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The Carlshad Current

TWENTY-EIGHTH YEAR.

CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO. FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1920.

NUMBER 49.

COX PREDICTS A DEMOCRATIC VICTORY TUESDAY

Last Tuesday, just one week before election day, Governor James M. Cox, candidate for president of the United States on the democratic ticket, sent a telegram to County Chairman E. D. Stennis, Jr., of this city, in which he predicts a democratic victory at the polls as state after state is swinging in line for the democratic candidate.

The telegram is as follows: "Cincinnati, Ohio, Oct. 26, 1920. E. D. Stennis, Jr., Carlshad, N. M. "Reports from national headquarters today add New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and New Hampshire as eastern states we shall carry. This means the great landslide has struck the east and will result in a wonderful victory which is now in sight."

"I ask and will appreciate your unceasing efforts from now until election day and your unfailing vigilance at the polls."

"JAMES M. COX."

Ever since the campaign for president opened Governor Cox has been gaining ground and the events of the last few days has resulted in wonderful gains to the democratic fold.

It is gratifying to see how the county democratic central committee is working for the party this election. Local speakers have been busy speaking each night this week in different parts of the county arousing an interest among the people which will insure a large vote being cast in this county.

The voters of Eddy county are especially urged to come to the polls and vote. Eastern New Mexico has not in the past turned in as large a vote in the general election as it should, but this time there are vital questions at stake which will effect the future of the nation and every one should be willing to perform a plain duty and come to the polls and vote on Tuesday, November 2nd.

OPENED LETTER OF ANOTHER MAN; GETS 18 MONTHS.

Columbus, N. M., Oct. 27.—William Coleman, who received a letter addressed to "William Coleman," cashed a \$100 liberty bond that it contained and "saw Juarez like a gentleman" in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth.

For the facts were that there were two William Colemans in Columbus and that the one who received the letter was not the one for whom it was intended. Coleman acknowledged the charges before the federal court at Santa Fe and is paying at the rate of about \$5.50 a month.

PECANS SUCCESSFULLY GROWN IN PECOS VALLEY.

Dr. Munger is very much of a horticulturist and much interested in the growth of nut trees in this part of the valley. He has demonstrated that certain kinds of pecans may be successfully grown in this part of the state, he having a nut bearing tree in his yard in the rear of his office on Canal street. A tree budded by the doctor on the lawn of the N. T. Dougherty home on West Fox street this city, has made a wonderful growth this season. Apart from its value as a nut-bearing tree, the pecan tree is a beautiful specimen. Dr. Munger has made a study of this kind of a tree and is preparing to send an order for winter shipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Duran from West Texas, came in from there last Wednesday and will remain in town provided they find conditions to their liking.

CHAVES COUNTY TREASURER IS SHORT, CLAIMS

AUDITOR WHITTIER FILES COMPLAINT CHARGING TREASURER BEN C. DAVISON. SON WITH EMBEZZLING \$30,000.

Rowell, N. M., Oct. 26.—A criminal complaint was filed this afternoon against Ben C. Davison, county treasurer, charging embezzlement of \$30,000 of public funds. The complaint was filed by A. G. Whittier, state traveling auditor, who has been here for several days checking the books of the treasurer. In his report to the county commissioners, Mr. Whittier states that the treasurer is short \$51,886.42.

Following the proceedings Mr. Davison issued a statement denying that any shortage exists in the treasurer's office.

It has been known for several days that the auditor's report would show a shortage in the office, but it was not until late yesterday that the report was made to the commissioners by the auditor, setting forth that the records showed Mr. Davison short in his accounts \$51,886.42.

The commissioners this afternoon asked for Mr. Davison's resignation, following the filing of the criminal complaint. Under the New Mexico law any ouster proceedings must be brought by the district attorney, unless the grand jury is to meet within a period of 20 days.

Since the grand jury has been called for November 1, ouster proceedings have not been filed, the request for the resignation being the only steps taken in that direction.

Mr. Davison's second term as county treasurer will expire December 31. Prior to his election to the office four years ago he was a deputy in the office which was held by his brother, George Davison, for the previous four years. The present deputy, W. W. Ogil, is the democratic candidate for the office at the November election.

The report of the auditor to the commissioners does not go into detail as to the condition of the treasurer's books. A surety company bond protects the county against any possible loss.

OIL CAN SPOOT CUTS CHILD'S LEG TO BONE.

Miss Viola La Vette met with a serious accident last Tuesday while trying to reach a bunch of grapes in the grape arbor at her home. Losing her balance, she fell and struck on an oil can, which filled with oil, was standing under the arbor. The spout of the can penetrated the child's leg the full length, grazing the bone, and a physician had to be called in to sew up the cut.

She is getting along all right now and will soon be around again, barring complications. Viola has not been absent from school a day for over two years and is inconsolable on that account.

Voters in Eddy county are especially urged to come out to the polls and cast a large vote next Tuesday, November 2. It is to be remembered that a home man, Hon. Robt. C. Dow, is a candidate for the office of attorney general on the democratic ticket and he deserves and should gladly receive the hearty support of all citizens of this county. Even prominent republicans in this city have expressed their intention of casting a vote for Mr. Dow. He has ably filled the office of district attorney of this county and if elected will make a good attorney general for the state. Cast your vote for a home man!

AUTUMN

SEASON hales of the year!
How the zesty atmosphere Nettles blood and brain and smites
Into life the old delights
We have tasted in our youth,
And our graver years, forsooth!
How again the boyish heart
Leaps to see the chipmunk start
From the brush and sleek the sun's
Very beauty as he runs!
How again a subtle hint
Of crushed pennyroyal or mint,
Sends us to our knees, as when
We were truant boys of ten—
Brown marauders of the wood,
Merrier than Robin Hood!

JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY

OFFICERS DISCOVER "TOMB" OF ALLEGED MURDERER EMPT.

Sheriff of Socorro County is Hunting for B. J. Cochran.

Sheriff Elfrigo Baca of Socorro county, New Mexico, is looking for B. J. Cochran, who "died" and was "buried" in a grave at Aspermont, Texas, while at liberty on a \$10,000 bond, after having been indicted in connection with the slaying of Bruce Cooper and James Cooper, brothers and ranchmen in Socorro county. Agents employed by insurance companies which paid the "widow" and four children of Cochran \$10,000 insurance money are also said to be looking for Cochran.

Coopers Killed Two Years Ago.—The Cooper brothers were killed about two years ago. Officers who arrested Cochran say he admitted slaying them in self-defense. Cochran was indicted, then released on \$10,000 bond. He even obtained permission from the court to leave the state of New Mexico when he declared that his wife had died in Texas and he wished to care for his four children.

Cochran then went to his own ranch near Aspermont in Texas, where the wife whom he had told the New Mexico officers was dead, seemed to be very much alive. At any rate she shortly announced that Cochran was dead. An influenza epidemic was raging, many homes in the little village were stricken and there were but few at the Cochran "funeral."

Cochran's "Remains" in Coffin.—Later several reliable witnesses told of having seen Cochran stark in a shroud, but each for only a few minutes at a time. However, the casket was not opened at the grave, nor during the brief funeral services.

Recently, disquieting rumors reached the ears of a grand jury in session at Aspermont, which ordered the Cochran grave opened. The coffin box was found but there was no body in it, the officers say, hence the search for the missing "corpse," and the offer of a reward by the state of New Mexico for the apprehension of Cochran.

Two farmers have been arrested near Aspermont on a charge of conspiracy to obtain insurance money by fraud, but they protest they prepared a body which they believed to be that of Cochran for burial.

CAR OVERTURNED WITH FAMILY; COLLAR BONE BROKEN.

The family of George M. Whitehead had a narrow escape Saturday when their car turned over while on their way to town from their home in La Huerta. Mr. Whitehead was driving and the car was a short distance south of the river bridge at La Huerta when he undertook to pass a wagon and not having enough room the car was overturned and the occupants, with the exception of Mr. Whitehead, were thrown out and clear of the car. He, however, was pinned beneath the car but managed to extricate himself without much difficulty. It was found on investigation that Mrs. Whitehead's left collar bone was broken but she is getting on very well at this time. One of the little girls was somewhat bruised but not otherwise hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kimbrough came in from their home of Lovington, the middle of the week, on a business and pleasure trip combined.

FROM FLANDERS FIELD.

(By Teasdale Randolph)

How are you going to vote, Mother?
What are you going to do?
With the League of Peace and Brotherhood
When the whole world looks at you?
When you mark your ballot November Two,
Mother o' Mine, I ask of you?

Are you going to stand with me, Mother?

As I have stood strong for you
When I gave my life for all mankind

In the wood of grim Belleau?
When you mark your ballot November Two,
Mother o' Mine, what will you do?

I fought for America—yes, Mother,
That is exactly true—
But I fought to make the whole world free

In the wood of grim Belleau.
Do you want it fought over? Well,
I'm for you—

But, Mother, pray hard on November Two.
Pray for the world that God loves, Mother,

Just as I know you will do;
Pray for my gallant chief, Mother,
He was my president, too!

Pray for the peace which he signed for you,
Mother o' Mine, on November Two!

Oh, I know you'll vote right, Mother
In the booth on November Two—
You'll vote as I fought, for the world, Mother,

That's what I know you'll do.
Vote that my flag shall never retreat—

Vote for the league where the nations meet!

Heed not the party hordes, Mother
They are so deaf and blind—
Hark to the voice of God; Mother,
Pleading for all mankind!

Mother o' Mine, beloved and true
Vote with your boy on November Two!

"THE AMERICAN," BY RAY SOLADAY.

A feature of the Band Concert next Sunday afternoon will be that one of the march numbers, which will be rendered, has recently been composed by Ray Soladay. This will appear as the third number on the program, and has been christened "The American." This selection begins with the beat-of-the-drums, as if in the distance, followed by a bugle call as a duet for the cornets, the same call then being taken up in a minor strain by the bass section. This is followed by an airy little melody in which the entire band join. The trio of the composition has a snappy swing and brings out some delicate harmony for all the instruments.

"The American" is the first of a series of compositions which will be written and compiled in book form by Mr. Soladay, and will be probably published in Carlshad, unless arrangements are made later to have them published by some of the larger music houses in the east.

Thomas Glascock and his brother, Edgar, left last week for their respective homes, the former at Parkersville and the latter at Coffeyville, Kansas. They were in Carlshad to attend the funeral of their father the late L. T. Glascock.

GREAT MORAL FORCES STIRRED, TURN TO COX

CHURCH AND MISSION WORKERS ACTIVE FOR LEAGUE.—PEACE AND PROGRESS WILL WIN.

The accretions to the ranks that are fighting for Democratic success in November are becoming larger every day. As the issue becomes more clearly defined, as the Covenant of the League is itself seen and read and opinions are formed from the document itself and not from assertions of "bitter-enders," and partisan interpreters of the conscience of the nation seems to be aroused.

Not less striking than the numbers who have come over to Democratic support is the character, standing and the affiliations of these recruits and their announced reasons for their support of Cox.

The Des Moines speech of Senator Harding, which was a complete surrender to Borah, Johnson and the other "bitter-enders," has clarified the situation in the minds of millions of Americans. No longer, it seems, can their old associations blind them to the fact that the League of Nations is a great moral issue to be decided by the American conscience, and that by supporting Harding in the hope of his finally favoring the League is paltering with the right and breaking faith with our soldiers who fought and died in France.

Expressive of the almost universal sentiment among foreign missionaries and mission boards, W. W. Pinson, general secretary of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, writes under date of August 20th:

"I have just returned from a trip to Belgium, Poland and Czechoslovakia. Many times I was compelled to bow in shame in the midst of the trials through which those new republics are passing, because of the absence of my own country from the councils and influences working to shape or destroy the national life of these people. I returned with the determination to do whatever might be possible to put our flag and our name back in the place of honor that it occupied and only resigned a few months ago. Frankly I do not believe the United States ever faced a greater peril than she is facing at this moment. The issue so far from being a partisan one is fundamental. It is nothing less than the choice between reaction and progress, isolation of the past and international fellowship of the future. You may, therefore, command me and such channels as I influence in this matter."

Along the same line is the statement of Rev. A. W. Smith, executive secretary of the executive committee of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian church, who says: "I have read the platforms of the two great parties and the acceptance speeches of the two nominees for the presidency. I am also familiar, in view of my position as executive secretary of the Foreign Mission Board of the Presbyterian church in the United States, with the international situation. I am satisfied that our country should enter the League of Nations as advocated by Governor Cox and the democratic platform, and that only in this way can our people rise to their full stature as a Christian nation."

At the Universalist State Convention of Indiana, Rev. John Clifford, president of the convention, said that the League of Nations is a great moral issue worthy of the support of the American Nation, and that the whole system of religion is based on the principles of brotherhood, namely, the brotherhood of man and the fatherhood of God.

Other ministers on the program supported the world-union idea, and a missionary asserted that there is general recognition of the fact that there must be universal co-operation and if the people of the United States fail to do their part the nation is disgraced.

Herbert Parsons, of New York, long a power in the republican party and representative of the very best element of that party, has resigned his office in the republican organization and announced his support of Governor Cox. In his letter of resignation he says: "It is my intention to vote for Cox. I am for the League of Nations. Cox is for 'going in'; Harding is for 'not going in,' though in the senate he voted for going in."

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SENATOR JONES URGES RELIEF FOR STOCKMEN

Telegrams urging the continuance of the war finance corporation have been sent to David F. Houston, secretary of the treasury, by the New Mexico Wool Growers' association, the New Mexico Cattle and Horse Growers' association and Senator A. A. Jones.

"We heartily endorse action of agricultural conference October 14 and urgently request that war finance corporation be continued," stated the combined telegram of the two stockmen's associations. Necessity for financing breeders of both cattle and sheep during this tight financial situation is imperative. The prevailing rates of interest together with calling of loans by banks throughout the country is causing ruin and disaster to a great many of our cattle and sheep men. Definite and immediate relief must be given."

Senator A. A. Jones sent the following telegram: "I am in close touch with the livestock industry in this state and earnestly urge the continuance of activities of the war finance corporation. This nation should be considered a nation at war and dealt with as such. Conditions are critical and severely trust immediate relief be provided."

OFFICIAL REPORT OF FATE OF GEORGE HEMENWAY.

E. H. Hemenway has this week received from Washington the first official information concerning the fate of his son, George.

From private sources the family had learned that George did not survive the wounds received in action November 2, 1918, but there was no official record in the case and no knowledge as to the disposition of his body.

A notice from the "Graves Registration Service" states that the body was disinterred and reburied in the American military cemetery No. 1252 at Waerghem, West Flanders, Belgium, June 9, 1919. It is believed that this report is correct as this cemetery is the nearest to the scene of action in which George was wounded. The first grave was probably made at the Aid station to which he was carried and later the body was removed to the cemetery. The delay in the report may be due to the fact that records from Belgium were slow in coming in.

Next Sunday at the Presbyterian Church.

Communion will be observed next Sunday morning at the Presbyterian church, and there will also be recognition of new members. Wednesday evening at 7:30 there will be conducted a course of studies on the life and letters of Paul, and next Wednesday the first topic will be taken as "Historic Background." The meetings will be conducted as conferences and any who are interested are encouraged to attend and participate.

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County Agent Leader Resigns.
J. W. Knorr, county agent leader for the past year, and who has been connected with the extension service in one capacity or another for the past five years, has resigned in order that he might accept the position as associated county agent leader in the state of Washington. In his new position Mr. Knorr will have an unusual opportunity and will devote most of his time to daughter, Maau work in that state. Mr. Knorr graduated from the Agricultural college in Lowry, after spending several years teaching in Colorado and doing experimental work for the United States department of agriculture, he returned to New Mexico early in 1915 to become associated with the extension service after its organization. He first served as county agent of Eddy county, later became assistant county agent leader, and then county agent leader. While serving as county agent of Eddy county, Mr. Knorr made many friends here who wish him much success in life. Mr. Knorr's singular piece of work while in the state has been the organization of farm bureaus throughout the state. Eighteen counties now have farm bureaus actively at work, and a state farm and five stock bureau was organized last January. Mr. Knorr's success in this organization work has attracted attention throughout entire west and it is for this reason that he has been called into the bigger field. He is a man of unusual force and ability, has well deserved all the promotions that he has received, and can leave the state feeling that his five years of service have been productive of results.

Mrs. J. C. Wilson and Mrs. Sadie Cheatem came down Wednesday from their home at Loving, New Mexico, for a few day's visit to Mrs. Wilson's home folk.—Pecos Enterprise.

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Can Make or Break a Community Through Exercise of Their Buying Power.

THEY HOLD PURSE STRINGS

It is Estimated That at Least 80 Per Cent of Retail Purchasing is Done by Feminine Shoppers.

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It has been said that the hand that rocks the cradle is the hand that rules the world and nowhere is this more literally true than in the world of trade. The woman is the purchasing agent of the household and man, as a rule, is very glad to have her handle the job.

It has been estimated by some students of the merchandising game that 80 per cent of all retail buying is done by women. This may be a high estimate but a visit to the retail stores of any town or city is enough to convince one that the figures are not too high. The preponderance of women among the buyers is sufficient, at any rate, to make not only the retailer but the manufacturer and the wholesaler realize that it is the women that they must please with their merchandise.

Because they do by far the greater part of the buying in any community, the women have a responsibility that they do not always appreciate. The women of a town, through their buying power, can make or break the merchants of a town and as a natural consequence they can make or break the town. It is in their power to make it a prosperous town or a dead town. When the women of a town acquire the mail order habit, the town may just as well begin making arrangements for its own obsequies.

Hard to Understand.
Just why a woman, who is a shopper by instinct and a shrewd judge of values in merchandise, should succumb to the lures of the mail order house it is difficult to understand but, unfortunately, some of them do. No one knows better than the woman who has had some experience in the buying of merchandise how difficult it is to distinguish between the genuine and the imitation even after a close inspection. The good shopper, when on buying bent, does not always take the first article that is offered for inspection. In fact this is the exception rather than the rule. The merchants know it and expect it. They expect a woman, if she is a good shopper, to "look around a little."

If a woman should walk into a retail store and purchase the first suit that she tried on, for instance, the shock probably would prove fatal to the stockkeeper or the saleswoman. The chances are that she will try on a dozen suits and look at as many more before she selects one that suits her taste or pocketbook, and the storekeeper not only expects but wishes her to do this. He wishes her to be satisfied as he knows that a satisfied customer is the best advertisement that he can obtain.

Taking a Chance.
This same woman, however, may order a suit from a mail order house on the strength of nothing more than a pretty picture and an alluring description. She has not even the opportunity to try it on, to say nothing of the chance of examining the fabric, noting the exact shade of the material and inspecting the workmanship. She is taking chances on the suit fitting her, on the material being good and durable, the shade becoming to her and the workmanship of such a character that the suit will not fall to pieces. The woman who takes such chances cannot be called a shrewd shopper.

It might be more easily understood why mere man, unaccustomed and averse, as a rule, to shopping excursions, should fall a victim to the catalogue habit. He might find it easier to order from the picture in the catalogue than to go to a store and look for the article that he wanted or he might not know what he was getting anyway if he went to the store and he might as well take a chance on the mail order gamble, but why the woman who knows what she wants and knows that she is getting what she wants when she gets it should buy on the "sight unseen" plan—well, that's another question altogether.

Woman's Greatest Opportunity.
Women are taking a more and more prominent part in public affairs all the time. They are aiding now in many parts of the country in running the affairs of state. Even where they do not have the ballot they are playing a big part, individually and through their organizations, in the conduct particularly of local governments, yet in the one field where they can do most to help build up their communities they may be overlooking their opportunity. With the buying power in their hands they can do more for their community by stanchly supporting their home business men than they can possibly do in any other way.

Man may think he is a very important element in the progress and development of his town but when he reflects that 80 per cent of the buying power of the community is in the hands of the women he is apt to realize that he is a very insignificant atom.

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HAY TRADE CONDITIONS OF THE WEEK.

There is little change in prices this week and it would appear that the present slump has been checked. Offerings are less than for several weeks past but trade is inactive. Weather conditions have been exceptionally favorable this fall and the outlet from distributing markets is very slack. Colder weather will probably improve the demand, but whether prices have reached the bottom is just as much a matter of uncertainty in the hay trade as it is in all other lines. However, as prices of all commodities must eventually reach a pre-war level, it is to the interest of shippers to anticipate the future in making purchases.—Hay Journal.

Mrs. Dwight Stephenson and baby left yesterday for Big Springs, Texas, where they now make their home and where her husband is awaiting her coming.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Roswell, New Mexico, Land Office, September 24, 1920.

Notice is hereby given that Michel Iribarne, of Carlsbad, county of Eddy, State of New Mexico, has filed in this office his application to locate under the provision of the act of Congress of July 17th, 1854, United States Statutes, the following described land, viz: a tract of forty acres being indicated on the ground by a post of 2x4, four feet long 12 inches in the ground set at the initial corner—the established corner of sections 6 and 7 on west boundary of township 26 S., Range 21 East, N. M. P. M., bears North 36 degrees 50 minutes East, 100.00 chains distance and the north point of the dam of the Iribarne upper reservoir bears S. 24 degrees 30 minutes West, 8.75 chains distant, thence West on a true line on north boundary of this scrip location, at which point is constructed a post 2x4—four feet long and set twelve inches in the ground on stony ground for the northwest corner of this location and marked thereon for NW cor., NW 1/4 NW 1/4 section 13, township 26 S., Range 20 East, thence south on a true line on the west boundary of this location a distance of 20.00 chains, at which point is set a post 2x4 inches, four feet long, and twelve inches in the ground, on stony ground for southwest corner of location, marked south west corner of this location, for NW 1/4 NW 1/4 section 13, township 26 S., Range 20 East, thence

20 chains east on a true line on south boundary of this location, at which point is set a post 2x4 inches, four feet long and twelve inches in the ground for the southeast corner of this location, marked southeast corner for NW 1/4 NW 1/4 section 13, township 26 S., Range 20 East, thence 20.00 chains north on a true line on east boundary of this location to a point intersecting initial corner or place of beginning, and which when surveyed will be the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 section 13, township 26 S., Range 20 East, New Mexico Principal Meridian.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described, or desiring to object, because of the mineral character of the land, or any other reason, to the disposal of applicant, should file their affidavits of protests in this office, on or before the 15th day of November, 1920.

EMMETT PATTON, Register.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, N. M., Sept. 24, 1920. Serial No. 048186

NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of September, A. D. 1920, the Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Company, by Howell Jones, its Land Commissioner, made application at the United States Land Office, at Roswell, New Mexico, to select under the Act of April 21, 1904 (33 Stat. 211) the following described land, to-wit:

NW 1/4 SE 1/4; NE 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 24, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 9, Twp. 23 S., R. 27 E., N. M. P. M.

The purpose of this notice is to allow all persons claiming the land adversely, or desiring to show it to be mineral in character, an opportunity to file objection to such location or selection with the local officers for the land district in which the land is situated, to-wit: at the land office aforesaid, and to establish their interests therein, or the mineral character thereof.

EMMETT PATTON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
032690
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, October 7, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that Samuel A. Hughes of El Paso Gap, N. M., who on March 18th, 1919, made H. E. No. 032690, for lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, has filed notice of in-

tention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Dover Phillips, U. S. Commissioner, at Carlsbad, N. M., on the 18th, day of November, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses: John R. Bouline, Seibay Cox, J. Albert Kincaid, James C. Todd, all of El Paso Gap, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON, Register.

047677
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, at Roswell, N. M., Sept. 15th, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that James H. Pickett, of Queen, N. M., who on July 8th, 1920, made Homestead entry No. 047677, for 156.33 acres located in Sections 31 and 32: Township 24-S, Range 21-E, N. M. P. Meridian has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Dover Phillips, U. S. Commissioner, at Carlsbad, N. M., on the 1st day of November, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses: Walter R. Shattuck, Michel Iribarne, Tom Middleton, Ralph Thayer, all of Queen, N. M.

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A FEW (?) FRIENDS ENTER-TAINED.

Wednesday is notable as being the birthday anniversary of one of our good friends, Mrs. Sam Davis, who resides with the other Davis families west of town. Wishing to observe this important occasion, Mrs. Davis invited a few of her closest friends and relatives to help celebrate the day with an oyster supper as one of the features. The Gories, Mercers, M. L. Davison, Ray Davis and family, and the family of A. L. Vaughn, were the guests. Asked how many she had invited Mrs. Davis replied with an apologetic air, "only thirty."

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Texas Hunters Here to Bag Game.

W. C. McGowan, George Berry, A. E. Dyer, Mr. Anderson and W. H. Merchant and T. J. Kindel, the last two named being from Carlsbad, and the others from Baird, Texas, left the first of the week for Dog Canyon, in the mountains west of town. The gentlemen from Baird are on their annual hunt and arrived here Sunday evening in the rain from their homes. They came overland and had a fine trip until they were nearing town when they got stuck in the mud and were over an hour getting loose. Their objective point was the J. R. Bonine ranch in Dog Canyon and they expected to extend their operations across the mountains into Texas.

Frank Moritz spent Sunday with homefolk in this city, leaving Monday for Roswell where he is now engaged in business in company with his partner, Tom McLenathan, leaving the shop here in charge of his son, Art.

HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATION MEET.

The regular meeting of the Home and School Association will be held at the High school building this evening at 7:30. This will be in the nature of a business meeting, the recently elected president in the chair. A program has been prepared which is as follows:
Song, "America." Audience.
Piano solo, Elizabeth Albritton.
Report of Intentions of Program.
Visiting and Finance committees by their respective chairmen.
Piano duet, Eleanor Flowers and Mary Frances Joyce.
Reports of Library, Playground, Decoration and Social committees by the chairman of such committees.

"Shall we Join the Federation of Parent-Teachers Associations?" Mrs. Homenway.

Discussion.
Vocal solo, Mildred Mahan.
Unfinished business.
Collection of dues.
The meeting will begin promptly at 7:30 and close in an hour if possible. Holding the sessions at night it is hoped may result in a larger attendance of the men of the city to whom, and to all others, an urgent invitation to be present is extended.

Mrs. Holly Benson Entertains for Mrs. Littlefield.

At the Holly Benson home in this city last Saturday a very pleasant party was given honoring Mrs. Littlefield, of El Paso, who, with her husband, Captain Littlefield, was a house guest at the home of Major and Mrs. E. P. Bujac at that time. The ladies played bridge, Mrs. Wertheim receiving a piece of Picard china as a reward for high score and the honor guest receiving a guest prize of a dainty Madeira handkerchief. An ice course was served the following guests: Mesdames Sam and Aud Lusk, Will Ed Carter, Dick, Glasier, John Barber, Wertheim, Sikes, Lee Hanson, Bujac, Albright and Christian.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Gragg and Mrs. Coley Jones were visitors to Roswell the latter part of the week.

Straw Ballot Favors Cox.

New York, Oct. 24.—According to the returns of a straw ballot instituted by the Independent magazine Governor Cox received 66 per cent of the votes, Harding 32 per cent, Debs, 2 per cent and Watkins 2 per cent.

MAIL WILL BE PUT IN BOXES EACH SUNDAY.

Postmaster John Wells has finally secured an appropriation for the extra work required to put out the mail on Sunday and service will be resumed next Sunday. The townspeople will be glad to learn of this as many complaints have been made that a business man could not receive important mail on Sunday in time to reply before Monday night and decided inconvenience was felt as the result.

HUNTERS SNOWED UNDER.

Three of our hunters have returned from the hills west of town getting in Tuesday afternoon. They are Messrs. Sikes, Hudgins and Turlington and they had a rather strenuous time while on their trip. It began snowing in the night of Saturday and they started for the Thayer ranch, having no desire to remain out in what promised to be a heavy snowfall. Snow fell to a depth of 24 inches and the gentlemen being anxious to return home, hired a team to haul their car to the top of the mountain and from there it was no trouble to come on down.

MARJORIE SNOW CELEBRATES TWELFTH BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.

Twenty-two little girls responded to invitations sent out a couple of days previous for a party at the home of Marjorie Snow, Saturday, at her residence in North Carlsbad, the occasion being worthy of celebrating, it being her twelfth birthday anniversary.

The little folk enjoyed themselves playing Volley Ball and kindred games on the lawn, and also enjoyed the delicious cake and ice cream which was served in abundance by Mrs. Snow to her daughter's guests. Brown and white cake and brown and white ice cream delighted the little ones.

Marjorie received some nice presents from her little friends and has good wishes from all who know her, old and young. The following were present: Anna Bush, Frances Joy Foster, Dana Bess Lucas, Dorothy Forehand, Mildred Hutchinson, Aurelia Sellards, Evelyn Moore Kircher, Dorothy and Lela Dillard, Lucille Myers, Virginia Wester, Nannie Ervin Little, Irma Linn Grantham, June Joyce, Josephine Williams, Evelyn McIntosh, Dorothy Flowers, Louise and Hazel Oliver, Marguerite Beckett, Gertrude Bell and Mary Craig. Snap-pers were given for favors and "nigger babies" added pleasure to the afternoon.

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Practically four inches of rain fell in Carlsbad and vicinity in 24 hours according to the government rain gauge at the Reclamation office. Such a heavy and continued rainfall has seldom been known in this section of the country. The rain seemed to be general and aside from the damage done to the cotton, will be very beneficial to the pastures assuring winter grass. Pedestrians who have been obliged to pick their way through varying depths of mud and water are not so enthusiastic as perhaps they should be.

Mrs. H. E. Wood, of Lovington, arrived in the city the first of the week and will visit at the home of W. C. Bates and also spend some time with her two daughters, Mrs. Graves and Miss Wardle Wood.

A NEW INDUSTRY IN CARLSBAD.

A new industry in this city is the factory for the making of that household necessity—brooms. The name of the firm is the Carlsbad broom factory, and while it is operating in a small way at present the owner has had no difficulty in disposing of his product to the housewives of this city and vicinity. The entire output is a product of the Pecos valley, the broom corn having been grown here. The capacity of the little shop is limited to three dozen brooms per day but will probably be increased as the demand increases and with a household necessity such as this, will be of advantage to the owner as well as to the purchaser.

Mrs. E. P. Bujac is entertaining the Whist Club at her home in La Huerta this afternoon.

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The Promise.—"The Members of the League undertake to respect, and preserve against EXTERNAL aggression, the territorial integrity and existing political independence of all members of the League."

The Plan.—"In case of any such aggression, or in case of any threat or danger of such aggression, the Council shall advise upon the means by which this obligation shall be fulfilled."

For over seventy years we have "respected" the "territorial integrity" of Canada and Mexico. Why not the rest of the world?

The Federal government, through the Farm Loan Bank, has recognized the value of New Mexico as an agricultural state. It has loaned to the farmers of New Mexico \$3,418,800.00. In Arizona, Wyoming and Nevada its loans aggregate only \$2,103,800.00. Arizona secured only \$730,000.00. Yet Arizona shows an increase of 129,000 in population in ten years, while New Mexico, with more mineral

wealth, vastly more agricultural lands and a far better climate, gained only 33,000 in population. Evidently is the reason for this poor showing.

THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

The League of Nations is the best insurance against war the world has ever had. The Republicans now admit that only congress can declare war, but they say, this country would be morally obligated to take orders from the League. There could be no obligation beyond the provisions of our own constitution. The foreign members of the League know our constitution quite as well as we know the basic laws of those countries.

White Slavery and the League. The charge that the League of Nations legalizes the white slavery traffic and the opium trade, is one of the vilest charges made in the campaign. The League of Nations proposes to stamp out the traffic in women for immoral purposes, by putting the whole civilized world on guard against it, just as the civilized nations are now on guard against international anarchy. With the League of Nations machinery at work, there would be no civilized country in which the white slave could hide his vile head.

Why People Don't Come Here.

New Mexico cities and towns have their chambers of commerce striving to attract capital and home-builders. Yet New Mexico in ten years showed an increase of only ten per cent. The natural increase of births over deaths should have been 77 per cent. We gained only 33,000 population. Arizona gained 129,000, or 63 per cent. For removal of people to come to New Mexico and make their homes and invest their money, there can be but three reasons: 1. A state run by bosses. 2. High taxes. 3. Misuse of tax money after it has been collected.

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The best home talent play since the "Womanless Wedding" was given at the Crawford Theatre last Tuesday night under the auspices of the ladies of the Presbyterian church. The house was filled to overflowing and many were turned away, but those who were fortunate enough to secure seats are unanimous in their expressions of pleasure which after all is the real object to be desired in a play of any kind.

As may be judged by the title, the scene was laid in a country town and at a country depot; there were the usual characters in evidence, and all were costumed to perfection and created much merriment in the audience.

Richard Thorne, as the ticket seller, was true to life, even banging the ticket window in a quite professional manner. There was the drummer, in the person of J. S. Oliver, very uneasy as to the disposition of his trunks which the porter, Bert Rawlins and the baggage man, Robert Finley were looking after; both gentlemen were gotten up regardless and in case either should need to change their occupations, the stage would furnish either of them a field for their activities. Bert's motto is, "If you are acting a 'nigger' act the best nigger you can", and he fully sustained his reputation in that respect.

Reuben Hay and Samantha, his wife (S. L. Perry and Mrs. F. E. Little), came in for a liberal applause from the audience. They had everything that the old country couple usually has in evidence when traveling, even to the bird-cage and umbrella, although one looked in vain for the custard pies but they had them concealed in the voluminous basket which they carried.

The bride (Mrs. McCollum) was lovely in her bridal attire, and no one felt like censuring the bridegroom (Tom Calloway) for his endearments.

Mrs. Attwater, the nervous party, and her little boy (H. F. Christian), "who liked to hear the man talk", were two splendid impersonations, and "we'll tell you right to your face", that the village gossip (Mrs. Rom Holt) carried her part to the end successfully. The Giggie Girls (Mesdames John Barber and C. D. Rickman), presented a sight strangely familiar to the traveling public, that of two young persons occupying the center of the stage while a long string of other persons are waiting to purchase tickets. The summary disposition of the young ladies may furnish an idea to those who have been kept waiting on similar occasions. Mention should be made of Mrs. O'Callahan, the Irish scrub lady with her delicious brogue and fine acting (Mrs. Waller). The college girls were beautiful, as usual, and were Misses Lillian Crawford, Marguerite Roberts, Lorene Powell, Grace Jones, Nellie Linn, Frances Cooke and Mary Lee Newton. Mrs. Harry McKim being the leading lady.

Specialties were the little boy's chorus, "I've got the Mumps" and the chorus by ten little girls, "Bessie and her Little Brown Bear", both of which had been under the direction of Mrs. Jackson and were much enjoyed by the audience and especially by the parents of the young performers. Other musical specialties were "Don't You Want a Paper, Dear?" by Mrs. Harry McKim and chorus, "Can't you Hear me Calling Caroline," by Bert Rawlins and chorus and

REPUBLICANS AND THE FARMERS.

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"Senator Harding was one of these conspirators in the senate against the American farmer, and while we of the democratic party receiving the hearty co-operation of a democratic administration were making the fight for weeks in the American Congress to prevent the present conditions against which the American farmer and stockman are now striving, Senator Harding and his reactionary republican friends in the senate and the house were challenging our every statement and obstructing our every effort—Senator Pat Harrison."

"Sweethearts in Every Town" by J. S. Oliver and chorus.

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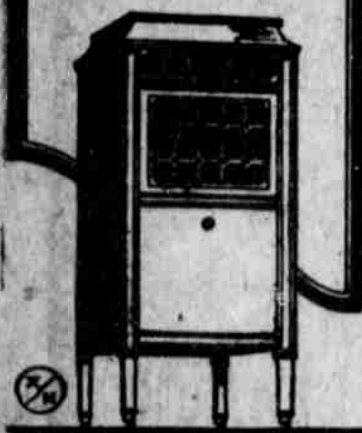
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AMERICAN LEGION CELEBRATION AT PECOS NOV. 11-12.

The editor of the Current acknowledges the receipt of an invitation to attend the American Legion celebration which is to be held at Pecos, Texas, November 11 and 12. The affair is under the auspices of the Richard Briscoe Post American Legion, and all the festivities will be in charge of members of that organization. The celebration will begin the morning of the 11th and continue through the 12th only ending at midnight Friday night.

As now planned a barbecue on a grander scale than has ever been attempted in West Texas; a parade with ex-service men in uniform will be another feature of the celebration which will also include a football game between Pecos and Midland and in the evening a home talent carnival. A game of baseball will be played between the Army and Navy teams.

An invitation has been extended to Congressman Claude B. Hudspeth of El Paso, and it is thought that the military commander of Ft. Bliss will be present with his staff. The editor of the Current regrets that although many have signified their intention to be present at that time, he will regretfully have to decline the kind invitation which he hereby does with thanks.

Music Recital.

Mrs. Mary I. Johnston held her fortnightly recital at the home of Mrs. J. F. Joyce last Saturday. Mrs. Joyce had kindly invited many of the mothers of the aspiring young musicians to be present and the invitation was generally accepted. The large drawing rooms at the Joyce home being comfortably filled. The recital was delightful as all of the efforts of this talented teacher and musician always are. The pupils from the youngest to the oldest did great credit to their teacher and were delighted to play on the beautiful Steinway grand, the beloved possession of the Joyce girls. The recitals are occasions for great pleasure to all who participate as well as the invited guests.

Program.

The Moon and The Snowbird, Gertrude Bell.
Dance of the Toys, Evelyn Kircher.
Sonatina, Lucile Myers.
Gathering Flowers, June Joyce.
Under the Window, Betty Rowse.
The Merry Woodchopper, and Masurka, Marjorie Snow and Mildred Hutchison.
Hunting Chorus; and Intermezzo. Waltz from Faust, Mary Francis Joyce and Eleanor Flowers.
Prelude of Rachmaninoff, Elizabeth Albritton.
Overture, "Raymond", Elizabeth Purdy.
Overture, "Stradella", Dorothy Dick.

Sacrifice of League Criminal.

New York, Oct. 16.—Subordination and sacrifice of the League of Nations are well high criminal at this time in the opinion of Rev. Stanley White, secretary of the board of foreign missions of the Presbyterian church who has announced that he will vote for Cox.

The Fortnightly dance of the American Legion is to be held tonight at the Armory and a large crowd of Carlebad dancers are expected to be present. The Legion has secured the Roswell orchestra and everything points to a good time.



THE QUINCY MANSION, QUINCY, MASS., BUILT IN 1685.

America's classic example of a clapboard building preserved for over two hundred years by careful and frequent painting. It has secret panels, chimney staircase and hiding places, said to have been used by smugglers. Later the home of great statesmen and of the famous belle, Dorothy Quincy.

USED BY ANCIENT PHYSICIAN

Graeco-Roman Medical and Surgical Instruments of Bronze Now in Johns Hopkins University.

William H. Buckler, who served on the staff of the American embassy in London during the war, has presented to the Archeologist museum of Johns Hopkins University, of which he was a former trustee, a set of ancient Graeco-Roman medical and surgical instruments found two years ago near Kolophon, in Asia Minor.

The collection was on exhibition in London and was formerly in the possession of the late Alfred O. Van Lennep, Dutch vice consul in Smyrna, who owned a large estate near Kolophon and was well acquainted with the excavations and discoveries in that vicinity.

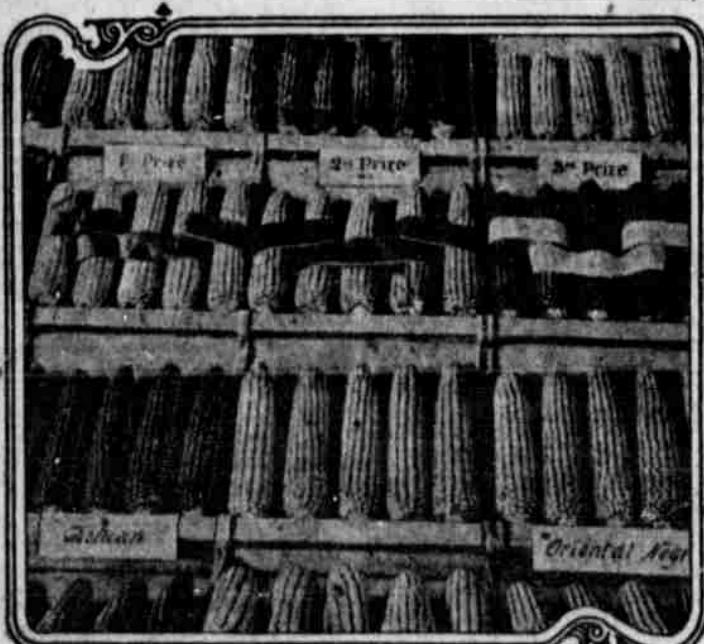
The instruments, 36 in number, are all of bronze, with but one exception. They were probably the property of some Roman physician living in Asia Minor in the first or second century A. D., and the fact that they were all found in one place is doubtless explained, in the opinion of experts, by the ancient custom of burying a person's worldly possessions with him.

The set includes surgical knives and elevators, forceps, tenacula (sharp hooks), a unique drill bow, for use in injuries and diseases of the skull, scalp, probes and a cautery.

The drill bow is, from the point of view of the archeologist, perhaps the most interesting object. It is like a tool used by carpenters.

Hunter Shot by Dog Tied to Gun. Maunton, Va.—McKinley Brooks was removed to a hospital after he had been shot in both knees by his hunting dog. Brooks, thirty, tied his dog to his gun and knelt down at a stream to drink. Another dog came along and a fight ensued, during which the gun was exploded, the load taking effect in Brooks' knees.

How Would You Like to Harvest Two Crops of Corn a Year as They Do in the Philippines?



No, reader, this corn was not grown by one of our local farmers! It wasn't grown in the United States, even. It was grown in the faroff Philippine Islands by Filipino schoolboys. Two fine crops of corn a year are produced in the Islands.

The Philippines are doing some wonderful things in the agricultural line. The Philippine government has fine agricultural schools throughout the islands, and the Philippine legislature, composed entirely of Filipinos, is each year making larger and larger appropriations for this important work.

The staple food of the islands is rice, but corn is coming right along in popular favor. Its use was given great impetus in the last year because of a rice

shortage. Other important Philippine crops are hemp, sugar cane, coconuts, coffee, tobacco and pineapples. Lumber is also an important industry.

There are hundreds of thousands of acres of land lying idle in the Philippines, which have a greater area of fertile land than Japan—this in spite of the fact that the population of the Philippines is 11,000,000 while that of Japan is around 55,000,000. There is every reason to believe that some day the Philippines will have a population as large as that of Japan today. The Filipinos are the only Christian people in the Orient, and their young men are working night and day to prepare themselves for the responsibility of citizenship in the Philippine Republic, which they believe to be near at hand.

FALL IN EUROPE'S POPULATION

Estimated Loss Through Years of War Will Reach Total of Thirty-Five Million People.

According to a report made by the Society for the Study of the Social Consequences of the War, which has its headquarters at Copenhagen, between the outbreak of that conflict and the middle of 1919 Europe lost about 35,000,000 people. Of this deficit in what would have been the normal population of the continent at the latter date 20,000,000 are accounted for by the decline in the birth rate and 15,000,000 by increased mortality including nearly 10,000,000 killed in battle.

The surplus of the female sex in Europe has nearly tripled, rising from slightly more than 5,000,000 to 15,000,000. Russia and Poland suffered total losses of 13,000,000; Germany and Austria together slightly less than that number; France comes next with an estimated loss of 3,340,000; Italy follows with 2,280,000; Great Britain and Ireland lost about 1,185,000, and little Serbia, including war casualties, approaching those of the United Kingdom, lost 1,650,000.—Living Age.

Record Energy.

Darwin has made many records, its most picturesque recent exploit being the deportation of unpopular officials from the Northern Territory, but hitherto no one has accused the wharfmen in this tropical outpost of Australia's north of establishing working records. Recently, however, the management of Vestey's Meat works promised the wharf laborers loading a meat steamer payment for 17 shifts in order to get the vessel away promptly. According to a correspondent of one of the Southern newspapers, the wharf lancers performed the work in 15 shifts and received £101 each.—New Australasian.



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CARDUI HELPED REGAIN STRENGTH

Alabama Lady Was Sick For Three Years, Suffering Pain, Nervous and Depressed—Read Her Own Story of Recovery.

Paint Rock, Ala.—Mrs. C. M. Stegall, of near here, recently related the following interesting account of her recovery: "I was in a weakened condition. I was sick three years in bed, suffering a great deal of pain, weak, nervous, depressed. I was so weak, I couldn't walk across the floor; just had to lay and my little ones do the work. I was almost dead. I tried everything I heard of, and a number of doctors. Still I didn't get any relief. I couldn't eat, and slept poorly. I believe if I hadn't heard of and taken Cardui I would have died. I bought six bottles, after a neighbor told me what it did for her.

"I began to eat and sleep, began to gain my strength and am now well and strong. I haven't had any trouble since. . . I sure can testify to the good that Cardui did me. I don't think there is a better tonic made and I believe it saved my life."

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If you suffer as these women did, take Cardui. It may help you, too. At all druggists. E 35

NEW TRAINMASTER FOR PECOS DIVISION.

Claude S. Cravens comes back to the scenes of his first efforts at railroad engineering November 1st, when he becomes trainmaster of the Pecos division with headquarters at Clovis. Mr. Cravens began as messenger boy at Roswell in March, 1893, when the road was still known as the Pea Vine. He advanced thru hard work and close attention to his duties until he became an operator. In 1905 Mr. Cravens was transferred to Texico as night operator and later returned to Roswell. In 1907 he became day operator at Carlsbad and in 1908 operator and agent at Higgins where he remained until he was transferred to the agency at Canadian in 1913. In 1914 he was transferred to road work and the following year became transportation inspector on the Panhandle division with headquarters at Wellington, Kansas. Mr. Cravens started young, being only about 12 years when he began as messenger boy in Roswell. He has been in continuous railway service since and has steadily advanced. The promotion of Mr. Cravens to trainmaster is gratifying to the old friends in the Pecos valley.

A. M. HOVE.

Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Endorsement League of Nations.

San Francisco, Calif., Oct. 26.—Going on record in unqualified terms, the Pacific conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, passed a resolution endorsing the League of Nations. The resolution says: "Believing the League of Nations greater than any person or political party, believing indeed an honest attempt by the civilized peoples of the world to avert the recurrence of war, we reaffirm our allegiance to it and our unbounded faith in its ultimate triumph."

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LOCAL NEWS

C. R. Jackson and J. F. Miller have been on a business trip to this city for several days from their home in Roswell.

Probate Judge Fred E. Wilson has been appointed police judge for the city instead of Judge Richards, resigned. The appointment meets with general satisfaction, and Judge Wilson may be depended upon to do his duty without fear or favor. The retiring judge has served in that capacity for a number of years and has an enviable record which will be hard to beat.

Mrs. E. C. Denton, who resided in Carlsbad about 13 years ago, moving from here to Roswell, has again decided to make this city her home, arriving Sunday. Mrs. Denton has leased the Missouri hotel dining room and will open that to the public tomorrow. Persons knowing Mrs. Denton have no doubt of her ability to successfully conduct a boarding house and she will undoubtedly be able to sustain the reputation the house has enjoyed for many years.

John Hartshorne continues very ill at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Ben Stetson, in North Carlsbad, his symptoms being slightly improved at this time.

Mechem says the Chino paying on \$18,000,000.00, is paying more than its just proportion of taxes, yet, if Chino was in Arizona, it would pay on more than \$70,000,000.00. There is no hope of lowering taxes on the "common geese" if Mechem is elected governor.

Do you want New Mexico to grow and prosper? Smash Bursum and his gang and you will see the dawn of a new day for this state.

H. O. Bursum destroyed politically Hagerman, Lindsay and Larazolo, because they opposed his imperial will. He would control Judge Mechem, if he had the chance; but he will not boss Richard H. Hanna, when he is governor.

Casper Fosmark returned last Friday from a lengthy trip to North Dakota where the family formerly resided and where they had landed interests which he was called on to look after. The little family is extremely happy over his return.

Church attendance was at a low ebb last Sunday owing to the extremely rainy weather and the fact that very few possessed the necessary boats with which to navigate the streets.

Frank Glasscock left last Wednesday for his home in Red Rock, Oklahoma, he having been here to attend the funeral of his father.

NOTICE.

The Ladies of the Home Missionary Society of Loving will serve lunch on election day near the voting place in that village. Come out and get a good lunch and at the same time patronize a worthy cause.

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Five Minute Chats on Our Presidents

By JAMES MORGAN

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THE FIRST POLITICIAN

1782—Dec. 5, Martin Van Buren born at Kinderhook, N. Y.
1813-15—State senator.
1815-19—Attorney general of New York.
1821-29—United States senator.
1829—Governor of New York.
Secretary of state of the United States.
1832—Nominated for vice president.
1833—Elected.

MARTIN VAN BUREN was the first machine made politician in the presidency, and he was more than that when put to the test; he was the first of the presidents to have been born under the American flag, rather than under the British, and he and Roosevelt are the only presidents not wholly descended from inhabitants of the United Kingdom.

Spring from Dutch families on both sides, Van Buren married into a Dutch family, and was able to speak the language of his ancestors. He was born and he died in a little Rip Van Winkle village on the east bank of the Hudson, where his father was a farmer and incidentally a tavern keeper. Leaving school and entering a law office in his native town at fourteen, after the manner of most American leaders from Jackson to Lincoln, he picked up as he went along such education as he gained. Yet not one of our many lawyer presidents has won a higher rank in his profession. While only a boy so small that he had to stand on a bench to address the jury, he scored his first success at the bar. At forty, he retired from practice with money enough for a man with a Dutch thrift, which was mistaken for stinginess by the less prudent.



Angelina Van Buren.

dent Anglo-Americans who knew him. Equally precocious in politics, Van Buren was chosen a delegate to a political convention before he was of age; was appointed a county surrogate at twenty-five; elected to the state senate at thirty; appointed attorney general of the state at thirty-two and at thirty-eight he was selected a senator of the United States. Already he was at the head of the "Albany Regency," which continued to run the Democratic machine in New York and to dominate the national councils of that party for sixty years to come. His skill in political manipulation made him known all over the country as the "Little Magician."

Playing the game of politics only as a New Yorker can and as all New Yorkers in public life do, Van Buren was the first to make his way into the White House in gingham. Perhaps his caution as a politician has lost him the credit due him for his statesmanship, which he displayed in more than one grave emergency. A popular story reflected the general impression of his artful dodging. Once while he was a passenger on a Hudson river boat an anti-Van Buren man said to a Van Buren man:

"I'll bet you the price of the passage that you can't go to him now and get a straight answer to the simplest question that you can ask."

The challenged man, confidently taking the bet, went up to his favorite and inquired if he did not think the weather was fine.

"Well," was the careful measured reply, "that is a relative term and."

"By thunder!" the Van Burenite broke in, as he turned to his challenger, "you've won."

Van Buren became the pioneer national campaign manager when he made an extended electioneering tour for Jackson. Webster declared that he did more for the election of "Old Hickory" than any other 10 men.

In that fierce Jackson campaign, Van Buren took the party nomination for governor of New York. Being elected, he resigned from the senate, and then, after only two months in the governorship, he resigned again to be secretary of state in the new cabinet. Thus he held within 12 weeks three of the highest prizes in public life and at the same time was half-apparent to the presidency itself.

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SLAYING DRAGONS

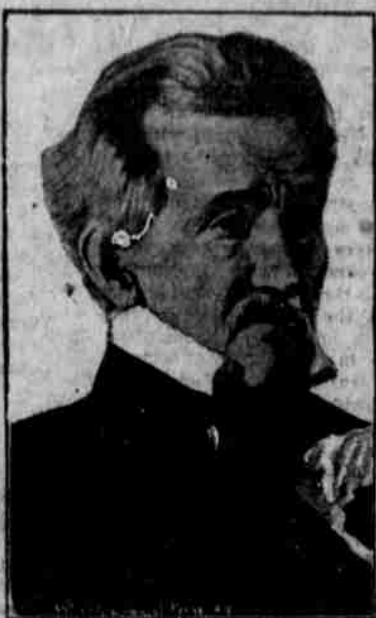
1828—Andrew Jackson elected president.
1829—Inaugurated, seventh president, aged 61.
1832—Vetoed bank bill suppressing nullifications. Re-elected triumphantly.
1833—Removed the bank deposits.
1834-5—Brought France to terms.
1837—Jackson retired.
1845—June 8, death of Jackson, aged 78.

JACKSON'S administration stands forth in the half-century between Jefferson and Lincoln because of two measures. One of these was the overthrow of the United States bank.

That great institution, patterned after the Bank of England and the Bank of France, was an efficient but dangerous partner for a democratic government. It was a money monopoly which could make or break any enterprise in the country; it held in its grasp the financial life of America; it received and distributed all the revenues of the nation and half of its deposits were public moneys; but, with only a fifth of its directors appointed by the government, it was not under public control.

When Jackson began his audacious fight upon the bank, it was at the height of its power. Against heavy odds, he vetoed the bill for rechartering it; took his case to the people in his campaign for re-election, and scored a complete victory. On the strength of that popular verdict he removed the government deposits and left the bank to a slow and ignominious collapse.

For this action the senate censured him. After a bitter fight, in which



Andrew Jackson in Old Age.

Jackson's one-time antagonist, Thomas H. Benton, now a senator from Missouri, was his champion, the resolution was expunged by drawing about it in the records a heavy black line.

Jackson was equally bold and victorious in meeting the threat of nullification, although it came from his own section, from his own party and from his own vice president, John C. Calhoun. Shortly before his inauguration congress passed the first tariff that was framed for the benefit of the new manufacturing industries which were springing up in New England. This bestowal of a special privilege aroused the jealousy of the agricultural South.

At a Democratic banquet in Washington in 1830, President Jackson rose and proposed this toast: "For Federal Union; it must be preserved." Then Vice President Calhoun got up and toasted the rights of the states. Thus the two highest officials of the government joined issue across that dinner table on a question which great armies would fight out in another generation.

Two years afterward a convention in South Carolina solemnly adopted an ordinance nullifying the tariff act for that state and forbidding within the boundaries of the state the collection of customs duties under it. While recommending to congress a modification of the offending tariff, Jackson appealed to the patriotism of the South Carolinians in a proclamation which set all the North and much of the South ringing with cheers; ordered General Scott to the scene of threatened trouble; re-enforced the forts of the dissatisfied state; dispatched a naval fleet to Charleston harbor, and only waited for the first overt act of revolt to give him warrant for arresting Calhoun and the other leaders. But the nullifiers nullified their nullification, leaving the resolute and patriotic president riding a high tide of popular favor.

Jackson's pre-eminent service to the country was rendered in his battle with nullification. "The tariff was only the pretext," he said, "disunion and a southern confederacy the real object. The next pretext will be the negro." Thanks to him, that irrepressible conflict had been postponed 20 years, until a great West should grow up and join hands with the East in saving the Union.

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ATTENTION, GOATMEN!

There will be a meeting of this organization in Carlsbad Thursday the 11th of November for the purpose of deciding how to dispose of the clips of mohair now on hand. All goatmen are urged to be present. W. R. HEGLER, Sec. Pecos Valley Angora Goat Raisers' Association.

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MON.—	ETHEL CLAYTON IN "THE 13TH COMMANDMENT"
TUES.—	MILDRED HARRIS CHAPLIN IN "POLLY OF THE STORM COUNTRY"
WED.—	JOHN BARRYMORE IN "DR. JEKYLL AND MR. HYDE"
THUR.—	ALICE JOYCE IN "SLAVES OF PRIDE"
FRI.—	"SILENT AVENGER" EPISODE 5
SAT.—	HOBART BOSWORTH IN "BEHIND THE DOOR"

LOCAL NEWS.

Charles Montgomery, manager of Joyce-Fruit company, made a business trip to Roswell Wednesday afternoon of this week and is expected in today.

O. E. Reese, of Rising Star, Texas, is a new clerk in the employ of Joyce-Fruit company in the grocery store, who has recently arrived in Carlsbad.

Mrs. G. C. McFadden left for her home in Roswell last Friday, after a visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Paul Mahan.

H. B. Thomas and wife, the gentleman being one of the stockholders in the Toyah Sulphur Co., left for their home in Toyah yesterday after spending several days in this city.

William Van Landingham, who represents the Armour interests with headquarters at Amarillo, Texas, was visiting the trade in Carlsbad this week.

J. T. Holton is able to be again at work after his recent serious illness, a fact for which his host of friends are very grateful.

F. M. Denton spent a few days in Roswell on business this week.

Lewis Cargill and wife were in town this week from their ranch on Black river, leaving for home yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Caven, the lady a sister of Mrs. Jim Baker, left last week for their home in Leroy, Kansas.

Mrs. Lulu Whitney, of Colorado Springs, Colo., came in from there Wednesday, and will make a lengthy visit at the homes of her sisters, Mesdames M. L. and Sam Davis, and with other relatives in this city and vicinity.

John Plowman, of the lower valley, was in town yesterday and says everything is getting on well in his part of the country and that the roads from his place to town are in good shape.

Mrs. Lena Daufel and son, John, of Indianapolis, came in this week and are planning to spend the winter here. Mrs. Daufel spent several months here some time ago and already enjoys an acquaintance with many of our people, who will gladly welcome her return.

Miss Mary Doss, one of the teachers in the schools at Malaga, came up from there to consult a physician yesterday, she having been quite indisposed for several days.

Presbyterian Flying Squadron Here.
The flying squadron of the El Paso Presbytery visited Carlsbad this week Wednesday and Thursday. The party is composed of Rev. W. M. Fairley, of El Paso, Rev. B. K. Tenley, of Barstow, Rev. Guy B. Duff, of Colorado and Dr. Thompson, of Daniel-Baker college. They came to this city from Lovington and have held and will hold their progressive programs in most of the Presbyterian churches in this part of the state and adjoining parts of Texas. They announce their purpose as not to raise money but to bring information and inspiration. An all-day meeting and dinner at the local church yesterday featured the occasion which was much enjoyed and appreciated by Carlsbad people.

Muri Nornhanser returned Wednesday from his trip to Kansas City and other points in Missouri and Kansas, where he went to look into the fur and hide conditions at the beginning of the season. He was accompanied on the return by his uncle, J. G. Munson, of Garnet, Kansas, who, with his wife and daughter, will make this city their home. This is the first visit of the Munson family to the west and naturally they find it very different from their home in Kansas; the daughter will enter the eighth grade in Carlsbad schools. Mr. Munson is a heavy stockholder in the Pecos Valley Hide & Fur Company and will have active charge of the junk end of that business, he being an experienced junk dealer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Farmer, of Indianapolis, Indiana, are newcomers, and are stopping with the family of Chris Walter on Fox St.

Mesdames F. E. Little and J. I. Penny were hostesses to parties of their friends at the Penny home Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Twenty guests enjoyed the hospitality on Tuesday and eighteen on Wednesday afternoons. A delightful informal time was experienced with two course refreshments as a fitting finale to the pleasant affair.

Miss Edna Oppo came in Wednesday from Pecos and is in the city looking for a location and will probably remain here for the winter.

F. M. Hatfield and daughter, Miss Inez, were in town yesterday from their home in the lower valley. Miss Hatfield coming to consult an eye specialist. They brot with them Miss Emma Kendall, who has also been having eye trouble. Mr. Hatfield having sold his farm in that section, will have to give possession the first of the year and may decide to return again to this city to live if he can suit himself in a home here.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Sunday school at 9:45 A. M.; Sunbeams at 3 P. M.; preaching at 11 A. M., only. Junior B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 P. M. The Fifth Sunday meeting begins at Loving Friday, at 7 P. M., and runs over Sunday night, at which hour the Pecos Valley Association B. Y. P. U. will render the program. We, therefore, will not have service at night. REV. T. C. MAHAN, Pastor.

THANKS!

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church wish to thank all who so kindly assisted us in our recent play.

MRS. D. JACKSON.

Miss Naomi Matney has taken a position in the office of Dr. F. P. Doepf as office attendant, beginning her work there the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunbar are newcomers from Kentucky who are here for the benefit of the winter climate Mr. Dunbar being in poor health. They have taken one of the Dishman cottages for the winter.

W. M. Atkinson, of Roswell, is in town this week on business of various kinds.

The streets of the city are being dragged since the heavy rain the first of the week and it is hoped that some of the roughness may be obliterated in this manner.

Indiana Jazz Band will furnish music for the American Legion dance on Armistice Day, November 11th and a splendid lunch will be served during the evening.

Willoughby Hegler and little daughter are both at Eddy county hospital today for the removal of troublesome tonsils.

Granville Widner, of Cotulla, Texas, left for his home last Wednesday after a short stay with friends in this city, going overland.

NOTICE.

All Property Owners
Is Your Title Good?
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How do
You Know?
The
Only Way
To Be Sure
Is To
Have
An Abstract
Showing
How
Your Title Reads.
This
May Save You
Time and Money.
Our Charges
Are Moderate
Our ABSTRACTS
Are Accurate.
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Make You One.
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Satisfied

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In answer to inquiries received by us relative to the status of the proposed Hi-Line canal, we are informed that the interested land owners of that project have raised their pro rata for the preliminary investigation which funds have been turned over to the Water Users' Association and they have turned the amount over to the Reclamation Service. This money is to be used to examine into the feasibility and practicability of the Third Reservoir site on Rocky Arroyo. Should the report of the engineers be favorable the remainder of the cost of the survey which is estimated at \$7,500, will be raised.

Mrs. Claude Farris returned yesterday from a two month's stay in Tennessee, Kentucky, and Missouri, where she visited with a sister, her mother and many friends. She returns to Carlsbad very much improved in health and quite rested after her long visit. Her many friends will be glad to see her at the little home looked lonely without its mistress.

The Santa Fe has announced a change in the arrival and departure of trains, to be effective the 14th of November and which is as follows: Eastbound No. 52, leave Carlsbad at 8 P. M. Westbound No. 91 arrive at Carlsbad 4 P. M. Train No. 51 will leave Carlsbad for Pecos at 8 A. M. Train No. 52 will arrive from Pecos at 6 P. M.

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A NEW BUSINESS.

Judge B. Frank Bule, who came to Carlsbad in the early fall, has opened an office for the sale of lands. His office is in the James building and he will give his attention to all business in which the sale, leasing or exchange of lands is considered. Judge Bule has been in this business for a number of years in a neighboring state.

Mrs. Arthur Hoose and her little girls left last night for their new home in Roswell. Friends here, while regretting their departure, have only good wishes for their health and prosperity in the upper valley town.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. McKinney, of this city, Friday, the 22nd, instant, a boy baby to whom is extended the best wishes of the current for a long and prosperous life.

PROMINENT MINISTER FAVORS LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

In an interview Rev. Geo. H. Givan, of Carlsbad, New Mexico, said: "I am for the League of Nations and for Governor Cox. It is the greatest opportunity the world has ever had to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ to the uttermost parts of the world. Every preacher and minister of every church and every Christian should embrace this opportunity to lay a sure foundation for the spread of Christianity."

Sixteen years ago Rev. Givan then a member of the Louisville conference and stationed at Greenville, was forced to move to New Mexico because of ill health. Since then he has attained unusual success in the ministry and filled some of the most important pastorates in his church. He filled the pulpit at the Methodist church last Sunday in this city and delivered a very able sermon.—Stephensburg Mirror.

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Van Camp's Evaporated Milk, Dozen 12 Ounce Cans	\$1.38
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Beech-Nut Brand Grape Jelly (glass) medium24

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COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

BE IT REMEMBERED, that the Board of County Commissioners met in Special Session on this the 12th day of October, 1920, at which meeting the following proceedings were had:

Present: C. E. Mann, chairman. L. A. Swigart, Commissioner from District No. 1. J. N. Hewitt, Sheriff. D. M. Jackson, County Clerk.

Absent: W. E. Rose, commissioner from District No. 3. It is moved and carried that the election proclamation submitted by the Clerk be and the same is hereby approved and ordered published in the Carlsbad Current and the Artesia Advocate for two successive issues which election proclamation is as follows:

ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

Whereas by section 1577 of the New Mexico Statutes, Codification of 1915, it is made the duty of the Board of County Commissioners of each county, in the state of New Mexico, to proclaim the elections that are to be held in the respective counties for the purpose of voting for candidates for the different offices and other matters and do so ten days before the election by proclamation and to be published in each of the two leading newspapers published in said county and give public notice of the objects of the election and the officers to be voted for and names of the candidates for each of said offices as the names are on file in the office of the county clerk, and the post office addresses of each of said candidates, and the place where said election is to be held in each precinct, in said county, where there are no daily newspapers published in said county, said notice may be inserted in a weekly newspaper and where the same is inserted in a weekly newspaper, it must be inserted at least two issues before the day that said election is to be held.

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the Board of County Commissioners of Eddy county, New Mexico, pursuant to law, and the authority vested in us do hereby proclaim, and order an election to be held in Eddy county, state of New Mexico, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of November, A. D., 1920.

We do further proclaim that at said election the qualified voters of said county shall vote for the following officers to be elected by the state at large.

Three presidential electors.

One representative in congress to serve the term of 2 years.

One Governor to serve the term of 2 years.

One Lieutenant Governor to serve the term of 2 years.

One Secretary of State to serve the term of 2 years.

One State Auditor to serve the term of 2 years.

One State Treasurer to serve the term of 2 years.

One Attorney General to serve the term of 2 years.

One Superintendent of Public Instruction to serve the term of 2 years.

One Commissioner of Public Lands to serve the term of 2 years.

One Judge of the Supreme Court to serve a term of 8 years.

One State Corporation Commissioner to serve the term of 6 years.

We do further proclaim that at said election the qualified voters of the county of Eddy shall vote for the following officers to be elected by the Fifth Judicial district of the State of New Mexico:

Two District Attorneys, to serve the term of four years.

We do further proclaim that at said election the qualified voters of said county of Eddy shall vote for the following officers to be elected by the county of Eddy:

One State Senator to serve the term of 2 years, from the Twentieth Senatorial District.

Two Representatives to the State Legislature to serve the term of 2 years from the Nineteenth Legislative District.

One County Commissioner of the first district to serve the term of 2 years.

One County Commissioner of the second district to serve the term of 2 years.

One County Commissioner of the third district to serve the term of 2 years.

One Probate Judge to serve the term of 2 years.

One County Clerk to serve the term of 2 years.

One Sheriff to serve the term of 2 years.

One Assessor to serve the term of 2 years.

One Treasurer to serve the term of 2 years.

One Superintendent of Schools to serve the term of 2 years.

One Surveyor to serve the term of 2 years.

We do further proclaim that the names of the candidates on said election together with the post office addresses on file in the office of the County Clerk are as follows:

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Presidential Electors—R. L. Young, Las Cruces, N. M.

Severino Martinez, Black Lake, N. M.
James B. Priddy, Portales, N. M.
For Representative in Congress—Antonio Lucero, Las Vegas, N. M.
For Governor—Richard H. Hanna, Albuquerque, N. M.
For Lieutenant Governor—J. D. Atwood, Roswell, N. M.
For Secretary of State—Florence C. de Baca, Las Vegas, N. M.
For State Auditor—Carlos Manzanarez, Park View, N. M.
For State Treasurer—Harry Slack, Gallup, N. M.
For Attorney General—Robert C. Dow, Carlsbad, N. M.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction—H. S. Tipton, Alamogordo, N. M.
For Commissioner of Public Lands—H. L. Kerr, Canby, N. M.
For Justice of the State Supreme Court—Harry L. Patton, Clovis, N. M.
For Member State Corporation Commission—George L. Perrin, East Vaughn, N. M.
For District Attorneys of the Fifth Judicial District—Dillard H. Wyatt, Roswell, N. M.
C. M. Compton, Jr., Portales, N. M.
For State Senator of the Twentieth Senatorial District—D. G. Grantham, Carlsbad, N. M.
For State Representative of the Nineteenth Legislative District—Allen C. Heard, Lovington, N. M.
F. C. Hartell, Artesia, N. M.
For County Commissioner, First District—J. H. James, Carlsbad, N. M.
For County Commissioner Second District—G. R. Howard, Loving, N. M.
For County Commissioner Third District—Hollis G. Watson, Hope, N. M.
For Probate Judge—Fred E. Wilson, Carlsbad, N. M.
For County Clerk—D. M. Jackson, Carlsbad, N. M.
For Sheriff—George W. Patton, Carlsbad, N. M.
For Assessor—Joe Johns, Carlsbad, N. M.
For County Treasurer—Aud E. Lusk, Carlsbad, N. M.
For Superintendent of Schools—Geo. M. Brinton, Carlsbad, N. M.
For County Surveyor—Oliver C. Payne, Carlsbad, N. M.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Presidential Electors—E. A. Cahoon, Roswell, N. M.
Antonio Gomes, Moriarty, N. M.
S. B. Davis, Jr., East Las Vegas, N. M.
For Representative in Congress—Nestor Montoya, Albuquerque, N. M.
For Governor—Merritt C. Mechem, Socorro, N. M.
For Lieutenant Governor—William H. Duckworth, Clovis, N. M.
For Secretary of State—Manuel Martinez, Santa Fe, N. M.
For State Auditor—Edward L. Safford, Santa Fe, N. M.
For State Treasurer—Charles U. Strong, Santa Fe, N. M.
For Attorney General—Harry S. Bowman, Santa Fe, N. M.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction—John V. Conway, Santa Fe, N. M.
For Commissioner of Public Lands—Nelson A. Field, Santa Fe, N. M.
For Justice of the State Supreme Court—Frank W. Parker, Santa Fe, N. M.
For Member State Corporation Commission—Hugh H. Williams, Santa Fe, N. M.
For District Attorneys of the Fifth Judicial District—S. E. Perree, Artesia, N. M.
W. E. Lindsey, Portales, N. M.
For State Senator of the Twentieth Senatorial District—Frank W. Parker, Santa Fe, N. M.
For State Representative of the Nineteenth Legislative District—Hugh H. Williams, Santa Fe, N. M.
For County Commissioner, First District—Hugh H. Williams, Santa Fe, N. M.
For County Commissioner Second District—Hugh H. Williams, Santa Fe, N. M.
For County Commissioner Third District—Hugh H. Williams, Santa Fe, N. M.
For Probate Judge—Hugh H. Williams, Santa Fe, N. M.
For County Clerk—Hugh H. Williams, Santa Fe, N. M.
For Sheriff—Hugh H. Williams, Santa Fe, N. M.
For Assessor—Hugh H. Williams, Santa Fe, N. M.
For County Treasurer—Hugh H. Williams, Santa Fe, N. M.
For Superintendent of Schools—Hugh H. Williams, Santa Fe, N. M.
For County Surveyor—Hugh H. Williams, Santa Fe, N. M.

FARMER LABOR TICKET.

For Presidential Electors—Louis Ve Verka, San Marcial, N. M.
J. D. Hume, Alamogordo, N. M.
Donald McRae, East Las Vegas, N. M.
For Representative in Congress—A. James McDonald, Clayton, N. M.
For Governor—W. E. McGrath, Delon, N. M.

For Lieutenant Governor—Edward Schwab, Clovis, N. M.
For Secretary of State—T. M. Dolores, Arrey, N. M.
For State Auditor—Frank J. Ashe, Carrizozo, N. M.
For State Treasurer—Claude Blackburn, Bellview, N. M.
For Attorney General—Thomas F. Savage, Clayton, N. M.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction—G. W. Austin, Albuquerque, N. M.
For Commissioner of Public Lands—E. H. Stout, Gallup, N. M.
For Justice of the State Supreme Court—Edward D. Tittman, Hillsboro, N. M.
For Member State Corporation Commission—James Rogers, Mounlainair, N. M.
For District Attorneys of the Fifth Judicial District—Edward D. Tittman, Hillsboro, N. M.
For State Senator of the Twentieth Senatorial District—Edward D. Tittman, Hillsboro, N. M.
For State Representative of the Nineteenth Legislative District—For County Commissioner, First District—Edward D. Tittman, Hillsboro, N. M.
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For Superintendent of Schools—Edward D. Tittman, Hillsboro, N. M.
For County Surveyor—Edward D. Tittman, Hillsboro, N. M.

We do further proclaim that the places where said election shall be held in said County of Eddy are as follows, to-wit:

Precinct No. 1, Carlsbad.
Precinct No. 2, Malaga.
Precinct No. 3, Hope.
Precinct No. 4, Lakewood.
Precinct No. 5, Loving.
Precinct No. 6, Artesia.
Precinct No. 7, Dayton.
Precinct No. 8, Queen.
Precinct No. 9, Otis.
Precinct No. 10, Cottonwood.

The following persons are hereby appointed as judges of said election:

Carlsbad, Precinct No. 1—C. D. Rickman.
J. D. Hudgins.
Joe Werthman.
Malaga, Precinct No. 2—Jesse Plowman.
John Queen.
A. Bowers.

Hope, Precinct No. 3—E. L. Brewer.
Noel L. Johnson.
W. P. Riley.

Lakewood, Precinct No. 4—B. L. McAleer.
A. B. Woods.
A. C. Crozier.

Loving, Precinct No. 5—T. J. Fletcher.
F. R. Dickson.
H. M. Bright.

Artesia, Precinct No. 6—C. W. Williams.
Will Benson.

Dayton, Precinct No. 7—W. G. Marable.
J. T. Gillette.
E. S. Wallace.

Queen, Precinct No. 8—David McCallum.
Collins Gerrells.
Tom Middleton.

Otis, Precinct No. 9—W. D. Bales.
W. W. Galton.
R. B. Worley.

Cottonwood, Precinct No. 10—G. W. O'Bannon.
Oscar Pearson.
J. F. Donald.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

That pursuant to Chapter 172, Laws of 1919, the following act is hereby submitted to the qualified voters at the General Election to be held November 2, 1920:

STATE HIGHWAY BOND PROPOSALS.

CHAPTER 172.

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS BY THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE SUM OF TWO MILLION DOLLARS TO PROVIDE FUNDS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENT OF STATE HIGHWAYS, PROVIDING A TAX LEVY FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST AND PRINCIPAL OF SAID BONDS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 86, (as amended): Approved March 17, 1919.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of New Mexico:

Section 1—For the purpose of providing funds for the construction and improvement of State Highways and for meeting allotments of Federal funds made to the state under the Act of Congress known as the "Federal Road Act," an indebtedness of the State of New Mexico is hereby authorized in the sum of two million dollars.

Section 2—Immediately after the issuing of the proclamation of the Governor as provided in Section 16 of this act, the State Treasurer shall prepare negotiable coupon bonds of the State of New Mexico in the denomination of one thousand dollars each, or such smaller denominations not less than one hundred dollars each as the Governor shall determine, to be numbered consecutively and to bear date January 1st 1921; said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of

four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of July and the first day of January each year, and both principal and interest shall be payable in gold coin or its equivalent in lawful money of the United States at the office of the State Treasurer in the City of Santa Fe, New Mexico, or at some bank in the City of New York, State of New York, or such other place as may be designated in said bonds and in the coupons attached thereto, at the option of the holder. The principal of said bonds shall be payable to bearer thirty years after their date; and it shall be provided in said bonds that they may be redeemed at the option of the state at any time after ten years from their date; said bonds shall be signed by the Governor, attested by the Secretary of State, under the seal of the state, and countersigned by the State Treasurer, and shall be registered by the State Auditor in a book to be kept by him for that purpose in which shall be entered the date, number amount and series of each bond sold and the amount for which the same shall have been sold. The full faith and credit of the State of New Mexico is hereby pledged for the prompt payment at maturity of all the said bonds which may be issued and sold as provided in this act.

It shall be provided in each bond so issued that if it shall be called for redemption before maturity notice thereof in writing shall be given to the State Treasurer to the bank designated in the bonds as the alternative place for payment, at least thirty days before the date fixed for redemption, and in addition thereto notice thereof shall be published by the State Treasurer in a newspaper published in Santa Fe, New Mexico, and also in a newspaper published in the City of New York, State of New York, once each week for four successive weeks next prior to the date fixed for redemption and if any bond so called for redemption be not then presented for payment, it shall cease to bear interest from and after the date so fixed for redemption.

Section 3—Interest coupons payable to bearer shall be attached to each of said bonds and shall be consecutively numbered specifying the number of the bond to which they are attached and shall bear the lithographed or engraved facsimile of the signature of the State Treasurer in office at the time when such bonds are prepared and printed, and such coupons shall be valid obligations of the state notwithstanding that the person whose signature appears thereon may have ceased to be such State Treasurer when such bonds are issued and sold; and said bonds signed, countersigned and attested as in this act provided shall, when duly issued and sold be valid obligations of the State although the issue and sale thereof be made after the persons so signing, countersigning and attesting the same shall have ceased to be the incumbents of their respective offices. The bonds authorized by this act shall be sold by the State Treasurer at such time and in such amounts as the Governor shall direct to the highest bidder for cash. The Governor shall issue such directions to the State Treasurer upon being requested to do so by resolutions of the State Highway Commission specifying the amount of money which in the judgment of said Commission shall be required from time to time for the purposes for which such indebtedness is authorized. Before offering any of such bonds for sale the State Treasurer shall detach therefrom any coupons which may have matured or will mature before the date fixed for such sale. He shall publish a notice of the time and place of sale in one newspaper published in Santa Fe, New Mexico, in one newspaper published in Albuquerque, New Mexico, and in one newspaper published in each of the cities of New York, State of New York, and Chicago, State of Illinois, once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date fixed for such sale, such days being not less than thirty days after the first advertisement in each of said newspapers; such notice shall specify the amount, denomination, maturity and description of the bonds to be sold and the place, day and hour at which sealed bids will be received for the purchase of said bonds. At the time and place named in said notice the said State Treasurer and the Governor, or in his absence the president or a member of the State Highway Commission shall open all bids in public and shall award the bonds, or any part thereof, to the bidder or bidders offering the highest price therefor. They may reject any and all bids and may refuse to make any award unless satisfactory security shall be furnished by a bidder for compliance with the terms of the bid. Said bonds shall be sold in consecutive numerical order and no bid shall be accepted which is less than the par value of such bonds plus the interest which shall have accrued thereon between the date last preceding interest maturity date and the date of the sale. The proceeds placed to the credit of the State of the sale of such bonds shall be placed to the credit of the State Road Fund, except such amount as may have been paid as accrued interest on such bonds which shall be credited to a special interest fund for payment of interest on such bonds. The moneys placed in the State Road Fund from the proceeds of such bonds shall be used exclusively for the purposes for which the said indebtedness is authorized. The expenses incurred by the Treas-

urer in the preparation of the said bonds and in advertising the sale thereof shall be paid out of funds available in the State Road Fund. The proceeds realized from the sale of said bonds shall be paid out by the State Treasurer under the authority and direction of the State Highway Commission of the State of New Mexico, and the State Highway Commission is hereby authorized and directed to expend the said proceeds from the sale of said bonds in the different counties of the State of New Mexico in the construction of roads in said counties, the amounts to be expended in the respective counties in the State to be in proportion to the amount of assessed valuation in each of said counties of all the property therein, according to the tax rolls of the respective counties, and the amount so to be expended in each of said counties shall be determined by the said State Highway Commission from the tax rolls of said counties for the year 1920 as they shall be on file in the office of the State Tax Commission of the State of New Mexico for said year.

Section 4—To provide for the payment of the interest and principal of any bonds issued pursuant to the provisions of this act there shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied during each year in which the said bonds shall be outstanding an annual ad valorem tax on all property in the State of New Mexico subject to taxation for state purposes sufficient to produce a sum equal to one year's interest on all the said bonds then outstanding. In each year after said bonds shall have run for five years, there shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied on all property in the State of New Mexico subject to taxation for state purposes, an annual ad valorem tax sufficient to pay the principal of said bonds at maturity. The taxes hereby authorized, imposed and levied shall be levied, assessed and collected in the same manner as other taxes for state purposes, and it shall be the duty of the State Auditor and of all assessors and local taxing authorities to cause said taxes to be levied, assessed and collected in the same manner and at the same times as other taxes for state purposes are levied, assessed and collected.

Section 5—The State Treasurer shall keep separate accounts of all moneys collected under the taxes hereby levied and imposed for the payment of the interest and sinking fund of said bonds respectively and shall from time to time invest the moneys in said sinking funds in any bonds or other securities issued by the State of New Mexico, or in any bonds or securities of any county in said state, or in any bonds of any city or school district therein at their market value; Provided, such bonds or securities are payable from a tax upon all taxable property in such county, city or school districts and that all such bonds or securities so purchased shall mature before the maturity of the bonds for which said sinking fund is created.

Section 6—Any holder of any of the bonds issued pursuant to the provisions of this act and any person or officer being a party in interest may either at law or in equity, by suit, action or mandamus enforce and compel the performance of the duties required by this act of any of the officers or persons herein mentioned.

Section 7—All bonds issued under the provisions of this act shall be exempt from taxation.

Section 8—The provisions of this act shall constitute an irrevocable contract with the holders of any bonds and the coupons thereof issued pursuant to the provisions of this act for the full performance of which by the state and its officers and taxing authorities the full faith and credit of the State of New Mexico is hereby pledged.

This act shall without reference to any other act of the Legislature of the State of New Mexico be full authority for the issuance and sale of the bonds hereby authorized, which bonds and the coupons thereto attached, shall have all the qualities of negotiable paper under the law of merchant and shall not be invalid for any irregularity or defect in the proceedings for the issue and sale thereof and shall be incontestable in the hands of bona fide purchasers or holders thereof for value.

Section 9—This act shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the state at the general elec-

tion to be held in the month of November in the year 1920, and it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the State to cause this act to be published in full in at least one newspaper in each county of the state, if one be published therein once each week for four successive weeks next preceding such election. All ballots used at said election shall have printed thereon the words "For State Highway Bond Act", and in a separate line under the same words, "Against State Highway Bond Act." Opposite each of said lines there shall be a square in which the voter may mark a cross to indicate whether he votes for or against the said bond act, and those voting for said act shall do so by placing a cross in the square opposite the words, "For State Highway Bond Act," and those voting against the same shall do so by placing a cross in the square opposite the words, "Against State Highway Bond Act."

Section 10—The votes cast for and against said bond act shall be counted, returned, canvassed and the result declared and certified in the same manner as votes cast for state officers and if it appears that this act shall have received a majority of all the votes cast thereon at such election, the Governor shall make proclamation thereof and thereupon this act shall immediately take effect and shall be irrevocable until the principal and interest of all bonds issued and sold hereunder shall be paid and satisfied. But if a majority of the votes cast thereon at such election shall be against this act, the same shall not take effect. The cost of publication of the notice herein provided for shall be paid out of funds available in the State Road Fund.

Section 11—That it is necessary for the preservation of the public peace and safety of the inhabitants of the State of New Mexico that the provisions of this act shall become effective at the earliest time, and therefore an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

It having been shown that there is insufficient funds in the General Fund with which to pay current expenses, and this Board having recently transferred the sum of \$750.00 from the Interest On Deposit Fund to the Court Fund.

IT IS THE ORDER OF THIS BOARD that the previous order of transfer be rescinded and this amount be transferred to the General Fund, and the Clerk is so instructed to advise the Treasurer of this action.

It being further shown that there is now in the Index Fund the sum of \$751.94 which is not needed for any purpose, this Board after having consulted and obtained the advice and consent of the District Judge, Hon. Chas. H. Brice, and the District Attorney, Hon. Robert C. Dow, to make this transfer.

IT IS THE ORDER OF THIS BOARD that this amount be transferred from the Index Fund to the General Fund, and the Clerk is hereby instructed to advise the Treasurer of this action.

IT IS THE FURTHER ACTION OF THIS BOARD that the sum of \$184.00 be transferred from the Interest On Deposit Fund to the General Fund, and the Clerk is hereby instructed to advise the Treasurer of this action.

The Depository Bond of The First National Bank of Loving, New Mexico, having been filed with this Board, and said Bond having been found to be in regular form.

IT IS THE ORDER OF THIS BOARD that this Bond be approved.

WHEREUPON the Board adjourned.

C. E. MANN, Chairman.

D. M. JACKSON, Clerk.

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LESSON FOR OCTOBER 31

HEW DOWN THE CORRUPT TREE
—WORLD'S TEMPERANCE
SUNDAY.

LESSON TEXT—Matt. 7:15-19.
GOLDEN TEXT—Every tree that bringeth forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire.—Matt. 7:19.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Good Trees and Bad Trees.
JUNIOR TOPIC—A Sharp Axe for a Corrupt Tree.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—The Fruits of the Liqueur Traffic.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Complete Destruction of the Liqueur Traffic.

The king having completed the enumeration of the laws of the kingdom, makes application as follows:

I. Entrance into the Kingdom Urged.
(vv. 13, 14).

There are two ways only before each one—life and death, heaven and hell. The grand incentive held out is that it is the way to life. He just as plainly declares that the gate affording an entrance is straight and the way narrow. But while it is straight and narrow, it is an open gate, and all are invited to enter. Though the gate that leads to eternal life be straight and the way narrow in the beginning, it broadens out in every respect until the fullness of life is realized. On the other hand, the way which at first seems broad and pleasant becomes the way of the most abject slavery and limitation.

II. Warnings Against False Teachers.
(vv. 15-20).

1. Their real existence (v. 15). Ever since God has had a people, false prophets and teachers have appeared among them. That they appear everywhere need not at all surprise us, for Christ foretold that such should be the case (Matt. 24:11).

2. Their nature (v. 15). (1) They are hypocritical. The Devil does his most successful work by masquerading as an angel of light (II Cor. 11:14, 15.) His ministers appear in this way and turn people from the narrow to the broad way. If the evil one would appear as he really is, his success would not be great. From the day when he appeared to Eve in the garden until this present time, his success has been due to his ability to deceive. (2) They are destructive. This is suggested by their being ravening wolves. It is when the wolf is in sheep's clothing that he does his most destructive work. It is so today. False teachers are doing their most deadly work while pretending to be loyal to the Bible and to Jesus Christ.

3. The unfailing test (vv. 16-18). "By their fruits ye shall know them." Every tree bears its own kind of fruit. Nature is inexorable in her laws as to this. One may search the universe in vain for an exception to this law. It is equally true in the spiritual world. There is a vital connection between the faith of the heart and the fruit of the life. That which comes out in the conduct was first in the heart. A right heart is essential to right conduct.

4. Their ultimate end (v. 19). All false teachers shall be finally punished by being cast into the fire. Although God has infinite patience and bears long, he will see to it that this work does not go on forever.

III. The Dangers of Empty Profession (vv. 21-23).

1. Merely calling Christ "Lord" will not answer for doing his will.

2. One may even do supernatural works and not be saved (vv. 22, 23).

Not all supernatural works are divine. There is a supernatural world of evil. It is the business of every believer to test the spirits (I John 4:1, 2).

3. Separation from God (v. 23). You may be a Sunday school teacher or preacher, and even perform many mighty works, as casting out devils, healing the sick, and yet bear from Jesus Christ, the King, the awful declaration "I never knew you, depart from me."

IV. The One and Only Safe Way (vv. 24-29).

1. Hear the sayings of Christ (v. 24). To do this you must give attention to reading the word of God. Avail yourself of every means at your command to become acquainted with God.

2. Do what Christ commands (v. 24-26). One must put to practice Christ's teachings. Hearing and doing the teachings of Christ is building upon the solid rock. Christ Jesus, the Rock of Ages, is the only right foundation upon which to build. Such building can never be destroyed by flood and storm. Hearing and not doing Christ's sayings is building upon the sand, which in the time of the storm of God's wrath and judgment will be utterly destroyed. Obedience must follow hearing Christ.

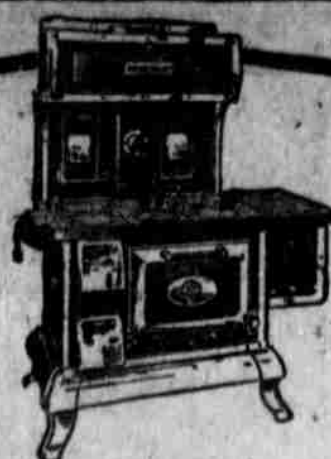
A Prayer.

That it may please Thee to wean my affections from all things below; and to fill me with ardent desires after heaven; and finally to make me partaker of all Thy blessings and promises in Christ Jesus; I beseech Thee to hear me, Good Lord.—From Little's Devotions.

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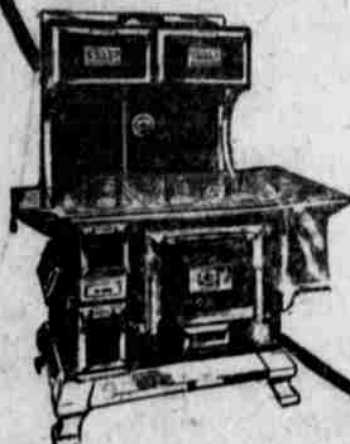
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LOCAL NEWS

Tom Gray spent part of the week in town this week from his ranch west of here.

Jim Simpson, an old time resident of this city, but now holding down a ranch at Chalk Bluff, east of Artesia, was a business visitor to the county seat this week.

Hon. R. C. Dow, after spending the week-end in Roswell on legal business, returned the latter part of last week and spent Sunday with his family west of the city.

Little Isabel, the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dow, who has been quite ill for several days, continues in the same condition at the family home west of the city.

Henry Jones and Homer Calar were among the lucky hunters of the season, going out Wednesday of last week and returning Friday with a fine deer as a result of their hunt.

Richard Westaway is in town waiting for the clouds to roll by so that he may return again to his ranch in the foothills west of town.

Captain and Mrs. Littlefield, of El Paso, were house guests at the Bujac home in La Huerta, the latter part of last week and the first of this.

Hon. Robt. C. Dow, is spending a part of the week in Roswell in preparation for the next session of District court which will convene in that city in the immediate future.

Mrs. Burns, who has been at the R. C. Dow home during the serious illness of little Isabel, has returned to her home in Artesia going up Tuesday night.

Rev. Geo. H. Givan and wife are expected to return Sunday afternoon from a lengthy visit to Stephensburg, Kentucky, where they have friends and relatives and which place was their former home.

Miss Platt, a sister of our fellow townsman, Rush E. Platt, arrived in the city some days ago from Chicago. Miss Platt plans an extended visit here and as she is a graduate nurse, is hoping she may secure employment and remain in this city.

J. W. Ferguson has spent the week in town with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Haines, returning last night to Roswell, where he now makes his home. He rather anticipates moving to Clovis in the near future.

Carl G. Sutton, of Roswell, came down from there last Friday and spent most of the week in the city on business.

Mrs. Boston Witt and Mrs. Georgia Witt Lusk and her three children are in town, coming Wednesday afternoon and expecting to remain three or four days. The ladies have moved to the Witt ranch and will have a better opportunity to visit with their friends in this city than when they were living at Lovington.

A letter received from Mrs. Regnier, who left last week in company with her brother and sister, Max and Miss Virginia Prickett, expecting to go straight through to Wamega, Kansas, located them at Las Vegas, they having had car trouble of a very serious nature, which necessitated their remaining at that place for some time while their car was being repaired. It is hoped that they are safely on their way by this time.

A. L. Barnes, who it will be remembered was seriously hurt at the Otis crossing some months ago when a hand car on which he was riding came into collision with the Lee Bates automobile, was in town over Sunday from the hospital of the Santa Fe at Clovis. He has had a long, weary time and has not yet been discharged from that institution, but hopes to soon be able to take up his work again.

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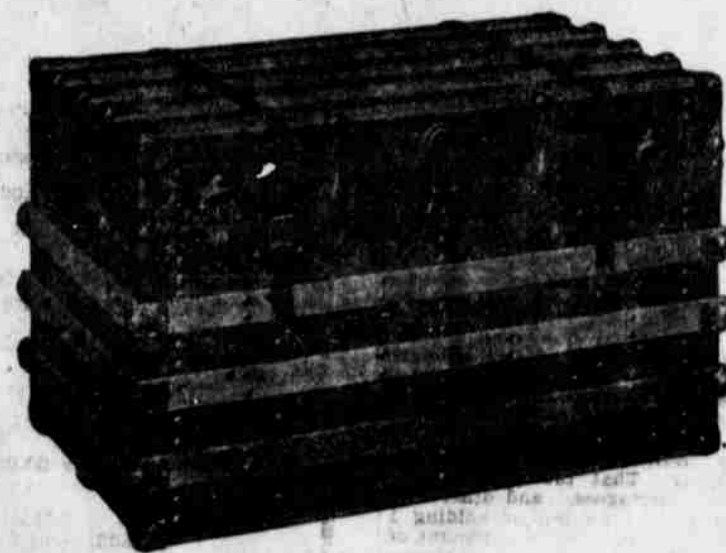
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HUNTERS GET LOST.

Most of the deer hunters have returned from their trips to the mountains and nearly all of them with game. The Marquis party are credited with a deer apiece, also D. M. Jackson and the Moss party. Some of the hunters had very strenuous times, because of the heavy snowstorms which struck that section last Saturday night. Professors Donley and Wallace, and the latter gentleman's father, who were in the Devil's Den country, became lost and for a time matters looked rather serious for them, owing to the blinding snow which prevented their finding their way. As it was Mesara, Wallace spent a night in the open without coats, although at midnight they had the good fortune to secure brush with which they started a fire and kept from freezing until morning when they found their way back to the cabin where they had left their supplies and coats. As soon as possible they started for home reaching here Wednesday afternoon little the worse for their experience, but not anxious to repeat it. The snow on the level was estimated to be about thirty inches in depth an unprecedented snow fall for this time of the year.

THE CARLSBAD PROJECT, NEW MEXICO.

The weather during August was generally cloudy and damp, with 1.59 inches of rainfall; there was very little hot weather except at the beginning of the month. The total run-off of the Pecos river for the month amounted to 14,950 acre feet. The maximum flow was 630 second feet on Aug. 18, and the minimum flow was 60 second feet for a short period.

Labor conditions on the project have been better than at any time during the season. This is due in part to the completion of the rush work of the cotton crop and to the addition of new labor from the Mexican border in the anticipation of picking the cotton crop. There is a tendency for lower prices of farm labor on the farms.

There was an excessive demand for water during the early part of the month; the rain during the latter part of the month supplied moisture for row crops and the demand for irrigation water was materially decreased. A comparatively large force was working in the lateral system, cleaning weeds and grass. Two maintenance crews were at work throughout the month employed principally on laterals. Copper sulphate was placed in open drains to kill a dense growth of algae.

The cotton crop made excellent growth during the early part of the month and was reported to be fruiting heavily all over the project. Frequent showers and much cloudy weather after the middle of the month caused excessive plant growth to the detriment of the proper fruiting of the plant. The crop generally, however, was in very good condition, and about 10 days behind the condition on the same date last season. The third crop of alfalfa hay has been harvested and there was considerable hay damaged during the month. Shipments have been active, and the prices received have ranged from \$17 to \$21 per ton, depending on grade. The harvesting of the alfalfa seed crop was in progress during the latter half of the month. An estimate places the acreage in alfalfa seed at about 2,000 acres. The first thrashing made a yield of upward of 500 pounds per acre of clean seed. The sale of several lots of cotton of last year's crop was made at prices considerably less than those received on the project last season. These sales were made principally on the New Orleans market.—F. E. Foster, in Reclamation Record.

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Said the Angel, "Come on blacksmith"

There's the Pearly Gate, I see," But the blacksmith only murmured, "This is heaven enough for me."

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