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# The Carlsbad Current

TWENTY-NINTH YEAR.

CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO, FRIDAY, AUGUST 19, 1921.

NUMBER 37.

## DELEGATES ARE ELECTED TO THE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

The Eddy County Democratic Convention was held at the Court House on last Saturday at 2 P. M. pursuant to call.

S. D. Stennis Jr. was named as temporary chairman and A. E. Dunk as temporary Secretary. Later the temporary organization was made permanent.

A Committee consisting of G. W. Batton, Joe Johns and N. C. Doering was named to nominate delegates to attend the State Convention at Albuquerque on the 18th inst. and the committee reported the following names:

G. W. O'Bannon  
O. A. Pearson  
Mrs. O. A. Pearson  
Mrs. G. R. Brainard  
Mrs. John Lowry  
Mrs. Ruth Skeen  
Mrs. F. G. Hartell  
F. G. Hartell  
Albert Blake  
Tom Stagner  
E. L. Brewer  
Mrs. E. L. Brewer  
Bryant Williams  
Mrs. Bryant Williams  
Tom Middleton  
W. R. Shattuck  
C. W. Beaman  
Mrs. Jess Plowman  
Mrs. L. W. Arthur  
L. W. Arthur  
Tom Fletcher  
Mrs. J. C. Wilson  
D. G. Grantham  
Mrs. D. G. Grantham  
George Batton  
Mrs. George Batton  
D. M. Jackson  
Mrs. D. M. Jackson  
F. H. Richards  
Mrs. F. H. Richards  
Mrs. M. R. Smith  
Mrs. C. D. Rickman  
M. C. Stewart  
D. S. Martin  
Mrs. D. S. Martin  
Dr. B. L. McAleer  
Mrs. Walter McDonald  
W. C. Marable  
Mrs. C. Marable  
W. T. Reed  
Mrs. W. T. Reed  
S. L. Perry  
Mrs. S. L. Perry  
Mr. Hoffman  
Mrs. Hoffman  
Mrs. L. H. Bates  
L. H. Bates  
Mrs. Joe Johns

Upon motion duly seconded, it was voted:

That such of said delegates as may be present from time to time be authorized to cast the entire vote of Eddy county as the majority of delegates present may from time to time determine.

Several enthusiastic talks were made by different delegates after which the meeting was adjourned.

### MOHAIR GROWERS MEET.

The Pecos Valley Mohair Growers Association held its semi-annual meeting in Carlsbad, Monday August 15th. Present Dave McCollum, president; C. S. Grammer, vice-president; George McCollum and Melvin Bearup. There being no quorum very little could be accomplished; it was the opinion of those present that it was not practical to shear kids; as to baling, it was decided to leave that up to a future meeting, this being so poorly attended. The price of shearing was put at three cents and the price of herding was set at not over \$25.00 per month.

Mr. Van Gieson, of the Biological Department met with the members to explain to them a plan to destroy predatory animals, and it was decided that owing to the present financial condition, the matter would be taken up with the cattlemen and sheepmen and try to effect an organization as the plan was endorsed by all present and it was further resolved that the Mohair Growers petition the Biological Department to assist us in every way possible.

J. C. DEMOSS, Sec-Treas.

### OTIS NEWS.

Emily Calvani spent a few days at the home of her uncle C. Grandi. The Coterie Club met with Mrs. Carl Smith Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook have been visiting her parents in Artesia.

The Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church enjoyed a picnic supper at the Lewis home Thursday.

Mrs. Carl Smith spent a few days at the Tabernacle home during the absence of her husband on a business trip to Texas.

Best Motor Motors—all types. \$10.00.

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Mrs. M. T. Burrow, of Breckenridge, Texas, arrived in the city Wednesday evening, and will probably make her home here, she having two children who are residents of Carlsbad.

### NEW MEXICO DEMOCRATS MEET AT ALBUQUERQUE.

Albuquerque, N. M., Aug. 17.—The Democratic convention to nominate a candidate for United States senator will convene here at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Party leaders tonight, however, would not even predict who the nominee would be. While the names of O. N. Marron and R. E. Putney of Albuquerque, R. L. Young of Las Cruces and Arthur Seligman of Santa Fe have been mentioned as possibilities, sentiment does not seem to have crystallized on any one man.

The nominees of the convention will be voted on at a special election to be held on September 26 to fill the unexpired term of Senator A. B. Fall, who resigned to become secretary of the interior in President Harding's cabinet. H. O. Bursum is now holding the seat by appointment.

Bernalillo county's 44 delegates to the Republican state convention to nominate a candidate for the United States senatorial election on September 20 today were instructed by the county convention to vote as a unit for Senator Holm O. Bursum as long as his name is before the convention.

Dr. David R. Boyd, president of the State Bursum for Senator Club, announced today that instructed delegations and those known to be favorable to Bursum's candidacy made his nomination by the state convention in Santa Fe tomorrow by unanimous vote practically certain.

### BRYAN MUGGETT POST AMERICAN LEGION.

Carlsbad, New Mexico, Aug. 15, 1921.

MINUTES OF MEETING

Meeting called to order by Post Commander Paul Mahan at 8 p. m.

(1) A—Order of business. Financial statement of the Post.

B—Statement of non-collection of monthly dues.

(2) A—Motion by Rude Wilcox and seconded by Will Miller that the Legion accept Comrade Harry McKim's offer to store the Legion's furniture over the Sweet Shop.

B—To close the Club Rooms until such a time that the Legion's finances will warrant the continuation of our Club.

C—Discussion on storage of furniture.

(3) A—Motion by Capt. West and seconded by Wilmer White that we store the furniture in the Armory store room and save moving expense and also we would not have to have our insurance changed.

(4) Motion by Sam Lusk and seconded by Lowell Warren that a vote of thanks be given Comrade McKim for his offer to store our furniture.

(5) A—Motion by Robert Toffmire and seconded by Rude Wilcox, that the electric fan and Edison and records be sold to provide funds to straighten our out standing accounts.

B—The electric fan to be sold to the Armory for lights and water up-to-date.

C—The Edison to be sold at a price set by the finance committee.

(6) A—Motion by Robert Toffmire and seconded by Sam Lusk that the Associated Charities be written a letter, that the Legion finances are such that at this time that it will be impossible for the Legion to meet the assessment, but at a future date we hope to be able to pay our share.

(7) Motion to adjourn by Vernon Roberts and seconded by Babe Campbell.

Our future meeting place will be the Armory unless otherwise advertised.

CHARLES W. RAREY, Adjutant.

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WEATHER AND CROP CONDITIONS IN NEW MEXICO.

For the Week Ending Aug. 16, 1921

Temperatures were moderate during the week, which was part cloudy with daily showers and thunderstorms, heaviest in north northeast counties, where a number of local down pours occurred. Some loss of bridges, crops, and stock, resulted, and much damage to road and highways, with delayed traffic. Generally however, conditions were highly favorable for crops, stock and range, which continue good to excellent. Corn and beans are fine and corn is maturing rapidly in central counties. Cane, kaffir, milo and fodder crops are excellent. The harvest of spring grain continues in northern counties although under difficulties because of too much rain in localities, and too rank growth. Gardens are excellent; new potatoes are being marketed in northern districts.

NEW MEXICO PRIDE OF NAVY.

Flagship wins Pennant for Gunnery and Engineering Superiority

The battleship New Mexico, flagship of the Pacific fleet, comes near being the "pride of the navy" as a ship of the line can come. She has just been awarded the battle efficiency pennant for the highest combined merit in gunnery and engineering, according to the Navy Department last night. The New Mexico has won the engineering trophy two years in succession.

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### DEATH OF A SWEET CHILD.

By Mrs. A. Moore.

Little Jean, the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Perry, died at the family home on North Canal street, this city last Saturday morning, after a very brief illness.

Jean was born and had lived her brief life among us, being two years and four months old at the time she was called to go to another home. Her early passing leaves loneliness and sorrow in the home that her short stay had filled with joy and gladness.

A beautiful child, with an unusually winning personality, fearless and oh, so happy, her passing from a home full of love and tenderness while so many children are left in homes where love is unknown, is one of the unexplainable mysteries of life. The lamentations of the father and mother for their innocent one is indeed a thornless sorrow, and amid all their tears there is the consolation that she has gone to a better home where all things have never known the paths of sin nor her pure heart ever tasted its bitterness.

Little Jean was a frequent visitor with her mother and sisters to this office, and on occasion of the last visit, as she was leaving she turned and with a wave of her little hand, said:

"Come on, Daddy," and that is the memory she left here. May the dear ones left behind hear the little voice and see the beckoning hand until the final reunion in Heaven.

The funeral occurred Sunday afternoon at 4:30, at the home and was attended by a large gathering of friends of the young parents and their lovely baby. The marks of pain had left the little face, and very sweet and peaceful she lay in her last little bed, of snowy white.

Carlsbad has seldom seen such an array of beautiful flowers, but she herself was the sweetest flower of all. A double quartet of friends furnished the music the songs being especially appropriate: "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," "Homes of the Soul" and "Looking this Way." Rev. Geo. H. Givan, his voice quivering with emotion, read the scriptures, and made a comforting talk and personal friends acted as pall bearers. A long procession followed the remains to the City of the departed, where so many hopes and aspirations have been laid to rest with loved ones, and the little white casket with its precious burden was laid in a vault prepared for its reception.

"I cannot say, I will not say. That she is dead—she is just away. With a cherry smile and a wave of the hand

She has wandered into an unknown land. And left us dreaming how very fair

It needs must be, since she lingers there. Think of her still as the same I say; She is not dead, she is just away."

### CARD OF THANKS.

The most trying ordeal of our lives has left us with broken hearts since giving up our two year old baby Jean, who was tenderly laid to rest last Sunday afternoon. But it seems that sorrow must come to many on the journey of life and some relief and comfort is to be had in the knowledge that the little one has gone to a better world than this where sorrow and grief is unknown.

The many manifestations of sympathy from our friends expressed in words of comfort and consolation and beautiful floral offerings, as well as showing the love they had for our sweet baby, makes the burden much easier to bear and from the depths of our hearts we wish to in this manner publicly thank each and every one. May a fitting reward be granted for such kindnesses.

S. L. PERRY AND WIFE.

RESOLUTIONS OF SYMPATHY.

Inasmuch as the death angel has visited the home of our esteemed Sovereign S. L. Perry and wife, and carried away the spirit of their beautiful little two-year-old daughter, Jean, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the members of Eddy Grove Camp No. 5, by unanimous vote, that we express our sorrow and extend our deepest sympathy to the bereaved parents and relatives; and we can only commend them to the keeping of the One who has promised to bear our burdens for us, if we will only call upon Him, and be it further

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this lodge, and that a copy be mailed the family of Sovereign Perry, and also that a copy be furnished each of the local newspapers.

Respectfully submitted, BERT RAWLINS, E. V. ALBRITTON, C. O. MERRIFIELD.

### W. O. W. INITIATION.

The W. O. W. Lodge of Carlsbad had a most enjoyable evening at their lodge rooms last night, when four candidates were initiated and afterward a social time was enjoyed. The four lucky men were the Windham Brothers, Pete Hoover and Ben Boes. After the business of the evening was disposed of refreshments of cake and ice cream were served.

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### FIRST DOWN.

The following clipping from the Country Gentleman was handed us by W. B. Wilson of Hopedale Farm and as he says should make mighty good reading for farmers in the Pecos Valley and elsewhere:

According to figures recently issued by the Federal Reserve Board the wholesale value of farm products in the United States is now but 15 per cent above prewar levels. If we add to this the fact that these products have reached the world markets by payment of freight charges far in excess of prewar rates, it is clear to see that the farmer on his farm is practically down to prewar income, as completely deflated as a child's balloon after an all-day sojourn at a county fair.

Not only that, but the farmer is the first man down to rock bottom. Even the food which he has raised is quoted at 41 per cent above prewar levels, after it has changed its clothes and appeared upon the shelves under its various newly acquired names; by which we understand why there is yet hardly a speaking acquaintance between a bushel of wheat and a loaf of bread.

Clothes and clothing materials are yet 86 per cent above prewar levels, fuel 99 per cent and building materials 103 per cent. House furnishings are 174 per cent and "all commodities" average 54 per cent above what was required to purchase necessities before the war broke out.

Retail prices lag still further showing the tenacity with which every man hangs on to all the price which he may by any possibility extract. The more hands it passes through, therefore, the slower will the commodity come down and the longer it will be in reaching bedrock.

The farmer's stuff goes at once and direct to an open market where it brings whatever competitive buying will pay for it, with no artificial inflation. This is often forgotten by the consuming public, which does not always understand that farm products are the only commodities that contain no artificial or arbitrary price element.

Even if the farmer is the first man down, however, he may count himself fortunate. There are no smokeless chimneys above his great food factory. He is growing this year's crop at the least cost in several years. It is a safe bet that there is not in all this country from Maine to California and from the Lakes to the Gulf a single bona-fide farmer out of a job today.

And this is what counts. For jobs mean more than prices and work means more than wages. This is a lesson we have all to learn, and the farmer has learned it first of all; therefore he may count himself lucky.

The farmer will always have a job and plenty to eat. The first man down should be the first man up.

### HAY TRADE CONDITIONS OF THE WEEK.

Although the Government report of August 1 shows a further decrease in the hay production this year, still the harvest reports show less of a decrease than was expected. The hay while short in most localities, has proved to be heavy close to the ground and all indications point to less of a reduction in tonnage than had been anticipated. The small daily receipts in most markets in holding values firm and in some places quotations are a little higher. Little country loading is reported.—Hay Trade Journal.

### KANSAS CITY.

Upper grade hay of all kinds is in very tight supply and all showing quality sells readily at steady to strong prices. Low grades continue dull and weak. The market is steady on the good grades of prairie and the market is good considering the quality shown. There is good demand for alfalfa and the market is active. The straw market is steady at a little lower level than a week ago. The receipts of hay for the week were 2266 tons, against 3223 tons.

### THE METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday School will open at nine forty-five. Some special selections will be given by different pupils. Preaching by the pastor at eleven. The subject for the morning hour will be, "Sanctify the Lord God in your hearts." No service at the evening hour. A hearty welcome to all not worshipping at the other churches.

GEORGE H. GIVAN, Pastor.

### COMMUNITY MEETING.

Old and familiar hymns that all can sing will be a feature of the community worship at the Aldome Sunday evening, beginning at eight o'clock. Rev. D. F. Sellards, pastor of the Christian church will deliver the sermon.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Sabbath school at ten o'clock. Rev. E. E. Mathes of Artesia will preach last Sabbath will be with us again next Sabbath, the 21st of August, and preach at the eleven o'clock hour. Every one is extended a cordial welcome.

Mrs. G. C. McFadden and her sister, Miss Catherine McFadden, came down from Roswell, Friday and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mahan.

### AMERICA GREAT ENOUGH TO DO JUSTICE TO ITS FIGHTERS AND NOT GO BROKE.

DECLARES JONES.

"Who are objecting to the bill? The very foundation of the bill is that there has been discrimination; that we have taken the services of some people for less than cost; that we have taken their services for less than we were giving to other people. Considering it as a pure mathematical and financial question, we owe these people money and why should we not pay it? I believe that no one in this great land of ours has the right to object to this payment as long as he has in his pocket a single dollar of profit which he made during the war. These people not only worked for no profit but they worked at a loss, and until we put them up on an equal basis with the others of the country I say that no man and no institution has any moral right to object to the burden of taxation. It is a maxim of law that we shall not take private property for public use without just compensation. Here we are taking the lifeblood and the muscle and the brain of these men without just compensation. Until that compensation is made just, every dollar of profit which was made during the war in some manner ought to be made to share this burden."

"Mr. President, I believe that this country of ours is big enough and great enough to do justice to these men and not 'break the Treasury.'"

—U. S. Senator A. A. Jones.

### MR. JONES' SPEECH.

Hon. Andrieus A. Jones, United States Senator from New Mexico, employs no ballyhoos nor clamorous press agents. His service in the United States senate has always demonstrated a high conception of the dignity of the office and the opportunity it affords for statesmanlike service to the people of America.

His solid worth, his pre-eminent attainments, his thorough and unerring labors for the welfare of the country and his uncompromising integrity have shed luster on his native state and given New Mexico just cause for pride.

Instead of cheapening his office for petty political and selfish purposes, Mr. Jones has given added prestige to it and honored it with his incumbency. No more impressive instance of Mr. Jones' ability has been noted than his speech in the senate for the soldier bonus bill. He became the leader of the fight of the ex-service men of the nation for justice at the hands of the republic and no cause ever had a better champion. The speech by the senator, is of particular interest at this time as showing the caliber of a real representative of a great state as compared to that of one without popular credentials, using the high office to advance the selfish schemes of a small-bore politician, and who in this case merely cast a perfunctory vote under the lash of an insistent demand by the war veterans of his state.

### AMERICAN LEGION NEWS.

Lowell Warren will assist Adjutant Rarey in the collection of dues for the local post. Meet him with a smile on your face and a check in your mitt to square your account with the Legion Treasury.

Dr. Glasier has kindly offered the Legion the use of his office as headquarters while the club rooms are closed. The Post appreciates the offer and will probably hold their meetings there after the cool weather sets in.

Application has been made for a charter for a Ladies Auxiliary for the Bryan Muggett Post, and application blanks for charter members can be secured from Commander Mahan at Joyce-Fruit Company.

Any ladies interested in this aspect of the Legion can secure blanks and information upon request.

The Legion's Edison, together with about fifty records, will be offered for sale at an early date; the machine is on display at the Star Pharmacy.

Ray Bartlett, manager of the Hagerman orchestra, was in town Tuesday to arrange with the dance committee of the American Legion for the Legion dances this fall.

The entertainment committee has contracted with Omar Lee for tent shows to play here for a week at some future time. Watch this column for date set.

The Legion Club Rooms have been closed for the present and the fixtures stored until the financial condition of the Legion will permit of their maintenance of the rooms.

The employment committee of the American Legion was in action this week and secured employment for Joe Lopez, of El Paso, 36. He is working for the Carlsbad Light & Power Company.

The Grievance Committee of the Legion assisted in moving the family of Joe Rodriguez from the Hurles cottage to one of the Montgomery cottages on Guadalupe street. Rodriguez is from Louisiana.

We will repair your tires anywhere within the city limits—no extra charge. Phone 19.

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## HOPE IRRIGATION PROJECT COVERS 250,000 ACRES

Hope, N. M. Aug. 14.—The citizens of Hope met in a large mass meeting last week to discuss plans for the construction of a large reservoir several miles northwest of the town. Several hundred people were present and enjoyed the supper that was served on this occasion.

The proposed project will cause about 250,000 acres of tillable land to be irrigated. This land is now used for grazing purposes only. The watershed for such a project is one of the largest in the western states, according to the surveyors in charge. Both Hope and Artesia will be benefited by this project in a very material way.

The Artesia band furnished the music for the occasion. Among the speakers were Hon. Hugh Gage and Rev. Moon of Hope, Judge J. H. Jackson president of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce, and M. H. Ferriman, also of Artesia. The speakers made special mention of several civic improvements that are outlined for the town of Hope.

### FACULTY OF CARLSBAD SCHOOLS FOR 1921-22.

CENTRAL SCHOOL.  
Miss Helen Buie, First Grade.  
Miss Josephine Rhinehart, Second Grade.

Miss Muggett, Third Grade.  
Miss Weatherley, Third Grade.  
Miss Sarah Nichols, Fourth Grade.  
Mrs. Wilma Dillard, Fifth Grade.  
Mrs. R. V. Lapsley, Sixth Grade.  
Miss Ethel Taylor, Sixth Grade.  
Miss Pattie Witt, Fourth Grade.  
Miss Corinne Higgins, Music.  
Mrs. Kaiser, Principal of Central Building.

Spanish-American, San Jose.  
Mrs. Ethel Noel, Primary.  
Mrs. Eliza Bush, Intermediate.  
Mrs. D. F. Sellards, Advanced.

Seventh and Eighth Grades.  
Miss Cora Gouwens.  
Mrs. Bertha Phipps.

High School.  
H. L. Hart, Science and Athletics.  
Miss Lura Jewell, Spanish.  
Miss Aline Shepard, Household Arts.

Miss Kate Keyes, Latin and History.  
Miss Beatrice Cooper, Commercial Work.

Miss Naomi Van Wie, English and Dramatics.  
Miss Rebecca Graham, English.  
Miss Beas Chaney, Principal.

W. G. Donley, Supt.  
Miss Helen Buie is a graduate of the West Texas State Normal School and had taught four years before accepting work here at mid year in the second grade, last year.

Miss Josephine Rhinehart, of Fountain, Colorado, is a graduate of the Colorado State Teachers College and has had special training in music.

Miss Mary Weatherley is a graduate of the College of Industrial Arts at Denton, Texas, and was a very successful teacher in the Nacogdoches schools last year.

Miss Sarah Nichols comes to us from the schools of Joplin, Mo. and is a graduate of the Normal school at Muncie, Indiana.

Miss Ethel Taylor has been a successful teacher in the schools of Oklahoma and is a graduate of the Southwestern State Normal School, of Oklahoma.

Miss Corinne Higgins has had training and experience in several eastern schools and at present is taking lessons in voice in Columbia University, New York City.

Mrs. Ethel Noel is a graduate of an Ohio College and has had experience as a primary teacher in the county.

Mrs. Bertha Phipps has had extensive experience in the schools of Kansas and Missouri and has college standing in training.

Mr. H. L. Hart is a graduate of Daniel Baker University, and was a member of the Basket ball, Base ball, and football teams that represented that school last year.

Miss Lura Jewell is a graduate of the University of Illinois where she was elected to the Phi Beta Kappa Society for excellence in scholarship.

Miss Aline Shepard is a graduate of the College of Industrial Arts, Denton, Texas, and has taught two years at Moscow, Idaho.

Mrs. Kate Lee Keyes has taught for several years in the central west and received her training in the George Peabody College for Teachers at Nashville, Tenn. She has done work on a Masters degree in Ohio University.

Miss Beatrice Cooper is a graduate of the Roswell high school, has had training in the Normals in the state and is a graduate of the Albuquerque Business College. Miss Cooper was in charge of the commercial work in the Alamogordo high school last year.

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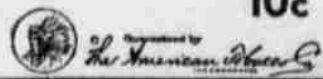
The next Chamber of Commerce luncheon will occur at the Crawford Hotel on August 25th, 1921. Each and every member of the Chamber of Commerce is requested to be present.





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## WHAT 1 MAN HAS LEARNED ABOUT THE HARDWARE BUSINESS.

ALSO SOME THINGS HE IS STILL  
LEARNING — PRICES AND  
FREIGHT RATES IN THE  
SOUTHWEST—A PIONEER  
CONCERN, AND SOME  
THINGS IT HAS DONE.

By George O. Roberts.

of the Roberts-Dearborne Hardware  
Co., Clovis, New Mexico.

Address before the Kiwanis Club.

The following interesting and instructive article was printed in the Hardware Dealers' Magazine which is published in Wall Street, New York City. It appeared in the August 1 issue and was written by a former Carlsbad boy, Geo. O. Roberts, a son of our fellow townsman, S. I. Roberts, who has been a big factor in building up the Roberts-Dearborne Hardware Company stores in the Pecos valley. George is an expert in his line and Carlsbad is justly proud of him:

No man alone knows all there is to know about hardware, and most men know very little outside of that part with which they come into almost daily contact. As a matter of fact, a good stock man in one part of the country if taken into another part has to learn a good many things that to him seem fundamental, and to learn other things. As an example, I have been with the Roberts-Dearborne Hardware Co. for seven or eight years; in fact I practically grew up in a hardware store, and aside from a short connection with an unfortunate bank, I have done nothing else.

Yet when I was sent to Clovis, I found things I thought I knew were useless to me here. This applies more particularly to the implement busi-

ness than to shelf hardware, but implements are such an important part of the usual hardware establishments that they are usually mentioned together. I had never seen a header or a blader. We had always handled mouldboard plows exclusively, whereas only disc plows are available here. I knew all about mowing machines and rakes, which information is useless now. I had to learn the why of the latter. I became acquainted with and an admirer of the "go-devil" which by the way was developed in Curry County, and is now manufactured for the trade here. Formerly it was necessary to have blacksmiths rebuild sled cultivators to secure them. Almost exclusively the only wagon sold in Curry county is a three and one-quarter inch farm, while most retail stores have a stock of wagons ranging from two and three-quarters to three and one-half inch in both farm and mountain wagons.

Until 1850 approximately eighty per cent of the hardware used in the United States was imported. By leaving a great many munition works idle, the close of the Civil War gave an impetus to domestic manufacture, until today practically one hundred per cent is made in America. I mention this in leading up to the question of why there has been no decline in hardware. Those commodities which are able to secure the advantages of a favorable foreign exchange rate, which now means anything which is imported to America, are cheaper, for the foreign countries, through the depreciation of their monies, pay the larger part of the cost to the consumer. Hardware, being a home product, has no such advantage.

However, in justification of hardware dealers, let me state that it was nearly a year after most factors entered into the cost of living advanced until hardware went up; and then so gradually that it never overtook the crowd. The year 1920 was marked by a number of great labor strikes, among which the miners, the steel workers and the railroads, had a direct bearing on hardware. It is a safe statement that every strike must be paid for, and it is equally certain that the public must foot the bill.

Each of the strikes I have enumerated contributed to a shortage in steel, so that any purchased was at a premium, and with the highest wages in the history of the world, with increased freight rates, and in passing I might add that our little store in Clovis paid \$13,000 freight in 1920, is it any wonder that the class of merchandise which is made of steel and which is the heaviest per dollar of inventory advanced? Had it not been for the patriotism of the United States Steel Corporation one of the biggest of the "unbustable" trusts, and the only one with a real concern for the general welfare of the country, hardware would have inevitably have soared higher. The Steel Corporation voluntarily reduced their prices in 1919, and have held them stationary since that time, without regard for the actions of the independent steel mills.

**Freight Rates and Prices.**  
The prospects for the decline of hardware give reason for the belief that the reduction will come as gradually as the increase.

Until the coal and ore utilized can be mined cheaply, transported cheaply, manufactured cheaply into the finished article and again transported cheaply, hardware will not materially decline. It is a sad commentary that the freight rates which make farm produce cheap contribute to the high cost of hardware. Makes it easier to sell a farmer, and these days when his produce is practically worthless, while hardware the one exception in the merchandise which



### THE U. S. USCO TREAD

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U. S. CHAIN TREAD  
U. S. NOBBY TREAD  
U. S. ROYAL CORD  
U. S. RED & GREY TUBES

## From the makers of U.S. Royal Cords to the users of Fabric Tires



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he purchases, has the same old price as a year ago, you fellows who have got the decline in your goods, and have swallowed the loss when it was easy, may congratulate yourselves. The term profiteer seems pretty well restricted to the hardware business these days.

We hardware men rather resent the airs which banks and real estate men assume over their share in making the country. We grant them full credit for the town and city improvements, but feel that we are due some share of the glory of having built up the rural sections, upon which the cities are dependent.

The fact is that no country ever developed in the West, except through the growth of the live stock industry or farming. It is history common to all sections that right on the heels of the settlers came a little hardware stock.

Immigrants can bring with them clothes to last a while, and live in tents, but they cannot anticipate their needs in axes and hammers and nails and bolts and wire and rope and harness. They must have hardware to make their homesteads any different than the wilderness about them. Then they approach their dealer regarding the purchase of enough agricultural implements to make a crop, out of which they will pay the dealer.

Until last year it has been the custom of the manufacturers of implements to extend terms to dealers which would enable them to do business this way. When the time for settlement came it only too often turned out that the implements which made the crop, and the crop itself, were mortgaged to some bank to enable the farmer to eat, so that the dealer was paid, not out of the money derived from the harvest, but from the surplus, if any were left after the banker was paid. Anyway, the crop was made, and another farmer was added to the nation's assets.

As a rule the pioneer hardwareman was lax in his business practices, and far from his markets, but I believe he is in close touch with his jobbers, and receives more co-operation from

the jobber, than any other line of business. Should he desire to install an engine or pump, change his line of implements to one better adapted to his locality, to take up well supplies, or add new lines to that which he has, his jobber will send a man, and an expert in his line, to advise him and assist him at any time. Our manufacturers are always ready to service anything of their output which is not satisfactory.

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There are fifteen regular finishes to builders hardware, but only three are used in Clovis. It seems a pity to see so many nice homes built with such pains devoted to the painting, for instance, which cannot hope to last half so long, and no attention is paid to hardware. It is a tribute to the dependability of hardware, but it should be considered for its potential beauty, also.

A man will rush into a hardware store with the request that he be sold a file. This leaves a burden upon the clerk, for over thirty-five hundred different kinds aside from any consideration of sizes, are made by one concern. Perhaps you are going hunting.

Do you buy two and three-quarter inch shells, or two and five-eighths inch for your shotgun? This difference of an eighth of an inch may make a considerable difference in the bag you bring back.

There is a strong sentiment in favor of the United States adopting the metric system of weights and measures, and sooner or later it will come. When it does pity the poor hardware man who learned in the old school. A common machine bolt one-half by six inches will then be a

bolt 1,26545 centimeters by 15,2397 centimeters; plain old three-quarter inch sisal rope will then be glorified into rope which is 1,898 centimeters plus, in diameter; and where our price is now thirty-five cents a pound, to sell at the same price we will be compelled to ask 77,161 cents per kilogram. No doubt the French will predominate in hardware circles when this time comes, and I feel sure that I can tell some French investor where he can buy a bankrupt stock for a few cents on the dollar.

Hardware, more than any other

kind of merchandise, considers the three dimensions, length, breadth and thickness of the items in stock, and then curiously enough, probably sells it by the pound. Why this is I do not know, but it is one of those traits which all hardware men have in common.

Miss Clyde Pearce was operated on at Eddy County Hospital Monday morning and bids fair to be in better health and better equipped for her school work than she has ever been.

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## REPORT OF SPANISH AMERICAN MISSION, CONDUCTED UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE W. C. T. U.

The following interesting report of the above named mission was read at the last meeting of the W. C. T. U. and those present were so surprised at the scope of the work and the amount accomplished that the report was requested for publication:

The average attendance at this time is 50. There are six classes. They teach the children Bible verses, songs, sewing, crocheting, tatting and kindergarten work. We have had several evangelistic meetings, one lecture from a Health Officer and a visit from one state Red Cross worker.

Under the instruction of the workers in charge of the mission, the girls have made one full size quilt, six small towels with crocheted lace, on ends, six six wash rags with crocheted edges, twelve aprons, six handkerchiefs, (hemstitched or otherwise trimmed) eight workbags, three stand covers, three corset covers, three doll quilts, three dust caps.

We have a class of boys which at first were only six in number, but now has grown to twelve, in charge of Mrs. T. E. Williams who is teaching them to be loyal Americans. We tried to have a class of boys in manual training but Brother Mahan could not be with us all the time, and so that had to be dropped for want of a leader. What time he was with us he and the boys made tables and benches which have since proved a great help. A good troop of Boy Scouts has been recruited from among these same boys with John Wells as leader.

We have always observed the extra days that mean so much in the lives of children: We have observed Christmas Day with a treat for the children; had an Easter egg hunt; celebrated the Fourth of July with a program and a treat of ice cream cones; had one Mothers' meeting, when the quilt that the girls pieced was tacked. A delicious dinner was served the women by the seven workers.

At this time the workers are teaching the girls to crochet rugs and some charitable minded person will do a good deed to furnish some rags for use in that work; they are also embroidering some skirts and making sofa pillows.

The Union, at the close of Mrs. Mercer's report, extended a vote of thanks to the committee and especially to Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Hemenway and to the young girls who have assisted in the work and to all outside helpers.

Those in charge of the work are Mrs. Prickett, Mrs. Hemenway, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. J. R. Stockwell. Mrs. number of young girls whose assistance in the kindergarten work could hardly be dispensed with.

Mrs. Sam Moskin is spending the week in Roswell visiting with relatives and friends.

## DEATH OF LEE STAFFORD.

On July 21, 1921, at Carlsbad, New Mexico, Lee Stafford passed the border line and entered the Great Beyond. He was born November 18, 1890, at Millwood, Collin County, Texas. He was married to Miss Rose Avery on August 23, 1910, at Aspermont, Texas, and two boys and two girls were born to this happy union. For many years he resided with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Stafford, at Eastland, Texas. He is survived by his father, mother, wife and four children, as well as a number of brothers and sisters.

Except two children who died in infancy, this is the first death in the immediate family of E. N. Stafford. The Angel of Death is a sad messenger. No reason or philosophy can deprive death of its sting, and yet when an incurable malady seizes the frail human body, and there is no escape from its terrible grip, is it not best to be relieved of the great suffering? Faith in the truth of the religion is our refuge. Hope for the immortality of the soul, and that we shall again see the faces of our loved ones, brings consolation to the bereaved hearts.

At seventeen years of age Lee Stafford was converted, and accepted and adopted into his life the great truths of the Christian religion. Actuated by a love for his Maker, and devoted to an upright life, he followed with becoming modesty the straight and narrow pathway, and the increasing years prepared him for the final end. The latter months of his life he was a confirmed invalid and, though his body was racked with pain, he approached death with a clear mind, and, realizing that the end was imminent, he called about him his minister and loved ones and with them talked of the life to come, expressing his readiness to respond to the Master's call.

It may be that from the life beyond no traveler has returned, and yet the lesson of such wonderful faith brings a new and sweet assurance that we may again look upon the faces of our loved ones. With a clear vision, a sweet, tender and brave spirit passed from the walks of men. A cheerful footstep is no longer heard; the winsome smile is no longer seen and there is a vacant chair. Loved ones linger over the sweet memories of the past and amid the gathering gloom of night, and the darkness of the impending storm, there comes the sad realization that upon the hillside a little mound marks the final resting place of a loved form. No words of consolation can dispel this grief, but may time and a kind providence temper the winds to the shorn lambs, and in some wonderfully tender thought it may be a strange way, touch the hearts of the devoted loved ones, and bring to them reconciliation.

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## POLO GAME BETWEEN ROSWELL AND CARLSBAD LAST SUNDAY RESULTS IN VICTORY FOR THE UPPER VALLEY TEAM.

A game between the Cavalry Polo Team of Carlsbad and the Roswell Polo team was played at Roswell last Sunday the home team being defeated 7 to 2.

The personnel of the home team is as follows: Blythe McCollum, field captain; Bill Hudgins, Substitute; Lieutenant W. R. Miller, manager; Bryan Runyan, Edward Purdy and William Campbell.

The members of the Roswell team were Colonel Wilson, Woodlawn Saunders, Major Franklin and Captain Flannery.

After the games the Carlsbad team were entertained to dinner at the home of Major Franklin and wife. Other guests were Colonel Wilson and ex-Governor Hagerman.

A return game will be played between the same teams on the Polo ground west of town, the date being set for the 28th of this month.

## OF ESPECIAL INTEREST TO TEACHERS OF EDDY COUNTY

Notice is hereby given that a Teachers' Examination will be held in the office of the county superintendent of schools of Eddy County, at Carlsbad, New Mexico, on Friday and Saturday, August 26th and 27th, 1921.

This will be the last examination this school year and is a special as directed by the department of education at Santa Fe.

Teachers desiring to raise their grades, or new teachers who desire to qualify for a certificate should report for this examination and notify the county superintendent of intention to write and should do so at the very earliest date possible.

GEORGE M. BRINTON, Co. Supt. Eddy County.

A. M. Hove, special agent of the Santa Fe railway was in the city Monday. Mr. Hove came from Amarillo via the Belen cut-off and reports that the wheat and corn crops in the Panhandle of Texas and eastern New Mexico is immense. He says that 35,000 car loads of wheat is standing on the tracks at Galveston in addition to what is in the elevators, which are full, awaiting shipment from that point and that it is getting to be a serious problem with the railroads to find cars to move the crops on account of this necessary use of them for storage. Mr. Hove says the crops in Curry, DeBaca and Torrance counties are especially heavy this season and the country looking fine.—State Record.

H. M. Chilcoat returned from Milensand, New Mexico, Monday night, where he has been engaged in a meeting the past two weeks. The meeting was very successful, fifteen accessions to the church, fifteen by baptism being received. The services were held in a schoolhouse, and were well attended most of the settlers being farmers and going for miles. Reverend Taggart, of Hope, was the preacher in charge and baptized fifteen converts last Sunday when the services were closed. Mr. Chilcoat had charge of the singing.

Miss Zada Mudgett returned from Roswell, where she had spent a week arriving Wednesday afternoon and was accompanied by two school friends who are guests at the Mudgett home. The young ladies Miss Nellie Holt and Miss Lula Mai Vickers will visit here until shortly before time for the opening of school when they will leave. Miss Holt to continue her studies at Las Vegas and Miss Vickers to Raton, where she will teach in the Public Schools.

Melvin Bearup who was down from his ranch in order to be in attendance at the semi-annual meeting of the Mohair Growers of the valley, left for his home early Wednesday morning. He took with him the two fine goats recently purchased from R. E. Taylor, with which to head his flock another year. The animals are registered angoras, with hair eighteen inches in length and are as pretty specimens of goats as one can find anywhere.

Mrs. W. J. Barber is having a pleasant visit with some of her kinsfolk from San Marcos, Texas. Her brother, W. G. Barber, his wife, and their five children, Miss Joy, Henry, Wallace, Miss Lena Belle and Barton. Besides these are Mrs. B. T. Burns and daughters, Misses Olive and Blanche. The friends are enjoying each other's society this week and are having a good time talking over events that occurred when they were younger.

Mrs. J. R. Stockwell left Thursday night of last week for a trip through the Ozark mountains in Arkansas. Mrs. Stockwell is a great lover of the mountains, and a stay in the picturesque Ozarks will be a delight to her and a happy memory for years to come. She expected to be gone about ten days when she left here, but may extend her visit longer if she so desires.

Mrs. A. R. Allen, of Clovis, is in town for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Baker, during her visit so as to be here during the presence of her sister, Miss Hattie. The two girls were almost inseparable until the marriage of Miss Elizabeth, and now it seems very natural to see them together and quite like old times.

W. R. Hegler, prominent Mohair raiser of the Valley, is a business visitor to Salt Lake City, Utah, where he went to look after business for the Mohair Growers of the county.

Miss Edrie Miller is visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter Glover, at the ranch home of the latter, southwest of town.



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## OBITUARY.

The following obituary of Miss Myrtle Blakeley, who was drowned near Emporia, Kansas, was taken from the Madison, (Kansas) News of the date of August 4th. Miss Blakeley was well known in this county being a sister of Mrs. A. A. Kaiser, principal of Carlsbad Grammar schools and one of our best loved women.

Myrtle Blakeley was born near Madison, Kan., Sept. 27, 1887, and at the time of her death was 33 years 3 months and 26 days of age. The first 13 years of her life were spent on the farm near Madison. After finishing her common school education in the Madison schools she moved.

mer. She was rescued soon after going down and everything possible was done to restore her to consciousness, but in vain.

She was of kind and loving disposition, refined, capable wholly prepared to do a life work. She leaves to mourn her loss her mother, Mrs. M. M. Blakeley, two brothers, Frank and Al Blakeley, all of this city, three sisters, Mrs. Fred Pees, of west of Madison, Mrs. Ella Kaiser, of Carlsbad, and Mrs. Georgiana Price, of Tulsa, as well as a host of friends.

The funeral services were held at the Methodist Church in Madison at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, July 27. The services were conducted by Rev. Harry R. Weed, pastor of the

## MUCH UNEASINESS CAUSED BY YOUNG BOY.

Last Friday evening when Walter and Fritz Phelan rode in town without Henry Pendleton, his brother, Walter Pendleton and Mrs. Pendleton became very much alarmed. Henry, aged 16, had been with Walter and Fritz Phelan and S. D. Granger for several days rounding up cattle.

When the work was finished Thursday noon, Henry was to take a cow to a tower pasture on his way to his brother's ranch. Mr. and Mrs. Pendleton thinking he was with either the Phelan boys or Mr. Granger were shocked and alarmed when all three came to town to attend the dance Friday evening without him.

Two cars of friends left immediately with saddles and horses from all the ranches near the Pendleton ranch were rounded up for the men to ride on the search. Friends on the way were picked up and the search began about ten o'clock that night. A telephone call was received at the Court House at nine o'clock Saturday for every man with a saddle to come at once as no trace could be found of the boy or his horse. At noon Henry rode up to the door and could not understand the commotion, there being between fifty and sixty men sitting or lying down resting under the shady trees around the tank dam, with their horses saddled, ready for another start as soon as they had cooled off and had some nourishment—and at the tear-stricken women in the house. Finally, when he could talk, he told how he had come home Friday afternoon and not finding his brother and sister-in-law, he had decided to spend the night with Bob Richards, who lives on a ranch about eighteen miles from there, and who is a brother-in-law of Mr. Pendleton. A tired and worn out bunch of men returned during the afternoon and night very thankful that nothing serious had happened.—Livingston Leader.

in attendance, representing President Butcher, who was unable to attend on account of the closing of the summer term of the Normal. The Madison, (Kan.)

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ed to Emporia with her parents and entered the Normal School, which institution she received a life diploma from the regular course, and a diploma in public school in 1921.

After teaching two years as principal of the Toronto High School she returned to the Normal and finished her college course, receiving her B. S. degree in 1916. During this time she had been taking music at the National Summer School of Music in Chicago, finishing her course and receiving a diploma in the same year.

In 1917 she was employed in the high school at Carlsbad, teaching music and English. The following year she taught at Bethany, until February, resigning to take a position as head supervisor of music in the schools of Shawnee. She declined to accept a reelection there, going to Washington, D. C. to do government work, remaining there two years. While waiting for her appointment she taught one month in the schools of Madison. Last year she was employed in the schools at Tulsa, and was reelected for next year. She was also offered a position in the Kansas City schools but declined.

At the time of her death she was attending the Normal at Emporia, and had gone with some friends to the Cottonwood River to go in bathing. It is thought that her heart failed her, as she was a good swimmer.

church. Interment was in Blakeley Cemetery. The pall bearers were pupils and friends of the deceased. A quartette composed of Miss Jean Johnston, Mrs. C. E. DeMott, Miss Leona Bangs, and Miss Lula Soule, sang "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," "Endless Day" and "Lead Thou Me On," accompanied by Miss Pearl Brumbaugh, who also played the funeral dirge.

Professor Barrett, of the English department of the State Normal was

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### FIGHT STARTED ON TEXT BOOK ADOPTION FOR SCHOOLS.

The Rio Grande Republic, Las Cruces, N. M., in its issue of Aug. 11 published the following:

Governor Mechem, the state press, and the chambers of commerce and other public organizations throughout New Mexico will be appealed to in a concerted and determined effort to set aside the contract entered into by the State Board of Education with school text book publishers.

This was decided by unanimous rising vote at a largely attended meeting of taxpayers and school patrons of Dona Ana county.

M. B. Stevens, chairman of the educational committee of the Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce, which called the meeting, presided and outlined the new contract which the State Board of Education of New Mexico now has with publishers of school text books.

Mr. Stevens explained that, according to figures prepared by the superintendent of schools, the cost of new text books for the eight grades would be as follows under the new contract:

First, \$1.40; second, \$1.38; third, \$2.19; fourth, \$4.23; fifth, \$7.07; sixth, \$7.76; seventh, \$9.52; eighth, \$10.12; a total of \$44.38 for all the grades, or an average of \$5.55 for each of the eight grades.

He mentioned also that of the 5,100 children in Dona Ana county, outside of the Las Cruces high school 1,500 are outside of the compulsory school law. Based on the available figures the new books will cost the people of this county about \$19,980, which must be paid in cash. In this compilation the cost of supplemental books is not included. It is estimated, he added, that the cost of supplemental books will bring the figures up to \$24,980.

The total cost to the people of Dona Ana county, it is estimated, will be \$36,000 if the loss on books obsolete by the new contract are included.

Mr. Stevens emphasized the statement that the increased cost of the school books is not the most pernicious feature of the contract. The worst of it is that it covers a period of six years at a time when prices are declining, adding:

"If any business man in Las Cruces or elsewhere would allow himself to be tied up for a term of six years at this particular time, his creditors would petition the court to appoint a receiver or ask for the appointment of a guardian."

Mr. Stevens said that the educational committee of the Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce had invited John V. Conway, state superintendent of schools, to be present at the mass meeting or to submit figures which in his mind justified the contract.

"But," he added, "we received no response from Mr. Conway."

Mr. Stevens then read the following letter, dated August 8 and signed by Alvin N. White of Silver City, former state superintendent of schools in New Mexico:

"Mr. M. B. Stevens, Las Cruces. "Dear Mr. Stevens: From the press I noticed that you have called the attention of the people of your city to the matter of the text book adoption by the old State Board of Education and confirmed by the present board."

"The people will thank you for this service, or should do so, because there are a number of irregularities in connection with this adoption and as the matter now stands it means inferior books, in my opinion, and an extra burden for the people from the sweeping changes made."

"It is my opinion that the adoption is illegal. I would be glad if occasion demanded, to give my legal services free, in connection with Mr. Holt, or some other attorney or attorneys, in an effort to set aside the whole adoption."

"In the first place, this adoption was made last December, when it should have been passed down to the present state board of education. Contract made when I was state superintendent did not expire until June 15, 1921, and there was abundant time to make the adoption and get the books if changes were made if the adoption had been made in April of the present year."

"For some unknown reason the adoption was attempted last December. Then the new board rescinded said adoption, in March of this year, in part, if not in whole; then again in April the board rescinded its March action, and voted that the December adoption stand. June 27, the board rescinded everything back of that date—at least as to readers—and attempted to make a new adoption of readers and this without the legal call for bids."

"In the December adoption, the board attempted to pass the 'buck' to the various counties as to the selection of a basal reader, naming, however, four sets of different publishers—one of which a county might adopt as basal and use the others as supplemental. This was really no adoption, and would prevent uniformity as to readers."

"These four publishers then began to sign up counties. Merrill & Co., for instance, had four counties which had agreed to use its readers as basal; and so on for the other companies. It was getting to be a pretty sight, and then came the June meeting which adopted the Scott, Foresman & Co. readers as basal for the entire state—and made the others supplemental."

"The entire matter should be thrown out by court action, and the old books allowed to stand, until

the matter was tested in the courts. "Several of the companies were losing some money on the prices of the old book at least such was the claim, but possibly any one of them would have been willing to continue the contract at the same price, or a very slight increase. These were all good books."

"I am unable to check prices, in this letter, not having made a systematic study of same, but all the books, as I generally understand the situation, come at greatly increased prices, under this new adoption, and the exchange price for the old and better books is merely nominal. It is a situation that needs to be called to the attention of the entire state. The matter has been bungled from the beginning, and the school children and school patrons of the state are the losers, as the matter now stands."

"I refused to represent any of the book men before the state board of education, and felt that the adoption was premature in the first instance, and that when made in December, it was really not an adoption in a legal sense, and that the new board would make amends for a new adoption."

"Therefore, I have no selfish interest whatsoever and my only interest in the matter is to see that the parents are not burdened and that the children have the right kind of books."

Following the reading of Mr. White's letter, Mr. Stevens mentioned that the cost of school books under the new contract would be more than had been spent on roads in any one year.

Dr. McBride, former superintendent of county schools said that the old contract could have been continued, "and," he added, "there is occasion for protest. In fact, the action of the State Board of Education cannot be defended from any point of view you take it."

The speaker said that in making the original contract with the school text book publishers the members of the old state board stepped into a mud puddle and went over their heads. They passed the "buck" to members of the new board, who didn't know what to do with it. Representatives of the book houses were at Santa Fe with counsel threatening suit if the board didn't stick to the December contract. Finally, after a great deal of controversy, a peace meeting resulted in a compromise in which contracts of the eight grades were parceled out to the publishers of four basal readers.

Dr. McBride said that if the books designated by the State Board of Education are not used the offenders are punishable by heavy fines provided by law. This fine he added, is \$25 a day for every day a scholar does not use the books.

Mr. Frenger then read the resolutions as drafted by his committee, and on motion of Mr. Gonzalez seconded by Mr. McKnight, the resolutions were adopted by a rising vote, which was unanimous. The full text of the report is as follows:

"Whereas, it appears that the State Board of Education has recently adopted a system of school books for use in the public schools of New Mexico, different from the books heretofore in use, and has entered into contracts covering a period of six years for said new books; and,

"Whereas, the said actions on the part of the State Board of Education entail a new, original, immediate and enormous expense on the part of the patrons of the public schools of Dona Ana county, as well as of the state at large, and at the same time render valueless the books heretofore in use, causing in addition an immediate loss to said patrons; and,

"Whereas, it would seem from current market prices of the books heretofore used, that they could have been readopted at a vast saving over the new books adopted; and,

"Whereas, it is not proved that the new books adopted are so superior in merit over the old ones as to warrant the changes; and,

"Whereas the tremendous new expenses entailed are indefensible at this time of high taxation and the high cost of living, such that many will be caused to hesitate to enter their children in schools voluntarily; and,

"Whereas, the said changes will cause a great and unnecessary additional public expense in supplying such new books to indigent pupils; and,

"Whereas, it appears probable that said acts of the State Board of Education were irregularly taken, now,

"Therefore, at a public meeting called by the Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce, held in Las Cruces, Dona Ana county, New Mexico, on this ninth day of August, A. D. 1921, be and it is hereby,

"Resolved, that protest be and is hereby made against the said acts of the said State Board of Education; that it is the sense of this meeting that the said Chamber of Commerce take up this matter immediately with the press and Chambers of Commerce and other public organizations in the state of New Mexico looking to immediate and concerted effort to set aside said acts of the State Board of Education through legal proceedings, if necessary;

"That the said Chamber of Commerce give widespread publicity to these resolutions in the public press and otherwise;

"That a copy of these resolutions be submitted to the Honorable Governor of the State of New Mexico, that he be respectfully urged to assist, in any proper manner, in relieving the people of New Mexico from the unjust burdens as aforesaid put upon them by the State Board of Education of New Mexico."

"The educational committee of the Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce will leave nothing undone," Mr. Stevens, chairman of the committee, said, "to bring the facts before the people of New Mexico and with that end in view we shall endeavor to en-

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## This Week's Specials:

One 2 burner Oil Stove, former price \$17.50 now	\$12.50
Jelly Glasses, former price 85c. doz., now per doz.	60c.
1 Pint Vacuum Bottle, former price \$3.50, special	2.50
Splendid 2 Blade Horn Handled Jack Knife, former price \$1.50, Special	90c.
House Paint, former price \$5.00 gal., Special	3.00
Horse Collars, former price \$12.50 each, Special	10.00
Horse Collars, former price \$8.00 each, Special	6.40
Horse Collars, former price \$4.00 each, Special	3.20
Hook Collar Pads, former price \$1.00, Special	60c.
Navajo Saddle Blankets, \$12.50, Special	7.50
Wagon Sheets, \$11.00, Special	7.50

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list the moral support and cooperation of the press and the chambers of commerce and other bodies in this state to make this fight to the finish."

A large attendance enjoyed the regular meeting of Eddy Lodge No. 21, I. O. O. F., held Tuesday evening last. A feature of the meeting was the presentation of a 25-year Veteran Jewel to Mr. James E. Lavery, whose membership in the local lodge dates from June 12, 1896.

Mr. Lavery was not a charter member of the lodge, although his petition was presented the evening the lodge was instituted. D. G. Grantham, for many years a member of the Oddfellow fraternity, and to whom a 25-year Veteran Jewel shortly will be given, presented the Jewel to Mr. Lavery and commended him for his labors and interest in the local lodge during the long period of membership. L. E. Hayes, formerly a resident of Carlsbad, and now living in El Paso, was present at the meeting and presided in the absence of the Noble Grand. Mr. Hayes has served as Grand Master of the state and attended the 100th anniversary of the Sovereign Grand Lodge at Baltimore in 1919. The local lodge continues to receive applications from the best citizens of the city, and the indebtedness on the lodge hall is rapidly being reduced.

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J. E. Lavery is pretty proud of a Jewel he recently received which records his membership in the local Lodge of Odd Fellows, for the past twenty-five years. The Jewel consists of the three links, from which is suspended a six pointed star, having in the center the figures "25" and suitably engraved on the back. Mr. Lavery was initiated in Carlsbad lodge, Dr. Bearup has received a similar Jewel, as he too has been a member of the order for the same length of time, although not of this lodge. The Jewels are very artistic and will be valued by the recipients as long as they live.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shaffer and two children of Buffalo, New York, are in the city and will remain here for the winter.

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### CARLSBADITES ABROAD.

Roman Ohnemus and family passed through the city today en route to Clovis where Mr. Ohnemus will look after business for the Studebaker car, for which he is valley agent, and attend the big American Legion rodeo, which begins Saturday. Mr. Ohnemus is one of the old-timers of the lower valley, a veteran machinist, and of late years considerable of an auto and honey magnate.

K. O. Reed of Carlsbad chaperoned a party of Carlsbad innocents through the city today on their way to the conventions at Albuquerque and Santa Fe.

H. A. Gailbraith of Carlsbad, is in the city.—Wednesday's Roswell News.

Arnold Z. Smith and Victor L. Minter visited Hope last Saturday afternoon and met with Penasco Lodge No. 32, A. F. & A. M., at the regular monthly meeting held that evening. Mr. Minter is the District Deputy Grand Master for the 12th Masonic District and addressed the lodge concerning the recent big Masonic meeting in El Paso, and spoke of organizing a Masonic Study Club in the lodge at Hope. An informal banquet was served at the close of the lodge. The visitors returned to Carlsbad the same evening.

Eddy Lodge No. 21, A. F. & A. M., is arranging to confer the Master Mason degree with a team composed of Past Masters of the lodge. Invitations will be extended to the lodges at Artesia, Hope and Lake Arthur to be present to witness the work. The date of the special communication will be called for the purpose will be announced next week and cards will be mailed to members as usual. A social hour to follow the meeting is being arranged by a special committee of the lodge.

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About fifty of our people, Masons and their families, will visit at Roswell tomorrow, going up to attend the Shriner's Meeting held there at that date.

Visitors to the county seat today are Baxter Culp and Amos Reeves, of Monument, who are transacting business here.

### TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

The tennis tournament for the Godbey cup and two raquets furnished by the Commercial Club which was postponed last Sunday will be held next Sunday, August 21, and players from all up and down the Pecos Valley will be here to participate. Roswell players will be here on the Saturday evening train and will play some that afternoon. All the games are free to the public and a large attendance is expected.

### DIED.

This morning at 3:00 o'clock at Eddy county hospital, after a few days' illness, occurred the death of Mrs. Glenna Hays, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hays, of this city. The deceased came to Carlsbad the fourth of July from Kansas City, where she made her home and intended to remain that she might be near her parents and took the rooms formerly occupied by Madame Clark, where with her daughter, Mildred, she expected to reside. She was the widow of Brice M. Hays, a brother of Frank Hays, of Carlsbad, her husband dying fourteen years ago. She also lost a child which died in infancy.

An educated, refined woman of about forty years of age, she left her impress upon all who knew her and many friends are grieved at her passing and feel deeply the bereavement of parents, sister and young daughter. Arrangements for the funeral cannot be completed entirely but the interment will be held at Carlsbad cemetery on Sunday at 9 o'clock, from the home of her parents, in West Carlsbad.

### CARLSBAD FRIENDS ALSO CONGRATULATE.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Harrison of Clovis, N. M., are the happy parents of a fine son, born to them on the 4th of this month. The Enterprise joins the many friends of Ray in congratulations.—Pecos Enterprise.

The Willing Workers Class of the Christian church will hold a market at Purdy's furniture store Saturday, August 20th. Special orders will be filled. Anyone desiring a special order phone Catherine Purdy who is chairman of the finance committee.

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FREDERICK WATSON LIGON. Word was received this week by S. D. Stennis, Jr., of the death of our fellow townsman, Charley Watson, as he was known to all in this vicinity. Mr. Watson was a stock-raiser for many years, having a good ranch about five miles east of Avalon and his many friends here will be grieved to learn of his death. The following clipping is taken from a Temple, Texas, paper:

Frederick Watson Ligon died in this city Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock, following a lingering illness. Deceased had been a resident of Temple about a month, coming here from Carlsbad, N. M., where he engaged in the cattle business.

The deceased was born in Amelia county, Va., July 16, 1850. In December of the same year his parents came to this state and settled in Fayette county. Thirty-three years ago he moved to Carlsbad, where he remained until coming to this city to reside.

Funeral services will be conducted this afternoon at 5 o'clock from Wright's undertaking parlors by Rev. B. A. Hedges, pastor of Grace Presbyterian church. Interment will be in Hillcrest.

The pall bearers will be Dr. W. A. Fisher, Will Potter, Hassie Holley, O. W. Clark, James Paton and George Shannon.

The deceased is survived by three sisters and one brother and several other relatives. The sisters are Mrs. Jennie Henson and Mrs. M. C. Stewart of this city and Mrs. W. W. Hammond of Austin. The brother is Waddy Ligon, of Bisbee, Ariz.—Temple (Texas) Times.

Word from Rev. D. F. Sellards is to the effect that he will be home from his vacation trip to California points the latter part of the week and will hold services with his people next Sunday morning. Brother Sellards has had a month off and all will be glad to have him with us again whether affiliated with his church or not.

The regular monthly communication of Eddy Lodge No. 21, A. F. & A. M., will be held next Thursday evening, August 25, 1921, at eight o'clock. The fall and winter program for the proposed Masonic Study Club will be discussed at the meeting. Visitors will be welcomed.

Honoring Miss Elinor Redell, of Roswell, Mrs. Martha Ward-Livingston gave a dance to nine couples or the younger society set at her beautiful home in north Carlsbad. The wide verandas surrounding the house were utilized by the young dancers, who enjoyed themselves as only young folks of their age can at an affair of that kind. Music was furnished by Miss Lenna Osborn at the piano, and was of the best. Refreshments were served.



## Attractions at Crawford Theatre NEXT WEEK

MON.— WALLACE REID IN  
"THE CHARM SCHOOL"

TUES.— CHARLES RAY  
in  
"19 AND PHILLIS"

WED.— MABEL NORMAND IN  
"THE SLIM PRINCESS"

THUR.— FRANK MAYO IN  
"THE BLAZING TRAIL"  
and Eddie Polo in  
"KING OF THE CIRCUS"

FRI.— FATTY ARBUCKLE IN  
"LIFE OF THE PARTY"  
and "Behind the Signs on Broadway"

SAT.—

### LOCAL NEWS.

W. F. Melvain, Mrs. Melvain, R. L. Halley and wife, are attending the Republican State Convention in Santa Fe, this week, leaving overland in the Halley automobile.

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Miss Alletta-Fisher, granddaughter of Mrs. Mary English Thorne, who has been visiting with her relatives in this county for some time, left the first of the week for her home in Topeka, Kansas.

The eighteen days old infant of Mr. and Mrs. John Thomason died at the family home in Carlsbad Wednesday morning. The little one, a girl, was sick but a few hours when death ensued. Sympathy is felt for the bereaved parents. Interment took place in City Cemetery.

Miss Zeta Willis is spending the week with Miss Mabel Robinson at Lakewood and will be at home tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Callen, of Roswell, former residents of Carlsbad, with their son, Robert, are down from Clovis, visiting at the home of J. F. Bush.

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M. E. Ewell, who is building the new Catholic parsonage in San Jose, spent Sunday in Roswell, coming down from there on the train Monday afternoon.

A postal to the Current from "Tim" (Geo. G. Timmons) locates the young man in his home town, Chester, Pennsylvania, where he says that he is enjoying himself and getting along fine. He wishes to be remembered to old friends in Carlsbad.

Miss Ida Breeding left Sunday night for San Francisco, California, and, according to plans, sailed from that place Wednesday for the island of Maui, one of the Hawaiian group where she is under contract to teach school. The trip includes six days on the water, before reaching her destination. A particular friend of Miss Breeding's from El Paso made the trip with her. She expects to remain in Hawaii two years. Miss White, who taught in Carlsbad Grammar school last year, will be one of the party going when Miss Breeding does. To this capable girl, one of the products of Carlsbad schools, best wishes are extended for a pleasant and profitable stay in this picturesque island.

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Charles Montgomery spent a few days on business in Roswell this week, returning yesterday.

H. A. Gragg left for Roswell Wednesday night and remained there until last night when he returned bringing Mrs. Gragg and the children with him.

Mrs. Della Morgan, of Burk Burnett, Texas, has leased the Victor Hotel and rooming house on Canyon street and will become a resident of Carlsbad from now on.

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Mrs. E. L. Morton and son left Sunday night for Portales where she will meet her husband and together they will go on to their home at Mortonville, Kansas. They have had a delightful vacation visit with their relatives, J. W. Armstrong and family.

Rude Wilcox spent Sunday in Roswell.

Mrs. Jessie Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Davis, of this city, and a Roswell girl known to all older residents, died in the hospital at Carlsbad Friday night, and was buried at her home at Hope yesterday, leaving a husband and one child. Mrs. Wood was thirty years of age, and had lived all her life in the valley.—Roswell News.

Emily Geer Moore was hostess to several little folk at the Methodist Sunday School fete last night. The children enjoyed their treat immensely and afterward played on the lawn until time to return to their homes. Her little guests were Victor Lee, Margaret Virginia and Helen Minter, Margaret and Julia Rodgers, Mrs. Moore and Miss Geer looked after the children.

D. D. Gage and wife came in to town from their home on Upper Black river yesterday and Mrs. Gage was taken to the Sisters Hospital to be prepared for an operation which will be performed soon. Mr. Gage returned to the ranch in the evening.

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### Farm Talk No. 5

Have you stopped to think that when you plant poor seed you are bound to get poor results?

One of our best cotton farmers says that the average premiums paid in Carlsbad over a period of years on 1-1-8 inch Durango Cotton is from six to eight cents per pound; and upon 1-1-4 inch Durango about twelve cents a pound over the ordinary short cotton.

Our water and other taxes are high, and our labor more expensive than that of more favored cotton districts.

On the other hand, with our soil and climate, we can raise this superior grade of cotton by giving the proper attention to the selection of seed. Last fall a cotton buyer, who is a good cotton classifier, had to buy five bales of cotton here before he found one bale from which he could select good samples of Durango cotton. Cotton, like other products, degenerates unless great care is used in selecting seed.

Suppose you walk through your cotton field, row by row, and tie a colored string to every stalk that is producing 1-1-4 inch Durango cotton until you have found enough of this to make at least a ton of good seed; then skip this the first and second picking, and when it is well opened, pick this particular cotton, gin it separately, and save the seed to get a start of good Durango again. You will be surprised at the results.

Then only plant a small acreage of cotton and keep in mind that diversification means more profits per acre.

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Dr. Glasier accompanied by Mrs. Glasier and the boys, spent Wednesday in Hope, Mrs. Glasier and the children visiting with friends, and the doctor attending to professional business.

The young ladies who joined Miss Lucille Ward, of Artesia, at the house party given at the J. F. Joyce home last week, were Misses Mabel Cahoon, Miss Charlotte Wilson, Miss Elinor Bedell, of Roswell, Miss Lois Lovett, of Corsicana, Texas, and Miss Claudia Morris, of El Paso, Texas. The young ladies left for their homes Wednesday with the exception of Miss Morris, who will make a longer visit at the pleasant Joyce home.

Mrs. Arnold of Sweetwater, Texas, is a visitor at the home of Mrs. Patton and will be in town for about a week.

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John R., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Joyce, who has been spending the summer vacation at the home of his parents in Carlsbad is already enrolled in the University of Virginia as a student for the coming year. He expects to leave home the first week in September for Charlottesville, where the university is located the first week in September stopping on the way to attend a house party at the home of his chum, Junius Hearne, at Wheeling, West Virginia, and arriving at Charlottesville in time to be present at the opening of school the 15th.

Cecil Bearup left yesterday morning for El Paso and after remaining there for a few days to see the sights of the Pass City, will go on to Los Angeles, where he intends to locate if conditions are favorable.

The two little daughters of Mrs. Burnia McCaw, of Roswell, are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Maggie Reed at the Metropolitan Hotel. Fern and Laura Belle will be remembered by many little friends here where they used to live.

Thanks of the office force are due Mrs. J. P. Middleton for a fine toothsome watermelon. This good lady never forgets her friends among whom the reporter for the Current has been counted these many years.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Palmer arrived in the city Sunday afternoon on the train from Clovis. They were called to attend the funeral of Mrs. Palmer's niece, little Jean Perry. Mr. Palmer left on the return trip Monday but Mrs. Palmer remains with her sister for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. George Batton and Mr. and Mrs. D. Jackson, are in attendance at the State Democratic Convention at Albuquerque, going up in the Batton car.

Members of the Chamber of Commerce are expected to be present at the next Chamber of Commerce luncheon to take place at the Crawford Hotel on August 25.

A barbecue-dance was given last night at the home of M.L. Livingston where fifteen couples were entertained. The spacious living room was used for dancing and after all had enjoyed the diversion and the feast the night was finished by a swim in the cool waters of the lake.

T. S. Pickens and Ed. Burleson were in town yesterday from Last Chance, where both have their homes. The trip was made for the purpose of securing lumber to build a schoolhouse for the use of the children of that district. They played in rather bad luck, however, as when they arrived at Moseley, day before yesterday, and camped for the night, one of the mules got away and Mr. Pickens was compelled to follow it the entire distance to the ranch, twelve miles, on foot. After arriving there he put in four hours more hunting the animal and was rather late in arriving in town. However, all's well that ends well, and the pupils of the Last Chance school will probably enjoy their new school house all the more after the difficulty of building it is considered. The building will be 14x22 feet and when built Mr. Pickens will have the honor of teaching the first school in it, he having been re-elected as teacher for the coming year.

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### LOCAL NEWS.

T. E. Merrett of Lucy, New Mexico, came in Saturday night. He is a son-in-law of J. C. DeMoss, of the Queen country, and will visit at the DeMoss ranch in the mountains for several days.

Colonel Wilson, of the New Mexico Military Institute, came down from there Saturday and completed arrangements for the polo game between Carlsbad and Roswell which was pulled off Sunday last in Roswell.

Eight couples of members of the Lodge of American Yeomen took a hayride Thursday of last week and incidentally had a fine time in so doing. They first went to the home where a fine lunch was spread and partaken of and afterwards the party rode around to various places until about 11 o'clock when they were taken to their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blair came in Saturday for a visit with Mrs. Blair's parents Mr. and Mrs. C. C. White of this place. Mr. Blair will probably remain here a week or so longer, while Mrs. Blair may remain some weeks. Both Mr. and Mrs. Blair were employed during the war at the government's buildings in Washington, but in common with many others, were laid off. They took the opportunity to visit with relatives in Missouri while on the way out here and have had a very pleasant time on route.

Our Welding holds.  
WEAVER'S GARAGE.

### PREPARATIONS FOR LABOR DAY

The meeting called for last Friday night, to make arrangements for the proper observance of Labor Day in Carlsbad, was well attended by different representatives of labor organizations in this city, under whose auspices the celebration is to be held. Will Bloxom represented the railroad men and Messrs. Grogan and Stevenson the barbers. A committee was appointed to take charge of the entire arrangements consisting of Messrs. Grogan, Wilkinson and Bloxom and they will appoint sub-committees as may seem desirable.

The plans as now formulated embrace a parade, a tennis tournament, speaking, baseball games on Sunday and Monday, the festivities to close with a dance at the Armory Monday night. It is hoped to secure an orchestra from Roswell for that occasion.

Another meeting of those interested will be held tonight at Odd Fellows Hall to make further plans for the proper observance of the day and it is thought a complete program will be given out after the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. James and Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Page returned Sunday from their trip to the White Mountains, where they spent ten very pleasant days camping and fishing and otherwise enjoying themselves.

Miss Eupa Cooper is spending the week with her friend, Miss Martha Williams on the Williams ranch near Lakewood. Miss Cooper expects to attend school at Silver City again this winter.



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### TENNIS TOURNAMENT IN PECOS.

Battling for every point F. A. Bailey and Hinton Blackshere of El Paso won the honors in the doubles of the Pecos tennis tourney by winning three out of five sets from W. H. Browning and Walter Browning of Pecos on Saturday.

The El Paso visitors also wrenched the honors in the singles tourney from the Browning brothers, and after each winning a set in the finals, play was stopped because of the hard playing in other games during the day, and it was agreed that the two El Paso men could decide the supremacy in the remaining three games on the El Paso courts.

The battle for honors in the doubles attracted the greatest attention during the tournament, and the El Paso players were forced to the limit in order to carry away the prize, the score of the sets failing to express the relative abilities of the two teams. Time and time again deuce was reached during the play and it was only the greater practice of the visitors that enabled them to carry away the numbers of games they won. Walter Browning in particular played a wonderful game.

Players were here from Carlsbad, Barstow and El Paso in addition to the Pecos players the teams from Midland and Roswell and Hagerman failing to appear.

The early rounds were played Friday and the four players who participated in the finals early showed that they stood well above the average of the other players. Many closely played games resulted in the early rounds the battle between Manahan of Pecos and Dyer of Barstow being particularly close, twenty games being necessary to decide the set which was finally carried off by Manahan by the score of 11 to 9.

The playing was enjoyed by good galleries, although the heat of the day kept a number of spectators from remaining for the whole series. The results of the game follow:

Doubles—Bailey and Blackshere vs. Browning and Browning, 6-1, 6-4 2-6, 4-6, 6-4.

Semi-finals—Browning and Browning vs. Manahan and Wolfe, 6-1, 6-3. Bailey and Blackshere vs. Kerr and Robertson, 6-1, 6-0.

Second round—Bailey and Blackshere vs. Beck and Tudor, 6-2, 6-0. Bailey and Blackshere vs. Braak and Hicks, 6-3, 6-2. Manahan and Wolfe, vs. Midland team, default; Kerr and Robertson, vs. McAlpin & Palmer, default.

First round—Browning vs. Morris & Perry, 6-1, 6-3. All other in first round by default.

Semi-finals—Hinton Blackshere, vs. Walter Browning 6-0 6-4. A. A. Bailey vs. W. H. Browning, Jr. 6-0, 5-1.

Third round—Walter Browning, vs. Dave Tudor, 6-4 6-0. Blackshere vs. Vernon Hicks, 6-0, 6-1. Bailey vs. Braak, 6-2, 6-2. W. H. Browning Jr. vs. Putnam Barstow, 6-3, 6-3.

Second round—Blackshere vs. Charles Manahan, 6-2, 6-0. Bailey vs. Morris, 6-2, 6-4. Braak vs. Hugh Robertson, 6-1, 6-1. Barstow vs. Monroe Kerr, 6-2, 6-0. Others winner by byes and default.

First round—Blackshere vs. Wolf, 6-2, 6-2. Manahan vs. Dyer, 6-4, 11-9. Morris, vs. Beck, 6-2, 6-2. Bailey, vs. Perry, 6-1, 6-0.—Pecos Enterprise.

### BEAL-BINGHAM WEDDING.

A wedding of interest took place Saturday afternoon at four o'clock at the home of the bride's parents when Miss Mary Frances Bingham and Mr. Charley Beal were married, Rev. E. K. Whidden officiating, using the ring ceremony.

The bride wore a blue figured georgette dress and was attended by Misses Ruth Graham and Lorena Anderson. Only immediate relatives were present. Mrs. Beal is an attractive and charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bingham, having lived in Lea county all her life, and attended Lovington schools until two years ago, when she took a business course at Abilene, Texas. After coming home she accepted the position of Deputy to the County Clerk, Mr. Beal is well known in this community, being a brother to Messrs. Scott Wolfarth and Craydon Dean. At present he has a contract of engineering on the road project between Hope and Artesia.

The leader joins their many friends in wishing them a long life of happiness and prosperity.—Lovington Leader.

### BAPTISTS OF PECOS VALLEY END MEETING.

The Pecos Valley Baptist association was in session at Lake Arthur, N. M., on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. A very large representation from the churches at Carlsbad, Loving, Artesia, Hope, Dexter, Lake Arthur, Hagerman and Roswell were present.

The Baptist state workers from Albuquerque also were present at the two-day session. Addresses were made by Corresponding Secretary J. W. Bruner, B. Y. P. U. Secretary, S. S. Buswell, president, J. M. Cook of Montezuma college, Miss Beulah Fonville, matron of the orphans home at Portales.

Many problems confronting the Baptist denomination were discussed by W. L. Gage of Artesia, J. A. Nicholson of Loving, M. L. Murdock of Roswell, A. L. Maddox of Las Vegas and many other prominent Baptists of this section.

According to Chairman T. C. Mahan of Carlsbad, a large number from the Pecos valley will attend the state convention at Albuquerque in November.

Fred Blucher, of Temple, Texas, left for his home Wednesday morning after a visit at the home of his relatives in Carlsbad. Mrs. Blucher remained for a longer visit.

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## LESSON FOR AUGUST 21.

## PAUL PREPARES FOR WORLD CONQUEST.

LESSON TEXT—Acts 18:1, 18:3.  
GOLDEN TEXT—But we believe that through the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ we shall be saved.—Acts 18:3.

REFERENCE MATERIAL—Gal. 2:11-21; 1:24; Eph. 1:4-5.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Some of Paul's Helpers.  
JUNIOR TOPIC—Beginning of the Second Missionary Journey.  
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Revisiting Friends in Asia Minor.  
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Paul Champions Christian Liberty.

## 1. The Controversy in the Church at Antioch (vv. 1-5).

This difficulty was a most serious one, for it threatened the disruption of the church into Jewish and Gentile divisions.

The question was, "Shall Gentile converts be required to keep the Mosaic law as a condition of salvation?" This issue was brought on by the coming of certain men from Jerusalem who declared, "Except ye be circumcised after the manner of Moses, ye cannot be saved" (v. 1). The question was so difficult that Paul and Barnabas were unable to put them to sleep. These Jewish legalists had the letter of the Scriptures on their side; they could point to the commandments where this was enjoined upon believers (Gen. 17:14). Paul could not point to any Scripture where it had been abrogated. If Paul could plead that Abraham was justified before he was circumcised, his antagonist could say, "Yes, but after justification the rite was divinely imposed." The brethren at Antioch decided to refer the matter to the mother church at Jerusalem. Accordingly Paul and Barnabas and others were sent as a deputation to Jerusalem.

2. The Deliberations of the Council (vv. 6-21).  
1. Peter's Speech (vv. 7-11). Peter argued that God had borne witness to His acceptance of the Gentiles by giving the Holy Spirit to them the same as unto the Jews. Since, therefore, God had not put a difference it would be folly for them to do so. God's action in sending Peter unto them was the unanswerable proof that there was no distinction to be made.

2. Paul and Barnabas rehearse their experiences (v. 12). They told how that God had set His seal of approval upon their preaching of salvation by grace through faith apart from works, by the working of signs and wonders through them.

3. The argument of James (vv. 14-21). He took the fact declared by Peter and showed how it harmonized with the prophecy of Amos. He showed that the reception of the Gentiles was not in conflict with God's plan, but in strict harmony therewith. God's plan for the ages is as follows: (1) Taking out of among the Gentiles a people for His name (v. 14). This is what is now going on—the calling out of the church. (2) After the church is completed and removed the Jewish nation will be converted and restored to their land and privileges by the Lord himself at His return (vv. 16, 17). (3) Following this will be the conversion of the world through the agency of converted Israel (v. 17; cf. Rom. 11:15). His judgment was that the Gentiles should not be troubled with things that are Jewish, but should be warned against the perils of heathenism, such as meat offered to idols, fornication, and blood.

III. The Decision (vv. 22-29).  
The mother church at Jerusalem came to a unanimous agreement and accepted the resolution offered by James. They not only sent a letter stating the decision of the conference, but took the wise precaution to send influential men along with Paul and Barnabas to bear the same testimony by word of mouth. This letter denied the authority of the Judaizing teachers (v. 24), and declared the method by which this decision had been reached (vv. 25-27).

IV. The Second Missionary Journey Begun (15:36; 16:5).  
1. Contention over John Mark (vv. 36-41). Paul was suspicious of Mark because of his desertion on the former journey. Barnabas took Mark and sailed to Cyprus. Paul chose Silas and went through Syria and Cilicia confirming the churches. The Lord thus overruled it to good, for it gave an opportunity for wider dissemination of the gospel.

2. Finding Timothy (16:1-5). This was at the very place where Paul on his first journey had endured cruel stoning. Timothy was with Paul through much of his work ever afterward, a great blessing to him.

Hezekiah, the Builder.  
And the rest of the acts of Hezekiah, and all his might, and how he made a pool, and a conduit, and brought water into the city, are they not written in the book of the chronicles of the kings of Judah?—II Kings 20:20.

The Pure and the Defiled.  
Unto the pure all things are pure; but unto them that are defiled and unbelieving is nothing pure; but even their mind and conscience is defiled.—Titus 1:15.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that a Clerk educational examination will be held on August 27, 1921 for the purpose of filling a vacancy in the position of Clerk in the Post Office service at Carlsbad, N. M.

Application blanks and further information may be obtained from the Local Secretary, Board of Civil Service Examiners, at Carlsbad, N. M. Post Office.

According to John Robertson, sheep dipping throughout New Mexico is now under way and will be completed by the last of October. The dipping is in compliance with the general order that all sheep in the state must be dipped. Officials of the bureau of animal industry are overseeing the work and will see that the order is carried out on all the ranches of the state.

Miss Mabel Hartshorn is in town a guest at the home of Miss Helen Melvain. Miss Hartshorn formerly lived with her parents in Carlsbad and is a graduate of our High School and has lately been living in Mexico.

STATE LAND SELECTIONS.  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, August 6 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, by virtue of Acts of Congress, has selected, through this office, the following lands:

List No. 8682. Serial No. 048645. W $\frac{1}{2}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , SE $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , N 1-2SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 27; E $\frac{1}{2}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , NE $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 28 T. 22-S. R. 25-E., N. Mex. Mer. 320 acres.

Protests or contests against any or all of such selections may be filed in this office at any time before final approval.

EMMETT PATTON  
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION  
047778  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. Mex. July 30, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that Myrtle D. Harker, of Carlsbad, N. M. who, on July 12th, 1920, made H. E. No. 047778, for SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ; Section 4, Township 24S, Range 27E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Dover Phillips, U. S. Commissioner, at Carlsbad, N. M. September 6, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: William J. Lamb, Daniel R. Harker, Sid M. Brown, Corbett T. Harker, all of Carlsbad, N. M.  
EMMETT PATTON, Register.  
Aug. 5, Sep. 2nd, 1921.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.  
030665  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, August 12th, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that Louis E. Regnier, of Carlsbad, N. M. who, on Feb. 24th, 1915, made Homestead entry No. 030665, for NW $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ; SE $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ; Sec. 17. NE $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ; Section 18, Township 25-S Range 26-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final 3-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before D. M. Jackson, Clerk of the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, at Carlsbad, N. M. on the 20th day of September, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Arthur J. Mayes, Wilson Frowell, these of Carlsbad, N. M. Roy Hepler, of Loving, N. M., Ira F. Taylor, of Carlsbad, N. M.  
EMMETT PATTON, Register.  
Aug. 19, Sept. 16, 1921.

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### SCOUT NEWS.

We are glad to report Scout Leslie Ward improving and hope he will soon be up. The old scout had a close call but with the aid of good physicians and nurses, and his wonderful nerve he made the fight and won.

Letters from Scouts Stanley Blocker and Pat Higgs in camp at Fort Logan, Colorado, report them both doing fine. They are having lots of work and training, good eats and comfortable quarters. They drill seven hours each day, take athletic

and educational work. The camp is proving a great benefit to those who had the good fortune to attend.

School will start next month and with it will open new work in the scout line.

Troop 2 will take an over night hike Friday. The youngsters enjoy these outings and Scoutmaster White is getting good results.

A special session of Scoutmasters was held at the club rooms of Troop 1 Tuesday night and the work for the coming winter was discussed. Also plans for the next season's

camp were talked over and every Carlsbad Scout is expected to make himself eligible to attend the big encampment.

Scouts Virgil and Wathan McCollum visited the Scouts at Fort Logan last week. The boys were glad to see their pals from home.

Scoutmaster Wells, of Troop 3, is lining up the Spanish lads. Twenty-five of the boys are attending.

All members of Scout Troop 1 are requested to be in attendance Tuesday night.

### MAN WITHIN — MAN WITHOUT.

Rev. George H. Givan.

There is a man within just as truly as there is a man without. The man within is both lord and master of the man without.

The man within is the life and power of the man without. As the dynamo furnishes unseen power to the machine, so the man within to the man without.

The man within must first move or there can be no movement without.

The man within gives orders and the man without carries them into execution.

The man within must first speak or the man without can never talk. The man within must first think or the man without can never act intelligently.

The man within is first pure or impure before the man without can be the same.

As the man within thinketh so will the man act without if opportunity presents.

From the abundance of the heart within the mouth speaketh without. If the fountain source within is pure, the stream that flows without will be pure.

But if the life within is corrupt, the life without will also be corrupt. The man without is never a thief until the man within is first a thief.

The man without can never commit murder until the man within has committed murder over and over.

The lips without can never tell an untruth until the lips within has uttered lies.

The man within must first steal before the man without can lay hands on another's goods.

The man within must first grumble and find fault before the tongue can complain.

Vile and corrupt thoughts must first be in the heart before they can fall from the lips.

The man within must first be cheerful or the man without can never smile.

Kindness must be in the heart before lips or hands can give expression.

The man within must be good long before the man without can show it to the world.

The man within must be true and faithful or the man without can never be so.

The man within must first control his passion or the man without will go to the dogs.

The man within must direct his thoughts or the man without will speak strange words.

The man within must first worship God or the man without can never do so.

The man within must first be a gentleman or the man without will be deemed to honor.

The man within must be polite before the man without can ever be chivalrous.

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### MARRIED.

The parlor of the Rightway hotel on Fox street was the scene of an interesting ceremony Monday afternoon at four o'clock when the words were pronounced that united the lives of two members of our best known families, A. N. Stewart and Mrs. Genevieve Blevins, in the holy bonds of matrimony.

The parlor was decorated with pink roses, and the shades drawn, and under the soft rays of the electric light, Rev. George H. Givan read the ceremony of the Methodist church prescribed for such occasions in the presence of only a few of the most intimate friends of the couple.

The bride groom, A. N. Stewart, belongs to one of our oldest and most respected families. He has lived most of his life in different parts of the Pecos valley, and many friends are glad to know that he has taken up the responsibilities of married life.

Mrs. Stewart has resided in and near Carlsbad for fourteen years past and enjoys a wide acquaintance among our people and few if any better business women are living in Carlsbad today. A woman of means, which she has acquired mainly by her own exertions, she has many commendable traits of character which go to make success in life.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart are a unit in wishing them a safe voyage through life, the current joining in all good wishes. They will make their home in Carlsbad Mrs. Blevins having a well established business here as well as a fine alfalfa farm under the project.

A letter from Mrs. Peter Lowenbruck to homefolks in Carlsbad gives the interesting news that, having sold out their business in Phoenix, Arizona, they are now en route to Los Angeles, making the trip via automobile and proceeding in a leisurely manner. They will probably locate in that city where Mr. Lowenbruck has two brothers who are in the retail meat business.

Irvin Penny is in town from Kansas City, coming Wednesday night. This is his first visit to his parents in five years and the aforesaid parents, J. L. Penny and wife, are surely enjoying the society of their son. During the war Irvin was a member of the Naval Aviation Corps, and was stationed at Pensacola, Florida. He will only remain here for a few days, being unable to be absent from his work for a long vacation.

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Mrs. Tom Vest and daughter, Miss Vera, returned Monday night from a visit to friends in the vicinity of Queen.

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Miss Eleanor Flowers was hostess at a little party Saturday evening honoring the house guests of Miss Barber Nell Thomas.

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Mrs. S. I. Roberts is expected to return this week from Los Angeles, where she has been spending the past three months.

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That S. D. Stennis, Jr., is attorney for the plaintiff, and that his post office and business address is Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico. Given under my hand and seal of office this 19th day of August, 1921.

D. M. JACKSON, County Clerk. By INEZ E. JONES, Deputy.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO W. E. Downs, if living, and if dead, his unknown heirs, and all claimants in interest adverse to Plaintiff, in Lots 2 and 4, Block 52, Stevens Addition to the City of Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, GREETING:—

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 19th day of August, 1921, Wesley Shearil, plaintiff, filed his Complaint in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, being cause No. 3422 on the Civil Docket of said Court, wherein you and each of you are named as defendants. The general object of said suit being to quiet the title of the plaintiff in the following described real estate situated in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

Lots Two (2) and Four (4) of Block Fifty-two (52), Stevens Addition to the City of Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, as per plat recorded in the office of the Clerk of the Probate Court and Ex-Officio Recorder of Eddy County, New Mexico.

That unless you enter your appearance and file your answer therein on or before the 6th day of October, 1921, Judgment against you will be taken by default.

That S. D. Stennis, Jr., is attorney for the plaintiff, and that his post office and business address is Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico. Given under my hand and seal of office this 19th day of August, 1921.

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