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# The Alamogordo News.

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## ALAMOGORDO WILL ENTERTAIN FIRE BOYS

Firemen's Convention and Tournament to be Held Here in 1912

## DELEGATES ARE HOME CLOVIS MADE GOOD

Chief Whiteman of Roswell Presents Loving Cup as a Prize

The delegates are home from the firemen's convention at Clovis and with them comes the convention and tournament for Alamogordo in 1912.

Now let us get busy and start preparations for properly entertaining this august body of fire fighters. It is going to take some effort and no little amount of cash. But Alamogordo can do it. Letters of invitation will be sent to every fire department in the states of New Mexico, Texas and Oklahoma, at once and show them that our city has the proper spirit and will welcome them in 1912.

It is estimated that \$1,000 will be required for substantial prizes and other expenses. With the co-operation of every property owner this amount can easily be raised. It will cost the visiting teams of eleven men from \$400 to \$800 to come and compete, so the prizes must be made an inducement.

The Alamogordo Dept. will try hard to win the prizes especially the "wet hose" test which is the main test and the main prize winner.

Clovis won the first prize in all the tests of the tournament. A team was made up from the delegates to compete with the Clovis team. Races and time as follows:

Delegates wet hose test, 47 1-5 sec.; Clovis wet hose test, 37 sec.; Clovis hundred yard dash 11 1-5 sec.; Delegates dry hose test, 37 3-5 sec.; Clovis dry hose test, 36 4-5 sec.; Clovis man ladder climbing, 5 2-5, R. M. Thorn Carlsbad, ladder climbing, 7 1-5 sec.; J. B. Munsey Artesia, ladder climbing, 7 1-5 sec.; E. O. Kremer Alamogordo, ladder climbing, 9 2-5 sec.

Prizes were as follows:

Wet hose test first prize \$75.00, second prize \$25.00. Dry hose test, first prize \$50.00, second prize \$20.00. Also loving cup presented by Chief Whiteman of Roswell. Hundred yard dash first prize \$20.00, second prize \$10.00. Ladder climbing first prize \$20.00, second prize \$10.00. Hose coupling contest, first prize \$20.00, second prize \$10.00.

\$120.00 in prizes went for speed race and water fight but these tests don't belong to the regular tournament rules.

Next year the teams will have another chance at the loving cup so kindly donated by Mr. Whiteman, who was an old time resident of Alamogordo and still has the Alamogordo spirit. Let us add another trophy to Mr. Whiteman's, some one make a suggestion.

On Saturday the last of the tournament the farmers brought in some of their farm products and stock for exhibition and it was very good. Fine music was furnished by the Portales band.

There are many things that can be done to make the three days firemen's convention a success and the best advertisement Alamogordo has ever had. Boost! E. O. K.

## FIRST MONTH'S REPORT ALAMOGORDO SCHOOLS

Total Attendance for the Month of September is 457

## FALLING OFF IN THE MARYLAND AVE. SCHOOL

Whole Attendance is 23 Pupils Short of Last Year

Report of Superintendent for the first month, ending Sept. 29, 1911.

Enrollment: Boys, 207, girls 250, total 457.

Total days attended 8304. Percent of attendance 97. Number present every day 292. Number tardy 42.

Number of visits 16.

High school.....	55
Eighth grade.....	29
Seventh grade.....	33
Sixth grade.....	28
Fifth grade.....	38
Fourth grade.....	53
Third grade.....	55
Second grade.....	51
First grade.....	50

Maryland Ave. Second and third grades.....30 First grade.....35 The falling off of pupils is in the Maryland Avenue school, where they have 65 pupils. At the close of the first month last year they had 108 pupils. A shortage of 43 pupils. 14 of these are in the fourth grade at the 10 Street school. A net loss of 29 pupils.

We are 23 short in the schools from last year. But have had much better attendance this year. Many more pupils entered the first day. School is moving along nicely. Would be pleased to have more parents visit the schools this month, only had 16 visitors the first month, should have 100 this month. The time to visit the school is now. See the pupils in their daily work. It is not programs that count in school for the pupil, it is his daily work.

The assembly in the High School is on Monday, Wednesday, and Fridays at 1:15 p. m. Will be pleased to have visitors at that time if you desire to see the pupils at assembly period.

Yours truly,  
CHAS. D. GEORGE,  
Superintendent.

### A Word to the Merchant

Mr. Merchant, did you ever think what your ad in the newspaper is doing for you? When you close your store in the evening and go home to your family and fireside, not thinking about your business at all, then it is that the paper is being poured over in hundreds of homes—the homes from which your trade is drawn. And there is your ad doing its work silently, but surely, and if you have taken the pains to make it attractive its work will be all the more attractive. This is repeated over and over again, and is no doubt what inspired some writer to call newspaper advertising a "silent drummer."—Boyer City (Mich.) Journal.

The Friday Reading Circle met at the home of Mrs. Carlson Sept. 29. The third and fourth acts of Romeo and Juliet were studied. Refreshments were served.

## M. E. CONFERENCE HAS COMPLETED ITS WORK

Many Kind Words for Hospitality of Albuquerque People

## REV. ED LABRETON RETURNS TO ALAMOGORDO

Dr. Alonzo Bright Supt. of Both English and Spanish Missions

Albuquerque, N. M., Oct. 2.—Sunday marked the close of the conference of the New Mexico English Mission and the New Mexico Spanish Mission conference which has been held in this city during the past week.

The first service of the day was the joint conference love feast.

In this service occurred one of the happiest moments of the week in the singing of the Spanish folks, the old hymn, "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms."

The verse was sung as a solo in the Spanish tongue, then the Spanish men joined in the chorus. Then on the second verse the girls of the Harwood Industrial school stood and sung the chorus. Then Spanish and English tongues blended in swelling the music. It was an inspiring and beautiful moment.

The most touching incident of the week was the ovation extended to Dr. Harwood. The bishop called for all who love Dr. Harwood and appreciate the great work he has done for New Mexico to stand and join in singing "Blessed be the Tie That Binds." Almost as a unit the vast congregation arose and although many voices were choked with tears, the hymn was sung with a great zest.

The closing service of the week was the anniversary of the Home Mission and Church Extension society.

Dr. S. Alonzo Bright, superintendent of both the English and Spanish missions in New Mexico preached the sermon, which was a forceful setting forth of the Christ's great command: "Go ye into all the world."

In conclusion, Dr. Bright in a wonderfully sympathetic and touching manner presented some of the work and needs of this great field of New Mexico.

This session brought to a close one of the most successful sessions of the conference.

As the men dispersed many expressions of appreciation for the hospitality of the Albuquerque homes, and the universal kindness of the people were heard.

The appointments made and confirmed by the conference of the New Mexico English Mission, Alonzo Bright, superintendent, follow: Alamogordo, Ed Le Breton; Albuquerque, C. O. Beckman; Belen, supplied by J. M. Shimer; Clayton, to be supplied; Clayton circuit, supplied by C. S. Martin; Columbus, Addis Albro; Des Moines, Folsom, and Johnson's Mesa, L. T. Athey; El Paso, C. J. Dickey; Espanola, C. T. Lucas; Estancia and Mountainair, B. T. Summers; Fort Sumner, S. E. Turner; French and Maxwell, H. W. Clark; Hillsboro, supplied by C. H. Boddington; Las Vegas, E. C. Anderson; Nara Visa, C. E. Lindquist; Raton, Bernard Gibbs; Roswell, H. Van Valkenburgh; Roy, supplied by T. A.

## NEW MEXICO STATE FAIR ASSOCIATION

Will Be Held at Albuquerque October 9 to 14

## OFFICERS ARE BUSY PREPARING PROGRAM

Aviation Flights, Baseball, Horse Racing and Lodge Doings

Albuquerque, N. M., Oct. 4.—The officers of the New Mexico State Fair Association have done everything in their power to provide a great program for New Mexico State Fair week, to hold forth in Albuquerque October 9 to 14. Eugene B. Ely or Charles F. Walsh in their Curtiss biplanes will be here next week, positively and absolutely prepared to make successful flights on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday of Fair week.

Nat Reiss and his forty carnival shows will be here Saturday, October 7, to arrange the carnival grounds. The race horses, several dozen of them, will be here within a week of the Santa Fe racing circuit, to work out on the local track. Six baseball club are to participate in the baseball tournament. The Masonic bodies have arranged to have a solid week of conventions and meetings in their handsome new \$75,000 temple. Several other fraternal organizations will have sessions during the week. Altogether the card of entertainment for the people of New Mexico during the Fair is to be a splendid one.

Aviation flights for everybody; baseball, horse racing and lodge doings for the men; cookery and culinary displays and club doings for the women; the carnival shows and the many wonders of a modern city for the youngsters. Reduced rates have been granted on all railroads and it is confidently believed that Albuquerque will entertain a big crowd of visitors and that none will be disappointed with the fun and frolic of the week, and that they will be pleased and edified with the many agricultural and horticultural displays which will indicate the natural resources possessed by the State of New Mexico.

### Back for Another Year

The many friends of Rev. Ed Le Breton and family will be glad to learn that that able exponent of the gospel has been returned as pastor of Grace M. E. church for another year.

His work here during the year just closed has made him a valuable citizen and a power for good. Not only the members of his church are pleased but the community in general seem glad to know that he is to remain here. He will conduct the regular services next Sunday as usual.

Windsor; Santa Fe, to be supplied; Santa Rosa, supplied by Frank Whiting; Santa Rita circuit, to be supplied; Silver City, M. O. Stockland; Springer, G. E. McCargar; Taos, to be supplied.

New Mexico Spanish Mission conference, S. Alonzo Bright, superintendent. —Albuquerque Evening Herald, Oct. 2.

The conference in 1912 will be held at Raton, N. M.

## EXAMINATION FOR ASST. FOREST RANGERS

To Be Held at Forest Headquarters in Nineteen Different States

## DATES SET FOR EXAMINATIONS ARE OCT. 23-24

Must Know Some Spanish in Dealing With the Mexicans

Washington, D. C., October 2.—The Civil Service Commission will hold an examination for Assistant Forest Ranger on October 23-24, 1911. The U. S. Department of agriculture estimates that 400 eligibles will be needed during the field season of 1912. Assistant Forest Rangers are paid an entrance salary of \$1,100 per annum.

The examination will be held at National Forest headquarters in Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Idaho, Kansas, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming. No examination will be held in Michigan.

The law requires that, when practicable, Forest Rangers must be qualified citizens of the state or territory in which the National Forest on which they are appointed is situated. Since the list of local eligibles must be exhausted before eligibles residing in other states can be appointed, the chance of citizens of outside states who go to the National Forest states and take the examination to secure an appointment is small.

The requirements and duties of forest rangers are thus described in "The Use Book," which contains the regulations and instructions for the use of the National Forests:

"A ranger of any grade must be thoroughly sound and able-bodied, capable of enduring hardships and performing severe labor under trying conditions. He must be able to take care of himself and his horses in regions remote from settlement and supplies. He must be able to build trails and cabins, ride, pack, and deal tactfully with all classes of people. He must know something of land surveying, estimating and scaling timber, logging, land laws, mining, and the livestock business.

"On some forests the ranger must be a specialist in one or more of these lines of work. Thorough familiarity with the region in which he seeks employment, including its geography and its forest and industrial conditions, is usually demanded, although lack of this may be supplied by experience in similar regions.

"The examination of applicants is along the practical lines indicated above, and actual demonstration, by performance, is required. Invalids seeking light out-of-door employment need not apply. Experience, not book education, is sought, although ability to make simple maps and write intelligent reports upon ordinary forest business is essential.

"For duty in some parts of Arizona and New Mexico the ranger must know enough Spanish to conduct forest business

## OPENING ATTRACTION ON LYCEUM COURSE

Lucian Edgar Follansbee Will Be Here Saturday Night, Oct. 7

## HIS SUBJECT, "GENIUS AND GUMPTON" FINE

Seats are Selling Fast, and Course an Assured Success

Saturday evening, October 7, will be the opening date of the Lyceum Course. On that occasion we will have that eminent lecturer and platform entertainer, Lucian Edgar Follansbee, with us. He has decided to give his famous lecture "Genius and Gumpton," and no doubt it will be a great treat.

Of this lecture, the Blair, Neb., Courier says: "Everyone says Follansbee is all right and wants to hear him again next year. He has both force and fire, and carried the audience with him every minute, often leading to the highest point of enthusiasm. He is a big, broad-minded, clean-souled man, that will do any people good to have him come among them, and our only regret is that everyone in Blair did not hear the gifted speaker last evening."

The seats are selling fast and those who have not already secured them should do so at once. The success of the course from a financial standpoint is already assured, and this fact reflects credit on the citizens of our city and also Mr. Simms, who has worked so faithfully to secure the course.

Louis Wolfinger returned to the El Paso Military Institute Sunday after a brief visit with his parents.

with Mexicans.

"Where saddle horses or pack horses are necessary in the performance of their duty, rangers are required to own and maintain them. The Forest Service furnishes no personal or horse equipment.

"Rangers execute the work of the National Forests under the direction of supervisors. Their duties include patrol to prevent fire and trespass, estimating, surveying, and marking timber, supervision of cuttings, and similar work. They issue minor permits, build cabins, report on applications, and report upon and arrest for violation of forest laws and regulations."

The examination will consist of questions regarding the use of the forest, supplemented by a field test to show the applicant's fitness to do the actual work of a ranger. Education and experience will be rated on the answers to the questions on these subjects in the application form and on the applicant's use of English in the written test. Horses for the tests in riding and packing will be provided by the Forest Service.

The examination is under the control of the Civil Service Commission, and not of the Forest Service. Information in detail regarding it, including the names of the places at which it will be held, will be sent to anyone applying to the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

# What Becomes of Old Actors

By EMMETT C. KING

**I**n the winter of 1882 the theatrical managers of New York and Brooklyn decided that, in order to relieve the many cases of distress reported throughout the theatrical profession, it was necessary to create a permanent fund which would be immediately available for the purpose. This fund was to be known as the "Actors' Fund," but as it was to be raised by the efforts of all classes connected with the business of public amusements, it would be devoted, without reservation, to any and all persons who have been connected with said amusements, in any capacity whatsoever.

Benefit performances were given at the principal theaters in New York and Brooklyn on a certain day for the purpose of creating a foundation for the fund. The receipts from the sale of tickets and donations for these performances were \$29,335.86. Among the largest donations were: James Gordon Bennett, \$10,000; John Jacob Astor, \$2,500; Edwin Booth, \$1,000.

The fund was incorporated according to the laws of the state, June 8, 1882, and on July 15th a permanent organization was effected with the



DINNER PARTY AT ACTORS' HOME

following officers: President, Lester Wallack; vice-president, A. M. Palmer; secretary, Daniel Frohman; treasurer, Theodore Moss. The board of trustees was: Lester Wallack, Edwin Booth, Joseph Jefferson, M. H. Mallory, Lawrence Barrett, H. C. Miner, W. E. Sinn, A. M. Palmer, Edward Harrigan, William Henderson, John F. Poole, P. T. Barnum, W. J. Florence, William Birch, J. K. Emmett and J. H. Haverly. The counsel for the fund was A. J. Dittenhofer.

The report of the secretary for the first year of the fund's existence showed a disbursement of \$12,349.07. Relief had been given to over four hundred actors in different parts of the Union, and thirty-two had been buried in California, Texas and other parts of the country. Thus the fund had prevented the sick and needy from seeking charity, and had given respectable interment to those who would otherwise have been buried in pauper's graves.

One day in the spring of 1900 Louis Aldrich, an actor, and Al. Hayman, a theatrical manager, sat in the latter's office in the Empire Theater, New York:

"The actors' fund has at last passed resolutions approving my plan to build a home for old actors," said Aldrich. "You know that I have been agitating this scheme for years, with little or no encouragement; nobody believes it feasible, on account of the expense. I believe now, as I always have, that I can make a success of it, if I can only get a substantial sum to start my subscription. You've made a good deal of money out of the theatrical business, Al; give me something tangible for a starter."

"How much will you require, altogether?" Hayman asked.

"It will take about one hundred thousand dollars," was the reply.

"How much do you think I ought to give?"

"Oh, about ten thousand dollars."

"Well," replied Hayman, "I'll give you ten thousand dollars, if the dramatic profession will raise ninety thousand."

"I'm afraid we can't raise that much right away," Aldrich said; "but I believe we could raise fifty thousand now, and the balance later."

"All right," said Hayman, "I'll give you ten thousand, if you'll raise fifty thousand."

"That's a bargain," exclaimed Aldrich. "Give me your check, and if I don't raise the fifty thousand, I'll return it."

The check for ten thousand dollars was given to Aldrich, and he took it to the editor of the New York Herald, who agreed to hold the money and receive further donations. The next day the Herald announced that it had ten thousand dollars as a nucleus for a fund to build a home for actors, and would receive subscriptions. The response was magic. Money poured in by mail, express, telegraph and cable. In twenty days the subscription reached fifty-five thousand dollars, besides the original ten thousand, and the books were closed for the time being.

The matter was allowed to rest until the spring of 1901, when a number of benefit performances were given in New York, Philadelphia and Chicago to raise additional money needed to complete the work so auspiciously begun.

The committee entrusted with the selection of a site for the home purchased "Beechlawn," the twenty-acre estate of Richard Penn Smith at West Brighton, Staten Island. The building was finished, and on May 8, 1902, the Actors' Home was opened and dedicated with imposing ceremonies. The address of the day was made by Joseph Jefferson.

In reality, the dramatic profession owes to Louis Aldrich more than it does to any single person for the possession of this beautiful home. He talked of the scheme for years. No one else

believed it feasible, but Aldrich never lost faith in his ability to carry it to a successful conclusion.

In this ideal abode are assembled thirty-one former votaries of the sock and buskin. They are the Romeos, Melnotes, Rosalinds and Camilles of bygone days. They were the idols of your fathers and your grandfathers—yes, and some of your great-grandfathers; for none is admitted to the home under fifty-five, and many of the inmates are octogenarians.

On a winter's evening the silver-haired women are accustomed to gather in the parlor or library, and over their sewing or crocheting tell one more of the beauty and charm of Adelaide Nelson, the wonderful characterizations of Lucile Western, and sublime genius of Charlotte Cushman; while downstairs in the billiard or card room the men have gone back to play again with Davenport, McCullough, Warren, Owens, Burton and the peerless Forrest. Jefferson, Barrett and Edwin Booth are spoken of casually; they belong too much to the present.

"Ah! there are no tragedians like Forrest nowadays," one veteran sighs in a voice that suggests the ghost in Hamlet.

"And no comedians like Burton," deploras another.

"No, nor any pantomimists like George Fox; the art died with him," laments a third.

"There were giants in those days," if these veterans are to be believed; and who shall gain-say them? None can; and surely none would care to.

Two married couples grace the home, retating the often heard remark, "There are no happy marriages in the profession." They are Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Chester and Mr. and Mrs. George Morton. Mr. and Mrs. Chester have been married forty-seven years, and have seldom been separated during their long connection with the stage. Mr. and Mrs. Morton have been married a somewhat shorter time than the Chesters.

The oft-repeated question, "Are they happy?" is well answered in the following incident. An old friend of one of the couples mentioned extended an invitation to them to visit him and his family at their country home. The pair replied, thanking him for his invitation and apologizing for not accepting, but stating that they were so happy in their new home that they could not bear the thought of leaving it, even for a short time.

One of the most interesting figures in this unique household is Harry Langdon—"Handsome Harry" they called him in the days when he played dashing parts opposite Adelaide Neilson, Charlotte Cushman and Eliza Logan. Though well into his eightieth year, Mr. Langdon was reading a book without glasses when I was introduced to him.

"No, I have never felt the need of glasses," he said in answer to my question regarding it. "I may have to get some later, but now I read by either daylight or artificial light without any inconvenience."

"Tell me something about Forrest, Mr. Langdon," I asked him; "some anecdotes, if you can think of any."

"There are so many," he replied, "that it is hard to think where to begin. One that has been told often, and sometimes attributed to other people, really occurred while I was present. A young actor was rehearsing a part, but did not seem to grasp the proper meaning of the lines. Forrest finally lost his patience, and after rehearsing the scene for the young man with all his tragic power, turned to him and exclaimed: 'There, that's the way it ought to be done—why don't you do it like that?'"

"If I could do it like that, Mr. Forrest," the

actor replied, "I wouldn't be working for six dollars a week."

"Forrest was a bad sailor, and once, when we were making a water trip between two coast towns, the sea became choppy and the governor had to go below, where he suffered all the misery of seasickness. Finally he sent for the captain to come to his state-room."

"How much is this old tub of yours worth?" he groaned as the skipper appeared.

"I don't know exactly, Mr. Forrest," was the reply; "why do you ask?"

"Because I want to buy it and chain it up to a rock where it can't move," roared Forrest.

"E. L. Davenport was one of the greatest actors this country ever produced," continued Mr. Langdon. "For versatility he has never had an equal; he could do a song and dance with as much grace as any specialist in that line, and turn round and play Hamlet and Brutus with almost any of them. Davenport was a great gayer; his nature was sunny and he loved fun. Lawrence Barrett was the antithesis of Davenport; dignity and austerity were his most marked characteristics. Davenport was playing Brutus to Barrett's Cassius on one occasion. In the first act of the play Brutus says to Cassius:

"Till then, my noble friend, chew upon this." At this point Brutus and Cassius clasp hands. As their hands met, Cassius felt something soft and mushy being squeezed into his hand by the noble Brutus. A slimy substance oozed through his fingers and dropped off on the floor; it was a ripe tomato, which Brutus had given Cassius to 'chew upon.' Barrett could not resist the ridiculousness of the situation, and had to turn his back to the audience to hide his laughter."

Effie Germon—dashing, laughing, laughter-making Effie Germon, of the Wallack Stock Company, and many other metropolitan companies—is a recent guest of the home.

"They say I'm too short for grandes dames," said Miss Germon; "and of course I know my time has passed for soubrette, although I feel as young as I did at thirty, and would like to work, but they won't let me; so here I am, and it's a mighty fine place to be, under the circumstances. I'm only sixty (she doesn't look more than forty-five) and I come of a long-lived family. My mother, who died only a few weeks ago, was eighty-seven, and my aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Saunders, is still living in San Francisco, at the age of ninety-one. She is probably the oldest player, male or female, alive."

One of the lively boys of the home is Charles Gonzales, who is a youngster of seventy-six. Mr. Gonzales had a Spanish father and an Irish mother, so he says he doesn't know whether he is an Irish Spaniard or a Spanish Irishman. Mr. Gonzales amuses himself with palette and brush, and his room contains many water colors done by his hand. Besides this, he is manager of the "Home Quartette," and with Meadames Morton, Brennan and Campbell contributes musical evenings for the pleasure of the other guests.

Since the home was opened there have been admitted altogether eighty-one guests.

Of this number thirty have died, and twenty have returned to their families or friends, but are still provided for by the fund. The fund does not demand that one should go to the home in order to receive assistance; it is purely a matter of choice, and aid is given the needy souls' the home, as well as within. There are at present over seventy persons outside the home who are being cared for by the fund. Strange to say, the home has never been filled to its capacity, the thirty-one inmates now there being the largest number it has ever contained. There are accommodations for nineteen more, with no further applications.

## WHERE WIGGINS FELL DOWN

Employer Now Realizes That There Are Such Things as Grandmothers of Office Boys.

Outside his own cleverness there is nothing that so delights Mr. Wiggins as a game of baseball, and when he gets a chance to exploit the two at the same time he may be said to be the happiest man in the world. Hence it was that the other day, when little red-headed Willie Mulligan, his office boy, came sniffing into his presence to ask for the afternoon off that he might attend his grandmother's funeral, Wiggins deemed it a masterly stroke to answer:

"Why, certainly, Willie. What's more, my boy, if you'll wait for me I'll go with you."

"All right, sir," sniffed Willie, as he returned to his desk and waited patiently.

And lo and behold, poor little Willie had told the truth, and when he and Wiggins started out together, the latter not only lost one of the best games of the season, but had to attend the obsequies of an old lady in whom he had no interest whatever.—Harper's Weekly.

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## His Part in the Proceedings.

Clarence is a dandy who is as proud of piloting Mr. Hillside's costly automobile as Mr. Hillside is of owning it. "Well, Clarence," said a neighbor, "I saw you in the Taft parade, but you didn't have the president in your car, I noticed." "No, sir," the chauffeur answered, "I didn't have the president, but I had a reporter, and I reckon Mr. Taft might have talked up there on the hill all night long and nobody in town would have known about it next day if it hadn't been for me and that reporter."—Exchange.

## Where It Points.

"For whom is she wearing black—her late husband?"

"No, for her next. She knows she looks well in it."—Judge.

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# NATIONAL CAPITAL AFFAIRS

## Confronted by Currency Legislation



WASHINGTON—Recently there has been a distinct revival here of interest in banking and currency legislation. There are at least three reasons for this, which may be enumerated as follows:

1. The announcement that an organization to be known as the National Citizens' league is being formed to advocate some sort of federal reserve association.
2. The organization in New York city of the National City company, with capital stock of \$10,000,000, as an adjunct of the National City bank, and for the purpose of acquiring and holding stock in other banks.
3. The movement on the part of the insurgent Republicans in the senate, and supported by some of the Democrats, to compel the national monetary commission to close its affairs and report to congress not later than January 1, 1912.

## Plans for the Canal Fortifications

GIBRALTAR may be robbed of the distinction of being the most impregnable fortress in the world if the plans of the fortification board in the Panama canal zone are adopted. As a preliminary, looking toward this end, the war department has ordered the 16-inch gun now stored at Sandy Hook proving ground to the canal zone. Although the gun was constructed ten years ago, no more powerful weapon has been produced in the world. Its range is beyond 16 miles and its projectiles, aero-torpedoes, weigh 2,400 pounds, and could easily destroy a battleship before it reached a point near enough to do damage to the canal locks or other portions of the waterway. Later on more guns of this caliber will be placed there.

Super-dreadnaughts, according to the calculations of ordinance experts, can be sunk easily by the 16-inch gun at distances of 14 miles from the mouth of the canal. This is not the limit of the range of the great gun, but it is about as far as "hits" can be made. The projectile of the gun is virtually an aero-torpedo. It will weigh 2,400 pounds and will carry about 150 pounds of high explosives. There is not the least doubt that even at an extreme

range of 15 or 16 miles the projectile will penetrate the heaviest armor plate on the largest battleship. After the projectile has passed through the armor plate the 150 pounds of high explosives which it contains will be discharged. The detonation would create a miniature earthquake and destroy a city.

What is sought by the war department and the joint board is to equip the fortifications with such powerful guns that the enemy's fleet can be kept so far from the canal that it cannot drop shells or projectiles into the waterway. A large projectile fired over the fortifications dropped into one of the locks or dams might close up the canal for a year or so. The forces on the canal must not only keep the enemy from reducing the fortifications but from doing damage to the waterway.



## Many Inquiries are Left Unfinished



The special session of congress came to an end with many investigations unfinished, leaving many of the committees that were conducting inquiries to report next winter.

When the senate voted to conduct a second investigation into the election of Senator Lorimer, the expectation was that the inquiry could be finished in time for a report from the committee at the special session, but the best this committee hopes for is to be prepared to make its report when congress reconvenes on the first Monday in December.

The senate special committee on the "third degree" also made headway slowly. A joint committee of the senate and house that has been investigating the question of employers' liability and workmen's compensation

has taken a great deal of testimony, which is being printed for distribution among persons who are particularly interested in this subject.

The Democrats of the house have laid out enough investigation work to keep many committees busy until mid-summer next year. The Democratic leaders intimate that it is their intention to keep up the investigation business until the next session of congress gets out of the way of the national convention of the political parties.

The inquiries into the affairs of the steel trust and the sugar trust have attracted wide attention, and have developed valuable information—information to which not only congress is entitled, but which the people ought to possess. These two major investigations have, it is said, only begun. Each of the inquiries is to continue for months. The committees will get down to work again in the fall, and if they continue to find "pay dirt" they will continue their researches far into the session that is to begin in December.

## Pacific Coast Has a Customs Scandal

AN investigation of alleged under-valuation frauds involving several millions of dollars has been instituted by the customs authorities at the port of San Francisco, Cal. Disclosures which, it is said, will eclipse in magnitude the recent customs frauds exposed in New York, are promised by the federal officials. The investigation centers around some of the biggest importers of Oriental wares in the United States, and it is alleged that some government officials are involved.

The government activity includes the principal seaports of the entire Pacific coast and extends to Japan, where secret service agents have been busy for the last few months amassing evidence of the alleged frauds. Held at the custom house in San Francisco there are at present 500 cases of Oriental wares consigned to a single firm. The goods, which consist principally of crockery, alleged to be vastly undervalued, are being held, pending the determination as to exact



ly what course shall be pursued by the government. A similar consignment billed to the same firm is being held at Seattle.

The government authorities first received information of the alleged undervaluation of wares imported by the firm involved from other importers. They complained that they were unable to compete with the firm in the sale of a certain class of goods. They further complained that the firm was driving chinaware offered from Germany from the market of this country.

Acting on information received, the customs authorities were ordered to detain shipments en route from Japan and consigned to the firm in question. Similar action was taken at Seattle.

## DEATH BEFORE 100 YEARS IS SUICIDE

Prof. Munyon Says Ignorance of Laws of Health Explains Early End of Life.

### NOTED SCIENTIST HAS ENCOURAGING WORD FOR DEPONDENT MEN AND WOMEN

"Death before 100 years of age has been reached in nothing more or less than slow suicide," says Prof. J. C. Munyon, the noted Philadelphia health authority, who in establishing health headquarters in all the large cities of the world for the purpose of getting in direct touch with his thousands of patients.

"I want the people of the world to know my opinions on the subject of health, which are the fruit of a life-time devoted to healing the sick, people of America. There isn't a building in this city big enough to house the people in this State alone who have found health through my methods. Before I got through there weren't a building big enough to house my cured patients in this city alone.

"I want, most of all, to talk to the sick people—the invalids, the discouraged, the victims of nerve-weariness, body-racking diseases and ailments—for these are the ones to whom the message of hope which I bear will bring the greatest blessing.

"I want to talk to the rheumatics, the sufferers from stomach trouble, the ones afflicted with the nervous troubles, the tarrs. I want to tell my story to the women who have become chronic invalids as a result of nervous troubles. I want to talk to the men who are 'all run down,' whose health has been broken by overwork, improper diet, late hours and other causes, and who feel the creeping clutch of nervous, chronic illness.

"To these people I bring a story of hope in the form of a promise of better things. I want to astonish them by showing the record of cures performed through my new system of treatment. I have taken the best of the ideas from all schools and embodied them in a new system of treatment individually adapted to each particular case. I have no 'cure alls,' but my present method of attacking disease is the very best thought of modern science. The success which I have had with these treatments in this city and all over America proves its efficacy. Old methods must give away to new medical science moves. I know what my remedies are doing for humanity everywhere. I know what they will do for the people of this city. Let me prove my statements—that's all I ask.

The continuous stream of callers and mail that comes to Professor James M. Munyon at his laboratory, Fifty-third and Jefferson streets, Philadelphia, Pa., keeps Dr. Munyon and his enormous corps of expert physicians busy.

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### THE BRUTE.



Wife—John, I listened to you for half an hour last night, while you were talking in your sleep.

John—Thanks, dear, for your self-restraint.

### SPENT HUNDREDS OF DOLLARS.

A Case of Terrible Kidney Trouble and How It Was Cured.

Charles E. Berg, 815 N. Sixth St., Walla Walla, Wash., says: "A sharp pain like the stab of a knife caught me while stooping and after that it was with me constantly. I became so bad I had to take to my bed. My face swelled and my kidneys were in terrible shape. I lost weight, and was bothered by dizzy spells. I spent hundreds of dollars without relief. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me permanently and I believe they saved my life."

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### New Disappointment.

First Summer Girl—So you thought a man was coming?

Second Summer Girl—Yes; but as we got a closer view we saw it was only a bird.—Puck.

Efficiency in the Forest.

The Babes in the Woods were lost. "There is no hope," they cried, "they will try to find us by a filing system."

## WHEN THE LUCK CHANGED

Groceryman at Last Could Believe That Things Might Be Coming His Way.

George H. Karle, the Philadelphia financier, was talking in Washington about high-over high or rans-finance.

"There's a certain type of financier," said Mr. Karle, "who, in his greed for wealth, loses his humanity. He becomes, in fact, a fac simile of Peter Brown."

Peter Brown was a Conshohocken grocer. He was delivering some groceries in his wagon one morning when he ran down and badly injured an old lady. The old lady sued him and got big damages. A few months later Brown was on his rounds again when he ran down and crippled an old man. The man also sued, and so large were the damages awarded him by a generous jury that poor Brown found himself actually on the verge of ruin.

"One morning about this time Brown's young son rushed into the shop in great excitement. 'Father!' he cried, 'Father! mother's been run over by old Gobsa Gold's 99-horse-power touring car.'

"The grocer's eyes filled with tears, and in a voice trembling with feeling he exclaimed: 'Thank heaven, the luck's changed at last!'"

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"Do you know what a fortunate little boy you are?" rather patronizingly inquired a young lady of the middle whose mother is her dearest comrade. "Here, I invited mamma to go away for a lovely time with me, but she wouldn't because it wasn't a place where we could take children, and she thought she'd rather be at home with you. But I don't blame her," as the wide eyes grew watery, "for I think I'd rather stay at home also if I had a nice little boy like you!"

"Why don't you get one?" queried the child, briskly. "I'll tell Dr. Johnson to bring you the next one he finds, if you like!"

Loyalty.

"So lightning struck Speeder's automobile?"

"Well, Speeder claims it was his automobile that struck the lightning.—Puck.

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"Yes; he's all in."

Couldn't Help Him.

"I haven't a place to lay my head."

"I'm sorry, but we're all out of head rests."

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children, teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures whooping cough, croup, colic, and all the ailments of infancy.

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## GRABBED HIM.



She—Old Brown said if he were twenty-five years younger he would marry me.

He—Twenty-five years younger? Why that's just my age.

She—Oh, Charlie, this is so sudden!

Why She Smiled.

"She must love her husband dearly; she smiles whenever she looks toward him."

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In the senate of the United States there are 61 lawyers, five bankers, eight business men, four farmers, three journalists, two mine operators, two manufacturers, one author, one doctor and four members whose callings are not given. Of the four farmers, two are from the same state, South Carolina. They are Tillman and Smith. The lawyers clearly outnumber all others.

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Whoever complains of not having found a true friend accuses himself. Slaters.

Lewis' Single Binder, straight 50¢—many smokers prefer them to 10¢ cigars.

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## THIS IS OUR TICKET

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Lieutenant Governor—Malsiquias Martinez  
Secretary of State—Secundino Romero  
Auditor—W. G. Sargent  
Treasurer—Sylvestre Mirabal  
Attorney General—Frank W. Cloney  
Superintendent of Public Instruction—A. B. Stroup  
Commissioner of Public Lands—Robert P. Ervies  
Supreme Court Judges—Edward R. Wright, Frank W. Parker, Clarence J. Roberts  
Corporation Commissioners—George W. Armijo, Hugh H. Williams, M. S. Groves  
Congress—George Curry, Elfrigo Baca  
District Judge—E. L. Modler  
District Attorney—H. B. Hamilton

## MR. GORE DRAWS TWO

So far as *The News* knows, A. K. Gore of Alamogordo is the only man in New Mexico to be nominated for two offices. Mr. Gore is the leading socialist of Otero county and has been nominated by this local for the office of county treasurer. He has been nominated on the state ticket for the office of state auditor. We have good republicans with which we hope to fill these offices, but at the same time, Mr. Gore's nomination for two offices is evidence of his high standing in Otero county and throughout New Mexico.

Thirty-five democratic editors attending the state convention at Santa Fe contemplate the organization of a democratic press association. With the Mexican representation on the state ticket limited to one man, the democrats will need an organization and a mighty good one, if they hope to reach the goal on November 7.

It is reported that Las Cruces has not enough houses to shelter the new comers who moving in. Alamogordo has a few that are vacant and will be glad to accommodate the Las Cruces overflow as long as the supply lasts.

### The Soldier Boys Were Here

Alamogordo presented a very much military air Tuesday. The soldier boys came down from their stay at Clouderoft and camped in the park for the night. There were between 600 and 800 men, with their horses, pack mules and commissary wagons. By supper time the camp was in complete order.

Hundreds visited the camp in the evening and between the hours of seven and eight the 4th Cavalry Band gave an excellent concert in the band stand.

After the concert many of the soldiers tripped the light fantastic toe until a late hour. The orchestra was made up from the band. The dance was a very enjoyable affair and well attended. Prof. Carl Hack gave the ball.

Camp was broken Wednesday morning and the troops started on their "hike" to El Paso at about 6:30.

### Dr. J. W. Long Announces

Dr. J. W. Long of Tularosa, has announced himself for nomination to the office of probate judge on the republican ticket, subject to the action of the convention of that party.

Dr. Long is an old timer in Otero county and is well and favorably known, his residence dating back 20 years. He is at present engaged in settling the Tularosa and Alamogordo valley. Dr. Long was at one time a law student, and later took up the practice of medicine. If elected he promises to give a fair and impartial administration, and on this basis seeks the support of his friends.

TRY A NEWS WANT AD.

### Lady for Co. Superintendent

Mrs. Lena Eldridge, the popular and efficient first grade teacher in our public school announces herself as a candidate for the nomination to the office of county superintendent of schools on the republican ticket. The lady is too well and favorably known to require introduction to our readers. She is eminently qualified for the position, having had 15 years experience in school work, five of which were devoted to the Alamogordo schools, and she has been a resident of the county for years. Mrs. Eldridge is receiving much encouragement from her friends, who will be pleased if she is successful in the race.

Mrs. Eldridge conforms to the letter, as to the requirements of the law:

"We, the members of the Territorial Board of Education, now assembled in the city of Santa Fe, New Mexico, on this 15th day of September, A. D., 1911, being desirous to prevent any complication that may arise from the people electing persons that may not conform to the provisions of the law as set forth in the above acts, make the following statements:

That any person to be eligible under said act for the office of county superintendent must show that he or she has been educated in the following branches, reading, penmanship, orthography, English (grammar & composition) geography, arithmetic, physiology, and United States history. "Practical experience in those branches taught in the public schools" is interpreted to mean that the candidate must have had at least one year's experience in supervising the public schools."

## Socialists' Column

The articles in this column are edited and paid for by the Socialist party who are wholly responsible for its contents.

### SOCIALIST TICKET

Representative—O. R. Carlisle  
Sheriff—H. O. Riggs  
Probate Judge—O. Edgington  
Co. Clerk—A. W. Garrison  
Treasurer—A. K. Gore  
Supt. of Schools—T. A. Standiford  
Surveyor—S. A. Strong  
County Commissioners  
1st. Dist.—Geo. Warnock  
2d. Dist.—T. G. Torres  
3rd. Dist.—C. W. Barkley

Language is not strong enough to express our indignation at the action of the Republican ring in passing resolutions in opposition to the amendment of our constitution. It looks like they wanted to hog tie the people of this state and deliver them soul and body to the special interests. The Socialist party stands for an easier and more amendable constitution and will work to a man for it. There is no undoubtedly much educational matter in the action of the Republicans at their recent convention. If we can study the matter from an unprejudiced standpoint the first thing we learn is that the Republican party is still advocating a stand pat policy, they are retrogressive in every move they make. They are for graft and ring rule. They insult the intelligence and manhood of every Mexican citizen in the state. They openly boast that the Mexican vote can be bought. They despise the voter and show it by every action and word. They pat them on the back, and greet him with "Hello, mi amigo," at election times, but at other times he is nothing, or if they speak of him at all it is like this: "Oh, I can buy that Greaser for a dollar and he will deliver the goods. They know the Mexican is honest enough to do that, and that is all they give him credit for. The Republican and Democratic party are so completely dominated by rings and bosses that they will never carry out a promise they make the voter. They are absolutely untrue to every interest of the laboring class and never fail to betray them when their interests clash on any policy for public good.

When we compare our constitution with Arizona's we blush with shame that we are so far behind the times of more progressive states. The big fat has had his say on many important questions of the day and now comes the little lean dogs yelping after him for conservation. And say! We are getting it all along the line. We, as Socialists, do not believe this and want to give the producing class a show. We don't want much, we want justice and we will get it too. Every American and Mexican citizen in this new state has a chance to cast a vote for public policies that will benefit him directly by casting that vote for the Socialist party candidates, local and state.

It makes us Socialists smile at the struggle now going on in the two old parties to give the dear people good and true men to Boss them.

It would be real funny to watch the efforts of the bosses of the old parties just at this time if we did not have to pay for the fun.

Oh yes the old parties give us what we vote for if it suits the old party, but if it don't then we don't get it.

The only thing that surprises us is that some of our corporations haven't cornered the jack-rabbit crop in this valley.

If we had 'steen million dollars we would build a road to the moon. Think of what a delightful moonlight drive we could take especially if we had a \$600.00 automobile.

Say, ain't it funny! This "dear old Alamo" song, we hear so much about. I wonder if he knows how hard it is to pay 5 per cent. taxes and make a living in "dear old Alamo."

This is a time when the country is burdened with an overproduction. Not of hay or corn or wheat or oats, not of cattle or hogs, not of horses or mules, not of cotton or wool, nor even food stuffs, and clothing; not of coal or wood, nor any of the necessities of life.

But—There is an overproduction of drones in this country.

An overproduction of grafters, called "politicians."

And an overproduction of robbers, called "Captains of industry."

And an overproduction of thieves, called "Successful men."

And an overproduction of robbers, called "able financiers."

And an overproduction of pirates, called "railway magnates."

Also an overproduction of thieves, called "coal barons."

And an overproduction of robbers, called oil kings."

And an overproduction of vampires called "interest lords."

And an overproduction of gamblers, called "profit mongers."

And last, but not least, an overproduction of clumps, who prefer to work for them instead of working for themselves, and prefer to vote for the "Special interests" instead of voting for their own interests!

Great is the capitalist system.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE, for property in or near Alamogordo, 203 acres of patented land, near Three Rivers, New Mexico. 7 acres in alfalfa, 2 acres in bearing orchard, everlasting spring, shallow well, ditch right on ranch. Address Mrs. A. L. SIMMS, 356 Alamogordo, N. M.

FOR SALE OR RENT, cheap, 10 acres in town of Alamogordo. Cleared plowed and fenced, with water right. Ready to plant. Address Dr. Paul Burmaster, 167 Dearborn St., Chicago. 3f

### The Name Rebekah

More than once have I been asked why the name of Rebekah was selected for our branch of the order. I have never read any explanation of this, yet it would scarcely need any explanation. Of all the women in the Bible, Rebekah seems to possess most strongly the characteristics our Order desires to cultivate in the hearts of our membership.

She was willing to serve others.

With her own hands she drew water from the well for Eleazer and the thirsty camels. Indeed, she seemed wholly forgetful of self in all she did. Because it seemed best for all concerned, she went away from home and kindred to give herself in marriage to one she had never seen, thus showing her willingness to make a living sacrifice of herself for the highest good of others.

There is no other woman in sacred history whose character stands out so grandly unselfish as does Rebekah. Since one of the highest aims of Odd Fellowship is to correct the inherent tendency towards selfishness in human nature, it is easy to reason that the founders of our degree thought Rebekah the most appropriate name they could bestow.—The National Rebekah.

### Flavor not Strength

The ROTHEBERG is as mild as a good cigar can be. It is better than the best cigar. Try one—10c.

## Republican Announcements

I hereby announce myself a candidate for county assessor, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.  
WILLIAM EDWARDS.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of county treasurer, subject to the action of the republican county convention.  
JAS. A. BAIRD.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of probate judge, subject to the action of the republican county convention to be held at Alamogordo October 7.  
DR. J. W. LONG, Tularosa, N. M.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of county superintendent of schools, subject to the action of the republican county convention to be held at Alamogordo, October 7.  
MRS. LENA ELDRIDGE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of county clerk, subject to the action of the republican party.  
JED R. YALE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for county clerk subject to the action of the republican county convention.  
CHAS. E. THOMAS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of sheriff of Otero county subject to the action of the republican convention.  
W. D. TIPTON.

### W. D. Tipton for Sheriff

Hon. W. D. Tipton of Tularosa has declared himself for nomination to the office of sheriff of Otero county, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

Mr. Tipton is a capable man, and would doubtless make an exemplary official. He has resided in Tularosa continually since 1891 and came to this county in 1886. He was honored by the republican party in 1909 with a term in the legislature, which he filled with credit to his contentments. Mr. Tipton has never aspired to any other political office, and promises if elected to the office of sheriff, to

### Rothenberg-Remember the Name

For a good smoke—and a good smoke must be mild—you can't equal the Rothenberg 10c Cigar.

## Democratic Announcements

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of sheriff, subject to the action of the democratic county convention.  
JAS. HUNTER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for assessor, subject to the action of the democratic county convention.  
J. GUY WADSWORTH.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of superintendent of schools, subject to the action of the democratic county convention.  
R. S. TIPTON.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of county clerk, subject to the action of the democratic county convention.  
W. K. STALCUP.

J. W. Prude authorizes *The News* to announce that he is a candidate for county treasurer subject to the action of the Democratic county convention.

### Be It Palace or Shanty

A big heart may beat beneath a sun-burned chest. A clear brain may be found beneath a tattered hat. A great soul may be buttoned up in a ragged vest. A genius may be found wielding a pick or polishing the head of a drill. A philosopher may be found behind the plow. It is not the avocation that makes the man, nor the cut and quality of his clothes, but the degree of intelligence, the sense of justice and right, and the power of thought with which nature endows him, and in the distribution of these gifts nature makes no distinction between the palace and shanty, or the rich and poor.—Arizona Blade Tribune.

### Do You Know?

On Friday night, if Saturday were longer, would it be Sunday.

If a century plant flower lives a day, how long does an olive?

If Farmer Jones took a gate, do you think Framer Smith would take offense?

If lead is heavy is electric light?

If it takes two hours to chop a cord of wood, how long does it take to sawdust?

If a dog barks at the moon, at what will a tree bark?

If it takes an hour to fill a turkey, how long will it take to Philadelphia?—Atlanta Constitution.

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**LOCAL ITEMS**

Remember the Christian church chicken dinner Saturday.

The Baptist ladies will hold a bazaar during the first week of December.

Chas. Prince and family were among those who took in the circus at El Paso Thursday.

Mrs. L. R. Hughes was confined to her bed on account of sickness the first of the week.

J. Eleans started Saturday night for Memphis, Tenn., to visit his old home for four weeks.

The first number on the lecture course will be given Saturday, October 7, starting at 8:30.

Mrs. C. R. McCalmont and little daughter of Carrizozo, are guests of friends in town this week.

Alamogordo was visited with another refreshing shower yesterday afternoon. In fact we have had numerous rain falls lately.

L. R. Hughes was unable to attend the democratic state convention at Sante Fe this week owing to the illness of Mrs. Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hansen returned Sunday after a four months vacation most pleasantly spent with friends and relatives at Chicago.

The ladies of the Christian church will give a chicken pie dinner in the Chinese restaurant building on New York avenue, Saturday October 7.

Geo. Warnock, the New York avenue hardware merchant has greatly improved the appearance of his store front, with a coat of bright fresh paint. Mr. Warnock knows it is a good job, as he did the job himself.

Remember that Saturday, October 7, is the date of the first lecture course number. Lucian Edgar Follansbee will give his famous lecture, "Genius and Gumption." seats are selling fast. Got your's?

Theodore Johnson and Andrew Smith, privates in troop H. 4th Cav., were given honorable discharges after three years service for Uncle Sam, and they left for their respective homes. Johnson was from Ashland, Wis., and Smith from St. Paul, Minn. They had been stationed at Clouderoft.

Mrs. (Rev.) Ed Le Breton received a letter this week from Dr. E. I. Whitehead, a former Alamogordo resident, but now located at Victoria, Ill., stating that his wife's condition had grown so much worse in the last 48 hours, that she could not possibly survive longer than three or four days. Dr. and Mrs. Whitehead have many friends here who will be pained to learn this.

While in Michigan on their recent vacation trip Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hansen met Mr. and Mrs. W. Taggart also of Alamogordo, at Grand Rapids and from there accompanied them to Charlotte. A most enjoyable time was spent. Mr. and Mrs. Taggart will be home in about two weeks.

On account of such a wonderful revival at Tishomingo, Okla., the Rev. Abe Mulkey finds it impractical to reach Alamogordo until sometime next week. In the meantime the union meetings will be conducted every afternoon and evening by the local pastors of the town.

C. E. and J. A. Thomas are entertaining their mother Mrs. A. Thomas and sister Miss Lillian of Red Oak, Iowa. They came last Thursday. Miss Lillian will remain about two months, but her mother will probably spend the winter in Alamogordo.

**Chas. E. Thomas for Clerk**

Elsewhere in this paper will be found the announcement of Chas. E. Thomas for county clerk subject to the Republican county convention.

Mr. Thomas is a young man well and favorably known from one end of the county to the other. He has friends in every party and should draw a large vote. If elected Mr. Thomas will do his best to give the office a careful painstaking administration. He asks the consideration of the voters.

**Mesdames Prince And Hansen Entertained**

The cozy home of Mrs. Chas. Prince was the scene of an afternoon of special enjoyment yesterday, when assisted by Mrs. Harry Hansen, about a dozen ladies were entertained with a Scotch tea.

The hours were spent with fancy needle work and social conversation. A dainty luncheon was served, and Mesdames Prince and Hansen were declared admirable hostesses.

**A Pleasant Evening**

Mrs. John Prather entertained at her home Monday evening in honor of her friends Drs. Fall of Chicago.

Those present, James Swope and family, Mrs. Thomas O'Reiley and daughter Lucille, Mrs. Maud Davis and Mr. Sam Fairchild.

**Makes One Think**

To hear Follansbee is to remember him. He awakens all the mirthful emotions of the being, and above all, makes one think and then resolve in the future to be true to self, to country, and to God.—D. L. Kiehle, ex-Supt., St. Paul, Minnesota.

**Good Morning—Noon and Night**  
It's never too early and never too late to smoke a Rothenberg 10c Cigar. It's refreshingly mild.

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COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT  
IMPORTANT OFFICE

Politics Should Not be Considered  
in Electing School Officers

The seventh of November is the date set for the election of officers for the new state of New Mexico, both state and county. Of all the officers to be elected at this time that will most benefit the schools are the state superintendent of public instruction and a county superintendent for each county. Every voter should see that the persons available for these offices are chosen, without regard to politics. It is the duty of each delegate to the county convention to see to it that their party nominate the strongest candidate possible for the office of county superintendent. The voters at the polls should then choose the stronger candidate of all selected and vote for this one.

The children of Otero county should be an incentive for us to choose the person of strong character, best education, and executive ability with plenty of business and push to put into effect the best things for the schools of this county. There is no reason why the pupil in the rural schools should not have the same advantages as the pupil in the city schools. They can have it whenever the patrons and county superintendent work in harmony and know how to bring this about. This has been done in the older states and we can have it if we will work to that end.

There should be a law passed at the first meeting of the legislature giving every pupil of the country schools a right to choose the city school in their county, that is most easily attended, give them free tuition in this school until they have graduated if they so desire. This free tuition should be furnished after they have completed the eighth grade in their home school. As the law stands now they are required to pay a tuition if the laws are followed. The county superintendent should visit the schools often enough and inspire the pupils and teachers to all do the best possible work. Then the rural pupil who has completed the eighth grade in the rural schools will be as far advanced as the one who has attended the city schools.

All should know that the county superintendent chosen at this election will serve for five years and will have plenty of time to bring this all about if they have the push and ability.

Forget friendship and politics long enough to give us the strongest person available for this office. My work in the city of Alamogordo would be much easier if I choose to follow the easiest way. But it is often necessary to put into practice many things that are new to the people of the district but that have been tried and found to be the thing for the schools in the older states and cities. I have always tried to make the schools of this city as good as others as far as our finances would allow. There is nothing too good for the children of Alamogordo or Otero county. Every teacher and patron should work to that end.

A number of good strong county superintendents can go before the coming legislature and secure any needed legislation for the schools that is necessary, if they will do it in a business like way and show the Solons of New Mexico that they are before them in the name of education and better things for the children of New Mexico. I am in New Mexico in the interest of the schools, and not championing the cause of any political party. The children of Socialist, Republican, Democrat, Prohibitionist or any other party need the same kind treatment.

While we are looking after the above officers we must not forget the assessor and treasurer. They have their part to perform for the schools. All officers should look after the interest of the children above all others.

yours truly,  
CHAS. D. GEORGE,  
Superintendent of Alamogordo public schools.

**Republican Primary**

The republican convention primary was held Monday afternoon in the court house. The meeting was called to order by W. E. Carnack, county chairman, with F. C. Rolland, county secretary, acting as secretary of the meeting. Motion was made and carried unanimously to have the nominations made one at a time, from the floor of the house.

Nominations were made to the number of thirty six. The following nominees receiving the highest number of votes were declared elected delegates to the county convention which will be held in Alamogordo Saturday afternoon to nominate the ticket of county officers:

J. J. Hill, J. C. Dunn, Fred Marquez, H. H. Kellogg, H. H. Major, L. N. Jones, G. F. Rousseau, Guthrie Smith, A. F. Menger, Perry Kearney, Pablo Herrera, Edwin Meehem, C. D. Frost, John Harrison.

**C. W. Arnold Seriously Burned**

When C. W. Arnold, who resides on the Kanady place south and east of town, rose this morning he discovered the electric wires down. In some manner Mr. Arnold came in contact with the live wires, to the extent that one of his hands were nearly burned in two and one toe, where the current left his body, was burned to a crisp. He was unconscious for an hour and at a late hour this morning was still unable to speak.

Mr. Arnold owes his life to a relative who is visiting with him. The young man used a rope to pull the imprisoned man from the burning wires, and he too, received a severe shock. Mr. Arnold's condition is serious.

**Soldier Died at Clouderoft**

John H. Spencer, a member of the 4th Cavalry, stationed at Clouderoft, died at that place last week Wednesday at 2:20 p. m., of bright's disease. The body was prepared for burial by Undertaker Buck, and shipped to the late home at Maple Shade, N. J., Sunday afternoon. The body was accompanied by a military escort.

**Fierce Wind and Rainstorm**

Alamogordo has just experienced one of the worst wind and rain storms of many months. The wind howled a perfect gale all night accompanied by considerable rain. The lightning flashed and thunder rolled. One crash above all others, made things jingle and as a result about half the 'phones about town were put out of commission, and considerable damage was done to the electric light equipment.

The wind was so strong that several trees were completely uprooted, and they were not small shade trees, either. It was the worst storm in years.

**Home Laundry to Move**

The Home Laundry after October 1st, will be located in the Ed. Martin property on Delaware ave.

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At the close of business May 26th, 1911

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	\$172,718.58	Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Banking House Furniture and Fixtures	9,000.00	Surplus and Profits	14,216.11
Redemption Fund	3,800.00	Circulation	50,000.00
United States Bonds	50,000.00	Deposits	217,858.98
Cash and Sight Exchange	96,556.46		
		Total	\$332,975.09
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$332,975.09</b>	The above statement is correct.	S. G. PHILLIPS, Cashier.

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### Legal Notices.

#### Notice for Publication

In the District Court,  
County of Otero.

Mary Aldridge,  
vs.  
James W. Aldridge

The said defendant, James W. Aldridge is hereby notified that a suit in divorce has been commenced against him in the District Court for the County of Otero, Territory of New Mexico, by said Mary Aldridge, alleging abandonment and non-support and that unless he enter or cause to be entered his appearance in said suit on or before the 23rd day of October A. D. 1911, decree Pro Confesso therein will be rendered against you.

CHAS. P. DOWNS,  
Clerk.

H. H. Major,  
Alamogordo, New Mexico,  
Atty. for Plaintiff. 325

#### Notice For Publication

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE  
at Las Cruces, N. M.  
August 16, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that Richard W. Knibb, of Alamogordo, N. M., who, on July 28, 1910, made Homestead entry, No. 04614 for SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 33, Township 16 S., Range 9 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before John M. Bowman, Probate Clerk, at Alamogordo, N. M., on the 4th day of October, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses:  
Richard Dillard, of Alamogordo, N. M.  
Sim T. Bowden, of " " "  
Henry Russell, of " " "  
Mack Missick, of " " "  
JOSE GONZALES,  
Register. 304

#### Notice for Publication.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
U. S. LAND OFFICE  
at Las Cruces, New Mexico  
Aug. 28, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that John L. Paxson, of Alamogordo, N. M., who, on October 5, 1908, made Homestead entry, No. 03665, for SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 33, for Township 17 S., Range 9 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before John M. Bowman, Probate Clerk, at Alamogordo, N. M., on the 16th day of October, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses:  
Henry F. Patty, of Alamogordo, N. M.  
William L. Carter, of " " "  
Norris H. Herbert, of " " "  
Lambert T. Paxson, of " " "  
Jose Gonzales,  
Register. 336

#### Notice for Publication

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
U. S. LAND OFFICE  
at Las Cruces, New Mexico,  
Sept. 14, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that William A. T. Miller, of Alamogordo, N. M., who, on November 1, 1909, made Homestead entry No. 03701, for E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 32, and W $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 33, Township 16 S., Range 9 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before John M. Bowman, Probate Clerk, at Alamogordo, N. M., on the 23rd day of October, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses:  
Mack Missick, of Alamogordo, N. M.  
John Pennington, of " " "  
William E. Carmack, of " " "  
Frank J. Bush, of " " "  
JOSE GONZALES,  
Register. 359

#### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

U. S. LAND OFFICE  
at Las Cruces, N. M.,  
Sept. 14, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that John N. Soderstrom, of Alamogordo, N. M., who, on June 11, 1908, made Homestead entry No. 03932 (Serial 02644), for Lots 1, 2 and 7 of Section 5, Township 16 S., Range 10 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before John M. Bowman, Probate Clerk, at Alamogordo, N. M., on the 9th day of November, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses:  
John Q. Grant, of Alamogordo, N. M.  
Edward A. Grant, of do  
Jose Vals, of La Luz, N. M.  
Vann D. Dodgen, of Alamogordo, N. M.  
JOSE GONZALES,  
Register. 359

#### Notice for Publication

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
U. S. Land Office at  
Las Cruces, New Mexico,  
June 24, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that Albert Bertach, of Weed, N. M., who, on June 24, 1911, made Homestead entry, No. 05609, for SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 4, Township 18 S., Range 13 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final five year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before John M. Bowman, Probate Clerk, at Alamo-

gordo, N. M., on the 13th day of August 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses:  
John L. Green, of Weed, N. M.  
James H. Green, of Alamogordo, N. M.  
Lee Green, of Weed, N. M.  
Haughton Weems, of Weed, N. M.  
JOSE GONZALES,  
Register. 327

#### NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL REPORT AND PETITION FOR DISCHARGE.

In the matter of the estate of } No. 90  
Joseph W. Smith, deceased. }

IN THE PROBATE COURT, OTERO COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Estelle B. Smith, executrix of the estate of Joseph W. Smith, deceased, having on the fourth day of September, 1911, presented for settlement and filed in this court her final account of her management of the said estate of the said deceased, and her petition for discharge as such executrix.

Notice is hereby given that the hearing on the said final account and the petition for discharge will be had before this court at its next regular meeting on the sixth day of November, 1911, September 4, 1911.

JOHN M. BOWMAN,  
Clerk of Probate Court.  
By W. W. BAIRD,  
Deputy. 336

#### Notice of Sheriff's Sale

Territory of New Mexico,  
County of Otero.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT.

Byron Sherry, Plaintiff, No. 1058,  
versus  
F. D. Albright, Defendant.

Whereas, the plaintiff in the above entitled cause, on the eleventh day of August, 1911, in an action for attorney's fees, commenced in the above entitled court on the nineteenth day of July, 1911, recovered a judgment against the above named defendant in the sum of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars, together with his costs therein expended.

This is therefore to give notice that under and by virtue of an execution to me issued out of the above named court in the above entitled cause on the twenty-third day of August, 1911, and to me directed and delivered, I have levied on and taken all the right, title and interest of the said F. D. Albright, defendant in said cause, in and to the following described property, to-wit:

Four-fifths of the undivided interest in and to all of the water in San Andreas Canyon. Said water being all the flow from the head springs in said canyon and also all the water from all of the springs in Lawrence Canyon adjoining said San Andreas Canyon, also Cottonwood Springs, the McComas Spring, some seep springs not named and Len Cut or so called spring.

Said San Andreas Canyon being in the Sacramento Mountains and situated about ten miles from Alamogordo, Otero County, New Mexico in a southerly direction, and the above property includes all ditches, flumes, pipe lines and other development work appertaining to said water and water rights,

which I shall sell to the highest bidder for cash at public auction as the law directs, at the front door of the court house in the town of Alamogordo in the county of Otero, Territory of New Mexico, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of the thirtieth day of October, 1911.

Dated September 7, 1911.  
Alamogordo, N. M.

H. M. DENNEY,  
Sheriff Otero County, New Mexico.  
PROSPER SHERRY,  
Alamogordo, N. M.  
Attorney for Plaintiff. 336

#### Notice.

DEPARTMENT OF TERRITORIAL ENGINEER  
Number of Application 593  
Santa Fe, New Mexico,  
August 16th, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of August, 1911, in accordance with Section 26, Irrigation Law of 1907, A. E. and M. E. Baird of Alamogordo, County of Otero, Territory of New Mexico, made an application to the Territorial Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate from the Public waters of the Territory of New Mexico. Such appropriation is to be made from San Benito, Gardner and North Canons at a point bears N. 34 degrees 20 minutes W. 135 ft. from Green Crawford Tunnel also 2540 feet N. 51 degrees E. from Monument stone on Mabury Peak, by means of diversion, and 100 cu. ft. per sec. is to be conveyed to sub-divisions unknown as corners not to be found, by means of diversion works and canal, and there used for irrigation of 1000 acres.

The Territorial Engineer will take this application up for consideration on the 14th of November, 1911, and all persons who may oppose the granting of the above application must file their objections substantiated with affidavits with the Territorial Engineer and copy with applicant on or before that date.  
CHAS. D. MILLER,  
Territorial Engineer. 347

#### Notice for Publication

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
U. S. Land Office at  
Las Cruces, New Mexico,  
June 19, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that George Weigelt, Jr., of Alamogordo, N. M., who on March 1, 1910, made Homestead entry, No. 04161, for SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 27, Township 16 S., Range 9 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. M. Parker, U. S. Commissioner, at Alamogordo, N. M., on the 5th day of August, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses:  
T. F. Brown, of Alamogordo, N. M.  
C. W. Morgan, of " " "  
John Hazard, of " " "  
A. J. Messer, of " " "  
JOSE GONZALES,  
Register. 326

In the District Court,  
County of Otero.

Inez Hurgz,  
vs.  
John N. Hurgz

The said defendant, John N. Hurgz, is hereby notified that a suit in divorce has been commenced against you in the District Court for the County of Otero, Territory of New Mexico, by said Inez Hurgz, the plaintiff herein, alleging abandonment and non-support, and asking for a decree of divorce, the care and custody of the minor child, Lavaina Ruth Hurgz, and alimony; that unless you enter or cause to be entered your appearance in said suit on or before the 11th day of September A. D. 1911, decree Pro Confesso therein will be rendered against you.

CHAS. P. DOWNS,  
Clerk.  
H. H. MAJOR, Esq.,  
Alamogordo, New Mexico,  
Atty. for Plaintiff. 269

Territory of New Mexico,  
Sixth Judicial District.

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

In the matter of } No. 85.  
James A. Brent, }  
Bankrupt. } Notice to Creditors.

To the Creditors of James A. Brent, bankrupt, of Alamogordo, in the county of Otero, Territory of New Mexico, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the fourth day of October, 1911, the said James A. Brent was adjudged a bankrupt and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Alamogordo, Otero County, New Mexico, on the seventeenth day of October, 1911, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at my office in the said town of Alamogordo, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

PROSPER SHERRY,  
Referee in Bankruptcy.  
Dated Alamogordo, N. M.,  
October 5, 1911. 371

Territory of New Mexico,  
Sixth Judicial District.

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

In the matter of } No. 81.  
Encarnacion P. Gutierrez, }  
Fred Gutierrez, } In Bankruptcy  
and Ralph Gutierrez, }

To the creditors of Encarnacion P. Gutierrez, Fred Gutierrez and Ralph Gutierrez, partners under the firm name of E. Gutierrez & Sons, doing business in town of Tularosa, Otero County, Territory of New Mexico, in the district aforesaid, bankrupts:

Notice is hereby given that on the sixth day of September, 1911, the said Encarnacion P. Gutierrez, Fred Gutierrez and Ralph Gutierrez, partners doing business as E. Gutierrez & Sons were adjudged bankrupts and that the first meeting of their creditors will be held on the sixteenth day of October, 1911, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at my office in the town of Tularosa in said county and district aforesaid, at which time creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupts and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

PROSPER SHERRY,  
Referee in Bankruptcy.  
Dated Alamogordo, N. M.,  
September 29th., 1911. 371.

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