Lee Thomas.
4 B—Oda Fay Finley, Hattie Hazel Herring, Geneva Warwick.
5 A—Tara Bates, Alvia Loyd, Louise Oliver, Mary Bell Leck, Edith Herring, Nadine Hughes, Henry Foster, John Paul Zimmerman, Herbert Sutton.
4 A—William Purdy, Arthur Harry Lewis, Mary Witherspoon, Bertina Lee Foster.
5 B—Francesa Beach, Maudea Dennis, Winnifred Hubert, Lorena Latham, Louise Weldon, Ellen Hitecheck, Raymond Hiltson.
6 B—Robert Bell, Gertrude Hartley, Nannie Little, McKinnis Tinsin, Fern Witham.
6 A—Hobart Wright, Dorothy Flowers, Ruth Wood, Agnes Thorne Bernice Martin, Dorothy Huddins, Mildred Mahan, Lucille Morris.
7 B—Laura L. Bartlett, Lawler Nelson, Elgin Eaker, Mildred Hutchinson, Dorothy Dillard.
7 A—Anna Bush, Louise Moore, Fred O'Chesney, Irene Regnier, James Wallace, Mary Whithead.
8 B—Carl Helzig, Margaret Hiltson, Dana Hess Lucas, Preston Oliver.
8 A—Frances Foster, Evelyn McFarland, Margorie Snow, Josephine Williams, Avelene Wright, Dorothy Forehand.
Seniors—Fancher Bell, Luther Bell, Pardue Rosson, Clarence Horne.
Juniors—Maggie Kircher, Little Myrtle Mylius, Vera Calvani, Charlee Rosson.
Sophomores—Orion Wesley, Barber Nell Thomas.
Freshmen—Georgiana Galton, Herbert Hiltson, Ida Pearl Morris, Leona Alinger.

Wortham, proprietor of the Boston Store, expects to leave tomorrow for New York and will sail from there to a port in France and go from there to the home of his father in Carlsbad, Germany. He plans to be gone three months. Mrs. Wortham will spend part of the time here and part of the time with relatives in Warsaw, Poland, N. M. All Mr. Wortham's friends join in wishing him a safe voyage, a pleasant visit in the old home, and a speedy return to Carlsbad.

Gates Half Sole Tires

I have located in the old Star Livery Barn with Renick & Grubaugh. My machinery has been installed and I am now ready for business. Have some smoked stock which I will sell at reduced prices.

Come early before they are all sold.

CHRIS WALTER

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ANNOUNCEMENT

We wish to announce the opening of our

New Auto Filling Station

APRIL 17th

We have endeavored to build our Station as attractive as possible and one which will be a credit to our little city.

We invite you to call and inspect our station, TEST OUR SERVICE, and if you are pleased, tell others, if not tell US.

We have equipped our plant with the latest VISIBLE GASOLINE PUMP, in which you can see the gas flow into your car and know what you are getting.

WE WILL GIVE FREE, 1 quart of oil and a tire, with each Five Gallon of Gasoline purchased on our opening day. If the tire doesn't fit YOUR car, trade CARS with your neighbor.

Stockwell Auto Service Station

SERVICE THAT PLEASES

MARRIED.

Two of our popular young people, Ernest Elmore Jones and Miss Camp, were united in marriage at the Presbyterian manse Wednesday night by Rev. H. W. Lowry.

The bridegroom is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones and is known from one end of the county to the other. A young man industrious, kindly and with the spirit of the west, where he was born and grew to manhood, he deserves the hearty congratulations he is receiving from his host of friends.

Miss Camp is almost as well known in this city as she is in her home town, Roswell. A sister of Mrs. Homer Gragg, she has spent a large part of her time here and enjoys a wide acquaintance with our young people, and is popular with all.

The Current joins other friends in wishing them a long and happy life replete with prosperity.

If you need a friend, would you hesitate to call on Geo. McKee?

WANTED.

A commercial oil lease to every town lot in the Gibson and Greene Highlands Addition to Carlsbad, New Mexico. See W. H. Merchant, Room 10, James building.

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EDDY COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING.

Vote to Open Fall Term of School on September 8th.

The Eddy County Board of Education met in regular session at 2 P. M. on Monday, April 5th, with the following members present: Geo. M. Brinton, president; Mrs. Minna W. Galton, vice-president; S. I. Roberts, secretary; Charles Rogers, and G. R. Howard.

The meeting was called to order by the president and the secretary read the minutes of the previous meeting which were approved as read.

The resignations of Miss Florence Lowry, intermediate teacher of the Malaga schools, and Mrs. Florence Campbell, teacher at Rocky Arroya, were accepted as per terms of contract.

The paid warrants for teachers' salary, janitors' services, and for transportation, numbering from 1-085 to 1121 inclusive were approved and the March bills presented were allowed and warrants ordered drawn in payment.

The matter of teachers' salaries for the next school year was discussed at some length and it was the unanimous opinion of the board that as liberal an increase of salaries be permitted for the next term as would be consistent with the teachers' qualifications and experience and as provided for under the law, and that the law limiting the salaries of teachers in rural schools should be repealed, as under the present conditions it is almost an impossibility to secure the

best qualified and more experienced teachers at the salaries permitted under the present laws of the state for the rural schools.

It was then moved by Mr. Rogers and seconded by Mrs. Galton that the county board recommend that the schools of Eddy county open on Monday, Sept. 6, for the 1920-1921 term. The motion was unanimously carried and there being no other matters to be considered at this time, the meeting adjourned.

Letters from Messrs. Sam and M. L. Davis, who were called to Otego, Kansas, because of the serious illness of their father, contain news of his death which occurred April 3rd. The body had not been interred as they had had a most terrific blizzard the worst experienced in that section for many years. Travel is completely stopped the only way they can get around is by shoveling paths and the snow has drifted unbelievably. The deceased was about seventy-nine years of age and is survived by his wife, a son and daughter at Otego and two sons here. Those of us who are acquainted with the tender love existing between Messrs. Davis and their aged parents, feel deep sympathy for them in their loss.

P. W. McLanthen, after a week's sojourn in the Texas oil fields more especially around Pecos, returned to Carlsbad Wednesday night.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries to be held April 10, 1938:

FOR REPRESENTATIVE—

F. G. Hartell.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY—

Robt. C. Dow.

Dillard Wyatt.

TREASURER AND COLLECTOR—

Aud E. Lusk.

Joe N. Cunningham.

COUNTY CLERK—

D. M. Jackson.

PROBATE JUDGE—

Fred E. Wilson.

SHERIFF—

J. Tom Cooper.

Geo. A. Beckett.

George Batton.

Walter L. McDonald.

COUNTY SURVEYOR—

Oliver C. Payad.

TAX ASSESSOR—

L. S. Myers.

Joe Johns.

COMMISSIONER DISTRICT NO. 1—

Milton R. Smith.

J. H. James.

COMMISSIONER DISTRICT NO. 2—

Hollis G. Watson.

G. R. Bralnard.

COMMISSIONER DISTRICT NO. 3—

G. R. Howard.

COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT—

Geo. M. Brinton.

AMERICA'S GIFT TO FRANCE.

The campaign to raise Eddy county's portion of America's gift to France which is to be an immense statue placed in a position overlooking the Marne river near the village of Meaux where the first German advance on Paris was stopped on September 6, 1914, less than twenty miles from Paris, is now about completed under the direction of the county chairman, Mrs. Geo. M. Brinton.

In Carlsbad the Boy Scouts, under the management of Bert Rawlins, their scout master, are conducting the campaign for Carlsbad's quota of the forty dollars assigned Eddy county by the state committee.

The amount has nearly all been raised and the prospects are that Eddy county will go over the top to the extent of several dollars in her endeavor to do her part towards the great statue which will be, in a measure, a return gift for the Statue of Liberty which so long has been a prominent object of interest in New York harbor.

All returns from Eddy county are expected to be made this week and next week will appear the separate and total amounts raised by the several towns of Eddy county.

A good man, and true—Geo. Beckett, needs your support. Will you withhold now?

NOTICE.

Music lovers now have the rare opportunity of securing a song the words of which were written by a resident of Carlsbad, E. R. Lyons. The music was composed by Hector Richards and it is entitled "Ballyhoo Ben." Both words and music are pleasing and it is destined to become one of the late popular songs. Only 60 copies are available at this time, so you had better secure one before they are sold out. They may be inspected and purchased at the Star Pharmacy.

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DAHLIA BULBS, mixed colors, \$1.00 per dozen. J. F. FLOWERS.

WANTED:—To buy Saxophone. For further information, call at Current office.

LOST—"Wilson" Ham weighing 14 lbs., 4 oz., and little suit case containing 5 baby diapers. Will give \$1.00 for return of both or 50c. for either. CLIFFORD EWERS, Phone 44B.

See Mrs. Pae in Rio Vista for all kinds of fine ironing. Will also wash and iron fine waists, silk shirts, etc. Apr. 2-11

STRAYED—from the J. N. Neveenger ranch home five miles south of town, a gray striped angora female cat. Reward for its return or information leading to recovery.

PASTURE FOR RENT:—I have pasture for about 50 head of cattle good grass and water. M. NORNHAUSER, At Pecos Valley Hide & Fur Co.

FOR RENT.—First class sleeping room. Connected with bath. Address secured at Current office 2tp

LOST:—Between Malaga and Carlsbad, one Ford hind wheel with new Non-skid, Good Year tire. Will pay reward to finder. J. H. WELCH, Malaga, N. M.

FOR SALE.—L. C. Smith typewriter in good second hand condition. Price \$25. Inquire this office

FOR SALE:—Turkey eggs. Inquire at this office. 3-26-1f MISS SUE HITCHCOCK.

WANTED. A commercial oil lease to every town lot in the Gibson and Greene Highlands Addition to Carlsbad, New Mexico. See W. H. Merchant, Room 10, James building.

FOR SALE:—Ringlet Barred Plymouth Rock eggs, extra good stock. Price per 15, \$1.00. MRS. M. N. CUNNINGHAM, Phone 950.

FOR SALE:—Turkey eggs for hatching. Phone 95 W.

ALFALFA HAY FOR SALE. Choice alfalfa, \$35.00 per ton. No. 1, \$33.00 per ton; alfalfa and Johnson grass, \$20.00 per ton. Telephone 43B.

FOR SALE:—1 small stack of good alfalfa hay, about 5 or 6 tons; cheap for immediate sale. STEPHENSON DAIRY.

LOST.—A large, pink cameo pin, Wednesday. Suitable reward for its return. MRS. H. E. JAMES.

FOR SALE OR WILL TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY.—Good Overland Automobile. See W. H. MERCHANT.

FOR SALE.—Five acres improved in La Huerta; can arrange easy terms. Call at Current office.

FOR SALE. White enameled Hoosier kitchen cabinet. Good as new. See MRS. G. V. PRICE.

AUTOMOBILE FOR SALE. Dandy good Maxwell car for sale, splendid condition, price \$500. Inquire at Carlsbad Oil Exchange.

FOR SALE:—New 5 H. P. gas (or will burn distillate) engine, with Bosch magneto and friction clutch. Will trade for hogs, cattle, or anything I can use. WM. H. MULLEN.

FOR SALE AT BARGAIN.—\$300 Saxon Runabout with self-starter, ran less than 3500 miles. Car in A-1 condition. Terms to right parties. Act quick, Ford car advertised sold. FRANCIS G. TRACY.

NOTICE.—Mrs. Annie Livingston will continue to do hemstitching and piecing at her home near the Methodist church.

WE BUY, raise, and sell fur-bearing rabbits, and other fur-bearing animals. List what you have with us, stating your lowest prices on large lot shipments. The Fur & Specialty Farming Co., 515-517 N. P. Ave., Fargo, N. Dak. 26Mar-16Apr.

WANTED:—To buy any kind of old books or magazines. Highest market price paid. SAM MOSKIN.

If you are in the market for a new car, don't fail to see the 1920 series new model Studebaker at the Ohnmess Shops and Garage—"Can Fix It."

Dr. Swearingin, of the firm of Drs. Swearingin & Von Almen, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, of El Paso, Texas, will be in Carlsbad on the first of each month, at the office of Drs. Pate and Culpepper.

PIANO TUNER:—Those wishing the services of a piano tuner may secure the same by calling for J. I. Penny at the Purdy Furniture store.

E. V. Albritton returned last night from Abilene, Texas, and says he came back especially to put his recently purchased residence for sale for "the reception of his family."

S. D. Stewart, of Carlsbad, was among others registered at a hotel in Roswell where he went Monday on a business trip.

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THE SWEET SHOP

(By N. O. Shanks,

Carlsbad is a city of "old timers"; it was one of the first settlements on the east side of the mountains; and naturally there are many of the "old timers" who are guiding the destinies of the city's life; but new blood is coming in with new ideas; new plans; and in this line up is the Sweet Shop, Carlsbad's most delightful meeting place for the old and the young.

To say that the Sweet Shop is the most delightful spot in the "City Beautiful" is not extravagance; one cannot be in the city but a short time until he will pass by the "Sweet Shop", to look in, is to create a desire to "obey that impulse" to have a drink; or a sundae, or some candy or bonbons. It was back April 1st, 1915, when Harry McKim and Frank Kindel conspired to open their confectionery and fountain in Carlsbad. From the start it was a winner.

Both of these young men have had ten years experience in this line of work; they are young men of sterling qualities, who believe the public want the best, not only in service and quality, but in the surroundings. And that's what they give.

In November, 1917, to go into the service of their country during the turbulent days of the world war, these young men sold out their business to Earl Hansen.

After the war, in March, last year they bought back his business.

The place was remodeled; new furniture and fixtures; new accommodations of various kinds; new conveniences, and a new spirit came with their return.

The Sweet Shop today with its new fixtures and furnishings has that refined atmosphere so necessary to get the best class of business; so enjoyable to their trade. It is one of the best in the state; not so large as others in more pretentious cities, but the quality is there.

Naturally a feature of the business of the Sweet Shop is the soda fountain; the fountain is the Beck's, one of the most sanitary on the market; the service from this fountain cannot be excelled. The young men make their own ice cream and ices, and serve only the choicest and the best of syrups for their drinks and sundaes.

They also make their own counter candy. In the bonbon and box candies they handle the Johnson's Whitman's and the famous McDonald line manufactured in Salt Lake City, Utah. This is a box candy and bonbon that is taking the western country. It is candy of real quality, combined with large appropriations each year for advertising.

Besides they have all the best sellers, cigars and cigarettes. The Sweet Shop deliver, phone 75, will bring your wants to your door.

The Ice Cream parlor besides having the service tables, has booths; and music at any time from a playerphone.

The Sweet Shop is prepared to handle line parties, or prepare ice cream for outside parties.

But the big asset—the excellent feature of the Sweet Shop is the service and the quality of all their business.

The owners and managers are a distinct asset to Carlsbad; also is their business.

HAY TRADE CONDITIONS OF THE WEEK.

Eastern markets are liberally supplied with hay this week and values have fallen off in a marked degree. High prices brought out small shipments from many points that had not shipped to Eastern markets in some time and the aggregate is a large over-supply. Western markets are strong and higher under very small offerings and exceptionally good demand. A shortage of cars and bad roads is the cause of the light supply. Farmers generally are holding hay left on farms and reports to the Journal indicate that there is from 20 to 30 per cent still back.

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Those Who Know are placing their orders now for future delivery. More than \$100,000 building campaign here has started; Carlsbad must have more homes; more rental houses; more business houses. TALK TO US ABOUT BUILDING MATERIALS.

THE GROVES LUMBER COMPANY

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—And all work done at this Garage is done by FORD Experts and authorized FORD machinery, and only genuine FORD parts are used.

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812 Throckmorton St. - - - Fort Worth, Texas

JOIN WITH ME TO HOLD LEASES, DEEDED LAND, DRILL WELLS, OPERATE REFINERY AND CONTROL A NEW FIELD, AND REAP MILLIONS FOR THE MEMBERS OF CONSOLIDATED SYNDICATE.

As usual, it matters not how good the snap may be, my friends and backers are given the first opportunity. The principle and foundation upon which my success has been built will continue as the guiding principle for all time.

The properties that I am acquiring at a few dollars per acre for lease, a corresponding low price for the deed to land, or the higher prices for proven acreage near producing and drilling wells will be syndicated on an equitable, fair and square basis. Your money will go into this syndicate deal and share all the way through, giving you all the profit of enhancement in a value possible through joining in on the ground floor at the start.

I recognize that NATURE has endowed me with certain qualities and, therefore, there are certain obligations resting upon me to fulfill. And I leave it to your imagination to answer the question or solve the fact that some ten thousand people of all walks of life, from the poorest washerwoman, the most illiterate laborer, the alien of twenty nationalities, to the lawyer, the banker, the business man; men and women of every kind and character, the teacher, the preacher, and the millionaire, thousands of whom are here at home in Texas, and other thousands scattered everywhere, have furnished me from ten dollars to ten thousand—each in real money—upon my word, from my word, from my printed statements without ever having met me personally, suggests that there must be a real reason. The answer is up to you.

The entire business enterprises which I represent and control today were FOUNDED UPON MERIT, without capital, and worked out along my own ideas.

The entire Abner Davis organization has been BUILT UPON CONFIDENCE that the thousands who have backed me had in my experience and ability to succeed.

The business will be OPERATED UPON HONOR, and everyone given a real run for their money. This business is held by me as the sole trustee representing those who furnish me money.

That the Consolidated Syndicate offers wonderful opportunity for the safest, surest and biggest speculative investment in the oil world today, is my firm belief. The Pecos Valley Oil Country is destined to become the most famous of the fortune producing oil fields on earth, is my prediction. I believe its deep sand gushers will rival Tampico, and that the oil will be of the high gravity shown by the medium shallow producers already brought in.

MANY FAILURES.

If you will read the advertisements that appeared a year ago, of a thousand oil concerns that have since gone out of business you will find a list of names from which any good biographer could compile a volume of who is who.

OIL CEMETERY

The sad feature is, however, that these names of bankers, judges, doctors, and prominent citizens represent only the tombstones in the oil cemetery.

NO REFERENCES.

References I have none. I never use the names of bankers or prominent men to give prestige to my enterprises.

I am alone responsible for all of my business affairs. I stand solely upon my own word and my record is an open book. I never operated under camouflaged company names with a string of high sounding names to fool the public and boost my proposition even when struggling for a foot hold in the oil business and I shall not begin now when my name and my fame eclipse all advertised oil concerns in DANGER FROM PROMINENT MEN

I make the statement that there has been more crooked deals and more money extracted from the public through bank references and long lists of prominent men acting as dummy directors with consequent greater loss to the investor than through any other device known to the stock-selling grafter of the country.

STRONG CHALLENGE.

I challenge every man and every promotion company to make a statement as strong as the following: Of the ten thousand people who have entrusted their money to me, not one has done so through bank or other references, or because of the names of prominent men.

A RECORD WITHOUT A PARALLEL.

I make this unqualified statement that there has never been one single dollar of stock or other security issued by me to any banker, newspaper, prominent citizen or any one else on earth except for cash on the spot and same basis that every other investor paid in his money.

When you do business with me you do so on a basis of man to man—you take your chances with me. I take the full responsibility.

LUCKY DOG

Action and Judgment are the sole requisites for success in the oil game. The general in charge must be one who is willing to advance and stand his ground. If right, the public will acclaim him a lucky dog. If wrong, he must go over the top and capture another trench before the public finds out he made a mistake.

ACTION ALONE WINS.

QUICK ACTION NECESSARY.

The fortunes are to be made by grasping the opportunities when presented; to wait twelve hours—and indeed twelve minutes—is often fatal when big oil strikes are reported. The man who must call a meeting of his board of directors or even consult his associate officers will usually find the real opportunity out of reach by the time he is ready to act. I am talking about that part of the oil business depending upon new fields or getting in when advance information of new strikes comes, where a little money will win the big stakes, the thousand or ten thousand to one.

FEW DOLLARS TO WIN.

Conservation and caution are well and wise for the great oil trusts that have millions to go into the market and buy proven property, but I am representing that class of people who are willing to take a chance with a few dollars to draw down a small fortune without having to wait a lifetime for results. Action is the keynote. Results count. Do it now is a good motto. Let us live now before we die.

WARNING—NOW AND FOREVER

You may conclude I am too big a gambler and too wild in my imagination to be safe to handle your money—but I might as well remind you now if you expect to get rich from oil through the calm, quiet advice of your banker or lawyer, don't waste your check for me.

ONE CINC.

Representing 10,000 investors who have placed their money in my hands has sobered me completely to a full realization of the great responsibility that I am under.

It has also awakened me to the necessity of being always—on guard, ready to strike at the first sign of approaching opportunity. I may lose on five out of six single investments, but the wheel of fortune will turn with the law of averages and I will win fortune from Nature's rich storehouse while the old conservative is looking for the cinch that is never found in the oil game except the one cinch that 50 cents or more out of every dollar you put into the average stock-selling scheme goes into the promoter's pocket.

If you want that kind of a cinch there are a thousand stocks you can buy from brokers and exchanges. But if you want every cent of every dollar of your money actually invested in the business to make profit in which can share with you then you have but one choice.

ONLY ONE OF EACH.

There is only one Abner Davis in the oil business (look up the directory) one Fort Worth on earth look at the map or postal guide).

Address Abner Davis, Fort Worth your letter will be promptly delivered to me, and your money, every cent of it, will just as promptly begin to play in on the ground floor of this wonderful Texas oil development.

25 Per-Cent my Share of Profit.

I do not take half of your money or any other part of it for myself in salary, commission, or for promotion, but I do expect 25 per cent of the profits I make for you.

RESULTS TO SHOW.

I have raised more money, spent a larger percentage of that money for actual oil development and refinery building, and have more solid value—income producing property than any man in the Texas oil field to show for it.

If you think this a wild statement and think I am joking or puffing come to Fort Worth and if I can't prove every word of my claim I will pay your fare both ways from any point in the United States or Canada.

RED BLOOD.

The oil wells I drilled are producing. The refineries I built are operating. The securities I sell are earning interest and I am the sole custodian of all this property as Trustee for the 10,000 people who have backed me on my word. So if you think I am a wild Texas bronco, and if you will investigate, you may yet be proud to be associated with one that has always gone over the top and is still building solidly but not shriveled in mind, body or soul. I am still a free man. I love the wild, open world. I love my fellow man who was born in poverty like myself, who believes there is a quality of red blood in American manhood that is not selfish enough to want the whole earth.

DOLLAR NO CHARM.

Your dollar as mere money of

fers no charm, but your dollar to use with which to build and to win for you, and for me, does offer me a kind of endeavor which I enjoy.

NEW FRIENDS.

I have but one ambition—that is a consuming, burning desire to have it said, "He proved the exception to the rule; he made good." This letter is written for the benefit of the thousand new friends I am drawing to me, the new recruits of loyal Abner Davis kind of men and women who are willing to play the game Man to Man. I promise you a square deal—I cannot do more.

SUCCESS SAFEGUARDED.

In this Consolidated Syndicate deal I have safeguarded our interests in such a manner that it matters not whether ten thousand dollars or a hundred thousand is available, success is assured and all will share in proportion to the amount they furnish.

ALL A DOLLAR CAN DO.

If I made a definite contract to buy all of the things I have under option or contract and did not get the full amount, we would all be losers. I do not take such chances because I do not have to take that kind of chances these good days. It is pretty generally known now that whatever I undertake I carry through. It is equally well known that the Abner Davis Plan means giving every investor all the value his dollars will acquire, and that is all any man's dollar can do.

UNHAMPERED.

I make no definite promise in advance. I set no certain goal to be reached. I place no limits upon my activities and field of action because limitations only hinder and hamper and make it hard to succeed.

ON THE GROUND FLOOR.

If you are going into the oil business you must depend upon someone. When you join hands and dollars with me you have but one to depend upon. I have no loopholes and will never try to shift responsibility. You can take me at my word, play the game with me as old men play it on honor and on the ground floor.

EARLY EDUCATION.

I know the value of a dollar as well as any man who ever lived. I was born upon a poor Virginia farm at a time when \$10 per month was the highest price paid for farm labor. I received my only book learning in a log school house where split logs were used for benches with backs, or country schools with desks.

HE MADE GOOD.

I have since sat in the councils of finance and have rubbed shoulders with the men of millions. I have dined with the idle rich and danced with dames clad in silks, and then I have slept in the tent and eaten from the bucket of the grub-stake; and if I had the power to say to Time, "Turn back the hand of the clock of life, let me have my life over again," I would say to the Fairy Queen, "Transport me back to the farm, let me waste in the babbling brook and smell the new mown hay." I would dance with childhood's blushing maidens in the glimhams and home-made shoes, ready at any time to meet the great beyond, happy in at least one friendship, that of a faithful dog, rather than suffer the disappointment in men that I have met on earth, and these are things that make me want to work and harvest nature's bountiful gifts that I may help make the path easier for some who, like myself, believe in truth and that honor yet lives, even though it is most often found under the shirt of the poor. So if I can die with the right to have carried upon a simple slab of stone the words, "He made good," I shall feel that I have left to my children the proudest heritage possible to be-stow.

ABNER DAVIS.

Getting in at the right time is almost as important as getting at the right place. I got into the Pecos oil country very early in the game after it looked almost sure a well would be brought in. I feel confident from what I have actually seen and from all investigation that this is the right place for big profits from leases secured at the right time and at the right price and also for big profits from wells to be drilled and consequently from the refinery business as well as the other angles of the oil game.

By getting in early I am able to get large holdings well scattered and therefore play the game as all the big operators play it, yet on a comparatively small cash outlay.

THE ONLY SAFE WAY TO WIN

AND WIN BIG IN OIL.

The following may be taken as the summary of "What's What" from the standpoint of the experienced oil man, oil well driller, lease developer, refiner and anticline pioneer in the oil business with years of costly yet valuable experience that I believe enables me to work with almost a certainty of wonderfully profitable results.

Fortunes are actually made in many instances over night. But my experience is that fortune comes after a great deal of hard work and from months and even years of preparation, by getting leases scattered where many other people are drilling, thereby helping to develop your property, and while it is true the actual fortune is usually made,

or at least brought into being overnight, or in a day, there were many days or weeks between the time the money was invested and the time the fortune began flowing in oil.

You understand, I feel that I have made a success and it was done by hard work—not good luck—it was the result of years of hard work and then capitalizing actual experience and bringing enough people to my support to keep me going all these years. It is almost certain that every dollar my friends raised and let me use the first year of my oil career was wasted, largely from lack of experience and knowledge of the game.

The money these friends and the public furnished me the second year was very largely lost through drilling operations that were not well managed.

The third year I began to feel the handicap under which I was working, trying to do big things with little money and consequently the overhead expense was eating up the business.

I have but one excuse to offer for three years of poor results:

LACK OF EXPERIENCE

I have but one thing to thank now for later successes. The truth, even though I did not have the experience in oil that would enable me to get the best results I had gone through the school of experience far enough to know the value of truth and a square deal. I always endeavored to tell the truth to those thousands of people who were backing me with their savings and they stuck with me.

LONG TIME TO GAMBLE.

The fourth year began to show improvement. I learned many things, my friends learned that they could rely upon me and they stuck with me. I at last had enough backers, true-blue backers from every state in the United States and from the islands of the seas and foreign continents as well.

Truth is the foundation upon which the world itself is built. The laws of averages are the basis upon which all business undertakings must depend for success.

Working honestly and diligently with never a thought of quitting until results had crowned my efforts, knowing that I was firmly established upon the one solid foundation of truth, and having learned the business lessons, proving the unfailing laws of averages as absolutely dependable the only thing I had to do was to keep myself nerved up to the point where I could keep on going. This was accomplished by the thousands of knockers who were all the time predicting failure for me and that the next week would be my last.

This was the force in nature which kept my mental and physical dynamo going at full speed for these four years and even when my brain fagged, and 18 to 20 hours daily toil was telling upon me, physically, I could always look back and see the thousands of poor devils like myself who had tried to better their condition with their hard earned dollars through their confidence in me and upon my word that I would again stick with them and win for them.

If you want to test a man, put him to the test on his honor, if you want to make him fight all the harder, question his good faith, if you want to make him unconquerable, uncock the vials of calumny and start wagging the vile tongues of his opponents. When you do, there springs up around him that source of power supplied by nature to man. Courage and determination which when fed by that equally important fountain of power, confidence from his supporters, there is nothing on earth that can chain down or prevent success for the man with an understanding of the power of truth and the knowledge of the certainty of the workings of the law of averages and nature.

LAST OPPORTUNITY.

Geology has been a study for scientists for ages. Geologists have for years depended upon their knowledge of formation indicating where oil should be found. If scientific knowledge is valuable or if this science of formation is worth anything, then let us consider. The anticline has long been recognized as the one favorable spot on which to drill for oil.

In this wonderful Pecos country we find that by accident an irrigation ditch cut across the plains around the foot of some sand hills uncovered the top of an anticline, showing plainly the two sides of the structure with the dip on both sides marked as plainly as a stone wall. This left no doubt about the anticline and there was no doubt about the location of its apex or top.

This anticline was found at a point relatively similar to the Tampico oil field, so the geologists and experts claim, it being at the foot of a great slope or in a basin, where the great accumulation of oil is to be found. Now the country was

found that showed that the natural conditions existed for an oil pool. The anticline was uncovered and thus the sure and certain earmarks of an oil structure were brought to view.

Then a well was drilled at the right place on this anticline to find oil, according to geology.

The well struck the oil sand in rich pay, at only 650 feet, although this well was started as a deep test.

The oil gushed forth and it was of highgrade gasoline content worth the top market price.

So when all these things are tallied up and proven, certainly one need not look further for the place to get results.

These are some of the reasons why I was enthused with Pecos and the reason for my determination to play the field in a big way for sure gain in a big way.

The fact that I got in at the right time enables me to do the big things, make the 1000 to 1 long shot winning I have been working for and waiting years to accomplish. The very fact that paying oil wells are found at such shallow depth in this great Pecos valley in the heart of an empire of itself, the only oil field so far proven in a stretch of a thousand miles between the Range-Eastland field and the Pacific coast, proves to my satisfaction that this is the most wonderful, fortune-making opportunity in the history of oil since Pennsylvania was opened up.

There is not the slightest doubt in my mind about at least two other great oil strata being found in this region, one I believe around 1,800 feet that will prove to be gusher production equal to anything in Texas, and another about the 2,400 foot level that will equal the famous gushers in the Tampico district which the geologists claim is in every ways similar geologically.

I have the close-in proven locations for many oil wells. I have the offset acreage in large blocks on the very apex of the anticline. I have large acreage close to drilling wells.

I have acreage scattered so as to play the field in every direction.

I have the only logical refinery site.

I have therefor already under way and the oil contracted to put it in operation.

I have the pipe for a pipe line and gathering system. I have wells contracted and machinery on the cars.

I have immense holdings in wildcat acreage at low prices and all of these things, together with money to operate with, certainly gives me the opportunity of a lifetime to make good. I can do all I want to do here to satisfy all my friends, so I do not want more. The opportunity has knocked at my door. I was ready to grasp it. I am able to extend my opportunity for fortune by the millions to my friends and I am doing it.

If you want your hundred or your thousand dollars to go into this wonderful chance to grow into a fabulous sum join with me all the way through. Tell me what you can afford to invest and I will do for you the things I have been trying to do for all who have depended on me in the past.

PLAY WITH OIL MEN—LIKE OIL MEN PLAY.

You buy and pay for the Syndicate interest which shares in all the best, surest money makers in addition and on top of all of this, you become an absolute lease owner to do with as you please, and five or ten acres is enough to make you all the money you will ever want.

\$100 to \$1000 now will give you the greatest holdings ever offered, and you get holdings big enough to put you in the oil business as oil men play it. Scattered interest partly invested in oil wells, refinery and productive times with leases acquired at the low figure to grow into the big fortune.

BONUS OF 3 ACRES WITH EACH \$100.

This Consolidated Syndicate deal will give you 5 acres of oil, gas and mineral rights for each hundred dollars you invest. This lease will be made in your name, properly assigned so you can place your name on record and handle it in the future just as you would any other property. The only expense to you hereafter will be \$1.20 per acre per year for the life of the lease, until oil is produced, then, of course, there will be no further rental to pay.

The success of this Pecos Consolidated Syndicate is assured. It will go over, and no doubt be largely over-subscribed, just as was the Inside Syndicate. If your money cannot be used it will be promptly returned. Wire me the amount to put you down for—send the money by wire, draft or money order.

RESERVATION.

ABNER DAVIS, Trustee, Consolidated Syndicate, 812 Throckmorton St Fort Worth, Texas.

Count on me for \$.....I am enclosing \$.....and will send \$.....more within 30 days.....I am to share on a full pro-rata basis with all others and you are to look after my interests until otherwise instructed. I also want.....acres as a bonus which you will make out in the name I am enclosing.

Name.....Address.....G. G.

FILIPINAS GET BALLOT BEFORE AMER. SISTERS

Senora de Veyra Describes Status of Women in the Philippines.

The Filipino woman is destined to be in the world's spotlight more than ever before as a result of the news just received by cable from Manila to the effect that the Philippine senate has passed the equal suffrage bill giving women full political rights with men. This would indicate that the Filipina may beat her American sisters to the ballot box.

The Filipina has many admirers who predict she will make good if she gets the vote, just as she has made good in the very important role she has occupied in the family and business life of the Philippines ever since the introduction of Christianity in the islands three centuries ago.

"America's advent in the Philippines discovered a wonderfully interesting, responsive little being, the Filipino woman," writes one American concerning

Mrs. Jaime C. de Veyra, a Filipina who is doing important work for her people in the United States.

The Filipina, "Mothering the only Christian people in the far east, she holds a place of authority, love and respect in family and social life that is not accorded to women in countries neighboring the islands, or in India, China or Japan."

A Filipina who is doing an important work for her people in the United States is Mrs. Jaime C. de Veyra, wife of the resident commissioner from the Philippines. Not only has she frequently addressed the wives of members of Congress in Washington as to conditions in the new Philippines, but she has visited various cities, speaking before women's clubs. The senora wears, in giving her talks, one of the beautiful gowns of her home land, a delicate pineapple fabric, hand-woven and hand-embroidered, shaped like a gauzy-winged butterfly.

"In many ways the path of the women of the Philippines is easy," says Senora de Veyra. "Laws made by her have combined the best of American and Spanish precedents, and she has come into her own with far less struggle than either her American or her Spanish sisters. Married women may hold property in severalty. They are guardians of their own children. These are vested rights and cannot be taken away from her."

"Professional opportunities are as good for women as for men in the land from which I come. The Filipina is by custom the dictator in the home. She is usually the keeper of the family treasure. Practically all of the small shops in Manila are conducted by women. Women are already members of the Philippine Bar Association—a thing still impossible in Great Britain. They are also successful as physicians."

Life is really a fifty-fifty proposition for women in the Philippines, according to the senora, who has taken such a prominent part in women's work there that she has sometimes been referred to as "the little mother of them all." She was the assistant matron of the Normal Hall Dormitory for Girls when she married. She speaks English fluently and puts her little talks "over" with real tact. She has four children. An evidence of her enterprise was her action last year in mastering shorthand so she might be "useful to her husband at home in the evenings in case he wishes to dictate a few letters or a speech."

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A Filipina who is doing an important work for her people in the United States is Mrs. Jaime C. de Veyra, wife of the resident commissioner from the Philippines. Not only has she frequently addressed the wives of members of Congress in Washington as to conditions in the new Philippines, but she has visited various cities, speaking before women's clubs. The senora wears, in giving her talks, one of the beautiful gowns of her home land, a delicate pineapple fabric, hand-woven and hand-embroidered, shaped like a gauzy-winged butterfly.

"In many ways the path of the women of the Philippines is easy," says Senora de Veyra. "Laws made by her have combined the best of American and Spanish precedents, and she has come into her own with far less struggle than either her American or her Spanish sisters. Married women may hold property in severalty. They are guardians of their own children. These are vested rights and cannot be taken away from her."

"Professional opportunities are as good for women as for men in the land from which I come. The Filipina is by custom the dictator in the home. She is usually the keeper of the family treasure. Practically all of the small shops in Manila are conducted by women. Women are already members of the Philippine Bar Association—a thing still impossible in Great Britain. They are also successful as physicians."

Life is really a fifty-fifty proposition for women in the Philippines, according to the senora, who has taken such a prominent part in women's work there that she has sometimes been referred to as "the little mother of them all." She was the assistant matron of the Normal Hall Dormitory for Girls when she married. She speaks English fluently and puts her little talks "over" with real tact. She has four children. An evidence of her enterprise was her action last year in mastering shorthand so she might be "useful to her husband at home in the evenings in case he wishes to dictate a few letters or a speech."

ABNER DAVIS, Trustee, CONSOLIDATED SYNDICATE
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Attractions at Crawford Theatre NEXT WEEK

MON.—	"MALE AND FEMALE"
TUES.—	"MALE AND FEMALE"
WED.—	CONSTANCE TALMADGE in "VIRTUOUS VAMP"
THUR.—	LOUIS BENNISON and HIGH POCKETS
FRI.—	"CRY OF THE WOODS" GREAT GAMBLE NO. 11
SAT.—	VIVIAN MARTIN "INNOCENT ADVENTURES"

LOCAL NEWS

Walter Glover is in town this week on a business trip from his ranch southwest.

Colonel Merchant is visiting in Carlsbad at the homes of his three sons, J. D., Lige and W. H. Merchant.

Mrs. S. I. Roberts came in Saturday night from a visit to the home of her son, George, at Clovis.

Melvin Bearup came in from his ranch in the mountains Thursday and is still in town. Melvin is an old time Carlsbad boy and always finds a lot of friends to give him the glad hand when he comes to town.

Mrs. Harriett E. Brainard, after a two weeks stay in Carlsbad at the home of her sister, Mrs. Fred West, left Monday morning for her work at Ralston hospital in El Paso.

Do you believe in reciprocity? Then pay Carlsbad's debt to Geo. Beckett.

Albert Ares and wife came down Wednesday from the Ares' ranch in the mountains. Albert on business, while Mrs. Albert will make a short stay at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Bearup.

F. L. Dearborne is spending the week in Clovis on business for the Roberts-Dearborne hardware company.

James Cranshaw this week purchased the Henry Barr property in La Huerta and will take immediate possession. Mr. Cranshaw comes from Eunice, near where he has been a ranch owner for years, only lately selling his holdings in that section. Mr. and Mrs. Barr have moved to the J. E. Wallace home in La Huerta and Sam Moskin has moved to town from that place, renting the V. L. Sullivan cottage on West Fox street.

Among other transfers of real estate we notice the purchase of a five room house and two lots on South Hadagueno street. Mrs. Mary Creight Muldrow being the purchaser. The sale was made thru the W. H. Merchant agency, Judge Brice being the owner. The Brockman family who are now living in the house, will move to their own home in the Otis section the last of this week or the first of next.

Mrs. John Murrah spent Sunday in town at the Sisters hospital where Mr. Murrah is confined with a broken leg from which injury he is getting on as well as could be expected.

J. R. Means, of Hope, was in town Monday transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Vest and two sons, Glenn and Kelly, Jr., left Tuesday morning on the return trip to their home at Silver City. They were summoned here by the sickness and death of Mrs. Vest's mother, the late Mrs. Caroline Merrifield.

TO THE WOMEN AND MEN VOTERS OF EDDY COUNTY:

Inasmuch as the day for the primary election is drawing near, I am taking this opportunity to say to you that I have had only about three or four days in which to make my campaign and, consequently, have been unable to see and have an opportunity to talk with the voters generally and am taking this opportunity to solicit your support. I have been engaged in a term of court here in Carlsbad for practically thirty days and prior to that time, on account of different things, have been unable to see the people.

I have always believed that it is the duty of a District Attorney to prosecute without fear or favor and during my term of office I have tried to do in all cases exactly what I thought was right. It is not for me to say whether or not I have made good or have accomplished the things which the people expected of me; can only say that I have tried and am now making the race squarely upon my record and if the people of this county are satisfied with my work and desire to continue me in office further, shall appreciate their support in the coming primary.

I desire to say especially to the ladies of Eddy county that I was born and reared in Eddy county and am now an Eddy county man and shall certainly appreciate the support of the Eddy county women. In fact, it would please me more to carry the solid support of my home county than to be the next District Attorney of the Fifth Judicial District of New Mexico.

ROBERT C. DOW.

A LEAP YEAR DANCE.

About thirty-five couples were present at the dance given by the ladies of Carlsbad to their men friends at the Armory last Wednesday night. The grand march was led by Mrs. J. F. Joyce and H. I. Braden and was an imposing affair, the men in evening dress and the ladies in their summery, dainty frocks. The floor was in splendid condition for dancing, the music furnished by the Roswell Orchestra was pronounced perfect and nothing was left undone that would add to the pleasure of the dancers. Mesdames R. L. Halley and Rom Holt, Misses Mary Lee Newton and Mildred Cooke were hostesses for the evening and much of the evening's pleasure is traceable to their ability in looking after the comfort of their guests. Delicious punch was served throughout the evening.

Mrs. W. J. Walker came in Wednesday night from Columbus, New Mexico, where she has been living since leaving Carlsbad about a year ago. Mr. Walker is in Pecos at present but may decide to come to this city later on. Mrs. Walker is stopping with her friend, Mrs. Cargill.

WANTED.

A commercial oil lease to every town in the Gibson and Greene Highlands Addition to Carlsbad, New Mexico. See W. H. Merchant, Room 10, James building.

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at any old time, any old place, and a reasonable price. No charge for the recipe. — First, you must provide yourself with a THERMOS BOTTLE, or, better still, a THERMOS

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which includes, in addition to the bottle, a substantial box designated for carrying such solid food as you might consider desirable. Size of bottle, as well as box, should be gauged to suit the requirements of the prospective user. Measure round the thickest portion of the body with a tape line and divide by three, the result proving that the quart size bottle is best, and the pint next, with lunchbox in proportion.

Crackers and Cheese

Call up your dealer, and temper the bottle while he's delivering the beer, which should be put on ice for 10 or 15 minutes to make sure it's good and cold before it's poured in. — You are now ready for your trip, and we hope you'll have

A GOOD TIME

THERMOS BOTTLES are made with a vacuum in such a way as to keep cold liquids cold for 72 hours, or hot liquids hot for 24. So that

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They can be utilized for hot coffee, tea, or cocoa. Quite a variety of styles and prices at

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PARIS MAY CREATE THE HATS, but the smartest FOOTWEAR today is designed right here in America.

We are showing all the new things, including the WALK-OVER ONE EYELETT TIE—slender, graceful, tapering with its trim, new tongue in front of which you can wear either a silken bow or a buckle. This Shoe can be slipped on or off without being untied. We can fit you perfectly in our many shapes of SPRING FOOTWEAR.

T. C. HORNE

See Our South Window "The Place to Buy Shoes"

A congregational meeting of the Presbyterian people was held at that church last night, preceded by the annual dinner. A large attendance present and a good time resulted.

Three good residence properties for sale. See W. H. MERCHANT.

FOR SALE.

Lots With Mineral Rights. A customer is placing a limited number of lots on the market out of the Green's Highland Addition to Carlsbad, New Mexico.

These lots are 70x165 feet, and besides being residence lots, are situated on the most likely and possible oil drilling site to the city, and the mineral rights go with each lot, as well as certificate of abstract and warranty deed.

It is the desire and wish that not more than one lot will be bought by any individual, thereby giving an opportunity to individuals to get a mineral holding for a nominal sum in event there is any oil in the immediate vicinity.

W. H. MERCHANT.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
B. Y. P. U., 7 p. m.
Sunbeams, 2:30 p. m.

Preaching, 11 a. m.; and 8 p. m.

It is imperative that immediate attention be given to our 75 Million campaign pledges, as the first year ends with April 30th. Do not fail to turn it in to Victor L. Minter, treasurer, at once. It is desired that every member and all friends be present Sunday at all services. We are moving forward and surely you want to go along with us rather than trail behind or have to catch up later. Come along now, we need you! A cordial invitation is extended the general public to attend all these services.

T. C. MAHAN, Pastor.

Henry Mitchell an old timer here, arrived in the city from Ranger, Texas, Wednesday night and expects to remain here at least for a time.

If you want to save MONEY on your abstract work, see Security Abstract Company, office with County Surveyor.

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Read the statement of facts on the last page of this paper.

JOYCE - PRUIT CO.

We were indeed gratified with the ready response of the buying public to our "Ham and Bacon" Sale of last Saturday. Notwithstanding the extra quantities purchased, not a Ham was left by mid-afternoon.

FOR TOMORROW WE HAVE A

Canned Goods Special

4 No. 2 Cans "Valley Maid" Tomatoes,
4 No. 2 Cans Plymouth Rock Sweet Corn
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TOTAL 12, FOR . . . \$1.65

Only one assortment to each customer

We are selling regularly:

ARBUCKLE COFFEE, the pound 40c.
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Cottolene, 8 lb. Pails\$2.65
Lard Compound, 4 lb. Pails\$1.15
Lard Compound, 8 lb. Pails\$2.30

And these are but a few of the staple lines we are selling at Money Saving Prices.

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Now you know why Chesterfields "Satisfy!" And because this blend is exclusive and cannot be copied, only Chesterfields can "satisfy!"

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A WORLD REBUILT

*By the Golden Rule
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THIRTY denominations of the Church are uniting in a simultaneous campaign in the week of April 25th-May 2nd.

They are uniting because the task before the Church is too great for any one denomination; because there must be no duplication of effort; no waste.

These churches know that the world needs many things; but it needs Faith most of all.

They know that there can be no final solution of our economic problems that is not a spiritual solution, based on the teachings of Jesus Christ and His Golden Rule.

They have had the courage to survey the whole task, and to ask for a budget large enough to sustain (1) the work abroad, (2) the work at home including the church's part in the huge task of Americanization, (3) the colleges and (4) hospitals supported by the Churches, (5) the religious training of the young, and to provide (6) a living wage for the Church's ministers.

The budget is large in the aggregate; yet if each person who loves America would increase his contribution by only a few dollars the whole amount would be easily subscribed.

We face the task of rebuilding the world. Let the cornerstone be a strong and vital church in every American community; and the measuring rod by which the builders build must be the Golden Rule.

United Financial Campaign April 25th to May 2nd

The INTERCHURCH World Movement of North America

The publication of this advertisement is made possible by the cooperation of thirty denominations.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By REV. F. B. FITZWATER, D. D.,
Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.
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LESSON FOR APRIL 11

DEBORAH AND BARAK DELIVER ISRAEL.

LESSON TEXT—Judges 4:4-5:31.
GOLDEN TEXT—God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.—Ps. 46:1.

ADDITIONAL MATERIAL—Judges 4:1-3; Heb. 11:32, 33.
PRIMARY TOPIC—A Brave Woman Helping a General.
JUNIOR TOPIC—A Story of a Hero and a Heroine.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Fighting on God's Side.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Services of Women in National Leadership.

The book of Judges covers the period from the conquest of Canaan and death of Joshua to the judgeship of Samuel. While Joshua and the elders of his generation lived the people in some measure remained faithful to God in obedience to his Word, but the very next generation went into apostasy. Their declension may be accounted for as follows:

1. Failure to drive the Canaanites from their midst.
2. Their amalgamation with the Canaanites. Their close proximity to the people had its leavening effect, for they soon intermarried with the heathen. Tolerance with the enemy is closely followed by union therewith, and quick disaster comes in the wake of such union.
3. Idolatry. Inter-marriage with the heathen was soon followed by the worship of the heathen gods. Thus Israel's power was gradually weakened, so that instead of being conquerors they became the conquered.

In chapter 2:3-9 is given a synopsis of the book of Judges:

1. The sin of the people (vv. 6-13).
2. God's judgment for their sin (vv. 14, 15).
3. Repentance of the people (3:9).
4. God's deliverance at the hands of the Judges (vv. 16-19).

A repetition of sin, oppression by the enemy, repentance on the part of the people, and God's deliverance, is the story of the book of Judges.

1. The Judgeship of Deborah (4: 4, 5).

Her name means "Bee," suggesting orderly instincts. As suggested by another, "She answered her name by her industry, sagacity, and great use to the public." The period was marked by awful oppression. The Israelites were helpless, for the enemy had 900 chariots of iron. Deborah was an unique character. God raised her up for such a time as this. Under a palm tree she held an open court for the administration of justice.

- II. Deborah Summons Barak (4: 6-10).

Barak means "lightning." Deborah, being a prophetess, was able to select the man whose gifts would enable him to rally the forces needed to gain the victory over the formidable foe.

1. Deborah's call (vv. 6, 7). It was God's call through her. She gave definite instruction as to the number of men and the strategy to be employed, assuring Barak that God would deliver Sisera, the captain of Jabin's army, into his hand.

2. Barak's reply (v. 8). Expression of unwillingness to go unless Deborah would go with him should hardly be considered as cowardice or weakness, as it is a well-recognized fact that the presence of a woman, especially the prophetess, would inspire courage on the part of the warriors. However, he should have believed God's ability to give the victory without the aid of a woman.

3. Barak's rebuke (vv. 9, 10). Deborah yielded his request, but made it plain to him that it would detract from his honor as a conqueror, "for the Lord shall sell Sisera into the hand of a woman."

- III. The Defeat of Jabin's Army (vv. 11-16).

Sisera, the captain, gathered a mighty army and went forth with full assurance of victory, but he made a sad mistake; he did not consider that it was the Lord's battle (v. 15). At the psychological moment Deborah gave the signal to charge, assuring Barak that the Lord would give the victory (v. 14). Through supernatural interposition the enemy became panic-stricken (see 5:20).

- IV. Sisera Killed by a Woman (vv. 17-24).

In his flight he took refuge in Jael's tent. Under the guise of friendship, she committed the most heinous murder. She fastened his head to the ground by means of a tent pin.

- V. Deborah and Barak's Song of Victory (chap. 5).

This was composed and sung in celebration of the marvelous victory which God had wrought.

Robbing Real Inward Life.
He who is rich for himself, laying up treasure for himself, is by so much robbing his real inward life of its resources.

Time Never Lost.
The sum of wisdom is that the time is never lost that is devoted to work.—Emerson.

Being a Great Soul.
He who would be a great soul in the future, must be a great soul now.—Emerson.

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DEMOCRATS IN NEW MEXICO GIVE WOMEN RECOGNITION.

New Mexico democrats did not wait for the actual ratification of suffrage before according to women an equal share in all political privileges and responsibilities. Arthur Seligman, chairman of the state central committee, sent out a letter suggesting the recognition

of women in all democratic primaries and conventions in the state; also their selection as delegates to the state convention, wherever possible, "until such time as the state committee could meet and take definite action".



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Mrs. W. F. Pickle, of Rising Fawn, Ga., writes: "We have used Thedford's Black-Draught as a family medicine. My mother-in-law could not take calomel as it seemed too strong for her, so she used Black-Draught as a mild laxative and liver regulator. We use it in the family and believe it is the best medicine for the liver made." Try it, insist on the genuine—Thedford's. 25c a package. E-75

"Sonny Boy" (Edwin) Little, having reached ten years of age last Friday, a party was given him at the home of his parents, E. Halagueno street, from 3 to 6 o'clock. There were more boys present than girls, only a few of Sonny's intimate girl friends being invited. A number of nice presents were given the honoree and he has the best wishes of old and young for a life of usefulness and happiness. Ice cream and cake formed the refreshments, the feature of the afternoon being an egg hunt in which all joined. James Craft was the lucky boy, finding more eggs than any of the others. He was rewarded by a rabbit full of candy. The guests were Misses Anna Bush, Gladys Summerfield, Lela Dillard.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, Mar. 15, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that Quincy E. Akers, formerly Quincy E. Flynn, of Orange, N. M., who, on January 17th, 1916, made Orig. Homestead No. 033812 for SE 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 23, S 1/4 NW 1/4 NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 26, and who on February 4th, 1916, made additional homestead entry No. 033813, for SW 1/4, Section 26, Township 24-S, Range 18-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before A. F. Menger, United States Commissioner, at Alamogordo, N. M., on the 22nd day of April, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses: Davidson M. Holley, James T. Humphrey, David C. Lewis, Deane F. Lewis, all of Orange, N. M. **WMMETT PATTON**, Register. Mar. 15-April 6

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Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes are thick, strong tubes that reinforce casings properly. Why risk a good casing with a cheap tube? Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes cost little more than tubes of less merit. 30x3½ size in water-proof bag. \$4.50

GOODYEAR

Fifty-six young children of the Methodist Sunday school enjoyed an Easter egg hunt last Saturday morning. The wind being so high the exercises were held at the Sunday school room instead of in the park as planned. After the eggs had been found and divided, luncheon was served the juveniles, this consisted of sandwiches, eggs and cake and after their romp in the

bracing air the youngsters did full justice to the eats.

Bishop Howden will preach at Grace church next Sunday morning and will confirm a small class at the close of the services. The Bishop's home is in Albuquerque.

Legal Blanks for sale at the Current office.

Why Measles May Be Dangerous

This is No. 3 of a series of advertisements, prepared by a competent physician, explaining how certain diseases which attack the air passages—such as Pneumonia, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Measles or even a long continued Cold—often leave these organs in an inflamed, congested state, thus affording a favorable foothold for invading germs. And how Vick's Vapo-Rub may be of value in this condition.

Few of us escape measles—it is one of the commonest of childhood diseases. Every mother knows the symptoms, but the mistake that most mothers make is in failing to realize that the child is not fully recovered after the eruption and fever disappear. The air passages are still inflamed and if this inflammation is not cleared up, the air passages may be weakened, thus paving the way for pneumonia or serious disease of the lungs.

Nightly applications of Vick's VapoRub will aid nature in relieving this inflammation. Because Vicks acts locally by stimulation thru the skin to draw out the inflammation, attract the blood away from the congested spots and relieve the cough. In addition, the medicinal ingredients of Vicks are vaporized by the body heat. These vapors are breathed in all night long,

bringing the medication to bear directly upon the inflamed areas. Children's digestions are delicate—easily disturbed by too much "dosing." Vicks, therefore, is particularly recommended since it is externally applied and so can be used often and freely without the slightest harmful effects.

Vicks should be rubbed in over the throat and chest until the skin is red—then spread on thickly and covered with hot flannel cloths. Leave the clothing loose around the neck and the bed clothes arranged in the form of a funnel so the vapors arising may be freely inhaled. If the cough is annoying, swallow a small bit of Vicks the size of a pea.

Samples to new users will be sent free on request to the Vick Chemical Company, 233 Broad Street, Greensboro, N. C.

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60c
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VICKS

Your Bodyguard Against Colds

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LOCAL NEWS

Walter McDonald and J. M. Wood, of Lakewood, were in town Saturday.

Audrey Capps, brother of Mrs. J. S. Perry, after a week's visit at the home of his sister, in Carlsbad, left for Fort Worth, Monday morning.

Miss Mary I. Johnston, Carlsbad's beloved music teacher, has taken possession of her newly erected studio north of the grammar school building.

Ed Burleson came in on one of his frequent visits from his ranch at the mouth of the canyon, where he says everything is moving on in good shape.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McDonald and little daughters were down from Lakewood, Monday, one of the little girls needing some dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Burnett and children came down from Hope Tuesday afternoon and will remain here permanently, Mr. Burnett having a position in the Current office.

Mrs. Fred Rindskopf and little daughter, Helena, will leave about the fifteenth of this month for Chicago where she will visit awhile and will then go on to New York City. They expect to be away from home at least three months.

Mrs. E. S. Sprong came in about a week ago and is down at her old home where she lived for so many years: the Missouri hotel. Mr. Sprong is still at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Hart, near Lovington, but will be in some time this week. They will take over the hotel about the fifteenth of this month, or as soon as they have got things in good shape again.

Easter was observed in the various churches of the city last Sunday by special music and programs. The Methodist program was given at the Sunday school hour and consisted of an Easter song by a class of small boys, and also a number by Mrs. Allinger's class of girls of the "teen age." Isabelle Judkins and Evelyn Kircher gave Easter recitations and a large congregation was present to enjoy them. Mrs. A. D. Poter added greatly to the morning services by singing "The Palms", accompanied by Mrs. Filson. The lady has a rich, sweet voice and her singing of this beautiful selection was in keeping with the other services.

James Tulk came in from his big ranch Sunday after some men to assist during the lambing season now on. Having secured the required help he returned to the ranch Tuesday. He left his son, June, quite sick, and was anxious to ascertain his condition. Mrs. Tulk did not come in with her husband.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, Mar. 15, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mary Nevada Dillahunty, of Carlsbad, N. M., mother of Bailey R. Dillahunty, deceased, who, on May 6th, 1915, made Homestead entry, No. 031878, for S½NW¼, NE¼ Section 27, S½NE¼, Section 28, Township 26-S, Range 23-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Dover Phillips, United States Commissioner at Carlsbad, N. M., on the 24th day of April, 1926.

Claimant names as witnesses: Cliff McKinney, of Carlsbad, N. M.; Charlie Lassater, of Oula, N. M.; Ivan Thurmond, of Carlsbad, N. M.; Ed Atterberry, of Carlsbad, N. M. EMMETT PATTON, Register.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO.

No. 3170.
William Lewis Wilson, Plaintiff

Carroll Ella Wilson, Defendant.

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

to

Carroll Ella Wilson, GREETING:

You are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you in the District Court in and for Eddy County, New Mexico, as above stated, the object of which is a dissolution of the bonds of matrimony existing between you and plaintiff, and for an absolute divorce.

And you are further notified, unless you appear and answer herein, on or before the 17th day of April, 1926, a judgment against you will be taken and entered, as prayed for in said cause.

And you are further notified that Chas. A. Reynolds, Esq., whose business address is Roswell, New Mexico, is attorney for the Plaintiff.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court this 23rd day of March, 1926.

(SEAL) D. M. JACKSON, Clerk of said Court.



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IN THE PROBATE COURT, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

No. 416.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Raymond Livingston, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 1st day of March, 1926, appointed administratrix of the estate of John Raymond Livingston, deceased, by the Honorable Fred E. Wilson, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico.

THEREFORE, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file same with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, within one year of said appointment, as provided by law, or same will be barred.

This the 22nd day of March, 1926.

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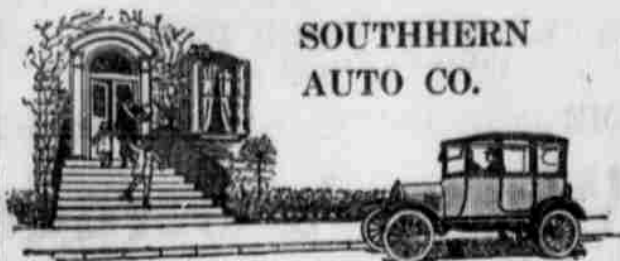
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LAKEWOOD LOCALS.

Lakewood citizens this week witnessed the unusual spectacle of a county candidate working in the interest of a district candidate; and the strange thing about it was that he was working against the candidate in his home county and his home town. Lakewood people only wish that he had an opponent for the office for which he is asking their support, so that they could register an effective protest against his action next Saturday.

The election held Monday for the selection of two school directors for this district, resulted in the re-election of J. M. Wood and J. T. Ross, the present incumbents, they receiving every vote cast.

Mrs. Catherine Simmons, of San Angelo, Texas, came to Tuesday for a visit with her son, Dale Collier, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis. Mother and son will leave in a few days for Tucson, Arizona, where they will reside.

Joe Getzwiller, formerly of this place, now of Oklahoma, was here during the past week visiting and looking after business. While here he sold his town property, consisting of the garage building on Main street, local parties being the purchasers.

Dr. H. E. Garber, of St. Joseph, Mo., has been here for some weeks looking after his real estate and oil interests.

The National Exploration Co., are daily expecting the arrival of two good oil rigs, one to be placed east of Lakewood, and the other at some point west. Teams are in waiting to place them at their destination as soon as they arrive.

John Murray, who has a broken leg, was brought up from the hospital to his home here Tuesday. He is getting along nicely.

A. C. Crozier, who has been looking after business matters at Portales for more than a week, returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McDonald and children, Mrs. A. C. Crozier and little son, Harold, and Miss Sallie Truitt, were visiting and attending to business matters in Carlsbad Monday.

N. L. Randolph, of the Peoples Mercantile company, Carlsbad, was here Wednesday looking after the company's business.

W. I. Johnson, of the Peoples Mercantile company, here, has been making daily visits to Carlsbad this week.

Elmer Baker has accepted a position with Joyce-Pruit Co., Carlsbad, and entered upon his duties Monday.

Mrs. Josephine Camp and Miss Ora Millman went to Carlsbad Tuesday to consult a physician regarding Mrs. Camp's health, which has not been very good of late.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Vermillion, of Lake Arthur, were visitors in Lakewood Saturday.

Miss Josie Camp, of Malaga, was visiting with home folks and friends here Sunday.

Mrs. George McGonagill returned Wednesday from a week's visit with friends at Artesia.

Lloyd Adams visited with friends in Artesia Tuesday night and Wednesday.

Ernest McGonagill, of near Artesia, visited with home folks and friends here Friday and Saturday.

Lewis, Landy, Tom and Sam Howell were business visitors to Carlsbad Tuesday.

The Deik family, who have lived here for some months, have moved to Skull Valley, Arizona, their car leaving Monday and the family following Tuesday.

E. C. Cook, an old time Lakewood man, now of El Paso, Texas, was visiting and looking after business here during the past week.

Mrs. Ann Welch came down from Artesia one day last week and visited a few days before going on to Malaga.

A. W. Pierson, an oil driller, who has been working in the oil fields at Ranger and nearby points, returned to his home here one day last week.

There were two school parties held during the past week, but your correspondent failed to learn any particulars concerning them, but it is a for some conclusion that the little folks had a good time.

Candidates have been coming thick and fast this week, and the anxiety which they manifest toward the voter is pathetic. The agony

MR. & MRS. VOTER

In casting your vote tomorrow, for the sheriff elect a few well wishers desire to bring before you a point which should bring forth from all voters a thorough consideration before casting their ballot.

In doing a man a favor, it is but human that it should be done to one whom you know would do as much for you out of the fullness of his heart, and a natural desire to befriend his fellow man. If the sick need succor, if the hungry need food, if the naked need raiment, if the meek and lowly require counsel from one whose heart bleeds for suffering humanity, and a champion was being sought to administer to them, every man, woman and child in Eddy county knows who would first volunteer his services, and in so doing, would but be doing that which he has always done. You know who he is:

GEO. BECKETT

The question is, Mr. and Mrs. Voter, if Geo. Beckett should be removed from this community, would you miss him? Ask yourself again: WOULD YOU?

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will all be over next week, when they will be thinned out to one in a hill, and the unfortunate ones will start on their biennial trip up Salt River.

Miss Vaude Kroeger, of Carlsbad, visited with home folks and friends here Saturday night and Sunday.

M. R. Smith, candidate for county commissioner from district No. 1 this county, spent much of the week in the lower valley and around Hope and Artesia looking after his chances for the nomination.

W. C. T. U.

The next regular meeting of that organization will be held Wednesday afternoon of next week, that being the 14th instant. The subject of the meeting will be "Mother and all interested are invited to be present."

PROGRAM

Scripture reading St. John 14th
Mrs. Hattie Mercer.
Prayer, Madam Thorne.
Song, "How Firm A Foundation"
Psalm 23 repeated in concert.
Paper, "Of Interest to Mothers",
Mrs. J. F. Bush.
Psalm.
Song, "Oh Think of the Home Over There".
Vocal duet, "Looking this Way".
Mendames Clark and A. A. Davis.
Paper, "Motherhood", Mrs. Claude Wright.

Mrs. Herman Wertheim and children came in from Wagon Mound, N. M., this week and will visit with Mrs. Joe Wertheim a month or more during the absence of the latter's husband.

Hon. Carl Livingston expects to leave very shortly for Dallas, where Mrs. Livingston and baby are now visiting and where he will remain for some time.

Dr. Glasier this week purchased the most valuable block of ground in the city, being the property now occupied by him as an office. The property is known as the Farr property, but owned by E. Purdy, who bought it a few months ago. The consideration has not been stated but it will run into the largest figures of any property changing hands recently. The deal was made through W. H. Merchant.

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