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# The Carlsbad Current

TWENTY-EIGHTH YEAR.

CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO, FRIDAY, JUNE 25, 1920.

NUMBER 30.

## CARLSBAD TAKES BASEBALL GAME FROM ROSWELL

In the best and most thrilling game ever witnessed by fans in this city Carlsbad shut out their ancient rivals, the hard hitting Roswell team, in a twelve inning game last Sunday afternoon at Firemen's park. Both sides threatened to score more than once and it was anybody's game until Rowe came up in the twelfth inning and sent a long drive to the right field fence which lacked only about a foot of clearing it and brought in the only run of the contest. Brown pitched great ball, tightening up and striking out batters when men were on base and taking it easier when no one was on. He received good support from his teammates, several catches being made of the sensational type. Richmond pitching for Roswell also pitched superb ball and held the locals at bay until the twelfth when the train was beginning to tell. Moore at second base played a great game and George Fessler made two good plays. Fessler caught a fowl pop-up while on a dead run and otherwise materially assisted in winning the game. The Roswellites did not take any chances trying to steal bases on Rowe and Monty played a good game at first. There was much enthusiasm exhibited by the fans during the game and the largest crowd of the season was present. If the home team can win a game like the one Sunday they are capable of winning against any team in the valley and it is confidently expected they will pull down many more honors before the season closes.

The game by innings was as follows:

First inning: "Red" Cavenough, the veteran major league third baseman was first on the Roswell lineup to come to bat and the best he could do was to fan. Talbot, the hard hitting shortstop, followed suit and struck out. Hall sent an easy grounder to short and was thrown out at first by Farrell, retiring the side. In Carlsbad's half of this inning Frank Fessler led the batters and bunted a pop-up to third baseman and was an easy out. George Fessler hit a grounder to the pitcher who fumbled it but recovered in time to get his man at first. Moore then grounded to short who muffed the ball and failed to throw to first. Rowe came up next and struck out, retiring the side with Moore at first.

Second inning: White was first batter to face Pitcher Brown and sent a hard grounder to second base, Moore making a fast play and getting White out at first. Left Fielder Cady was up next and fanned as did also Jones, retiring the side. In the local's half of second inning Pitcher Brown could not connect with the ball and Farrell made a long drive to deep center which Fielder Jones captured, after a hard run, robbing the batter of a two or three bagger. Monty was the third out after grounding to the pitcher.

Third inning: Brown mowed down Berry, Hedgecock and Richmond. Retiring the side. Reeves grounded to short for easy out at first. Spencer struck out. Frank Fessler sent slow ball toward third base and beat it out. Geo. Fessler was then hit by pitcher and took first and Frank Fessler was out trying to steal third base while Moore was at bat. The third baseman muffed the throw and Fessler slid over and beyond the base, being tagged out before he could get back. This made the third out.

Fourth inning: Cavenough sent fast grounder to Moore, who made a perfect and beautiful out at first.

Talbot sent one to pitcher for easy out and Hall was struck out. In the local's half Moore grounded to pitcher for an out, Rowe fanned as also did Brown.

Fifth inning: White sent grounder to Moore for perfect out, Cady fanned the breeze and Jones knocked hard grounder to Monty which struck him in chest but he recovered the ball in time to beat the runner to first. In Carlsbad's half of this inning Farrell, Monty and Reeves were mowed down by Richmond who was pitching air tight ball.

Sixth inning: Berry was hit by pitcher and took first. Weaver knocked pop-up foul to third which Fessler got after hard run and beautiful catch. With one man on first base Richmond got the first hit of the game between first and second. Cavenough then filed to right field for an out. Berry stole third and Richmond advanced to second but Talbot could not bring them in and struck out. Brown was lustily cheered for this. In the local's half of the inning Richmond again struck out three in a row—White, Frank Fessler and Geo. Fessler.

Seventh inning: First Baseman Hall for Roswell knocked a foul fly to right field which Geo. Fessler got after a hard run. White sent a teaser toward third and beat the throw to first. Cady grounded to third and was called safe as the throw was high and wide, pulling Monty off the base. Brown tightened up with two men on bases and struck out Jones but Berry sent a high fly to deep left field which Spencer ran back and got. It was a pretty catch and prevented Roswell from scoring as it made the third out. The locals turn at bat developed three strikeouts—Moore, Rowe and Brown.

Eighth inning: Weaver grounded to third and Fessler fumbled, allowing him to get on first. Richmond then made his second hit of the game between first and second but Geo. Fessler made a great play to third and Weaver was put out. Then Brown caught Richmond off first base trying to steal second and threw him out. Cavenough sent an easy grounder to pitcher, retiring the side. Farrell first up connected for a long fly ball to deep center but Fielder Jones robbed him of a hit by a beautiful catch. Monty grounded to short and apparently beat the throw to first but was called out and Reeves fanned out.

Ninth inning: Talbot fanned. Hall grounded to Moore for a perfect out at first. White also out by sure route of Moore to Monty. In Carlsbad's half of this inning Spencer made the first hit for the local team, the ball going through short stop and third base. Talbot succeeded in getting the ball and throwing wild to first, allowing the runner to advance to second. Fessler bunted to pitcher who threw Spencer out at third. Fessler stole second on bad throw by catcher and then stole third base. Moore struck out, preventing a score for the home team.

Tenth inning: Pitcher Brown then showed his determination to win the game by going into the box minus his jacket and struck out Cady and Jones. Berry knocked a hot line drive to right field which G. Fessler handled perfectly with a one-handed stab, making the third out. Rowe grounded to short for an out at first. Brown whiffed the breeze and Farrell was out on a high foul.

Eleventh inning: Weaver struck out as did also Richmond and Cavenough was an easy out to right field. Monty fanned. Reeves grounded to short for an out and Spencer fanned.

Twelfth inning: Talbot grounded to Moore who made a wide throw to first but Monty reached out and got ball with one hand while holding his foot on the base. Hall hit a hot one to the pitcher for an out and White grounded to first, retiring the side. Frank Fessler, first up for Carlsbad, grounded to short who fumbled, allowing runner to get safely on first. Fessler then stole second. G. Fessler knocked a grounder and was safe at first. Moore made a beautiful sacrifice, allowing the runners to reach third and second bases, then Rowe came up and broke up the game by knocking a fly ball over the right fielder which hit the fence about a foot from the top, allowing Fessler to score and ending the game.



PICKETS BURN BRITISH FLAG IN FRONT OF TREASURY BUILDING, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Accompanied by the cheers of more than 300 passersby, the British Union Jack was burned to a crisp in front of the Treasury Building on Pennsylvania Avenue at Fifteenth Street just before noon June 2nd. The flag was set on fire by members of the American Picket Association who patrolled Pennsylvania Avenue in front of the Treasury Building with banners denouncing English despotism in Ireland and calling on America to come to the aid of the Irish people. The photograph shows the members of the American Picket Association in the act of burning the Union Jack.

## BRONCHO BILL RETURNS

TELLS OF LONG CHASE FOR RENEGADE SOLDIER—CROSSED THE PECOS FORTY YEARS AGO.

If a buzzard had been soaring above the present site of Carlsbad one spring morning forty years ago, it would have found only a pleasant solitude, and the lonely Pecos winding its sinuous way through wide distances of lush grama.

But its roving eye would soon have detected a rider floundering through the deep sands far to the east of the river, breaking through the virgin desert, toward the Pecos and the mountain fastnesses that lay far beyond.

And, if, as is sometimes said, a buzzard's beady eye can detect death where mortals have no presence, and ride blindly on, it would have volplaned down from its dizzy height and scanned the rider who braved the danger of an unwatred wilderness in his haste to obtain a refuge in the mountains of the west.

The buzzard in its eastern jungle untaught message to comrades in the sky, and "hav, acienting" it, would have flapped its wings and would have followed from their dizzy perches, soaring down in gleaming black flashes against an infinity of blue, until they had gathered about the rider, swooping close to him, scanning him with beady eyes set in bald and ugly heads until he would have struck at them with futile hands, and cursed with husky voice.

Perched on little eminence, they would have watched him spur his jaded horse, a great bay beauty, into a weary trot. Would have seen his restless heels, encircled by brass cavalry spurs, nervously urge the wearied thoroughbred on.

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ROSSELL	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Cavenough, 3base	5	0	0	3	0	1
Talbot, short stop	5	0	0	0	3	2
Hall, first base	5	0	0	7	0	0
White, right field	5	0	1	0	0	0
Cady, left field	4	0	0	0	0	0
Jones, center field	4	0	0	2	0	0
Berry, 2nd. base	4	0	0	0	0	0
Hedgecock, catcher	4	0	0	0	1	0
Richmond, pitcher	4	2	21	6	0	0
TOTAL	40	0	3	33	10	3

his way. They would have seen him watch the backward horizon with furtive eyes, would have seen him cast malignant eyes at them, as if he were haunted by their ominous black shapes. And then, as he passed from sight behind a dune, they would have flung themselves downward into the air from their little perches and have swung up high into the air, back to their domain above the river, where the rider would have presently come and flung himself into a pool, and have laved the cooling water that refreshed his horse.

And, that evening, the buzzards, still sweeping in their wide circles above the river would have seen the light from the lowering sun saline into the eyes of a second rider, who followed swiftly by the path of the man who had come that day.

This man rode no such horse as they had seen that morning. It was only a flea-bitten mule, and its flanks were lathered in foam and its eyes were harassed by the urging of its rider, who spared it not at all.

This rider was not furtive, or harassed, but in his eyes there burned a haunted sorrow and his face was hardened into an ominous passion. He was wide shouldered and heavy set, and long, blonde hair hung down about his shoulders. Never swerving from his way beside the plain trail set by the thoroughbred, he pushed on toward the river, and the buzzards flying so high, could have seen that the second rider was slowly overtaking the first.

Some weeks before a cavalryman had deserted from a federal outpost camp in Central Texas and in leaving had overcome the stable guard, and had stolen his cavalry horse, a wonderful Kentucky thoroughbred. Then, riding in the brush beside the river, he had committed the second crime that had made him not only a military outcast, but a pariah among all men.

When he had found the girl was finally found, there was one man in that community peculiarly suited to pay the debt of vengeance which all men longed to assume. He was a young scout, hardy of frame, fearless, a trapper famous among trappers, a marksman whom no man would shoot against, a horseman whose exploits had already won him the sobriquet of "Broncho Bill" and in whose heart there had hung for many months an image of the girl whom he would have killed.

And so, mounted on the best horse that remained in that community Broncho Bill took up the trail that led away straight to the mountains of the northwest, to the Indian fastnesses of New Mexico, where renegades might hide and watch the wait for the men who would come and kill them.

These were the opening facts of a story told in Carlsbad recently when W. S. Bartlett, who had long since dropped the title of "Broncho Bill" lingered in town on his search for a guano cave reported to lie in the mountains west of Carlsbad. Bartlett, now a scout for a California fertilizer company, is grey headed and slow and sure of movement, but his frame is massive and his jaw is square and heavy, like a ledge of mountain granite.

Bartlett identified the place of his crossing as at Avalon, where now, and for twenty years, there has stood a massive dam, impounding water for the Carlsbad project. But this it was only a wilderness, with the nearest settlement at Levin Rivers where Bartlett changed horses. The fugitive had crossed below

## OIL WELL SOUTH OF CARLSBAD SPUDS IN.

BLUE BIRD NUMBER ONE TAKES FIRST BITE OF DIRT IN ITS BILL AS CURRENT GOES TO PRESS.

Blue Bird Number One tries her wings this afternoon for Superintendent Rynd says he will get away for his first run about the time this journal goes to press.

A reducer to carry the eighteen inch bit is still lacking, so the drillers will start with their fifteen inch bit, believing that the hole will cave enough to allow them to set their big casing.

This bit of steel has been a disturbing element in the plans of the company, but it will doubtless arrive in time for its ultimate use.

The Pool Oil and Gas Company spuds in a little over a year after its inception. Despite trials and tribulations, some of which appear to have been unnecessarily imposed upon them, they are off for a deep test which will be watched very carefully.

Officials of the company will not say how deep they expect to go, but it is known that the company is prepared for a deep test, as the rig now on the ground is able to go five thousand feet if necessary, the drillers say.

Alta B. Conkling, director of the New Mexico Petroleum company are also Scott Etter and W. F. McIlvain and R. H. Nix, secretary, will be on hand when she spuds in, as will be the other members of the Pool Oil and Gas company, and many land owners who have land in the pool, will be present this afternoon to see the first run.

No formal invitations have been issued due to the fact that the time for spudding in could not be definitely determined. The machinery had to be tried out, like an automobile, which, when once torn down and then reassembled, must be tuned up. After the preliminary run the crew will do the final adjustments and square away Monday for a long time job.

## PECOS MAY SUE NEW MEXICO FOR WATER.

After trying for many months to get the government to investigate the Red Bluff dam project across the boundary line in New Mexico, the Pecos Valley water users have finally reached a point where the project may now get some action.

The government has agreed to work over the reservoir providing Pecos valley will furnish \$10,000 with which to carry on the work. The quota from the surrounding districts has been raised and Pecos is busy this week raising \$2,100 which will complete the required amount.

With the Red Bluff dam as a storage tank 150,000 acres of land along the Pecos river can be irrigated and turned into a fertile producing area.

It is claimed that New Mexico has held up the water supply until the Pecos valley water users have decided to enter suit in the United States supreme court against the state of New Mexico, in the determined effort to obtain a flow of water into the Pecos and other streams which they say is being held back for irrigation purposes in New Mexico.

If the government findings are to the effect that the Red Bluff dam will hold water, then it will only be a matter of time until congress will take action to make this a reservoir for irrigation projects along the Pecos river.—Pecos Enterprise.

Word from Mrs. Sam Davis, who left with her son Frank, last Friday for Omaha, Nebraska, where Frank was put under the care of a specialist for some eye trouble, says that an operation is imperative and will be performed without delay. The physician also states that from indications the young man's eyesight can be restored, although the process will be a long and tedious one.

## HAY TRADE CONDITIONS OF THE WEEK.

Markets are feeling the influence of an approaching new crop and are showing some declines except deliveries. Trade is fair but of no where local rail conditions restrict breadth and is easily satisfied. The quality of hay arriving is growing poorer, which puts prime sorts at a premium. The new crop is backward and late reports show an improvement in a number of dry sections. No districts, however, report a crop above the average, although the government continues to predict a larger yield than last year.—Hay Trade Journal.

Among the wayfarers listed at a Roswell hotel this week, Tuesday, we notice the names of J. R. Holt and family and Mrs. R. L. Halley, from Carlsbad.

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

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO,  
State Corporation Commission  
of New Mexico.CERTIFICATE OF COMPARISON  
United States of America, as  
State of New Mexico.IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED,  
that the annexed is a full, true  
and complete transcript of the  
CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

of

MALAGA GIN CO.

(No Stockholders' Liability)

No. 10596

with the endorsements thereon, as  
same appears on file and of  
record in the office of the State  
Corporation Commission.IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the  
State Corporation Commission of  
the State of New Mexico has caused  
this certificate to be signed by  
its Chairman and the seal of said  
Commission, to be affixed at the  
City of Santa Fe on this first day  
of June A. D. 1920.Attest: HUGH H. WILLIAMS,  
Chairman.A. L. MORRISON,  
Clerk.CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION  
of

MALAGA GIN CO.

(No Stockholders' Liability)

We, the undersigned, in order  
to form a corporation for the purposes  
hereinafter stated under and  
pursuant to the Laws of the State  
of New Mexico, do hereby certify  
as follows:

## FIRST

The corporate name is Malaga  
Gin Co. (No Stockholders' Liability)

## SECOND

The registered office of the corporation  
is located at Malaga,  
New Mexico, and Chester S. Burtch  
is designated as the statutory  
agent therein in charge thereof,  
and upon whom process against  
the corporation may be served.

## THIRD

The objects for which this corporation  
is established are:(a) Building, maintaining, conducting  
and operating a cotton gin.

(b) The buying and selling of cotton.

(c) The buying and selling of cottonseed.

## FOURTH

The corporation is authorized  
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## LOCAL NEWS

Miss Hattie Smith left Monday  
morning for a visit to her sister,  
Mrs. Unruh, at De Leon, Texas.Joe Johns started Monday morning  
on a business trip to San Antonio,  
and other south Texas points,  
expecting to be gone two weeks  
or more.Harry Thorne was down Saturday  
for a visit with his mother,  
and other friends coming from his  
home at Roswell.Hugh Gage, R. H. H. Burnett,  
Abe Burnett and son, Dick, all of  
Hope, were business visitors to  
Carlsbad last Saturday.Mrs. Thayer came in from her  
ranch in the Guadalupe last Friday,  
on a hurried trip and returned  
Tuesday on the mail car.Mrs. Lou Regnier and three  
daughters, spent Sunday in town,  
leaving for their ranch Monday  
morning, about twenty-five miles  
southwest of Carlsbad.Miss Zeta Willis returned Thursday  
of last week, from a fortnight  
spent on the George Williams  
ranch, where the Williams  
family is spending the summer.Harlan Thomas has moved his  
family to Carlsbad from Artesia,  
and has taken the old Piontkowsky  
place on North Canyon street,  
for the time being, rent houses being  
a scarce article in Carlsbad  
at this time.John L. Emerson, of Knowles,  
towns, expecting to be gone two  
spents last Sunday in the City  
Beautiful, and remained several  
days here transacting business  
of various kinds.seals, this the 20 day of May,  
1920.J. L. WILLIAMS,  
JNO. R. PLOWMAN,  
JESS N. PLOWMAN,  
CHESTER S. BURTOCH,  
HARRY I. WALKER,  
ANNA E. WILLIAMS,  
PAUL W. PLOWMAN,

## STATE OF NEW MEXICO

County of Eddy  
On this the 20 day of May,  
1920, before me personally came  
and appeared J. L. Williams, Jno.  
R. Plowman, Jess N. Plowman,  
Chester S. Burtch, Harry I. Walker,  
Anna E. Williams, Paul W. Plowman  
to me known to be the persons  
described in and who executed  
the above and foregoing instrument,  
and they acknowledged they  
executed the same as their free  
act and deed.IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I  
have hereunto set my hand and  
affixed my official seal in the day  
and year in this certificate first  
above written.FRANCIS H. RYAN,  
Notary Public, Eddy Co. N. M.  
My Commission Expires Oct. 4,  
1921.

(SEAL)

## ENDORSED

No. 10596  
Cor. Rec'd. Vol. 7, Page 20.  
Certificate of Incorporation  
of

MALAGA GIN CO.

No Stockholders' Liability

Filed in Office of

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

of New Mexico

Jun 1 1920 - 11:30 A. M.

A. L. MORRISON

Clerk.

Compared: ICK-JJO.

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## CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. Stella Miller wishes in this  
way to thank the people of Carlsbad  
for their untiring kindness to  
her during the long illness and at  
the death of her daughter, Bessie.  
She is especially grateful to the  
Red Cross, to the Elks of Carlsbad,  
and to Dr. H. W. Lowry and  
all who in any way ministered to  
the needs of the sick girl. Mrs.  
Miller has nothing but praises for  
the kindness of Carlsbad people.Charley Walter and family left  
Saturday for an extended trip up  
through Colorado, going in their  
car. After a stay of a few weeks  
in that locality, they will continue  
their journey to Indiana, and will  
visit at Indianapolis and Terre  
Haute, their old home. Mr. Walter  
and the children have not been  
well for some time, and the trip  
is taken that they may have the  
benefit of the rest and change.  
They expect to be away for at  
least two months.We have only recently learned  
of the birth of a son to Mrs.  
Georgia Witt Lusk, of Lovington,  
well known and loved by all Carlsbad.  
May the hands of the little  
one so twine about the mother  
heart that they may comfort her  
in her loneliness and bereavement.Mrs. Annie Moore is taking her  
vacation as saleswoman in the T.  
C. Horne Dry Goods store and  
spending the week with Mrs. Georgia  
Witt, near Lovington. Her  
daughter, Louise, is with her and  
is enjoying life in the country as  
only children of her age can.Judge S. I. Roberts returned  
the first of the week, from a business  
trip to Clovis, where he was  
looking after the business of the  
firm of Roberts-Deaborne Company,  
for ten days past.signed, being all the original incorporators,  
who have filed a certificate of incorporation  
of the above named corporation, thereby  
associating themselves together under  
the provisions of the Laws of the  
State of New Mexico governing  
corporations, for and on the  
behalf of themselves and all the  
other stockholders who may become  
associated with them and said  
corporation, do hereby declare that  
there shall be no stockholders' liability  
on account of any stock issued  
by said corporation and that all  
of the stockholders of said  
corporation shall be exempt from  
all liabilities on account of any  
stock issued or held by them except  
such liability for the amount of  
the Capital Stock certified to as  
having been paid in property or  
cash at the time of the commencement  
of the business. Chester S. Burtch  
is the statutory agent of said  
corporation and Malaga, New  
Mexico, is the registered office of  
said corporation.IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we,  
the said incorporators have hereunto  
set our hands and seals this  
the 20 day of May 1920.J. L. WILLIAMS,  
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and they acknowledged they  
executed the same as their free  
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it the BEST in the SHORTEST time  
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## Electrical Work

We now have with us H. A. Hall,  
who has had 20 years of electrical  
experience and is also an all round  
mechanic. Mr. Hall worked for  
years for the Packard Motor Co. in  
their factory and now has a good  
recommendation from them. While  
in the army he was expert electrical  
trouble "shooter" for the govern-  
ment on liberty motors in the air-  
plane corps. We guarantee him to  
be the BEST ELECTRICIAN in this  
section of the country.In addition to this five other  
mechanics of experience and skill  
are employed in our garage.WE GUARANTEE you  
absolute satisfaction on  
your repair work at the  
lowest possible price.

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Sid Cowan believes in hunting big game. He rounded up a full grown elk on his big ranch west of Pecos this week, and penned it. This is the first one caught in this region for several years and is believed to have wandered from the mountain districts. Sid said that indications were that there was a herd of them in this territory. The elk was very tame, and will be ready for the lariat as soon as Sid initiates him with the lasso. If he can be broke to the harness the Cowan family may use him as a market "hoss".—Pecos enterprise.

Dr. Kelley, who has been engaged in the office of Dr. A. A. Bearup for some months, returned recently to his home in New York City, leaving many friends here in Carlsbad who are sorry he decided to make this change.

## DEVELOPMENT ON THE EAST SIDE

The Empire Leasing and Development Co., of Muskogee, Okla., have closed a deal with the Missouri Oil syndicate of Kansas City, Mo., and have taken over the 50,000 acres of state leases owned by them. The president of the company, Mr. J. Lahroy Stusher, has been here with his chief geologist, Mr. H. H. Almes, who has surveyed the land on which their leases are, and reports some of the most promising structure on the land by his lease. The large tract of state leases owned by this company are mostly township 14 range 32, and Township 15, range 34 Lea county, New Mexico. The first two drilling sites in all probabilities will be in the above mentioned Townships, as those are the choice leases and in the largest blocks. Mr. Stusher said that operations would begin at once.—Artesia Advocate.

## LEA COUNTY COTTON UP TO THE MARK.

The Lea county cotton is up to the mark of fine crops as reported by people from Texas who tell us that in comparison the crops in Lea county are as good as can be found and in some instances surpass many of those in Texas this year.

All this is encouraging to the farmers who are putting in their initial crop this season and it is to be hoped that cotton on this part of the plains will prove a success.—Lovington Leader.

## DELEGATES FROM NEW MEXICO WILL PROBABLY VOTE FOR MCADOO.

William G. McAdoo probably will get New Mexico's solid six votes in the democratic national convention at San Francisco, on the first ballot, at least, in the face of the fact that the state convention at Roswell failed to instruct the delegation for him.

Arthur Seligman, democratic state chairman, following his return, said that he thought probably the majority of the delegates personally favored McAdoo, although, he admitted, there were some of them who did not openly express any opinion, at least none that he had heard, and the majority will control the delegation's vote at San Francisco.

Mayor A. T. Hannett of Gallup and W. S. Patterson, of Albuquerque, secretary of the machinists' union for the Santa Fe system, two of the delegates at large, were known to be McAdoo men. In addition to these, several others declared themselves for the former director general of railroads, and, at an off-hand guess, Mr. Seligman believed, they probably had a majority on the delegation. He would not state positively that they had, however, as no attempt was made to canvass the delegation to ascertain each delegate's individual choice.

The convention at Roswell adopted a motion which will have virtually the effect of the discarded "unit rule" as to the state's delegation at San Francisco. The motion provides that the majority of the delegation shall decide its policy, and that means, if the McAdoo men are in the majority, the delegation's solid vote will be cast for him.

Mr. Seligman said that Roswell took care of the convention well, and praised the committee under Judge Granville A. Richardson, which had charge of arrangements for the housing and entertainment of the delegates. He added that the convention was well attended. Only two counties, Valencia and San Juan were not represented, and the Valencia county delegates were caught by the flood in the middle Rio Grande valley.

The fire department was called out Saturday night about 11:30 and made a run to San Jose where a dwelling was found to be in flames. Nothing could be done, however, to check the conflagration, the house being practically gone when the alarm was turned in. The family escaped with very few clothes and nothing else was saved.

## SAYS SITUATION IS NOT ALARMING

Texas Congressman Cites Letter From Federal Reserve Relative to Cattle Finance.

One stockman put it this way: "I don't see what the stockman is to do. He can't sell his cattle, and the banks won't lend any money. The bottom seems to have dropped out with us, all around." The stockman lately has had a good deal to contend with, a good deal to disturb him in his rosy dreams of affluence as a result of wonderful range conditions. W. F. Scarborough of Midland, an executive board member of the Panhandle & Southwestern Stockman's Association, has had recent correspondence with Congressman C. B. Hudspeth, and we reproduce the latter's latest reply to Mr. Scarborough's inquiry. Congressman Hudspeth writes: "My dear Mr. Scarborough: "I am in receipt of your kind letter, and am this day enclosing you a copy of a letter that I received from Governor Harding of the Federal Reserve Board.

"I strongly advise that you have this letter published in all the local papers throughout that section, as I believe it will do more to clarify the situation and to increase confidence in the local banks than anything that could be done.

"As Harding stated to me, Mr. Scarborough, I think the fault has been that local banks got scared too quickly. While some member of the Federal Reserve Board may have advised the curtailment of loans, Harding, the Governor General, states to me that he never did advise the curtailment of loans; that there is ample money in the country for all the immediate needs.

"I think an extensive circulation of this letter will do a great deal towards easing up the financial situation.

"I am here to serve you day or night, and urge that you do not hesitate to command me; and if the situation does not get easy, I will get together Senators and Representatives and try to devise some means of relieving the situation.

"Very truly your friend, C. B. Hudspeth." The letter from Governor Harding, the publication of which is recommended by Congressman Hudspeth, is as follows: "My dear Sir:

"I acknowledge receipt of your

letter of the 24th instant, enclosing a telegram from Messrs. Johnson and Cook, of Wilcox, Ariz., in which the suggestion is made that funds be immediately transferred from the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, to the Federal Reserve Banks in the cattle raising districts for the sole purpose of enabling the latter

banks to relieve the situation in the live stock industry.

"The Federal Reserve Banks, as I explained to you when you called on me a few days ago, have been advised of the Board's view of the necessity for sustaining the live stock industry, and they have been told that, if necessary, they may, by rediscount with other Federal Reserve Banks, place themselves in sufficient funds at any time to meet demands for accommodations made upon them by member banks offering eligible cattle paper for rediscount.

"The Board has not been advised by the Federal Reserve banks, in the cattle raising districts, that they are in need of additional funds for this purpose, nor has any advice come to the Board of the refusal of the Federal Reserve Banks to rediscount eligible cattle paper for their member banks. The Board has, on the other hand, been advised that the Federal Reserve Banks are keeping close watch on the situation and doing everything in their power to be of assistance to the cattle raisers. They are amply able for the present to take care, out of their own resources, of any demands made upon them by member banks for this class of accommodation, and should it become necessary later on for them to rediscount with other Federal Reserve Banks, the transaction would be consummated in the course of a few hours, and without their being obligated, even temporarily, to suspend their loaning operations," etc.

Only One Bid for Bond Issue.

Deming Headlight: At a meeting of the city council Monday night, City Attorney A. A. Temke reported that but one bid had been received for the proposed bond issue of \$100,000. This bid was from Keeler Bros. of Denver, and would have netted the city approximately 88 cents on the dollar. The bid was promptly rejected and a resolution passed re-advertising for bids for August 2, 1920.

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## MAJOR BUJAC WILL PROBABLY BE CANDIDATE FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

Santa Fe, June 18.—While one hears little gossip along political lines in Santa Fe beyond the favorable comments on the national ticket, yet now and then there is a suggestion as to the prospects in the state nominations. Word has gone out that C. U. Strong would not accept a renomination as state treasurer, but it has been announced that he is willing to take another term if the republicans of the state desire to place him on the ticket. This is authentic and the probabilities are that there will be no other nominations in the convention for this position. As much as Treasurer Strong will accept the nomination if tendered him.

As far as the nominations are concerned, the only position concerning which there has been discussion is the congressional nomination. Lieutenant Governor Pankey has announced that he would like this position and it is generally conceded that he might be nominated.

Occasionally the name of Col. Geo. W. Pritchard has been mentioned and now comes the suggestion of Major Bujac, of Carlsbad, the comment being that he is one of those whom the American Legion would favor and this organization is entitled to consideration.

Major Bujac is one of the most eloquent orators in the state and a very popular citizen. He would certainly draw out a very strong vote.

It is suggested that the cause of the resignation of Col. Manuel B. Otero from the governor's staff might be that he will fight against Larrazola's renomination, and it is generally believed that this is the ground for the resignation, yet no word comes from Otero himself, and he refuses to state the reason.

Those in close touch with the situation still insist that Larrazola will be re-nominated. The politicians are expecting that within a short time the discussions of possibilities will be more often heard.

abilities will be more often heard.

Major Bujac's many friends in Carlsbad are very glad to learn he will probably be the selection of the Republican party of the state as their candidate for lieutenant governor. It is recognized by all that the Major has the support of the American Legion and would poll a large complimentary vote in this section on account of his winning personality. Being an orator of recognized ability, the Major could be of great assistance to the republicans during their coming campaign. If the republicans elect a lieutenant governor we would rather see Major Bujac in that position than any in the state.

The prize fights we are having in Carlsbad are a disgrace to any community and it is the duty of the city aldermen to pass an ordinance which will put a stop to them. In fact a big majority of our citizens are demanding that this be done. Carlsbad is not big enough to attract first class fighters and the talent staging bouts generally frame up with the gamblers so as to get enough money to pay expenses. The hangers-on to prize fights are an undesirable class of people for a community and unless the fights are of a higher class than have been pulled off it would be unwise to allow them to continue. At the last fight there was only a small crowd present which indicated the public does not like to support the same when it is believed a frame-up is being staged.

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D. F. SELLARDS, Pastor.

Miss Kathryn Walterscheid, head nurse at the Eddy county hospital, underwent an operation for appendicitis at that institution yesterday, from which she is recovering nicely at this time.

## SIXTY-SIXTH CONGRESS MAKES SORRY RECORD

"Boss Hidden." I Has Utterly Failed to Make Good Its Promises to the People

Washington, D. C.—It looks as if the sixty-sixth congress, the first the republican party has controlled in ten years, will go down in history as the most unpopular congress in a half century. It has been boss-ridden, most of the time by an absent boss, and knew not what it wanted to do.

The leaders were in a great hurry to get in "no enact constructive legislation." President Wilson was criticized for not calling an extraordinary session earlier than he did. Senator Penrose, who spent but a few days of the first session here, his time then being devoted to making his home fences secure, was among those who urged quick action to restore the country to a peace basis. Others were Representative Mondell, floor leader of the house, and Speaker Gillett. In interviews they charged the President with delaying the transportation from war to peace.

But when congress convened and patronage was distributed, the republicans began to slow down, and have been back-pedaling ever since. Things that should have been done have been left undone, and things that should not have been done have been done. The slogan has been "knock he president." The public has been neglected in this partisan fight. Constructive legislation was recommended by the president but it was not enacted. Everybody is now condemning congress. Even republican newspapers charge it with neglect of duty and worse.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We wish in this manner to return our heartfelt thanks to our friends and the friends of our deceased sister for their kindness and thoughtfulness toward us during her long illness and at her death, and also to the American Legion and others for their beautiful flowers. Their goodness will never be forgotten by us.

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The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist church will hold its next regular meeting at the home of Madam Clark on Canyon street, next Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. As there is some special business on hand, a full attendance is desired.

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—L. B. Weaver, Grand Rapids, Mich.

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## FORMER TEMPLE GIRL DIES.

The clipping below is from a daily paper published at Temple, Texas and refers to Mrs. Taylor, who passed away last week at the Sisters Sanitarium in Carlsbad.

"Messages were received by relatives here yesterday telling of the death of Mrs. Alma Taylor, of Carlsbad, New Mexico, June 17. She was a former Temple girl, and has many friends here as well as closer members of her family.

Mrs. Taylor had been in bad health for several years. She leaves one little girl, Lillian Bell, four brothers, Robert, Ray, Lawrence and Paul, and three sisters, Mrs. Cora Barrington, of Carlsbad, Mrs. Grace Granger of Kansas City and Miss Lena Bristow of Temple. The funeral will be held here Saturday at 10 a. m. from the residence of her grandmother, Mrs. S. H. Clark, 2 North 1st Street.

Mrs. A. J. Bristow, mother of the deceased, died at Carlsbad last Christmas, and was buried here.

## WOODMEN UNVEILING.

Eddy Grove Camp, No. 5, W. O. W., had a great time last Sunday, that being the date of their annual unveiling of the monuments erected in City cemetery to those of their number who have passed to the great beyond.

The sermon at the Baptist church by Rev. Mahan, himself a member of that organization, was a masterpiece and much appreciated not only by the Woodmen present but by all who heard it. In the afternoon a large crowd assembled for the exercises in the cemetery where the beautiful ritualistic ceremony of the order was given at the graves of deceased Woodmen and Woodmen Circle members.

The monuments unveiled were those of Jack Halbert, Bert Alewine, Alvin Wood, George Bell and Earl Hanson. Monuments of the Circle members unveiled were those of Mrs. Monroe Wright, Mrs. Grace Bumback and Mrs. Daisy Brady. Thirty-seven members of the order from Artesia and Hope were present. The local Woodmen entertained their guests at the Crawford hotel and before leaving for their respective homes the visitors expressed their pleasure at the entertainment shown them. The work of the Circle, Mrs. Nora Leck, guardian in charge, was beautifully given as was that of the Woodmen. Both orders are among the strong fraternal societies of this city and the work of Sunday added to their popularity.

Reverend Sellards, of the Christian church, has been holding a series of meetings this week at the church of that denomination. Features of the meetings have been the illustrated songs and sermons, Frank Morris doing the drawing and a stereopticon also being used. The attendance has been good in spite of the heat.

## LAST WEEK

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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 28th of each month, at the office of Drs. Pate and Culpepper. 1f

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## NOTICE OF SUMMONS. THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO.

To: Sarah J. Kuykendall, if living, if dead her unknown heirs, Joshua D. Kuykendall, if living, if dead his unknown heirs; Benjamin S. Kuykendall, if living, if dead his unknown heirs; A. I. Kuykendall, if living and if dead his unknown heirs; Martha M. Green, if living, if dead her unknown heirs; William Green, husband of Martha Green, if living, if dead his unknown heirs; John H. Kuykendall, if living, if dead his unknown heirs; Mary E. Kuykendall, wife of John H. Kuykendall, if living, if dead her unknown heirs; Laura J. Kuykendall, wife of Benjamin S. Kuykendall, if living, if dead her unknown heirs; Elizabeth Kuykendall, wife of A. I. Kuykendall, if living, if dead her unknown heirs; Mary Byrd (formerly Kuykendall) if living, if dead her unknown heirs; Edna Cox (formerly Byrd-child of Mary Byrd) if living, if dead her unknown heirs; E. E. Morris, if living, if dead his unknown heirs; and all unknown claimants of interest adverse to plaintiff in and to the following described real estate situated in Eddy county, New Mexico, to-wit: North two-thirds of the Northwest quarter of the Northeast quarter, Section 19, Township 22 South, Range 27 East, N. M. P. M.

You and each of you, are hereby notified that a suit is now pending in the District court of Eddy County, New Mexico, numbered 3220 on the civil docket thereof, wherein E. P. Bujac is plaintiff and you, and each of you are named as defendants.

That the general objects of said suit are to quiet the title of the plaintiff in and to the following described real estate situated in Eddy county, New Mexico, to-wit: North two-thirds of the Northwest quarter of the Northeast quarter, Section 19, Township 22 South, Range 27 East, N. M. P. M.

The above named defendants are hereby notified that unless they appear and answer the complaint of plaintiff on or before the 7th day of August, 1920, plaintiff will take judgment against them by default.

That E. P. Bujac is attorney for the plaintiff and his business and post office address is Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico.

WITNESS my hand as Clerk of said Court and the seal of said Court on this 25th day of June, 1920.

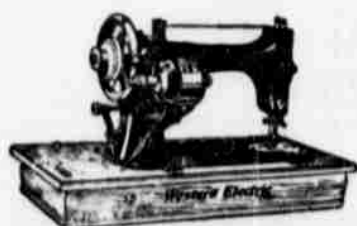
D. M. JACKSON, County Clerk.

— Mrs. A. E. Roberts and little son, Eugene, will leave tonight for Dulce, New Mexico, where they will spend a month or more with Mrs. Roberts' father, M. S. Groves, who is managing a lumber company in that part of the state. It is hoped the trip and stay among the pines may be of benefit to the young son, who has been having the whooping cough, in common with most of the babies of the town.

Fletcher Scaife, brother of Mrs. L. E. Ervin, is here from Van Horn, Texas, where he resides. He has recently purchased a flock of goats and will lead the outdoor life after this.

The H. D. Hubbard family and their guest, Mr. Brown, left for a vacation trip in the northern part of the state, where they will spend some time hunting and fishing.

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Opening a school in a region where still prevail the language of Shakespeare, the games and ballads of Queen Elizabeth's era and the simple hospitality of the day of Robin Hood, is the work of Miss Katherine Pettit, one of the heads of the Pine Mountain Settlement School of Harlan county, Kentucky.

As one of the organizers of the school twenty years ago, Miss Pettit occupies the position of close friend to scores of the mountain people, who are being reclaimed by writers as one of the most interesting developments of American life. The school is "just across the mountain" from the home of the late John Fox, Jr., and the author of "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine" was a frequent visitor to the old log house and the house in the woods where classes are held.

A visitor to the settlement was Cecil Sharp of Oxford university, considered the world's greatest authority on English folklore. He had been told of the Kentucky mountain region by an American student and journeyed all the way from England in the hope of finding a ballad or two to add to his collection.

He remained two years and gathered enough material to publish a new volume, which is dedicated to the Pine Mountain school. His delight at finding the store of old English customs almost in their original form several thousand miles away from the old country is expressed in the introduction to the work.

Old Folklore Picked Up. One day the English expert had packed his belongings and, was on his way across the mountains to the nearest town where he might take a train, satisfied that he had culled the rich store of material to its last fragment. As he tramped along he overtook an aged woman driving her cow home for the evening, singing to herself as she wended her way down the path. The ear of the Oxford man caught a familiar strain. He hurried down the path, dragging out a notebook and pencil as he ran.

"How many of those verses do you know?" he asked.

"Eighteen," was the reply. Down they sat on the roadside, while Mr. Sharp took down the words and music of a ballad for which English collectors had been searching many years. They had hoped somewhere to find four verses, which they believed composed the story of "Edward," with the refrain of "Edward, How Came That Blood on Your Shirtsleeve?" The eighteen verses the old mountain woman sang off with faithful accuracy made a find at which historical groups rejoiced all over the world. The Englishman remained three months more and collected almost enough to fill another volume from the memory of the aged woman.

Given England New Dance. The "Running Set," found by Sharp at Pine Mountain school, is being danced today all over England, where the ancient forms are being revived to schools. It is not considered a dance in the Appalachians, where dancing is regarded with a somewhat Puritan distrust. It is a "play," and when the young folk gather to enjoy themselves they go to "a play" and not to "a hop." The institution is described as seen for the first time after dark one evening on the porch of one of the larger school buildings with only one dim lantern to light up the scene.

The moon streamed fitfully in, lighting up the mountain peaks in the background and casting its mysterious light over the proceedings and seeming to exaggerate the wildness and the breakneck speed of the dancers as they whirled through the mazes of the dance," Mr. Sharp writes. "There was no music, only the stamping and clapping of the onlookers. The air seemed literally to pulsate with the rhythm of patters and the tramp of dancers' feet, while over it all floated the even, falsetto tones of the 'caller,' calmly and unexcitedly reciting his directions."

Harlan county is the seat of numerous feuds of long standing—for centuries it has lived in a state of miniature warfare, kept alive by the vigorous sense of honor and family pride that exists among the mountaineers. At the beginning of the war the Pine Mountain school called upon some of the expert knitters of the district to make garments for French soldiers. As she handled the soft wool, one woman remarked regretfully:

"What a pure waste to use this nice yarn for shot-up men!"

Shooting Up Isn't Uncommon. "But it is for the soldiers, the brave Frenchmen who are risking their lives for their country. Nothing is too good for them, is there?" asked one of the teachers. The mountain woman smiled indulgently.

"When you've been here long as we have you won't get so upset by shot-up men," she replied.

The coming of the war to America

brought a flock of eager recruits from the mountains. Few of them had been beyond their own valleys, but if there was fighting to do they were ready. Afterward they came home, thankful for the familiar scenes again.

"We ain't changed," a mountain soldier assured the community when they returned. "We don't even smoke cigarettes. All us boys got together ever there and made up our minds it would be a bad benefit for us to smoke 'em, and we didn't want to do nothing of bad benefit that fur from home."

The hospitality of the region is a quality at which the outside world can only marvel. Aunt Judy, a champion spinner and weaver of Pine Mountain, with her two big sons, parted with acres of timber land at a charge of \$1 a tree for the most valuable woods in the state. Her boys journeyed across the mountains and brought back \$17,000 in saddle bags after they had waited several days for the bank to collect the sum in cash. Years later the money still reposed, virtually untouched, in the bags under the old lady's bed. They had no use for it.

"I'd be a sorry mother if I couldn't spin enough to keep my boys in clothes and raise enough to feed us," she said simply.

RECEIVED \$10,000 FOR STOCKS WORTH MILLIONS



What is probably the most amazing chapter in the involved story of "Nicky" Arnstein's \$5,000,000 bond theft plot was made public in the testimony of young Joseph Gluck (left) former Wall street messenger, who is now in the Tombs under \$50,000 bail on a charge of being implicated in the stealing of over \$1,000,000 worth of securities. Irving Gluck, the brother of Joseph, who is implicated in the plot, is at the right of the photograph. While Joseph apparently let few opportunities slip to gather in securities that were easily negotiable, Irving who is also in the Tombs, seemed to be even more active and kept an eagle eye on the caliber of stocks that were being carried about by other runners. In Joseph's confession other brokers are implicated.

### UNCOVERED WAR FRAUDS

Investigation Showed Illegal Transactions Involving Millions.

Large sums will be saved for the government through civil and criminal prosecutions now completed or under way, announced Attorney General Palmer in a statement in which he declared a department of justice investigation of alleged fraudulent war contracts had "uncovered illegal transactions involving millions of dollars." In one class of contracts alone, questionable vouchers unearthed have resulted in the withdrawal of payments by the government amounting to approximately \$4,420,000, the statement declared. Special investigations have been ordered into 15 large fraud cases which the bureau of investigation has before it.

### LONDON STOPS BIG BUILDING

Action Taken So That Building Trades Might Concentrate on Residences.

The action of the city council of London, England, in stopping all building, except residences, under powers granted by the health ministry, to overcome the housing shortage, has caused a crisis in the London building trades.

Not more than 40 per cent of the men displaced by this shortage can be used in house building, leading business men declare.

Violent Mule Kicked Woman to Death. An enraged mule, which had attacked a horse in a stall, kicked Miss Maude J. Padgett, twenty-four years old, of near Mount Vernon, Ill., to death when she attempted to force it to quit its attack on the horse.

Girls Set Barn Afire for Excitement. In pleading guilty to the charge of setting fire to the hay barn at the girls' industrial school at Concordia, Kan., three young girls stated they "just wanted excitement."

Seeks Divorce From Her Fat Husband. The obesity of her husband, who weighs 800 pounds, is the ground upon which Mrs. Pauline Chavira, twenty-four years old of Newark, N. Y., seeks to have her marriage annulled.



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The thrill in those grand, old airs of the Republic! The exultation! The memories! The ringing pledge!

All these and more—have been given life by the soaring art and the fervid hearts of great artists!

All these and more are RE-CREATED for you by the marvelous realism of the New Edison.

The perfect realism of the New Edison was proved again in an astonishing test made March 10, 1920, at Carnegie Hall, New York City. Anna Case, world-famed soprano, matched her voice directly against its RE-CREATION by the New Edison. During the test, the lights went out. The audience, in the darkness, could not tell whether Anna Case was singing or whether the New Edison was RE-CREATING her voice.

You can experience the New Edison's supreme realism for yourself. Come in and let us give you Mr. Edison's Realism Test.

## The Star Pharmacy

### MOTHER - DAUGHTER PARTY.

A happy occasion was the Mother-Daughter party given at the pretty home of the Hardy's "Hardycroft," last Saturday afternoon. The affair was designed to honor the recent brides and their mothers, and was very cleverly planned and carried out, all present reporting a delightful afternoon at this beautiful country home and at the hands of this charming hostess. A two course luncheon was served, consisting of salad and sandwiches, cake and ice cream and iced tea. The guest list of mothers and daughters is as follows:

Mrs. J. I. Penny, Mrs. John Wells, (Jim Penny) Mrs. H. Tipton, Mrs. Allen Tipton, (Nell Smith) Mrs. W. R. Owen, Mrs. A. Z. Smith, (Florence Owen) Mrs. E. T. Carter, Mrs. Will Ed Carter, (Eunice Stagner) Mrs. Frank Jones, Mrs. Elmore Jones, (Ina Camp) Mrs. R. J. Toffelmire, Mrs. Aud Lusk, (Thelma Toffelmire) Mrs. Garrett, Mrs. Sam Lusk, (Fay Garrett), Mrs. A. C. Heard, Mrs. F. E. Wilson, (Mona Heard), Mrs. Harry Christian, Mrs. Harry McKim, (Lela Christian), Mrs. T. J. Kindel, Mrs. Sam Kindel, (Marian White), Mrs. Joe Cunningham, Mrs. Iron S. Rowe, (Dorothy McIntosh), Madam Thorne, Mrs. R. M. Thorne, Mrs. Hodgins, Mrs. Pence, Mrs. Broadings, Mrs. Holly Benson, Mrs. Muhleman, Mrs. Wells Benson, Mrs. Purdy, Mrs. R. L. Halley, Mrs. Will Purdy, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Annie Moore, Mrs. Seale, Mrs. L. E. Ervin, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. D. Jackson, Mrs. McAdoo, Mrs. Phil Lang, Mrs. E. R. Lang, Mrs. John Merchant, Mrs. Pearson, (Eulalia Merchant).

Mrs. Hardy was assisted by Mrs. Bert Rawlins.

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### LOCAL NEWS.

Attorney Guy Reed made a business visit to Roswell last Monday.

Charley Ward of Rock Arroya was in town this week transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bulman and two children are in town this week from their ranch east of the city.

Miss Ruth Sprong, who has been attending school at Joplin, Missouri, came in from there last Sunday.

Miss Harriett Rose, a graduate of this year from Carlsbad High School is spending the summer at Bethany, Missouri.

A. R. Bowen, representing the Inter-type people, with headquarters at Amarillo, was in town this week on an inspection trip.

Barney Hopkins of Lakewood was down from there Tuesday of this week, as was also Red Howell of the same city.

Mrs. Martha Ward - Livingston and her house guest, Mrs. Angel, motored to the Livingston ranch to spend a couple of days the middle of the week.

Achie Nelson and wife have returned from their vacation trip to El Paso and vicinity. Burr Watson did not return with them but has taken employment at Las Cruces.

Speaking with all due reverence we believe that the Elk baseball enthusiasts who attended the funeral of a poor, forlorn sufferer last Sunday afternoon while the game was in progress made a sacrifice of their own inclinations to the call of duty that Saint Peter recognized and set down in his Book of Good Deeds.

Mrs. Mabel Polk left Wednesday for Midland, Texas, where she will be joined by Miss Rebecca Graham and the two young ladies will go on to Columbia University, where they will do school work this summer. They expect to proceed in a leisurely manner, visiting many interesting points en route. Miss Graham has accepted a position in the city schools and Mrs. Polk will have charge of the primary work in Lovington the coming school year.

Mrs. Tom Reeves has just returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Hart, at Lovington, her little son, Tom, Jr., accompanying her.

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J. W. Ferguson, who is working on one of the buildings now in process of erection at Loving, had the misfortune to get some cement in his eye last Tuesday, and it proved so painful that he was forced to come to Carlsbad for medical treatment. He improved with treatment, however, and was able to return to his work Wednesday.

Mrs. Barrington, baby and sister, Rena, returned Tuesday afternoon from their errand to Temple, Texas, where they laid the body of their sister, Mrs. Alma Taylor, to her last long rest by the side of her mother, recently deceased. Lillian Belle Taylor did not return with her sister, but in deference to an oft expressed wish of her mother, was taken to an aunt in Waco.

Mrs. Fred Rindakopf and little daughter, Helene, returned Sunday night from a visit to relatives and friends in New York City and other places of interest in the east.

Lem Chapman wife and child came in this week from Sweetwater, Texas, where he had the misfortune to sustain a badly injured foot, while he was working in a garage at that place. It will probably be some months before he will be able to use the injured member.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. James left Wednesday night on their long planned trip to California. They have been unable to secure reservations or they would have gone a week earlier.

The lot belonging to W. P. Molanathan, on North Canal street, has been purchased by Mrs. Annie V. Livingston, who will erect a dwelling house as soon as arrangements can be made.

### ATTORNEY CHARGED WITH ADVERTISING HIMSELF.

Santa Fe, N. M.—Arguments on Joseph R. Wilson's motion to strike out the first count of the accusation filed against him by the attorney general and to dismiss the rest of the accusation was begun this morning in the supreme court by A. B. McMillen of Albuquerque, for Mr. Wilson, and Assistant Attorney General N. D. Meyer for the Attorney General's office. They had not finished at noon. The first count charged that Mr. Wilson advertised himself as "a great attorney at law" in letters to Mrs. Mahilde Caronder of Albuquerque, who was at the time abroad, and "by such, persuasion, and acts of personal solicitation, obtained employment of his services," which, according to the accusation "constituted unprofessional conduct." The striking of the count is asked by Mr. Wilson's attorney on the ground that the charges it includes were not investigated by the board of bar examiners and not presented to the attorney general by the board. The second count, dismissal of which is asked by Mr. Wilson's attorney accuses him of writing letters to Mrs. Bertha Pauchet, in Barcelona, Spain. Madam Caronder's daughter and heir in which he referred to Major E. P. Bujac of Carlsbad in disreputable terms. Mr. Wilson was then executor of her mother's will and Major Bujac had been retained by Madame Pauchet to look after her interests in her mother's estate.

Artesia, N. M.—C. A. Sipple and W. C. Haney have associated themselves with the Pecos River Oil and Gas company and will have a prominent part in the management of this concern. The company has leased some 12,000 acres of land near Lakewood in Eddy county and has contracted for a deep test well, the work to be started immediately. Three carloads of material have arrived in Lakewood and will be hauled to the well site during the coming week. Derrick material and all necessary lumber will be secured from local lumber yards and the work will be pushed as rapidly as possible. Holmes and McGee, Tulsa, Okla., operators have acquired a large acreage along the Pecos river in Eddy county, which will be tested out at once. Part of the drilling machinery is now on the ground and at least two wells will be started in the next 60 days. Mr. McGee has just returned from Amarillo and after spending several days on this tract is very optimistic over the outlook. James D. Ward, one of the best known oil men in Oklahoma, is associated with these people and will shortly make a trip to New Mexico to go over the newly acquired holdings. The structure selected by Messrs. McGee and Ward is considered one of the best in the Pecos valley and it is thought that a big oil field will be developed here during the year.

At the annual meeting of the sheep sanitary board held in Santa Fe the tax levy was reduced five to four mills, thus saving the sheepmen of New Mexico at least \$12,000 annually. It is estimated. The financial condition of the board is such that they felt they could make this move. The five-mill levy was created in 1917, and all sheepmen have been subject to it.

Little scab had been noticed in the state. The board issued a general dipping order to be carried out between June 1 and December 31. The date was set back to June 1 in order to cover the sheep already dipped for shipping from the state. The former date was July 1, but a number of owners have already dipped preparatory to shipping. The board expects that the state should be cleaned of scab by this fall.

The former ruling on the dipping of sheep trailed into New Mexico from Southern Colorado is continued pending he proposed meeting with Colorado authorities, in the hopes of a mutual settlement of the differences of sheepmen along the Colorado line.

### HIGH SCHOOL GROWTH.

The wonderful growth of the high schools is shown by the recent report of the Russell Sage foundation. There are now 2,000,000 high school pupils in this country.

Back in 1870 there were but 19,000.

never be satisfied until every boy The American people should never be satisfied until every boy and girl has at least the equivalent of a high school education. Those who have little ability for books should do an equal amount of work fitting them for a high grade of skill in technical and mechanical lines.

The weak point in the system is that the proportion of girls is much larger than of boys. High wages paid to men workers empty too many boys to quit school while their sisters keep on for a year or two longer. The state of New Mexico should make a special attempt to have its boys complete high school courses.





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### NOTICE OF SUMMONS AND PENDING SUIT.

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You and each of you are hereby notified that a suit is pending in the District Court of Eddy county, New Mexico, numbered 3205 on the Civil Docket thereof, wherein Ben G. Gerlach, plaintiff and you and each of you are named as defendants; that the general objects of said suit are to establish the plaintiff's estate against you and each of you who are alleged to make some claim adverse to the estate of plaintiff in and to the following land and real estate situated in Eddy county, New Mexico, to-wit:

S 1-2 NW 1-4 SW 1-4 NW 1-4 Section 5, Township 23 S, Range 28 E, N. M. P. M.

S 1-2 NW 1-4 NW 1-4 SW 1-4 Section 8, Township 23 S, Range 28 E, N. M. P. M.

W 1-2 SE 1-4 SW 1-4 SW 1-4 Section 8, Township 23 S, Range 28 E, N. M. P. M.

E 1-2 SE 1-4 NE 1-4 Section 15, Township 23 S, Range 28 E, N. M. P. M.

E 1-2 NE 1-4 SE 1-4 NE 1-4 Section 19, Township 23 S, Range 28 E, N. M. P. M.

N 1-2 NE 1-4 NE 1-4 SE 1-4 Section 23, Township 23 S, Range 28 E, N. M. P. M.

NW 1-4 NE 1-4 NE 1-4 Section 27, Township 23 S, Range 28 E, N. M. P. M.

W 1-2 NW 1-4 NW 1-4 NE 1-4 Section 30, Township 23 S, Range 28 E, N. M. P. M.

W 1-2 SW 1-4 NE 1-4 SE 1-4 Section 32, Township 23 S, Range 28 E, N. M. P. M.

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E 1-2 SE 1-4 SE 1-4 NW 1-4 Section 34, Township 23 S, Range 28 E, N. M. P. M.

N 1-2 SE 1-4 NW 1-4 NW 1-4 Section 35, Township 23 S, Range 28 E, N. M. P. M.

W 1-2 NE 1-4 NW 1-4 NW 1-4 Section 35, Township 23 S, Range 28 E, N. M. P. M.

W 1-2 NW 1-4 SE 1-4 NW 1-4 Section 2, Township 24 S, Range 28 E, N. M. P. M.

E 1-2 NW 1-4 SE 1-4 NW 1-4 Section 2, Township 24 S, Range 28 E, N. M. P. M.

E 1-2 SW 1-4 NW 1-4 SE 1-4 Section 13, Township 24 S, Range 28 E, N. M. P. M.

and to bar and forever estop you and each of you from having or claiming any right or title to the said premises adverse to the plaintiff and to forever quiet plaintiff's title thereto.

You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 31st day of July, 1926, judgment will be rendered in said cause against you by Default; that Dover Phillips, whose post office address is Carlsbad, New Mexico, is attorney for plaintiff.

Witness my hand and seal of office as Clerk of said court on this 9th day of June, 1926.

D. M. JACKSON,  
County Clerk.

By INEZ E. JONES,  
(SEAL) Deputy.

11 June 2 July

NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT.

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO,  
TO:

Robert Percy McCaw.

GREETING:

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## \$500.00 Reward

The Pecos Valley Livestock Protective Association will pay a reward of \$500.00 for the arrest and conviction of persons depredating upon sheep, cattle, horses or other live stock, of the members of this association. For information see

RAY WAGONER, President.  
PRAGER MILLER, Secretary.

### MARRIED.

The marriage of Lewis Cargill and Miss Mozelle Warren was celebrated at the home of the bride's parents in Carlsbad Sunday, June 20th. Rev. George H. Givan, pastor of the Methodist Church reading the service. The wedding was private, witnessed only by the family of the bride and her two most intimate girl friends. The couple were attended by Lowell Warren and Miss Allen. A wedding dinner was served after the ceremony, at which Reverend Givan and wife were the honored guests.

The bride is a graduate of Carlsbad schools with the class of 1918 and has taught in rural schools since her graduation, always with success. She is a general favorite wherever she is known and has many friends to wish her well in her married life.

Mr. Cargill is a young ranchman whose holdings are in the Black River section, and is a young man highly respected by all who know him.

Mr. and Mrs. Cargill will reside on the ranch in the Black River community, for which place they left immediately after dinner on Sunday. May their lives be replete with happiness and prosperity, is the wish of their many friends, in which good wish the Current heartily joins.

Mrs. S. P. Page writes the Current that they reached their journey's end without car trouble at all in time to pitch camp before dark last Thursday. They are located ten miles west of the White Mountain Inn. She writes: "This is a beautiful place; a lot of cottages here in among the pines and Oh, so pretty. Wild strawberries are ripe, and there are a lot of wild flowers, roses, white violets and many other kinds of lovely blossoms. Mr. Page went out this morning and caught five trout, and they surely were beauties too. It is so nice here that we may stay quite awhile. I am enjoying burning these pine knots." Mrs. Page says further that the weather is cool and pleasant, and that the first night they suffered from the cold, but are now prepared for it. Their postoffice address is Ruidoso, New Mexico.

A Sunday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Worley is always a pleasure to be looked forward to, and last Sunday's guests report that one fully as good, if not surpassing those formerly enjoyed. An elaborate dinner was served, the invited guests being: Sam Davis, M. L. Davis and family, Ray Davis, wife and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gorley and son, Oscar Mercer and family, and Mrs. Filson and daughter, Miss Moille.

Misses Vaude and Letha Kroeger, who left here some time ago for El Paso, write that they are both employed as stenographers in that city. Miss Vaude in the office of the El Paso and Southwestern Railroad Company, and Miss Letha with the Federal Reserve bank. The young ladies are stopping at the Y. W. C. A. residence, but later expect to go to housekeeping. The Current is always glad to hear from Carlsbad girls who make good in the various walks of life.

Reverend Terry, of Dayton, was in town the first of the week. Mr. Terry is well known up and down the valley, and is assured of a hearty welcome from his many friends every time he comes to the city.

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THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO,  
TO:

Wilma Wilder, Oliver H. Smith, Bettie Smith, Anthony T. Thorn, Executor and Trustee of the Estate of William T. Holt, Deceased, Anthony T. Thorn and Henry M. Rodgers, Executors of the Estate of William T. Holt, Deceased, Henry M. Rodgers and Augustus F. Libby, Trustees of the Estate of William T. Holt, Deceased, William T. Holt,

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## RALPH, THE CLEANER

(By N. O. Shanks)

There is an interesting human interest story connected with the rise of Ralph, the Cleaner, and this is the kind of a story a feature writer always likes to connect up with.

Away back in 1916—and considering that there has been a world-war intervening between now and then, and many a young man gave of his time, and some of their lives during the struggles—W. J. Ralph, owner and proprietor of the Ralph, the Cleaner establishment, started in business with little capital, a hard iron and a great determination to build up a business in his chosen profession—and tailoring is a profession, and an interesting and necessary one.

It was then the firm of Nelson & Ralph, just one year afterwards Nelson selling his interests to Ralph who was then in the building just across to street from his present location. Then came the war and Mr. Ralph went into service. After his return he took up the work where he left off; business kept getting better and was forced to enlarge his quarters, and today in the James building ground floor, the most modern and up-to-date business place in the city.

Today, Ralph, the Cleaner, has the largest business of any establishment of its kind in the city; has the choice of the trade, and is the best equipped.

He has a Betzer dry cleaning machine, the only one in Carlsbad. This press is one that is used in all large establishments of the country.

Last February he moved from the old building to the present location.

One of the features at Ralph, the Cleaner, business is the exclusive agency for the Ed. V. Price Tailoring company of Chicago, Ill. Very few men who do not know the Ed. V. Price Tailoring company, in fact it is very few who do not now have their suits measured by Ralph, the Cleaner, who are discriminating in their dress. A full line of spring and summer patterns have just been received and are on display by this establishment. The firm guarantees a fit or no money. It's the reputation behind the local establishment, and the big reputation behind Ed. V. Price & company which makes the combination such a winning one.

Cleaning, pressing and repairing are the big assets of the business, and Mr. Ralph gives his personal supervision to every garment that comes into his place of business. He guarantees every piece of work, whether it be a suit, cleaned, repaired and pressed, to the sewing on of a button. It is this carefulness and ability to do the work right, coupled with courtesy and accommodation which has made him the leading cleaning establishment of the city.

This place is also a branch office of the Roswell Steam Laundry where shipments are made and received twice each week. While no laundry is called for or delivered, Ralph, the Cleaner calls for and delivers all work for his cleaning and pressing department. He has an automobile exclusively for this purpose.

So if you want to connect with a live one—one who will give service plus satisfaction—and support a young fellow who has come up from the hand iron and no dry cleaning machine in a year or so to the leading cleaning and tailoring establishment in the city—connect up with Ralph, the Cleaner in the James building.

Mrs. T. A. Ezell, her daughter, Mrs. Jack Horne and two children, Mrs. Perry and three little girls, were visitors at the home of Mrs. J. N. Nevenger Tuesday. The Nevenger ranch was owned at one time by Mr. Ezell and the family made it their home until the former house was destroyed by fire.

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STRANGERS to the City invited to make our place a resting place, and ask us questions about our city and county. We have been in the Valley nineteen years in the furniture business and know conditions.

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# GOOD ROADS

## ROADS IN NATIONAL FORESTS

Thirty Thousand Miles Will Be Needed in Next Ten Years for Proper Development.

Thirty thousand miles of road, estimated to cost not less than \$150,000,000, will be needed for the proper protection and development of the national forests, and the near-by communities during the next ten years, according to comprehensive road plans which have been prepared. The secretary of agriculture has already approved the construction of 5,152 miles, estimated to cost \$26,463,000, contingent upon federal and co-operative funds becoming available. Govern-



On the Floyd Hill Road, Near Denver, Colo.

ment expenditures of \$15,740,000 have been authorized for this purpose.

The roads comprised in the comprehensive road plans form the basis of the ultimate national forest road system. They are used as main highways, either in connection with through routes or to serve important local needs. The construction of feeder roads is being largely postponed until the primary road system of the national forests is completed. It is expected that the present estimate cost will be largely exceeded when surveys are made of the projects now on the list, since in many cases the only available estimates are based upon incomplete data.

## FARMER AND GOOD HIGHWAYS

Has Become Hard Working and Voting Enthusiast for Improved Roads Because of Many Benefits.

The biggest booster for good roads in the country today is the farmer. A few years ago he felt that the portion of his taxes used in the construction of permanent highways represented a benefit only to the motoring tourist and the city automobile owner, writes H. W. Slauson in Leslie's. The farmer argued that he was paying for their pleasures, and the result was a superstition against the good roads movement.

Now, however, when the farmer finds that his land has trebled in value; when the merchandise for which he has telephoned in the morning can be delivered by noon of the same day; when the market for his own produce is brought hours nearer; when the winter and his following spring thaw possess no terrors for him—all this because of the improved highway which makes his farm only a suburb, as it were, of the nearest city—he naturally becomes a hardworking and hard-voting enthusiast for good roads.

## GRAVEL GOOD FOR HIGHWAYS

When Properly Handled It Can Be Traveled Over All Year—Dirt Road Is Different.

While gravel, as a rule, does not make the best type of road, that is not so much the fault of the gravel as of the way it is put on. It is usually not evenly spread or leveled down, nor are the holes kept filled. If properly handled a gravel road can at least be traveled on any time of the year, which cannot be said of a dirt road.

## FARM ROADS MADE OF EARTH

No Good Reason Why They Should Not Be Graded Up and Maintained in Good Condition.

The vast majority of the farm roads must necessarily be of earth. However, there is no reason why they cannot be graded up somewhat after the fashion of a public highway and maintained in that condition.

## FARM ROADS ARE ESSENTIAL

Just as Important as Public Thoroughfares in Hauling Various Kinds of Crops.

Many of us know the value of good public roads, but how many of us know the value of good roads on the farm? Experience has taught that good roads on the private farm are just as essential and important as good public roads.

# You Can Get Goodyear Tires for That Sturdy Smaller Car



Of all Goodyear's notable accomplishments in tire-making none exceeds in high relative value of product the Goodyear Tires made in the 30x3, 30x3½, and 31x4-inch sizes.

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# GOOD YEAR

## FLOWER MISSION DAY.

Under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. flower mission day was observed at the local Methodist church last Sunday night.

This was a union meeting, the pastors of the various churches calling in their services for that hour, and the church was comfortably filled.

The program was in charge of Mrs. M. L. Davis, superintendent of that department. The church was tastefully decorated in green and white and a profusion of white bows, the symbol of the White Ribboners, were in evidence along with the cut flowers and potted plants.

The program consisted of a number of recitations and songs along the line of Flower Mission work.

A vocal solo by Bert Rawlins received merited praise, many saying it was the finest ever rendered by this favorite singer.

The reading by Mrs. Lee Hanson "Mother o' Mine" was sweetly given and deserved and received liberal applause.

The vocal quartette "Wine is a Mockery," by Mesdames Clark and Davis and Messrs Mahan and Lowry was a gem, as was the trio by the Regnier sisters.

We would be glad to mention each number but space forbids, so we can only say that the entire program was away above the average given on such occasions.

Mrs. Davis read a report of the work done by her department during the past year and made a plea for more flowers for the sick and shut ins. A collection of over \$10 was taken to be used in this work.

## FUNERAL OF T. H. SEARS.

Amarillo, Texas, June 14.—The remains of T. H. Sears were taken to Ottawa, Kansas for burial this morning after funeral services at the St. Andrews Episcopal church. Mr. Sears died Saturday night of pneumonia after an illness of ten days.

Mr. Sears was sixty-seven years of age and had been in railway service fifty years, beginning as a brakeman in the spring of 1870. He came to the Santa Fe Railway in 1886 and remained with the road after that time except for the four years during which he was division superintendent of the Colorado Southern at Denver.

Mr. Sears became general superintendent of the southern district of the Western lines of the Santa

Fe with headquarters at Amarillo, Texas on July 14, 1914. This district includes the lines from Wellington, Kansas to Belen, New Mexico and the Pecos Valley and Panhandle lines.

Mr. Sears is survived by his wife, three sons and three daughters. They were married August 7, 1879 and would have celebrated the fiftieth anniversary this summer.

Mr. Sears was a capable and conscientious official. Frank and straightforward, he was respected and liked by his superiors, the passing is therefore generally regretted by all who knew him.

A. M. HOVE.

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## NOTICE OF SUMMONS AND PENDING SUIT.

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO.

To:

William F. Cochran, Wm. F. Cochran, W. F. Cochran, Harold P. Brown, H. P. Brown, Carrie N. Brown, E. F. Draper, Trustee, Frederic Dominice, Trustee, William Stone, Rosario Pace, Vito Perocararo, William R. Allison, W. R. Allison, Frank Wilson, W. W. Hutto, Trustee, D. Black, Trustee, R. O. McGee, Trustee, Guy H. Calhoun, Chester F. Bonham, George W. Stanley, Jesse M. Hartshorn, Geo. Whirlan, C. F. Nelson, Louis E. Wilson, A. R. Clark, Myrtle Clark, Thos. Collier, W. W. Hall, J. E. Breckenridge, Mrs. S. A. Skinner, T. J. Skinner, Mrs. Edward Ingram, George F. Porter, Alice R. Porter, Charles A. Linnerson, J. A. Ke Kelsen, S. N. St. Clair, Jennie R. Daugherty, Glen G. Jones, Frank V. Hawley, A. J. Richards, F. A. Meecham, F. A. Meecham, Alice Meecham, H. P. Hendrick, C. W. Mower, John A. Mickey, John A. Mickey, Emma R. Mickey, E. J. Sullivan, Chas. Garten, Allison and Tansill, The Pecos Irrigation and Improvement Company, The Malaga Land and Improvement Company, Unknown Cestul Que Trusts claiming through W. W. Hutto, D. Black and R. O. McGee, Trustees, under deed from The Malaga Land and Improvement Company, a corporation, and Unknown claimants of interest in the herein described premises, adverse to the plain-

tiff. You and each of you are hereby notified that a suit is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, numbered 3217 on the Civil Docket thereof, wherein C. W. Beaman is plaintiff and you and each of you are named as defendants; that the general objects of said suit are to establish the plaintiff's estate against you and each of you who are alleged to make some claim adverse to the estate of plaintiff in and to the following land and real estate situated in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

Tract No. 63 being NW NW NW Section 3, Twp. 24 S. R. 28 E.  
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Tract No. 76 being S½ SW NW Section 3, Twp. 24 S. R. 28 E.  
Tract No. 77 being NW NW NW Section 3, Twp. 24 S. R. 28 E.  
Tract No. 79 being NW NW NW Section 3, Twp. 24 S. R. 28 E.  
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Tract No. 84 being W½ SE NW Section 3, Twp. 24 S. R. 28 E.  
Tract No. 1077 being W½ NW SE NW Section 4, Twp. 24 S. R. 28 E.  
Tract No. 1078 being E½ NW SE NW Section 4, Twp. 24 S. R. 28 E.  
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and to bar and forever estop you and each of you from having or claiming any right or title to the said premises adverse to the plaintiff, and to forever quiet plaintiff's title thereto.

Witness my hand as Clerk of said Court and the seal of said Court, on this the 17th day of June, 1920. D. M. JACKSON, County Clerk.

# THE BOX CAR SITUATION

Amarillo, Texas, June 18.—"The box car situation shows only slight improvement," said R. J. Parker, general manager of western lines of the Santa Fe railway when asked about the car situation this morning. Mr. Parker considers it a grave condition and that it can be met only by the cooperation of all interests.

"The car shortage is nationwide," continued Mr. Parker. "The Interstate Commerce Commission estimates that the minimum and immediate needs are at least 100,000 additional freight cars. The country has advanced and produces more freight than ever before, but the railroads on the other hand have been unable to make material addition to their equipment since before the war. The 100,000 freight cars built for the U. S. Railroad administration hardly replaced the cars that became worn out and were retired during the period of Federal control. Even the roads that had the money had to wait for the delivery of the equipment ordered."

"The shortage of cars," said Mr. Parker, "has been intensified by labor troubles at ports and terminals, and the shortage of shipping. Cars choke the terminals waiting to be unloaded. Long strings of cars under load lie idle for weeks at the principal ports. Every effort is now being made to break the blockades."

"The railroads under the provisions of the new Transportation Act for handling emergencies of this character, appealed to the Interstate Commerce Commission. Under the supervision of the commission and the car service commission of the American Railway Association, open top cars are moving east and box cars west for distribution to the various roads."

"On May 20 orders were issued to move 40,000 open top cars eastward and 20,000 box cars westward within thirty days. The Santa Fe was ordered to deliver 200 open top cars a day for twenty days to other roads at Kansas City and Chicago. This united effort to move cars where they were most needed is beginning to show results."

"Another feature adds to the present difficulty," said Mr. Parker. "A very large number of cars are out of service because badly out of repair. Every repair track is packed with cars in bad order. In the southwest less than ten per cent of the box cars on hand are fit for grain loading. Only about two per cent of the box cars owned by the Santa Fe are on its own lines. Every day a car remains on the repair track adds to the car shortage. At present repair work is being rushed."

Mr. Parker explained that the Santa Fe keeps in close touch with conditions on its own lines and aims to be prepared to move traffic when ready. Cars are stored for the movement of livestock, hay, grain and other products, so as to be able to move the traffic promptly when ready for the market. "This year," continued Mr. Parker, "we have no cars to store for the wheat and alfalfa crops. In fact it has not been possible to move all of last year's crop. For the present the Santa Fe will have only what cars the service commission allots from day to day. So far the commission has promised only 100 cars a day."

It will be necessary this year to provide storage for grain and hay. Mr. Parker thinks this suggestion made by bankers is worth consideration. The Santa Fe is making effort to get cars and move traffic quickly. Much equipment has been ordered and additional orders will be placed soon. In the meantime it is necessary to crowd the available equipment to the limit. Mr. Parker asks that the public cooperate with the railroads in taking care of the traffic and speeding it up by loading cars heavy and loading and unloading promptly, and providing storage until the traffic can be moved.

A. M. HOVE.

## A DELIGHTFUL PARTY

Mrs. Bert Rawlins and Mrs. D. Jackson entertained at the home of the latter last Thursday afternoon and a pleasant time was had the ladies indulging in their favorite game of whist and later enjoying the dainty refreshments prepared for their benefit.

The menu consisted of tomato aspic salad, sliced tongue, sandwiches, olives, loganberry ice, small cakes, salted nuts, iced tea mints.

Mrs. W. S. Moore made high score and received a set of cut glass iced tea glasses. Mrs. E. A. Roberts was consoled by a Pyrex baking dish.

The guest list was as follows: Mesdames S. I. Roberts, Frank Kindel, Holly Benson, Joe Cunningham, George Roberts, A. Z. Smith, McAdoo, E. A. Roberts, F. E. Wilson, Rouse, Myron Clark, Hardy, Buljac, Hudgins, Melvaine, Halley, Christian, W. A. Moore, Walls, Lang, Sikes, Claiborne, Dille, Ham Lusk, Mrs. Moore, of Roswell, Mrs. Ivy Keebler, of Kansas City, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Frank Richards.

Mrs. R. M. Thorne and daughter Agnes, and sister, Miss Fannie Wallace, returned Monday afternoon from a visit to friends and relatives in Roswell.



## Attractions at Crawford Theatre NEXT WEEK

MON.—

BILLIE BURKE IN  
"MISLEADING WIDOW"

TUES.—

"WHEN A WOMAN STRIKES"  
—ALL STAR CAST

WED.—

PAULINE FREDERICK IN  
"PEACE OF ROARING RIVER"

THUR.—

A GOLDWYN SPECIAL

FRI.—

SPECIAL—"WHEN BEARCAT  
WENT DRY"

SAT.—

DOROTHY DALTON IN  
"MARKET OF SOULS"

### LOCAL NEWS.

There will be a band concert given tonight at 8 o'clock at the band stand on the courthouse lawn. The following program will be given and every one is urged to come out and enjoy the music and encourage the band boys.

E. F. Weaver this week sold two more Overland cars, John Plowman purchasing one and Mr. Ryd, the man in charge of the drilling for the Pool Oil & Gas company, buying the other.

Miss Mary Martin, of Rockwell, Texas, a niece of Mrs. F. E. Little, arrived in the city Wednesday afternoon and will probably spend much of the summer in Carlsbad. She was accompanied by a friend, Mrs. Rinker, of Dallas, who continued on to Dexter the same night where she goes to visit a sister.

A delightful "Shirt Sleeve" dance was given at the Armory Wednesday night by the American Legion. These dances are always well attended by our young people and greatly enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Ussery, and daughters, Masie and Sue Katherine, and son, Dudley, left for California Thursday, going overland and leaving here with three or more cars and later gaining four or five more. There will be about twenty-five persons in the crowd and they have decided to camp on the way. They will be gone about a month and everyone wishes them a fine trip, but all will be glad to see them back.

Mrs. R. J. Boatman returned this week from a business visit to Kansas City where she has property interests. During her absence there Mrs. Boatman suffered from an attack of ptomaine poisoning, from which she is convalescing gradually.

Mrs. George Lucas left Tuesday for a business visit to El Paso and will go from there to Silver City to see her grandson, little Harry Patchen, who has been ill, but is better now.

J. D. Walker, formerly of this city, now living on a ranch near Encinosa, N. M., made a business trip to Carlsbad this week.

Mrs. D. G. Grantham and little daughter, Irma Linn, came in this week from a three month's visit to Chicago and Dayton, Ohio, where they visited Mrs. A. R. Seder and Mrs. Dean Smith, daughters of Mrs. Grantham.

Miss Pearl Edmondson returned yesterday afternoon from Snyder, Texas, and has already taken up her work at the central telephone exchange.

C. C. Sikes and family are occupying the Rectory on West Fox street until such time as their new house will be ready for occupancy.

H. C. Gragg will leave Saturday night for Kansas City where he goes to purchase a stock of holiday goods for his firm. He expects to return in a week's time.

### MRS. FLOWERS ENTERTAINS.

Wednesday afternoon at her pretty new home on North Halagueno street Mrs. J. F. Flowers entertained a few of her many friends. The ladies had their fancy work and with that and cheerful conversation the hours passed pleasantly away. An elaborate menu was served the guests who were Mesdames Little, Thorne, Yarbrough, Love, Lamb, Chaytor, Randolph, Linn, Sarah Crawford, Albritton, Givan, Bush, A. A. Davis, Horne; Misses Wallace and Johnston.

Pipe threading up to 4 inch 75c. per cut. Lathe work \$2.00. Acetylene Welding done right.  
WEAVER'S GARAGE.

Willis Wright, president of the New Mexico Oil Corporation, was in town the first of the week en route to his home in Los Angeles, from Chicago, where he attended the Republican national convention. Mr. Wright tells us that as soon as they can get their details settled and the stuff on the ground they will drill a deep test well on the location already selected south of Red Bluff. His company, which is composed of California capitalists, has 2,500 acres in that section.

W. W. Meeks and wife are newcomers in the city from Artesia and have taken rooms at the Metropolitan hotel until such time as they can secure a house. They will be made very welcome by our good people. Mr. Meeks is the operator at the Santa Fe depot.

Mrs. Will Lucas and two children left last night for their home in Roswell after a pleasant visit with relatives here.

Honoring her mother, Mrs. Mollie Scaife, of Sierra Blanca, Texas, who has been visiting in Carlsbad for some weeks, Mrs. L. E. Ervin entertained Wednesday afternoon. The guests were mostly old friends of Mrs. Scaife, made during her residence here some years ago and all were delighted with the opportunity of renewing their friendship with their friend of other years and a pleasant afternoon resulted. Mrs. Ervin served a salad course to her guests, Mesdames Penny, Montgomery, W. S. Moore, Patterson, Sellers, Little, Thorne, E. Purdy, Jackson, Roberts, Lang, Phil Lang, Bell, Owen, Will Purdy, Dearborne, McCollum, Hardy, Bolton, and Miss English.

William Herzog this week bought the residence he has occupied so long in the south part of town. The sale was made through the W. H. Merchant real estate agency.

L. J. Claiborne and wife will leave tonight for Goodyear, Ariz., where Mr. Claiborne will have his old position which he resigned to accept one in Carlsbad.

L. D. Poteet returned yesterday afternoon from Osage, Kansas, bringing with him a blushing bride, who was formerly Miss Rosalyn Powell. They were married Tuesday afternoon at the home of their parents in Osage. A nice reception was given the newly weds last night at the home of his brother, E. R. Poteet, where relatives and friends spent a most enjoyable evening. Mrs. Poteet will be remembered by many as a most efficient teacher of the Otis school two years ago. They will make their home north of the flume on the old Crozier place which Mr. Poteet has recently improved to receive his bride.

Frank J. Thielan, of the Joyce-Pruit company, at Roswell, spent a few days in Carlsbad this week.

**SUNDAY DINNER AT PALACE CAFE.**  
Sunday June 27th.  
MENU.  
Soup Shamrock Salad  
Fried Spring Chicken Cream Gravy  
Corn Fritters String Beans  
Creamed Potatoes  
Parker House Rolls  
Ice Cream Cake  
Iced Tea Coffee Sweet Milk  
Buttermilk  
Price 75 Cents

J. Fred Bush returned last night from a visit to his son and wife at Houston, Texas. Mr. Bush also visited at Temple while he was gone and reports everything looking mighty prosperous in that vicinity and that the cotton and corn, the principal crops in that part of the country, are fine, they having had an abundance of rain there. Mr. Bush took up his duties as express messenger this morning.

The initiatory degree will be conferred upon several candidates by Eddy Lodge No. 21, I. O. O. F., at the next regular meeting, Tuesday, June 29th. Refreshments will be served at the close of the meeting.

With morning worship at the Presbyterian church Sunday the sermon will have for its subject "A Question of Age". There will be Bible school at ten o'clock.

Charley Grammer, the goatman from southwest of town, was in the first of the week from there, and transacted business in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Matheson and Mr. and Mrs. William Foote, were in town over Sunday this week from their home in Roswell. Mrs. Foote made the visit at this time to say farewell to home-folk, and before leaving for California to make her future home. Mr. Foote will leave later for the same destination. A host of good wishes accompany this popular couple for success and prosperity in their new home.

Mrs. Callie King this week sold her home in south Carlsbad to a Mr. Wright, the property bringing \$2,800. Mrs. King will give immediate possession, having one of her tent cottages prepared for her occupancy.

Mrs. Holley Benson has for house guests, Mrs. Tucker and two children, from Tulsa, Texas, who will spend a fortnight here.

Madam Middleton and Miss Rease, left for their home near Tucson the first of the week, after a pleasant visit here and at Artesia with relatives.

J. M. Pardie returned the latter part of last week from a trip to various points in Texas.

Mrs. Will Jones, nee Anna Hong, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Hong, at Malaga, from her home at Braz, New Mexico. Mrs. Jones attended church in Carlsbad with her parents last Sunday and met many old friends here.

Pipe threading up to 4 inch 75c. per cut. Lathe work \$2.00. Acetylene Welding done right.  
WEAVER'S GARAGE.

Mayor Hudgins and Charles H. Jones were business visitors to Roswell the first of the week.

William Balz returned last night from a three week's visit to Ranger and other places in the oil region of Texas.

Willis Ford spent a few days in Carlsbad, from Roswell, this week on business.

The pastor of the Methodist church will have for his subject "The Meaning of Transfiguration" at the morning hour. At the evening hour the worship will be along the evangelistic line. Sunday school and Leagues at the usual hours. A cordial invitation to all of these services.

Acting Chief Clerk Rogers was here from El Paso yesterday giving the examination to the postal clerks whose time had expired.

The family of Green Ussery and Tom Gray and wife, left this week on a long contemplated trip to the Pacific coast, going overland. They will visit the Grand Canyon en route and various other points of interest and may be gone a month or six weeks. Mr. Gray will pilot the outfit as he is familiar with the road, having made the trip last summer.

## IRRIGATION UNDER CARLSBAD PROJECT

(By N. O. Shanks)

The chief thing that has brought Carlsbad to its present position in the agricultural world has been the government reclamation project, and last year something like a million and a half dollars was produced under this water system.

The early history of the starting of the new project:

The early development of Eddy county is due to Charles B. Eddy, Charles W. Green, and J. J. Hagerman. Mr. Eddy first appeared in the region just below Seven Rivers, in 1881. In the fall of 1887, he commenced to stake out a ditch eight miles above what is now Carlsbad. After taking it four miles down the river he met Mr. others became interested, and the country, and the latter proposed that Mr. Eddy go east and organize an irrigation company, taking the water from a point about two miles above the ditch already constructed. Within the coming year others became interested and the charter of the Pecos Irrigation and Investment Company was taken out. The capital stock of the company was \$600,000 and the irrigation system included what was later known as the Southern Canal of Eddy county and the reservoir of Lake Avalon, supplied from the Pecos river, as well as the Northern Canal in Chaves county.

In 1889 soon after the company began the construction of the Southern canal in Eddy county. J. J. Hagerman of Colorado Springs, invested \$40,000 in the enterprise, and visited Mr. Eddy at his ranch. Being much pleased with the country and impressed with its possibilities, Mr. Hagerman increased his investment as well as raised a large sum of money in the east for the extension of the irrigation system. During the same year (1889) he procured the charter of the Pecos Valley railway, with rights to build from Pecos, Texas to Roswell. Later Mr. Hagerman went to Europe and interested Geneva, Switzerland capital in the project. After investigation, these capitalists invested a half million dollars in the irrigation project.

In 1892 it was decided to construct what is now known as the McMillan reservoir, 18 miles north of Carlsbad, at a cost of \$300,000. And then began a cumulative series of misfortunes.

In August, 1893, the Lake Avalon dam was carried out by a flood, with a loss of \$500,000. The irrigation company failed in 1893. All the property of the old company of Eddy county was sold to the Pecos valley irrigation company.

As the Pecos Irrigation company could not undertake to repair it, an appeal to the reclamation Service supported by the water users resulted in an examination and survey of the property by the government engineers in order to arrive at a proper basis for its purchase. These government investigations were begun in December, 1904.

The total construction charges accrued to date amount to \$257,119.38; the total operation and maintenance charges accrued to December 31, 1919, amount to \$279,885.34. The total construction charges paid to date amount to \$247,134.55; the total operation and maintenance charges paid to date amount to \$266,645.53; the total construction charges accrued and unpaid amount to \$9,984.83; the total operation and maintenance charges accrued and unpaid amount to \$12,939.11.

The last installment of construction charge was due December 1, 1919, and the operation and maintenance charge for the calendar year 1919 did not become due until March 1, 1920. Therefore, before another year's installments become due, it is expected that the entire amount now accrued and unpaid will have been liquidated. The total construction and operation and maintenance charges paid into the Reclamation fund by the water users since October 1, 1919, amount to \$75,727.30. During a period of 13 years employment on the Carlsbad project, I can say that the payments have never equaled a like sum for the period stated; and the water users' accounts are in a most satisfactory condition. As previously stated, it is believed that the entire amount due and unpaid at this date will be settled shortly. It is also believed that every acre under the project will be under cultivation during the current calendar year, and that an excess acreage, without permanent water right, will be cultivated with water furnished on a rental basis.

The Project Today.

Following is a draft of a letter prepared by the local office:

The project was constructed under the terms of the Reclamation Extension Act, June 17, 1902, (32 Stat. 388), at a cost to the United States of \$1,385,000.

The source of water supply is the Pecos river and its tributaries; the United States has an appropriation of 300,000 acre feet per annum. The area under the project is 25,000 acres; 20,363 acres were

irrigated during the calendar year 1919. The principal crops grown are cotton and alfalfa; in 1919, cotton returns averaged \$164.22 per acre from 8,713 acres. The maximum yield was 2 3-4 bales and the average yield was .58 bale per acre. The acreage in alfalfa produced average returns of \$65.45 per acre for hay and seed on 7,031 acres. The total value of all crops grown during the calendar year 1919 amounts to \$1,988,546, or \$106.04 per acre from a total cropped acreage of 18,753 acres. A copy of the project crop yield report is enclosed, and, for your information, would advise that the figures are compiled by project employees who visit each farmer personally and ascertain the value of crops grown upon each respective farm. As the entire cotton crop had not been ginned at the time of the compilation of the attached crop yield report a portion of the crop was estimated; this estimate was 300 bales less than the actual quantity of cotton ginned as shown by reports of the four project gins. The additional 300 bales of cotton, therefore, increases the value of the total crop production to \$2,048,546.

### NOTICE. STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE.

Number of Application Santa Fe, N. M., June 15, 1920. Notice is hereby given that on the 15th day of June, 1920, in accordance with Section 26, Chapter 49, Irrigation Laws of 1907, John C. Queen, of Malaga, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made formal application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the Public Waters of the State of New Mexico.

Such appropriation is to be made from Black River and includes all unappropriated water, flood water and the entire winter flow at a point which bears N. 31 degrees 46 minutes W. 2592 feet distant from the SW corner of Section 12, T. 24 S. of R. 27 E. by means of Masonry dam and concrete headgate with steel shutter and 5719.2 acre ft. direct diversion and 1780 acre feet by storage to be conveyed to lands in Secs. 23, 24, 25 and 26, T. 24 S., R. 28 E., N. M. P. M. and to Willow Lake Reservoir for storage located in Sec. 27, T. 24 S., of R. 28 E., N. M. P. M. by means of main canal and laterals and there used for the irrigation of 400 acres and additional lands to be acquired and for domestic purposes.

Any person, firm, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application would be truly detrimental to their rights in the water of said stream system shall file a complete statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and serve a copy on applicant on or before the 13th day of September, 1920, the date set for the Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested. In case of protested applications all parties will be given a reasonable length of time in which to submit their evidence in detail or arrange a date convenient for a hearing or appoint a referee satisfactory to all to take testimony. Appearance is not necessary unless advised officially by letter from the State Engineer.

L. A. GILLET, State Engineer.  
25Jun-16Jul

**DIED.**  
After months of intense suffering, from a complication of ailments, Bessie, the young daughter of Mrs. Stella Miller, passed away last Saturday and the wasted body was laid to rest in the bosom of Mother Earth Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Bessie's nineteen years were years of suffering and pain, but through all these years she was tenderly cared for by her mother, whose love and watchfulness never failed but accompanied the afflicted one even down to the valley of the shadow of death. A touching funeral service was held prior to the interment by Rev. H. W. Lowry, who had visited the sick girl for many months. The neighbors and towns people generally were kind and thoughtful toward the little mother who deeply appreciates their kindness.

Edwin Stephenson is at the Sisters Hospital this week, having been operated on Tuesday morning for hernia.

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### LOCAL NEWS

Judge J. W. Armstrong left Monday for Midland, Texas, on a business trip.

Will Woerner, of Knowles, was in town the latter part of last week, on one of his very infrequent visits.

Mrs. George Roberts left for her home at Clovis, the latter part of last week, after spending a fortnight here, the guest of friends and relatives. Mrs. Roberts endeavored herself to all Carlsbad by her work among children during her residence here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Barr left this week Tuesday, for Abilene, to visit their daughter, Mrs. Clarence Hutchings, and her family.

Attorney and Mrs. C. J. Neis, of Roswell, after spending several days in town the latter part of last week, left for their home Friday.

W. J. Millsap, of Sweetwater, Texas, was with the Ed Ramsey family in the city the first part of the week, and true to the instincts of a printer, visited this office. The entire party is delighted with the town, and talks of investing in property here.

Our old friend, John R. Means, of Hope, was in town Saturday last. Accompanying him was "Billy" Whitaker, and the two men were here on important tax business, and after transacting the same, they left for their homes.

Harris Garrett and family, of Lovington, came in Monday noon, for a visit at the home of their relatives, Bert Rawlins, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jernigan, of Lulu, New Mexico, were in town over Sunday, coming on a business mission and remaining until Tuesday when they left for their home, going for a visit to relatives at Hope en route.

Robert N. Hambien, the popular clerk in the grocery store of Joyce Fruit has been quite ill for the last couple of weeks, but we are glad to announce, is much improved at this time, and will soon be about his work, as genial and pleasant as ever.

From a high Republican authority, The Washington Post, the following confession of the complete failure of the present Republican Congress is taken: "If adjournment is taken in June, the Republican party will have to go into the presidential campaign confronted by the necessity of dodging or apologizing for the sorriest record ever made by any Congress in recent years."

Miss Marguerite Roberts left Tuesday night for California, for a visit with relatives and friends in Los Angeles and other cities on the coast.

**THANKS.**  
Due to the impossibility of us reaching each one personally we are taking this means of publicly thanking every one who in any way assisted in making the recent dinner and dance for benefit of the hospital such a great success.

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## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By REV. F. A. FITZWATER, D. D.,  
Teacher of English Bible in the Moody  
Bible Institute of Chicago.)  
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### LESSON FOR JUNE 27

REVIEW: THE NOBLE LIFE OF  
SAMUEL.

SELECTION FOR READING—1 Sam.  
12:1-5, 15-23.  
GOLDEN TEXT—1 will teach you the  
good and the right way—1 Sam. 12:23.

ADDITIONAL MATERIAL—1 Sam. 13:  
15-23.  
PRIMARY TOPIC—Stories About Sam-  
uel.

JUNIOR TOPIC—A Boy Who Became a  
Great Man.  
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC  
—Strong Points in Samuel's Character.  
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC  
—Samuel's Service to His People.

The method of review must largely be determined by the teacher and the grade of the class. For the junior and intermediate grades a good way will be to make it biographical, centering in Gideon, Eli, Samuel, Eli's sons, Saul and David. Of course, the outstanding personality is Samuel.

For the older classes the following from Peloubet's Select Notes is an interesting and profitable method:

"This review, suited to older classes only, will deal with difficult questions involved in or suggested by the various lessons of the quarter, questions that you may not have had time to discuss adequately during the quarter. Assign one of these to each student, and divide the time evenly among them. The following list of topics may prove helpful, but it is intended to be only suggestive:

Lesson I. How to put religion into our state and national government.

Lesson II. How to utilize better than we are doing the power of women.

Lesson III. How to bring together and use the righteous and brave minority.

Lesson IV. How to single out and help the deserving poor.

Lesson V. How to develop the religious capacities of children.

Lesson VI. How to open the eyes of parents to their children's faults.

Lesson VII. How to bring to bear upon public questions the decisive power of prayer.

Lesson VIII. How to select the best leaders in church and state.

Lesson IX. How to develop individual initiative without the loss of discipline.

Lesson X. How godly men may influence the progress of affairs.

Lesson XI. How to inspire children with lofty ideals.

Lesson XII. How to make our lives serene and trustful.

A plan which can be adapted to all grades is the gathering of the main facts of each lesson and then stating its leading lesson.

The following are suggestions as to the leading lessons:

Lesson for April 4. As Jesus joined the disciples on the way to Emmaus, so he joins all who are journeying life's way in sorrow and says, "Tell me your troubles and perplexities." He wants us to confide in him.

Lesson for April 11. Deborah's judgeship shows that a woman is capable under God not only of the administration of justice, but of leading a nation forth to victory in time of war.

Lesson for April 18. The secret of Gideon's victory was his faith. The ground of his faith was God's word.

Lesson for April 25. Because Ruth forsook country, friends, and her gods for the true God, she has been accorded a place of honor in the ancestry of Christ.

Lesson for May 2. Because Samuel was given in answer to a mother's prayer and was dedicated by her to the Lord's service, the Lord was able to use him in a large way.

Lesson for May 9. Parental indulgence results in the shame and ruin of both Eli and his sons.

Lesson for May 16. When God's people repent of their sins and turn to him for pardon he will not only forgive, but will fight their battles and give victory.

Lesson for May 23. When the people took their eyes off God, their King, they desired a man as king in conformity to the practice of the heathen round about.

Lesson for May 30. Because Jonathan felt the call of God to deliver his people and waited for God's sign for him, he was able to go forward and win a victory in such a way as to show that God was with him.

Lesson for June 6. Because Saul disobeyed the command of God, judgment from the hand of God fell upon him.

Lesson for June 13. God looketh not on the outward appearance, but on the heart; his choices are not arbitrary.

Lesson for June 20. "The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want."

**The Supreme Beauty.**  
Mark well also the splendor of this idea of salvation. It is not merely final "safety," to be forgiven sin, to evade the curse. It is not, vaguely, "to get to heaven." It is to be conformed to the image of the Son. It is for these pure elements to attain to the supreme beauty.

**Seeing and Judging.**  
Human nature is so constituted that all see, and judge better, in the affairs of other men, than in their own.—Terence.

### BURBANK WHEAT

Burbank, the plant wizard of Santa Rosa, Cal., devoted his life to the improvement of grain, fruit plants, in other words he lived that others might enjoy the good things of this life more abundantly. Of course we all do this more or less, according to our degree of interest or enthusiasm. That is one of the faces of nature that a good many people fail to realize, that we must all live as well as die, that others may live.

Among other things Burbank developed a beardless winter wheat that is guaranteed under favorable conditions to yield 100 pounds for every pound that is planted, of course there are many who endeavor to show their wisdom by distrust of the claims of others. It is a bump of caution provided by nature and is not original with any of the knockers in the Pecos Valley or anywhere else. Knockers are born every minute, and there was only one Burbank in the world.

It is no evidence of wisdom to knock on anything, in fact, quite to the contrary, but if you want to boost come on to Woodlawn Farm on Cotton Wood and see five acres of Burbank winter wheat all in bloom.

Mr. Lincoln of oil fame stood in this wheat, and it was up to his neck. There is no particular skill claimed in the planting or cultivation of this wheat on Woodlawn Farm. It was disked in the simplest manner and broadcasted by the writer, on sweet clover sod that had raised a crop of corn. The sweet clover is as high as the wheat, and it is believed to have considerable influence in fertilizing the wheat. There is a fine crop of oats that was disked in on sweet clover sod, also and ten acres of barley that farmers tell me is the best they ever saw. One thing is certain that it will pay anyone who is interested in boosting the Pecos Valley to come out and see this grain, and if you don't take off your hat to this exhibition, I'll take my hat off to you.—J. F. Donald.

### METHODIST TRAINING SCHOOL CLOSES

The training school and preacher's summer assembly of the New Mexico conference came to a close Tuesday evening of last week. It was regarded by all present a big success. The school and assembly was well attended. All the presiding elders and 30 other ministers of the conference were present. Large crowds gathered for the lectures. More than 100 took special training. At the last service, 53 were presented with certificates of credit, which shows that fine interest was taken in the class work.

Bishop DuBose, of Berkeley, Cal., Dr. Holt of St. Louis, Professor Harris of Emory university, Dr. Moenore, of Dallas, Mrs. Nance of San Antonio, Mrs. Ray of Fort Worth, and Miss White of Houston, were here as instructors and lecturers.—El Paso Times.

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Never mind about the style, if the story's worth the while, it may help to cause a smile, send it in."—Telephone News.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Miller left on the morning train Tuesday for Big Springs, Texas, where they expect to make their home.

### SELLING OIL FROM THE ARTESIA FIELD

Mr. Gilbert, of the firm of Gilbert & Collins, the other day gave us the information that their firm had made a sale of the oil from the Brown well, and also the Belt well to the Acme Plaster Co., who operate a plant between here and Carlsbad. The company takes the oil as it comes from the ground and uses it to burn the clay used in their plaster. These wells are capable of producing several barrels of oil daily. In fact the Belt well one summer furnished 30 barrels a day for a long time. It can do the same thing now. The Belt well runs a continuous stream of oil. These wells are but a few miles south of town and were made for artesian wells. No doubt several more shallow wells could be made in that immediate neighborhood some of these days there will put down more wells in the vicinity and a refinery will loom up on the landscape. We wish we had a well on our back lot, and it was producing 30 barrels a day. If we had we would get out of the newspaper business and well oil.—Artesia Advocate.

Ed Ramsay of Sweetwater, Texas, was in town the first of the week, en route to the northern part of the state, where he is planning to spend his vacation. The gentleman is a great booster for his home town and a very pleasant and agreeable man to meet.

### NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on June 7th, 1920, the Board of County Commissioners of Eddy County, New Mexico, made the following changes in the numbers of the Precincts of Eddy County:

Loving Precinct changed from No. 11 to No. 5.

Otis Precinct changed from No. 14 to No. 9.

Cottonwood Precinct changed from No. 16 to No. 10.

The following are the permanent Precinct Numbers:

Carlsbad Precinct No. 1.

Malaga, Precinct No. 2.

Hope, Precinct No. 3.

Lakewood, Precinct No. 4.

Loving, Precinct No. 5.

Artesia, Precinct No. 6.

Dayton, Precinct No. 7.

Queen, Precinct No. 8.

Otis, Precinct No. 9.

Cottonwood, Precinct No. 10.

D. M. JACKSON,  
County Clerk.

12 June 21



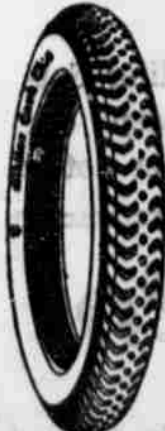
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You and each of you are hereby notified that a suit is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, numbered 3216 on the Civil Docket thereof, wherein C. W. Beaman is plaintiff and you and each of you are named as defendants; that the general objects of said suit are to establish the plaintiff's estate against you and each of you who are alleged to make some claim adverse to the estate of plaintiff in and to the following land and real estate situated in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

Tract 583 being NW SW NE Section 34, Twp. 23 S. R. 28 E. N. M. P. M.

Tract 586 being E 1/4 NW SE NE Section 34, Twp. 23 S. R. 28 E. N. M. P. M.

Tract 587 being W 1/4 NE SE NE Section 34, Twp. 23 S. R. 28 E. N. M. P. M.

Tract 588 being E 1/4 NE SE NE Section 34, Twp. 23 S. R. 28 E. N. M. P. M.

Tract 589 being E 1/4 NE SE NE Section 34, Twp. 23 S. R. 28 E. N. M. P. M.

Tract 590 being E 1/4 NE SE NE Section 34, Twp. 23 S. R. 28 E. N. M. P. M.

Tract 591 being E 1/4 NE SE NE Section 34, Twp. 23 S. R. 28 E. N. M. P. M.

Tract 592 being E 1/4 NE SE NE Section 34, Twp. 23 S. R. 28 E. N. M. P. M.

Tract 593 being E 1/4 NE SE NE Section 34, Twp. 23 S. R. 28 E. N. M. P. M.

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Tract 596 being E 1/4 NE SE NE Section 34, Twp. 23 S. R. 28 E. N. M. P. M.

Tract 597 being E 1/4 NE SE NE Section 34, Twp. 23 S. R. 28 E. N. M. P. M.

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## Five Minute Chats on Our Presidents

By JAMES MORGAN

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GEORGE WASHINGTON

1732—(Feb. 22) Born near Fredericksburg, Va.

1753—First expedition to the West.

1754—Second expedition.

1755—On staff of Gen. Braddock.

1759—Married Martha Custis.

WASHINGTON was made of the same clay as most Americans who have won high leadership and, like them, he cut his teeth on the crust of poverty. Only four or five of our presidents came from poorer homes than our first president and he had less schooling than four-fifths of his successors. He was, in fact, the only president in the first forty years who was without a college education. Not starting to school until eight, he had to leave at fourteen to go to work. Thenceforth until the Revolution the woods and fields were his only schoolroom and life his only schoolmaster. We never can truly understand this man if we start with the mistaken idea that he was the product of wealth and aristocracy. His people really were only a plain, though always highly respectable family, living on the outskirts of the cavalier castle which set up its manors in the James river region. George's own father, who at



Washington's Earliest Portrait.

one time had been a sailing captain in the trade with the mother country, left his wife and children at his death five thousand acres of land, more or less unproductive; twenty-two slaves, a slender purse and a lean ladder.

While at Mt. Vernon, which his old brother, Lawrence, had inherited, he learned the simple rudiments of surveying, and Lord Fairfax, who lived nearby, employed him to survey a vast estate in the Valley of Virginia.

In his young manhood Washington found his "inclinations strongly bent to arms." To softer arms than those of Mars the young militarist also was inclined.

Frying posterity finds him at sixteen pining for a mysterious "lowland beauty," who would not have the penniless surveyor. He received also by his own confession a "cruel sentence" from a "Miss Betsy," and afterward was rejected by Miss Phillips of New York. At last the oft-disappointed wooer came to the White House on the Pamunkey, and once more he lost his heart. The mistress of the manor, Mrs. Martha Dandridge Custis, was wise enough to keep it, being a widow of seven years, the mother of two fatherless children, the owner of large estates.

When flying embers from the war fields of Europe ignited the savage forests of the New World, Washington was a militia major, and he was dispatched on a mission to the Ohio, a perilous journey of ten weeks through a wintry desolation. The next year he went again with a band of soldiers, for now the Seven Years' war had spread to America. His campaign was hardly a glorious failure, but he reported that he liked to hear the bullets whistle.

Now General Braddock came to scorn the colonial breed while he showed them how British regulars fought in proper, soldierly formation. The undrilled red children of the forest stubbornly refusing to fight on the European plan, Braddock fell amid his panic-stricken troops on the Monongahela. At the head of his grave in the wilderness the prayers for the dead were read by Colonel Washington.

Although Washington had won no battles, he had made a most important conquest. When the Seven Years' war came he was still an Englishman, and to him an island three thousand miles away still was home. In his contact with British officers he was shocked to find them aliens to him and his New World and himself only a colonial in their eyes. With native condescension they undertook to teach him his place, but with native independence he objected.

By the time the Seven Years' war was over the colonial colonel no longer was an Englishman. That illusion was gone and had left Washington an American.

## FLEES FROM TERRORS OF RUSSIAN REDS

American Woman Says Russia Has Been Nightmare for Two Years.

After two years of hardship and adventure in Soviet Russia, Miss Elizabeth Holliger of Syracuse, N. Y., has made good her escape through the south Russian zone of hostilities and reached safety at the American Red Cross refuge. She is one of the thousands of refugees who are now crowding the shores of the Black sea, seeking an exit through "Russia's Back Door."

Miss Holliger, who has resided for the past 20 years in Russia, was living at Kiev when the town was occupied by the troops of the soviet army. Fearing violence she left her home and hid for days in the local cemetery, visiting by night the dwelling of some humble friend who secretly provided her with food. Eventually her hiding place was discovered and she was arrested. On account of her nationality, she was immediately released and allowed to return unmolested to her home, but forbidden to leave the region.

"Conditions soon became unbearable at Kiev," says Miss Holliger, "so I escaped at the first opportunity. Traveling on foot and suffering greatly from fatigue, cold and hunger, I managed to evade arrest and reach Ekatarinodar. From Ekatarinodar I walked to Novorossisk."

At Novorossisk Miss Holliger arrived in a state of complete exhaustion, numbed with cold and half starved. She has now almost recovered from her trying experience and is temporarily employed here as a Russian interpreter. She plans shortly to return to her home in Syracuse.

"Russia, during the past two years," she says, "has been a terrible nightmare. I never want to see it again. All I desire is to efface forever from my memory the events of the last 24 months."

## BIG CITY HAS A HEART

Chicago Paused Until a Pigeon Was Extricated From a Wire.

Even the great city of Chicago, that drives its men and horses pitilessly to death, has a heart for helpless, suffering things. Men are shot down by thugs or run over by reckless motor-car drivers, and the crowd hastens by—it is the business of the police and the coroner.

A poor, begrimed, sooty mother pigeon, tremendously busy with her spring house-building plans, caught one of her feet in an electric wire under the dizzy cornice of a six-story building. There she hung and flutted in a vain effort to free herself. The commotion attracted the attention of thousands—among them hundreds of humans who are also homeless.

The pigeon struggled desperately and finally, exhausted, hung limply by one leg. Her mate was making heroic efforts to save her. He would fly against her body with full force, but could not release her, although his final effort carried her body to the top of the cornice so that she rested easier.

Meanwhile, word had been carried to a hook and ladder company, which came clattering to the spot, but a passing workman, just a plain American, who refused to give his name, rescued the suffering bird at the extreme risk of his own life. Crawling up a crazy fire escape, he edged his way along the cornice, clinging to the wall with one hand, he tenderly freed the bird and held her until her strength came back. Then he tossed her to the roof of the building and she flew away, while the dense crowds below roared their approval.

## BAN ON LATE DANCES

Pasadena Won't Permit Music After Ten o'Clock in the Evening.

Tourist devotees of terpsichore or shimmying jazz music addicts will have to seek other diversion in Pasadena, Cal.

A drastic ordinance forbidding dancing or the playing of dance music between the hours of 10 p. m. and 8 a. m., recently adopted by the city commission, has just become effective in Pasadena, one of the country's most popular tourist centers.

## Drove Newlyweds to Barn.

Because of the scarcity of houses, Mr. and Mrs. James L. Ming, newlyweds, who went from Texas to Beloit, Wis., were forced to take up quarters in a tumbledown barn.

## Pie Without "Kick" Loses Favor.

The prohibition law preventing the use of whisky or brandy in the making of mince pies has caused this former popular delicacy to fall into disfavor, proprietors of Chicago hotels report.

## Germany Delivers Seed to France.

Sufficient oats and barley to sow the entire devastated region in France have been delivered to that country by Germany, in accordance with the reparation clauses of the peace treaty.

## Woman Died After Four-Month Sleep.

Death came to Mrs. Charles Erickson, fifty-five years old, of Clarendon, Pa., a few days ago, after she had been asleep for four months.

## Remarkable Contrast in Revenues.

Government revenues since September, 1917, aggregate \$11,481,100,000, almost equaling those for the 55 years preceding, which were \$11,582,000,000.

## NOTICE OF SUMMONS AND PENDING SUIT.

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO,

To:

Washington L. Riggs, Minus C. King, Minus C. King, Charles H. Bartlett, Ella Bartlett, Estela Bartlett, Lloyd Jones, Jack Bass, Abner T. Young, Henry D. Colby, Joseph E. Truitt, Nannie J. Truitt, G. C. Morgan, Jr., Samuel S. Scott, Trustee, W. W. Hutto, Trustee, D. Black, Trustee, R. O. McGee, Trustee, Geo. Walsstead, W. W. Harness, T. S. Rucker, L. A. Sydnor, Sarah A. Smith, Mrs. Eva J. Phillips, The Pelphrey Land Company, The International Banking and Trust Company, Trustee, The New Mexico Beet Sugar Land Company, The Pecos Irrigation and Improvement Company, The Malaga Land and Improvement Company, Unknown Heirs of Pleasant Smith, deceased, Unknown Cestui Que Trusts claiming through W. W. Hutto, D. Black and R. O. McGee, Trustees, under deed from The Malaga Land and Improvement Company, a corporation and Unknown Claimants of Interest in the herein described premises, adverse to the plaintiff.

You and each of you are hereby notified that a suit is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, numbered 3218 on the Civil Docket thereof, wherein C. W. Beaman is plaintiff and you and each of you are named as defendants; that the general objects of said suit are to establish the plaintiff's estate against you and each of you who are alleged to make some claim adverse to the estate of plaintiff in and to the following land and real estate situated in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

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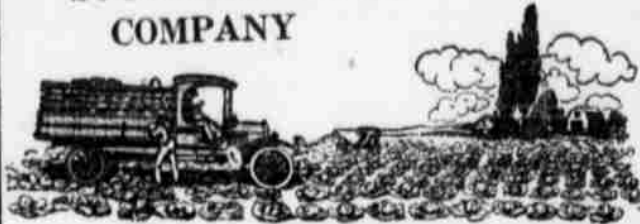
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## GERMANS 'LEARN' OF EVIL DEEDS

Say French Tried to Sow Discord  
in Palatinate.

### PUBLISH CONFISCATED BOOK

Alleged to Have Been Written by  
French Officer on Staff of General  
Geraud, and All but One Copy De-  
stroyed by Government Order—Say  
Officer Was Court-Martialed for  
Making the "Disclosures."

From a Frenchman the Germans  
now claim to have obtained undeni-  
able proof of France's persistent efforts  
to alter parts of Germany for its own  
benefit.

Shortly after General Geraud re-  
moved from the command of the  
Eighth French army an officer of his  
staff, Commandant Paul Jacquot, wrote  
a book describing the general  
activities during the eleven months  
they occupied the area. According to  
German sources, the French govern-  
ment immediately ordered all copies of  
this book confiscated and destroyed,  
but a single copy escaped. This fell  
into German hands and is now repub-  
lished.

The German author, in an introduc-  
tion, asserts that Jacquot was or-  
dered court-martialed for his "disclos-  
ures."

#### The German Translation.

The German text is a frank declara-  
tion and defense of the Geraud pol-  
icy of attempting to win the sympathy  
of the people of the Palatinate and  
encourage them to create a state in-  
dependent of Prussia.

For the purpose, the book declares,  
he used all available means of propa-  
ganda—free ceassions to the French,  
lectures on the history of the Palati-  
nate, showing it was once French  
territory, with movies, literature, and  
exhibitions.

Jacquot wrote that several village  
and district delegations assured Ge-  
raud that they favored annexation to  
France.

#### Was Tactful.

"But, although the general sym-  
pathized with their desires," continues  
the author, "he was not satisfied to  
let the matter rest with so narrow a  
circle, especially as it did not repre-  
sent the general feeling of the people.  
He told these delegates that they  
would better renounce their personal  
interests and support a definite policy  
in harmony with the temper, character,  
and history of their country—namely,  
the idea of an autonomous republic  
separated from Bavaria and Prussia."

Jacquot declared the Palatinate  
was so much like Alsace-Lorraine that  
it couldn't be considered German.

### PROFANITY NO PROOF

Its Use Is Not an Evidence of Intoxi-  
cation Is Ruled.

A ruling that profanity does not  
prove a man intoxicated was made by  
Judge Thompson in federal court at  
Philadelphia when Robert Fergusson,  
skipper of the steamship Boykin, was  
arraigned on charges of jeopardizing  
the ship and the crew by drinking too  
much cognac.

Fergusson is a salt of the old two-  
fisted, eloquent days, according to the  
description of him given by First Mate  
George C. Fretwell. The ruling was  
made when United States District At-  
torney Kane asked Fretwell to repeat  
some of the skipper's cuss words "to  
support the charge that he was drunk."

"The kind of language a man uses  
doesn't prove that he is drunk," said  
Judge Thompson. "A sober man might  
use the most profane language, but  
you can't prove by words that he is  
or was drunk."

### TESTED SNAKE'S VENOM

Expert Allowed Poison to Penetrate  
System for Use as Antitoxin.

As a result of allowing the venom of  
one of India's most poisonous snakes  
to enter her system so she might test  
an antitoxin she had compounded,  
Mme. Phisalix, Europe's most famous  
living expert on serpent venom, is hover-  
ing between life and death in Paris.

When bitten by the snake, which  
she was handling, Mme. Phisalix could  
not resist the temptation to test her  
antitoxin and let the poison course  
through her body without taking meas-  
ures to counteract it. Some of Eu-  
rope's greatest doctors are battling to  
save her.

#### High Cost Led to Double Killing.

Flying into a rage when his wife  
pleaded for an increased allowance  
because of the high cost of living, Dr.  
C. Nary, dentist, fifty-four years old,  
of Louisville, Ky., slashed her throat  
with a paring knife and then killed  
himself.

#### Keep Greenbacks in Neckties.

Neckties are worn by virtually all of  
the woodmen who are now drifting  
into Virginia, Minn., as the lumber-  
jacks have taken to keeping their win-  
ter "stakes" pinned in the neckpieces  
instead of stuffed into their woolen  
socks.

#### Maid Threw Diamond Earrings in Fire.

The maid in clearing the table at  
the home of Mrs. Patrick Martin at  
Gosbes, N. Y., brushed up a pair of  
diamond earrings, valued at \$300, with  
the crumbs and threw them into the  
kitchen stove.

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(VOICE) THIS IS MR. BLANK.  
I HAVE A NEWS ITEM FOR  
THE PAPER. "MR. WHOZZIS,  
WHO LIVES TEN MILES FROM  
HERE AND HAS ALWAYS  
TRADED IN ANOTHER TOWN,  
WAS IN OUR CITY TODAY AND  
PURCHASED A \$100 BILL OF  
GOODS AT BLANK'S STORE,  
AND WAS SO WELL PLEASED  
THAT HE ANNOUNCED HIS  
INTENTION OF TRADING IN  
THIS CITY HEREFTER SO HE  
CAN AVAIL HIMSELF OF THE  
HIGH GRADE GOODS AND FINE  
VALUES AT BLANK'S." NO  
CHARGE, I SUPPOSE, FOR  
NEWS ITEMS



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Come to  
Us

Steve Edins is in from the ML  
ranch, coming in yesterday, and  
will likely remain for a few days  
transacting business.

County School Superintendent G.  
M. Brinton, writes from Silver City  
where he is engaged as one of the  
instructors at the State Normal,  
that with the single exception of  
Grant county, Eddy county has  
the largest enrollment at the  
school of any county in the state.  
Thirty-nine teachers are regis-  
tered there from Eddy county.

Miss Kernodle returned the mid-  
dle of the week from a hurried  
trip to California looking after the  
shipment of her furniture from  
Pasadena to Carlsbad.

Mrs. J. Fred Bush and daugh-  
ter, Miss Anna will leave Monday  
for a month or six weeks' visit  
with friends in the "show me"  
state.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McKim are  
expected home from their honey-  
moon trip to Santa Fe and sur-  
rounding country about the first  
of the week, and will be at home  
to their many friends after the  
first of next month.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Linn are  
preparing for a trip to their old  
home in Ohio and from there to  
go on to Washington, D. C., and  
also will visit relatives in New  
York, expecting to be gone from  
home about two months, leaving  
July 1st.

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### OTIS NEWS.

Mrs. W. B. Wilson is visiting at  
the home of her daughter Mrs. W.  
W. Galton.

Allen Tipton left Saturday night  
on a business trip north.

Mrs. Helen Cook is the proud  
owner of a bull terrier pig pur-  
chased from E. R. Lang.

Mrs. Carl Smith is expecting  
her mother and two sisters from  
Kansas City to make her a visit.  
It is the first visit of these ladies  
to the valley and we hope it may  
be a pleasant one.

J. D. McClelland returned Fri-  
day from a business trip south.

Mrs. Gene Roberts and baby  
spent the week end with Mrs. C.  
C. Lewis.

Friends and relatives are sorry  
to hear of the bad health of  
Grandpa Poteet. They are anx-  
ious about him. He is now living  
in California.

Grandma Marty, Ray and Dell  
Poteet's grandmother, passed away  
about six weeks ago at the home  
of her daughter, Grandma Poteet  
in California.

Farmers are having a very hard  
time getting their hay up on ac-  
count of so much rain. A shower  
most every day or night. There  
is also a car shortage—only two  
or three where a dozen are need-  
ed.

Mrs. W. A. Craig entertained at  
her home this morning a few of  
her friends at what, the prize for  
high score going to Mrs. L. E. Er-  
vin and was a brass candlestick;  
the guest prize was given Mrs.  
Tucker, of Tulla, Texas; a set of  
beauty pins. Delicious refresh-  
ments of cake, ice cream and iced  
tea were served the guests, they  
being Mesdames Christian, Holley,  
Benson, Tucker, of Tulla, Texas,  
Ervin, McAdoo, Kindel, Sikes,  
Rowe, Cunningham, Dille, Wells,  
Jackson, A. Z. Smith; Misses Mary  
Lee Newton and Grace Cooke.

Walter Glover came in from his  
ranch last Friday and after a short  
stay in town was accompanied  
home by Miss Edrie Miller, who  
will spend part of her vacation at  
the Glover ranch.