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A NEWSPAPER OF AND FOR TEXICO-FARWELL, AND CURRY COUNTY N. M. AND FARMER COUNTY, TEXAS

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## State Supt. White Visits Texico In Interest of State Democracy

Thursday evening the first political drive swooped down on Texico. It was composed of State Superintendent Alvin N. White, and a motor party from Clovis as follows:

L. C. Mersfelder, ex-County Superintendent, and present candidate for State Senator 23rd district; Ambrose Ivy, tax assessor; Dick Moye, sheriff; Sam Bratton, attorney; A. B. Wagner, postmaster; and John McMinn.

Their coming was unheralded, but the local loyals bestirred themselves and assembled an attentive small audience to hear the state official and the senatorial candidate. The speaking was open air at the corner of Garwood and Wheeler. Doctor McClellan presided, and with democratic eulogy presented the speakers.

Mr. Mersfelder led, with a plea for tax reformation in the state, and laid bare some startling data showing the great inequalities. His plea for his own advancement was exceedingly modest.

State Superintendent White was the speaker of the evening. He is not a candidate for re-election, but is out personally for the democratic cause. He told his hearers that the election of the Democratic National ticket was already assured; but he is urging activity in behalf of the State Democratic. He calls on Curry county to roll up its usual good vote for democracy. And he plead for effacement of race prejudice, by voting for a real man rather than against a foreign-sounding name. His eulogy of De Baca was in terms of strongest confidence. That a true American of Spanish or Mexican

extraction was the peer of an American or Norwegian or other foreign extraction. It's the man, he plead, and not the ancestral lineage that voters should look to in choosing officials.

His address was along the reform line in taxation, improvement in schools, and progress in road building. Referring to taxes, he cited that Curry county stood at the head in New Mexico—paying 95 per cent of its assessed taxes, while in Grant and Socorro counties the rate of tax collection was as low as 65 and 72 per cent. And Curry county renditions exceed in per cent the others.

Politicians will be in Texico again on Nov. 4.

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### Stock Holders Meeting

There will be a meeting of the stock holders of the Western Tire and Garage Company, held at the Criterion Hall in Texico-Farwell Saturday November 4th, beginning at 2:00 p. m.

C. A. Roberson in an address to the stock-holders will define the present status of the work and will outline the future activities of the company.

After the address the stock-holders will be conducted to the plant site, to view the construction work of what is to be the biggest industrial institution in the State of Texas and all the West. Everybody is invited to attend this meeting whether you are a stockholder or not, but stockholders especially should be present.

Per C. A. ROBERSON

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Read the News advertisements.

## BOOST!

Boost your neighbor; boost your friend;  
Boost the lodge that you attend;  
Boost the street on which you're dwelling;  
Boost the goods that you are selling;  
Boost the people 'round about you.—  
They can get along without you,  
But success will quicker find them  
If they know that you're behind them.

Boost for every forward movement;  
Boost for every new improvement;  
Boost the stranger and the neighbors;  
Boost the man for whom you labor;  
Cease to be a chronic knocker,  
Cease to be a progress blocker;  
If you'd make your city better—  
Boost it to the final letter.  
Stop your knocking—BOOST!

### S. S. Workers Training School

Rev. C. Ross Payne, Sunday School Field Secretary under State Mission Board of Baptist Convention of New Mexico spoke at the Baptist Church in Texico Sunday night. Mr. Payne announced a Sunday School Workers Training School at Clovis, for Nov. 19th to 26th inclusive. The leading speaker will be a Sunday School specialist, Prof. J. M. Price, of the Southwestern Seminary, Ft. Worth. Other speakers on the program are Rev. R. F. Jenkins of Roswell; State Evangelist L. O. Vermillion, Farwell; Rev. A. L. Maddox, Tucumcari; Rev. E. A. DuLaney, Clovis; Rev. E. B. Atwood, Albuquerque; Rev. C. Ross Payne, Albuquerque. This is an opportunity of a lifetime for S. S. workers, and while it is conducted by Baptists, all S. S. work-

ers are invited to attend. The Clovis Church entertains free all who attend and take the course. Expense for books will be less than one dollar. Those who can attend, notify Pastor Earl DuLaney, Clovis, at earliest possible convenience.

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### The Civic Spirit

The civic spirit is rooting itself in Texico-Farwell. On the Texico side the News is pleased to refer to Mr. J. F. Deats as being a most progressive booster, and an ardent worker for civic advancement. In the city council he is a leading force for street and other public improvements, and he is an advocate of every civic measure. If his lead is followed, we will soon note a beautiful Texico-Farwell.

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Send the News to a friend,

## World Notes of Public Interest Condensed from Press Reports

The Swedish steamer, Marcus, was sunk by a German submarine Sunday. The crew of fifteen were taken to Skagen, Denmark by the submarine.

Two small boats and 6 lives were lost in a terrific storm which swept over Lakes Erie and Huron Sunday. All vessels caught in the storm were accounted for.

2000 persons attended a pageant and centenary ball last Saturday at Galveston in the City Auditorium, in celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the founding of Galveston.

Infantile paralysis still remains a mystery to the medical world. Dr. Wade H. Frost, past assistant surgeon of the United States Health Service declares "we have made no discovery whatever."

American exports made a new record during September when \$512,847,957 worth of goods were sent abroad. The exports were greater than ever before in one month and exceeded the previous record of last August by \$3,000,000.

London, Oct. 24—Girls with blue eyes, working in the munition factories receive \$5.00 per week more than the black or brown eyed girls. They are considered cooler headed and more calculating, which renders them more reliable in danger.

One of the probable effects of the war and the high price of beef in London is that the poorer class will acquire a taste for prime cuts of horseflesh at 14 cents a pound, against beef and mutton at 37c a pound. Over 20 horse butchers are now doing a thriving trade.

### Texas Longhorns Defeat Oklahoma Sooners

Dallas, Oct. 21.—The University of Texas avenged its 1915 defeat at the hands of the University of Oklahoma by turning back the Sooners in a 21 to 7 game at the Dallas Fair Grounds. The Texas punting was a saving grace, and more than one time pulled the Longhorns out of a bad hole. The "Homemakers" from the Denton C. I. A. were present in large numbers to cheer the Longhorns on. About 10,000 enthusiasts witnessed the game.

### Some Bull

While at the Midland Fair, Jowell & Jowell of this county, sold their herd bull for \$7,000. This is the highest price ever paid for a bull in the southwest.—Hereford Brand.

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### Big Bean Yield

Gus Dunn, who lives east of Manzano, in Torrance county, has threshed a part of his 80-acre bean crop, which yielded him an average of 1,000 pounds per acre, is the report that comes from Mountainair.—House Pioneer.

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### SAMPLE COPIES

Many copies of this issue of Texico-Farwell News are being mailed out as samples of what the News will try to be. All who receive such sample copy are invited to become subscribers.

Those who subscribe before Nov. 3 will be entered as initial readers, at \$1.00. After that \$1.50.

# WESTERN TIRE & GARAGE CO.

Offers Stock for sale at \$40 per share---More than \$200,000 of Capitol Stock Has Been Sold

Every western investor should have stock in the Company. It is the best investment on the western market. This is an opportunity for all western people, and those who pass it up will be the loser.

Do you know the Goodyear Rubber Company paid to its stockholders as dividends the past year \$64 for every dollar originally invested? Do you know that the Firestone Rubber Co. are to pay a 900 per cent dividend to their stockholders in the next few days? Do you know that no Company has failed in being able to pay 100 per cent dividends or more each year on its stock?

Do you know that the stock of the Western Tire & Garage Co. will be selling for \$50 per share by January 1st, 1917, and will be worth more than

\$200 per share within 12 months? Do you know that the rubber business is the best paying business of any that is engaging capital today? Do you know that we are building the biggest industrial business at Texico, that there is in the west today and that this business is in a measure going to revolutionize the business life of this and adjacent community?

Think these things over for yourself and buy some stock before the opportunity has past.

The best and most conservative business men in the whole community compose the company's management. They know what they are about and you are not going to make any mistake in joining with them in the building of this enterprise. Think it over and write the company your decision.

# WESTERN TIRE & GARAGE CO.

TEXICO, NEW MEXICO

Soon to be the biggest business in all the west---Bigger, Stronger, Better Paying and Safer than any other business. Write for the number of shares you want.



SCENE FROM  
"THE YANKEE GIRL"

Featuring BLANCHE RING, America's Favorite Actress.  
Lyceum Theatre Tuesday, October 31

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DO YOU WANT PEACE WITH WILSON,  
OR WAR WITH HUGHES?  
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There is only one choice as against peace, and that is war. Some of the supporters of that (the Republican) party, a very great body of the supporters of that party, outspokenly declare that they want war; so that the certain prospect of the success of the Republican Party is that we shall be drawn in one form or other into the embroilments of the European war, and that to the south of us the force of the United States will be used to produce in Mexico the kind of law and order which some American investors in Mexico consider most to their advantage. \* \* \*

There is a more serious aspect even than that. There is an immediate result of this thing, my fellow citizens. From this time until the 7th of November it is going to be practically impossible for the present Administration to handle any critical matter concerning our foreign relations, because all foreign statesmen are waiting to see which way the election goes; and in the meantime they know that settlements will be inconclusive.—From President Wilson's address to the Young Men's Democratic League at Shadow Lawn, Sept. 30.

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Lincoln Locals.

As Mr. Frost, the long looked for gentleman has come at last, the farmers are all busy getting their feed in.

Mr. J. G. Gilliland, Mr. G. H. Palmateer and son Charles spent Monday and Tuesday in Clovis in order to hear the socialist candidate, Allan S. Benson, speak at the Elk's Auditorium.

Claude Johnson has been working the past week for Mr. Hungate, of Pleasant Hill.

Kenneth Bell was run over by a mule and sprained his knee last week.

School will not begin until Oct. 30th on account of the farmers being so busy and needing their children to help them.

Miss Pearl Hodges, of Clovis, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Whetherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Love, Mr. Watts and family spent Sunday at the Palmateer home.

Mrs. Low, Mrs. Gilliland's mother came from Texas last week to make her home with her daughter through the winter.

H. Rogers preached two interesting sermons Sunday morn-

ing and evening and also baptized Orville Brasher and Twyla Belle Palmateer.

Mr. Hadley has moved his house on the main road going east and west so that it will be close to school.

O. S. Gilliland made a business trip to Clovis the latter part of last week.

H. I. Isham is having a well dug by Bill Pipkin and Neil Kreitzberg.

DEMOCRATIC SPEAKING  
AT LOCUST GROVE

At Locust Grove on Tuesday evening of this week an enthusiastic Democratic rally was held. Hon. Sam Bratton spoke in the interest of the national and state tickets and his remarks were well received and liberally applauded. Following Mr. Bratton the several nominees for county office on the democratic ticket put forth their claims in short speeches. The building was well filled and the meeting was an exceptionally enthusiastic one.



SCENE FROM "THE WALL BETWEEN"  
FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN

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"The Wall Between"

Lyceum Theatre Monday, October 30

ELEPHANT BUTTE DAM

HON. A. A. JONES REPRESENTS  
PRESIDENT AT DEDICATION.

Great Irrigation Project, Completed at  
Expense of \$15,000,000, Turned  
Over to Association.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

Elephant Butte, N. M.—Three hundred and fifty delegates to the International Irrigation Congress and International Farm Congress, accompanied by A. A. Jones, personal representative of President Wilson, and other guests, arrived here to attend the dedication of the Elephant Butte dam which has just been completed at a cost of \$15,000,000.

Brig. Gen. George Bell, Jr., and Brig. Gen. Charles G. Morton, commanders of the Eleventh and Tenth divisions, United States army, accompanied Mr. Jones to the dam. A company and band from the Twenty-third United States infantry acted as escort for the representative of the President from Cutter, N. M.

Immediately upon the arrival of the special train carrying Mr. Jones and his party the formal dedication of the dam was begun. Standing on a platform built over the spillway of the dam and in the shadow of the stone elephant, which gave the dam its name, Mr. Jones, for the President, delivered his dedicatory address to the crowd which lined the banks of the artificial lake and stood on the top of the concrete dam.

That reclamation through irrigation was the first need of the arid regions of the West was declared by Mr. Jones. The reason for this statement, Mr. Jones said, was that all other resources of the West depended upon the presence of human beings in this section, and the fact that soil products made possible by irrigation were necessary for the support of the inhabitants.

"I am told," said the President's representative, "that this dam at the top is sixteen feet in width, 1,600 feet long, that the base is 205 feet thick and is anchored to a foundation 318 feet below the crest; 610,000 cubic yards of concrete are bound together by interlacing bars of steel. This million tons of material is sufficient to construct on a city lot twenty-five feet by 125 feet a pillar of concrete lacking only fifty feet of being a mile in height. In its bosom are fixed attachments for the generation of the equivalent of 35,000 horsepower in electrical energy. The reservoir in storage capacity surpasses any other ever constructed. When filled, it will contain more than 2,600,000 acre feet of water—enough to cover a depth of one foot an area of 4,200 square miles. This is two-thirds more than the combined capacity of all the reservoirs built or projected for the city of Greater New York. It will actually submerge more than 42,000 acres of land, and extend to a maximum length of forty-five miles. The project is designed to irrigate and enable the intensive cultivation of 180,000 acres of land."

To Enlarge Public Library.

Santa Fe.—At a special meeting of the Woman's Board of Trade it was decided to make additions and alterations to the public library building so as to enlarge the kitchen and dining facilities in time for the convention of the New Mexico Educational Association.

Fine 200,000-Acre Ranch Brings \$90,000

Cimarron.—A deal that involved the changing hands of \$90,000 was consummated when J. Van Houten of Raton purchased the ranch and livestock interests of Rich Brothers, twenty miles north of Cimarron in the Ponil country.

To Propose New Bounty Law.

Albuquerque.—The bounty law, the ineffectiveness of its results and its temptation to fraud, were thoroughly discussed at a meeting of the New Mexico Cattle and Horsegrowers' Association and members of the Forest Service, the local Game Protective Association and Director James of the Taxpayers' Association. After a month or more of discussion these interested parties feel that they are now in a position to propose really adequate legislation to supplant the old costly bounty system.

Road Board Members Appointed.

Santa Fe.—The State Highway commission appointed Fred Sherman and Cal Baker members of the Luna county road board, to succeed Dr. Swope and Harry Kelly, resigned. The commission also named C. C. Lewis of Wagon Mound, a member of the Mora county road board and Tom Tillotson of Roswell, a member of the Chaves county road board. Tillotson takes the place of Captain de Bremond, now at El Paso with Battery A.

Appoint Committee for Pageant.

Santa Fe.—The Chamber of Commerce at its meeting, which was the best attended this year, authorized the president, Supreme Court Justice R. H. Hanna, to appoint a finance committee in conjunction with the School of American Archaeology to take charge of the proposed pageant and festivities in connection with the dedication of the new Museum building. Dr. Edgar L. Hewett presented to the chamber the outline for the proposed festivities.



W. B. WALTON.  
Democratic Candidate for Congressman.

W. B. Walton, Democratic candidate for congressman, is one of the most widely known Democrats in New Mexico, having been prominently identified with the activities of the party in his own county and in the state for many years. He is likewise known throughout New Mexico and in the Southwest generally as a lawyer of exceptional ability and a thorough student of government and governmental affairs, and he is pre-eminently fitted for the position for which he has been nominated. Mr. Walton will represent New Mexico in Congress ably and energetically, giving to the state the maximum of intelligent and faithful service.

Mr. Walton was born in Altoona, Pa., January 23, 1871, and received his education in the public schools of his native town and at the South Jersey Institute at Bridgetown, N. J., from which he graduated in 1891. He came to New Mexico in August of the same year and located at Deming, and the following year he purchased the "Deming Headlight," conducting this newspaper until 1898. In the meantime he studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1893, and in 1895 was ap-

pointed clerk of the District Court of the Third Judicial district, serving in that capacity until 1898. Mr. Walton removed from Deming to Silver City in 1895, and has since resided there. In 1898 he purchased the "Silver City Independent," Democratic in politics, and was actively in charge of the paper until 1903. He was elected and served as representative from the Thirteenth district in the Thirty-fourth Legislative Assembly, 1901; was a member and secretary of the board of managers of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, 1903; served as Probate Clerk, Grant county, 1903 to 1907; delegate from New Mexico to the Democratic national convention in Denver, 1908; Democratic state chairman, 1910; elected and served as state senator from Grant county in the First and Second State Legislatures; member Board of Regents New Mexico Normal School, at Silver City, and president thereof for some years; chairman Grant county Democratic central committee from 1906 to 1916. Mr. Walton was married in 1893, and has three children. He is a member of the Silver City law firm of Wilson & Walton.

Care Of The Teeth.

A recent investigation made by the U. S. Public Health Service in connection with studies of rural school children showed that 49.3 per cent had defective teeth, 21.1 per cent had two or more missing teeth, and only 16.9 per cent had had dental attention. Over 14 per cent never used a tooth brush, 58.2 per cent used one occasionally and only 27.4 per cent used one daily. Defective teeth reduce physical efficiency. Dirty, suppurating, snaggle-toothed mouths are responsible for many cases of heart disease, rheumatism, and other chronic affections. The children are not responsible for the neglected state of their teeth. The ignorant and careless parent is to blame for this condition—a condition—deplorable which hampers mental and physical growth and puts a permanent handicap on our future citizens. School teachers can and are doing much in inculcating habits of personal cleanliness among school pupils.

Singing Convention.

Union District Singing Convention met at Locust Grove, Sunday Oct. 22, with great success, large attendance and a well spent day by all. The greater part of the entire day was spent by singing.

Next regular meeting will be at Farwell-Texico, January 25, 1917.

Remember the place and date. Prepare in due time for a most successful singing.

Ola Chaney,  
Cor. Sec'y.

The News will appreciate a share of your job patronage.

Enterprise Echoes.

Quite a number of people from this community attended the Union District Singing Convention at Locust Grove last Sunday.

The big frost and freeze last Thursday night found quite a bit of feed not cut and lots of it not matured on account of so much rain the past two or three weeks.

Rev. J. T. Lewis and daughter, Miss Grace spent Saturday night and Sunday, at Lincoln.

Ed Homan has sold his farm to a man from Oklahoma. The consideration was \$2,600 without the crop. Mr. Homan will not leave the country.

Mrs. J. K. Dunlap and Mrs. J. Holden visited with Mrs. D. M. Simmons, of Clovis, Saturday.

R. M. Hudson, of Texico, made the News office a fraternal visit Wednesday. Mr. Hudson is establishing the Texico-Farwell News and expects to get out his first paper this week. Mr. Hudson is a newspaper man of many years experience and the editor of the News had the pleasure of making his acquaintance several years ago while Mr. Hudson was editor of the Irving (Texas) Index.—Clovis News.

Home From Santa Fe.

Hon. L. C. Mersfelder and wife are here this week from Santa Fe where Mr. Mersfelder has been filling his position of State Director of Industrial Education. Mr. Mersfelder is democratic nominee for state senator from this district and will be home until after the election.

Advertising Costs Nothing.

Non-advertisers or indifferent advertisers make the claim sometimes that advertising costs too much. They regard it as an expense, something to be eliminated when times are tight or when they feel the need of cutting the corners in their business. Such have never looked upon advertising from the right angle. Advertisers cost nothing, for the reason that it more than pays for itself. The returns from advertising are many times greater than the outlay, bringing more trade, selling more goods and constantly increasing the demand. Hit-or-miss advertising, the kind produced by the advertiser who runs an advertisement in one issue and drops out for six, produces just in proportion to the amount of thought and money put in. It is like a carelessly made investment that brings returns as luck wills. The kind of advertising that brings the big results is that which is constant, steady and the result of system and logical thinking and planning. Advertisers who study and plan are always ready with their copy, and that copy is designed to command attention from the reader because it is thoughtfully and carefully prepared, and is a part of a general all-the-year campaign the advertiser is conducting. Such is the advertising that brings the big returns, as it contains an appeal resulting from a study of human nature.

A Good Speaker.

This section does not have to send off to the four corners of the country to get men to speak on national issues who can make convincing political speeches—this was thoroughly demonstrated at the regular meeting of the Woodrow Wilson Club last week when Judge J. D. Hamlin, of Farwell, addressed that body at its regular meeting.

Judge Hamlin said in part that this was a fight for the man and advised his hearers to ally themselves with either Hughes or Wilson as one of these men would be president. And right he is. We have the utmost respect for every man's political views but believe that this is a time when each man should stand strongly for the president if he can indorse what he has done for the country the past four years.

Many men who possibly contemplate voting the socialist or prohibition national tickets would consider it a near calamity for Hughes to be elected, and as Judge Hamlin says, the voting strength of one county in New Mexico might change the national ticket.—Clovis News.

Praises Our Efficient County Superintendent.

From the County Seat:  
R. F. Asplund, who is connected with the New Mexico Tax Payers' Association, with headquarters at Santa Fe, was here this week in conference with County Superintendent Bickley in regard to school matters and gathering data in regard to the school apportionment budget of the county. Mr. Asplund complimented our county superintendent very highly and says that Curry county schools are run on a business-like and economical basis.

Wires Crossed Somewhere.

Mr. Bursum makes the statement, in an interview with the El Paso Herald, that he will carry Curry county for governor, week after next. If his other claims for election are as grossly inaccurate as his claims about Curry county, there will be a Republican nominee for governor most awfully licked at the battle of ballots on Nov. 7th.

**Texico-Farwell News**

ISSUED EVERY FRIDAY

TEXICO, NEW MEXICO

R. M. HUDSON & SONS,  
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Minimum Advertising Rates, 15c per column inch on 500-inch contract. Less space 17 1-2c to 20c. Reading notices in local columns, or classified ads in "want column", 1c per word each insertion. Minimum charge, 25c.

Cards of thanks, resolutions of respect, obituaries, etc., other than the usual news mention, charged for at regular advertising rates.

Application for entry as second-class matter at the post office at Texico, N. M., pending.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1916

Come to Texico-Farwell and live happily ever afterward.

The Plains country is teeming with prosperity and bright promise

Just a visit to Texico-Farwell—and a whiff of this pure plains air—determines the future home of the prospector.

Texico-Farwell is the phoenix of the Plains country. Well may others wonder—even quake—at the risen twin cities.

There is more building construction of permanent character under way in Texico-Farwell than in commercial Dallas Texas—in proportion to population.

Wheat farmers of Curry and Farmer counties are wearing smiles of the greatest satisfaction. The splendid rains of last week made certain another bumper crop.

Boosters smile, knockers frown, drones sit listless. Which are you? Be a booster for Texico-Farwell—meet strangers and greet them with a home like welcome.

**TEXICO-FARWELL NEWS**

Texico-Farwell News is not here to "fill a long-felt and yawning want." It is "here because it is here." Its promoters believe that in looking forward they see Texico-Farwell not as dormant twin villages, but as one thriving, pulsating commercial city of this great plains country. And it is the wish of its publishers to make the News a useful factor in the growth and development to the city of this favored location and this sun-kissed stock and agricultural broad acres of which Texico-Farwell is the polar magnet. He who looks upon the charm of this expanse and inhales its pure and vigor-giving atmosphere, is convinced—and sighs to dwell here. Isn't this sufficient apology for being here and plying the newspaper avocation? Anyway, that's all.

Texico-Farwell News will strive to impartially be a "newspaper," and solicits the co-operation of every citizen of Texico-Farwell and those of every community in Curry and Farmer counties. Its columns will be open alike to every church, fraternal order, social club, or public association for that which is of public interest. In short, the aim will be to render all the service that a newspaper can to all the people who constitute the citizenship of these counties.

Politically, the News will tend to Democracy, but it will liberally respect contrariety opinions. It is neither an "organ" in politics, or otherwise.

**A WORD BUSINESS**

Texico-Farwell News will be conducted as a business institution. It will endeavor to give value in service to Texico-Farwell for every dollar it receives in recompense. It will brook no subsidy, or "contribution" just to help the publishers; but they invite those interested in the upbuilding of these twin cities to extend such

patronage as they deem the News of service in this progress—or of value in reaching the citizenship of this area.

The advertising columns of a newspaper are its stock of trade, as much so as is the commercial stationery upon the shelves of its job department, and advertising space in the News columns is available to every legitimate business concern, without discrimination.

The News printing plant is one of the most complete in the plains country, and this office solicits printing orders of any size or character.

Respectfully,  
R. M. HUDSON & SONS,  
Owners and Publishers.

Every good citizen should be a politician. Take an interest in the coming election—vote the dictates of your best judgment, be it for democratic, republican or socialist government. The News editor believes the old democratic ship is safest.

Capitalists of Texico-Farwell should ponder and loosen up. Fifty houses could have been rented and as many families added to the population here the past ten days. Some are building their homes, some have taken to tents, and still others have passed on to other fields. Stop this waste, ye who can.

Texico-Farwell has caught the eye of far-a-way investors and homeseekers as the best located town of the Plains—with the brightest future of any. They are here every day inspecting and investing. A boosting pull together will make the two towns one great commercial and industrial city. Be a non-jealous booster.

Texico-Farwell is forging forward more rapidly than any other Plains city. There is a reason.

Texico-Farwell has the location and the foundation of enterprises laid to become a commercial center. Let the citizenship here unitedly push. And the altitude and climate is here most inviting for a city of homes. Lets tell the outside world about it. Send copies of the Texico-Farwell News to friends left behind.

**Court House Construction**

Excavation, foundation and other preparation work for real construction work on the Farmer County \$50,000,00 court house is being pushed along as rapidly as the weather conditions will permit and with the available force. And soon the brick laying will be begun. This is giving added impetus to the stir and activity of Farwell.

**Western Tire and Garage Company Plant Progressing**

Realization of a factory plant in Texico-Farwell is drawing nearer and looking brighter—dispelling skepticism, and muffling the hammer of the pessimistic knocker. Not many months hence and the full dinner pail toasters will be happily engaged in this rubber plant. The large reservoir with one million gallons capacity for water is completed. The rubber storage and engine and hoisting cellars are concreted and cemented; the concrete work on the general walls is completed to the height of four feet, and the brick laying on these will be started next Monday. The wall inclosing this section of the first unit of the plant is 120 x 250 feet, and will be 16 feet tall.

**Neal & Herbert Building**

Construction work on the Neal & Herbert brick, corner Wheeler Ave. and Garwood street in Texico, is progressing well under the guiding hand of Glen Hess for Hess Bros. contractors. The

**TEXICO-FARWELL NEWS**

*"A Newspaper"*

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR FOR ONE WEEK FROM DATE

*\$1.50 a year after next Friday*

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cement foundation is completed and after a few days seasoning the brick laying will begin. This building will be 30 x 115 feet. The building was begun as a one story building, but the builders have under advisement the change to a two-story. A large basement will furnish storage room and be equipped with heating apparatus—either steam or hot air. The structure will have face finish of red Coffeeville brick. This adds attractive appearance to this corner.

**R. H. Kemp Lumber Company**

The R. H. Kemp Lumber Co., recently established at Texico-Farwell, are enlarging their yards and storage facilities for big business at this place. This is to become their head yard and general distributing point for the western plains of Texas and the eastern plains of New Mexico. This is another link in the progress of Texico-Farwell, and shows that the business eye is turned to these twin cities.

**Jenkins Hotel**

Mrs. M. A. Jenkins has been here since Texico was put on the map. And she has conducted the Jenkins Hotel in such pleasing manner to patrons as to win and retain popularity. The real home cooking served here reaches the tender and yielding nature of man as no other catering will. For the past three weeks this hotel has been crowded to its limit in rooms; and the table has fed from 20 to 40 each meal.

On the register Friday were: Mrs. McLean of Dimmitt, who is here visiting her husband—superintending workman on the Western Tire and Rubber Co. plant.

Grant P. Hilton of Lubbock, who is here to work on the above plant. R. M. Hensey, traveling salesman of Shawnee, Ok., and J. N. Young, Portales.

**WIRE ELECTION RETURNS**

**County, State and National**

BY LEASED WIRE TO

**TEXICO-FARWELL NEWS**

Full Western Union Bulletin Returns will be flashed on the screen of the

**CRITERION THEATRE**

**TUESDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 7**

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If you are interested in politics you will surely watch these returns.

If you love a good movie you cannot afford to miss this entertainment.

# County Correspondence

## UNION LOCALS

D. L. Harding went to Amarillo Sunday to see his cousin, Mrs. Roberson who underwent an operation and was not expected to live, but he reported her some better on his return Monday morning.

Quite a few from here attended the Singing Convention at Locust Grove Sunday.

J. A. Moss' relatives left Thursday for their home at Gainesville, Texas. Tuesday they visited Portales.

Bud Vaughn and family of Texico, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his father J. F. Vaughn.

Mrs. Lydia Williams returned home Saturday from the Muleshoe Ranch.

Mrs. J. A. Moss and mother-in-law and sister-in-law spent Wednesday with the former's daughter Mrs. E. L. Kyle.

J. R. Clump is sporting a new Overland car.

Several of the neighbors gathered at J. A. Moss' Wednesday night and enjoyed some excellent music.

Mrs. O. D. Douglass is on the sick list.

Mr. Grant from across the sand hills spent Saturday night and Sunday with his sister Mrs. J. A. Moss.

A number from here went to Clovis Monday night to hear A. L. Benson speak on socialism.

Lucy Williamson spent Sunday with Mattie Calloway.

A. NESTER

Send your clothes to Keatings, to be cleaned and pressed.

## SINGING CONVENTION

Union District Singing Convention met at Locust Grove, about 4 miles south of Texico last Sunday with a large attendance and good success.

The next regular meeting will be held January 25, 1917, at Farwell-Texico. Let every one prepare for a great day. Remember the date and place of the next convention.

SAM RANDELL, PRES.  
A. L. KING, SEC'Y.  
OLA CHANEY, CORS. SEC.

## Parmer County Courts

Judge D. B. Hill held his October term of District Court in Farwell last week. District Attorney Braly represented the State.

A grand jury composed as follows was empaneled:

S. H. Withers, Foreman.  
J. L. Walling, F. L. Hills,  
Fred Langer, J. L. Walling  
F. E. Clennin, A. O. Drake,  
J. E. Hermes, S. F. Tipton,  
A. J. James, D. H. Meade,  
J. A. Tidenburg.

Grand jury work was light, there being few law violations in Parmer county. They adjourned Friday, after having returned 14 felony bills and one for misdemeanor.

The petty jury had short service, there being no jury civil cases. The Court disposed of several minor non-jury civil cases.

The only criminal case to come up was the State vs Albert E. Guss, charged with false swearing in connection with procuring marriage license. Acquitted by jury.

Court adjourned for the term, Saturday morning.

Attorneys Geo. L. Reese of Portales and S. G. Bratton of Clovis, were visiting lawyers.

## Personal

Mrs. Thomas is reported on the sick list this week.

Mrs. J. Parrot has returned from a visit to her parents in Hereford.

C. W. Harrison and family made a flying trip to Portales Sunday.

F. E. Lovett of Route No. 1 was shopping in Texico-Farwell Monday.

Justice H. C. Good was a subscribing caller at the News office Monday.

Deputy Sheriff Stallings has made a couple of trips to Amarillo the past week.

Knight of the Grip Mayer of San Antonio has been doing Texico this week.

"Button" Griffith has gone for a short stay in Hereford; thence to South Texas for the winter.

Dr. McCuan who has been looking after business interests at Granbury returned home this week.

Mrs. Elton and son, who were visiting here with Jim Elton, have returned to their home in Oklahoma.

Ike Brown, who lives 17 miles north of our city was here Monday buying coal, in preparation for winter.

C. A. Robinson went Saturday morning on a business call to Pueblo and Denver. Returned Wednesday.

Mr. J. H. Sheppard, representing the Clovis News, visited the Texico-Farwell News last Friday, and gave the staff his glad hand.

H. Genis, from the Brooks Ranch, 8 miles out from Farwell, called Thursday and bade the News success. He will be a reader.

Mr. Ed Snelling of Clovis was in Texico Monday. He was on his way to Marlin, Texas, to take the mineral water treatment for rheumatism.

Young Means from three miles northwest, was a caller at News office Saturday. Says his father will be an initial subscriber to Texico-Farwell News.

Mr. K. K. Rannels has been visiting the Texas State Fair this week—and mixing business with sight-seeing. He will return about the 31st.

Rev. and Mrs. Earl DuLaney, of the First Baptist church of Clovis were in Texico-Farwell a short time Sunday evening, at the home of Prof. White.

M. F. DeWitt, of Phoenix, Arizona, is registered at the Jenkins Hotel. Mr. DeWitt was formerly a resident of Texico, and is remembered by many here.

Mrs. R. M. Hudson and daughter, Miss Veda, came in from Dallas Tuesday, to join the bachelor part of the family here. They visited with Mrs. E. H. Rhodes at Thurber, en route.

M. A. Roberson, who has been with the Kemp Lumber Co. here for some time, has been transferred to their yard at Clovis. Mr. Roberson carries with him many Texico-Farwell well wishes.

Mrs. C. C. Buckingham of Clovis was in Texico Friday—shipping their household effects to El Paso. And she has gone there to join her husband, who is now on the advertising staff of the El Paso Herald.

Mr. W. F. Bruner of Salesbury, Mo. has been prospecting in Texico-Farwell the past week. He talked to the News representative with a satisfied air. A view of this plains country has "shown" him—and he will invest.

Following is the Texico-Farwell party that visited the State Fair via the Santa Fe special last Saturday, returning Tuesday night: Rev. Taylor, Baptist Pastor, H. W. Jennings, and wife and children; Joe Deats and sister, Miss Gertrude; Dewey Whitley and J. W. Powell. They report an interesting time, but a rather tiresome journey.

## Local

Keating presses clothes. He don't iron them.

County Judge J. D. Hamlin left this week for a business trip to Chicago.

Mr. R. J. Klump, of the Texico-Farwell Creamery is driving a new Overland Car.

Deputy Clerk J. H. Hiner says there is a derth in the marriage license business just now.

Cleaning, Pressing and Altering at prices you can stand—at Keatings in Murphy Hotel Building.

E. Cranfill has moved the Depot Bar to the east side of Turner street—nearer the depot—in his new building.

Several of the "Twin City-ites" attended the District Singing Convention at Locust Grove Sunday. All report a pleasant time.

J. W. Powell has moved his shoe and harness shop into the adobe building, west side of Turner street, and is adding new stock.

Mr. E. Cranfill dodged the frost with his local turnip patch, by gathering and cellaring this esculent crop. But the portion left in the patch looks fresh and green.

Bell Bros. who have been prospecting thru the state of Colorado returned Tuesday. They report having seen some beautiful country, but none looked better than Eastern New Mexico.

R. M. Jones, of Arkansas, has been registered at the Jenkins Hotel the past week. He is preparing to build a home either in Texico-Farwell or on farm near here. He will engage in the hog business, so the News learns.

Messrs. A. N. Hall and H. Denison of near Portales were of the Texico shoppers Saturday last. Mr. Denison says this is his first visit to Texico—but he is sure he will come again. He was pleased. Mr. Hall had been here before. Both are old Texans—they admitted.

Mr. F. A. Williams, of Union, six miles south, was a caller at the New Office Saturday—and his name was entered on the mailing list for one year. Mr. Williams says conditions are very fine in his section. Crops about all gathered before the rains; and this season means a big wheat crop next year.

Mr. J. A. Moss of Union paid the News a call Monday. He was cheerful over conditions in his community; and he was happy over a visit last week from his father and mother and his brother T. G. Moss and family. They motored up from their home in Cooke county, returning last Friday. All pleased with the Plains country.

Genial Major W. F. Fowble of El Dorado Springs, Missouri, and contractor for Hon. N. H. Cruce in his buildings here, and in other cities, completed his present work here and left Sunday for his home. He anticipates coming back for further Cruce building in Texico in the spring. The Major is missed by new made Texico friends—especially by Glen Hess at the cornbread and pie counter.

## THE SANITARY BARBER SHOP

We Use Experienced Barbers Only  
Hot and Cold Baths--Shower or Tub

We Will Appreciate A Trial

Agents Clovis Steam Laundry

MONTGOMERY & BLENTON, Props.  
Texico, N. M.

## In the Local World

### At the Methodist Church

Sunday School 10 a. m. B. E. Nobles Supt. Be on time. Preaching service 11 a. m. subject, "Responsibility." Text 1st Kings 40.20. 3:30 p. m. Young Peoples Meeting. A cordial invitation is extended to all young people. 7:30 p. m. Preaching and song service. Subject, "Friendship." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30. A welcome awaits you at this Church.

H. B. ELLIS, Pastor

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### New Methodist Minister

The M. E. conference recently held in Clovis, assigned Rev. H. B. Ellis to Texico for the coming year. Rev. Ellis is from Lawton, Okla. His family are at home now in the parsonage where former Pastor Morton resided.

### A POUNDING

Tuesday night a throng of his members and good neighbors were unexpectedly ushered into Rev. Ellis' home, and a large express was drawn up to the door. It was a "pounding" that is a delight and a consolation to one in the service. The offering consisted of staples and luxuries for the home sufficient for some weeks to come.

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### Cruce Row

Under the finishing touch of Captain Fowble, the Cruce Row block has been overhauled and remodeled—giving the postoffice and drug store more room, and adding more room space to Triplett Bros Store. Craig and Hunter are looking after finishing details.

### Farwell Inn Guests Entertainment

Thursday evening the Farwell Inn was the scene of a social event for its guests. The parlors were thrown open and music was set to terpsicorean time—and the hours were whiled delightfully. Among those joining heartily were: Mesdames Hamlin, Herndon, Triplett, Maddux and Daniels, and Misses Hamlin and Herndon of Farwell; Miss Stringfellow, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. Fay Clark, Chicago; Messrs. Haskell French, Jay Allen, Ruse, W. L. Mansfield, J. A. Hitchcock, Lawrence Davis, and Glen Hess.

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### Criterion Theatre Now Open

In the new large opera house—50x100 feet—and well appointed in details, the Criterion Theatre launched a successful movie show on Thursday night of last week—complimentary to Texico-Farwell movie fans. Nearly every night this week reels of splendid pictures have been thrown on the screens of this theatre—to the delight of large audiences. Program for the coming week is contained in their advertisement in this issue of the News.

### Professional Cards

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FARWELL, TEX.  
TEXICO, N. M.

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"I want to tell you what wonderful benefit I have received from the use of Thedford's Black-Draught," writes Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky.

"It certainly has no equal for la grippe, bad colds, liver and stomach troubles. I firmly believe Black-Draught saved my little girl's life. When she had the measles, they went in on her, but one good dose of Thedford's Black-Draught made them break out, and she has had no more trouble. I shall never be without

# THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT

in my home." For constipation, indigestion, headache, dizziness, malaria, chills and fever, biliousness, and all similar ailments, Thedford's Black-Draught has proved itself a safe, reliable, gentle and valuable remedy.

If you suffer from any of these complaints, try Black-Draught. It is a medicine of known merit. Seventy-five years of splendid success proves its value. Good for young and old. For sale everywhere. Price 25 cents.

## NEW MEXICO STATE NEWS

Western Newspaper Union News Service.  
COMING EVENTS.  
Nov. 27-30—Meeting State Educational Association at Albuquerque.

Two cars of honey were shipped from Farmington.

The open deer season in Northern New Mexico opened Oct. 16.

Frank Stidham, a rancher living near Hachita, was shot and killed.

Twelve cans of trout fry were left at Santa Fé by the United States fish car.

The school census of Otero county shows 2,835, a gain of 265 over last year.

Plans are under way at Clovis for the erection of a \$75,000 high school building.

Alex. D. Goldenberg of Tucumcari was elected Grand High Priest at the Royal Arch Masons at the Las Vegas meeting.

The New Mexico Cattle and Horse Growers' Association are agreed that the present bounty law falls of its purpose.

The surfacing with gravel of the Camino Real leading south from Raton is steadily progressing and soon will be completed to the three-mile hill.

In a bulletin issued by the State Department of Education, and sent to educators all over the state, great stress is laid on the importance of sanitation in the schools.

The State Corporation Commission has been asked by the Progress Club of Mesilla Park to intervene with the Santa Fé railroad system, for a new station building at Mesilla Park.

Damages to the amount of \$30,000 are asked from the Victor Fuel Company in a suit filed in the Federal Court at Santa Fé by Julian Krajaicich, administrator of the estate of Frank Rujac.

Because her husband was killed by tramps on a train on which he was brakeman, between Lordsburg and El Paso, Mrs. Laura E. Stevenson has sued the Southern Pacific for \$25,000 damages.

The receipts of the Santa Fé post office for the past quarter were \$7,503.73, of which \$7,029.30 came from the sale of stamps; \$195.02 from second-class postage and \$280.25 from box rent.

The broom corn crop of Curry county is being harvested, and the broom corn buyers who are at Clovis from all parts of the country say the crop is lighter than last year, although the prices are nearly double.

The State Supreme Court at Santa Fé denied a writ of prohibition to restrain District Judge T. C. Leib of Raton from trying John H. Towndrow of Raton on the charge of killing his wife.

A mining deal of more than usual importance was consummated in Silver City when the Santa Rita Development Co. bought a group of fifteen mining claims adjoining the famous Chino Company property at Santa Rita.

The dedication by President Wilson's accredited representative, A. A. Jones, of the great Elephant Butte dam, the \$10,000,000 monolithic structure which will insure abundant water all the year round for the farmers and fruit growers of the Rio Grande valleys in New Mexico and Texas, was but the first of a series of most interesting sessions of the International Irrigation Congress, the twenty-third annual meeting of which was held in El Paso, Texas.

The expenses of teachers in attending the annual meetings of the New Mexico Educational Association are proper charges to be included in the estimates of yearly expenses by boards of education, according to Attorney General Frank W. Clancy, who has written an opinion on the matter for Miss Grace Goebel, superintendent of schools of Luna county.

That additional buildings are to be erected at the New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell to accommodate the largely increased attendance of cadets and to make provision for the reasonable growth of the college in the future is the announcement that has been made by Col. J. W. Wilson, superintendent of the school. This year, for the first time, the buildings at the Institute have proved inadequate to accommodate the students that have applied for admission and this in spite of the fact that some thirty or forty old cadets that would otherwise have matriculated were prevented from doing so by reason of the fact that they are with the National Guard at the border.

Fred and John Sakariason, Socorro county men who were convicted of cattle stealing in January, 1916, and sentenced to serve a year in the penitentiary and to pay fines of \$500 each and costs, were granted pardons by Governor McDonald.

A postal bulletin received at the Santa Fé postoffice announces that the star service from Revuelto to Lesbia has been discontinued and the site of the postoffice at Cloudercroft has been moved 140 feet east. Frank C. Hatchitt of Aceme has been appointed a fourth class postmaster.

## SUFFRAGISTS CERTAIN OF DEMOCRATS' HELP

Leaders Resent Efforts to Turn the Cause into an Adjunct of Republican Party.

### WON OVER BY PRESIDENT

Have Come Here to Fight WITH YOU," He Tells Them—"Wilson Voted for Suffrage; Has Hughes?" Asked One.

Western women who have had the ballot equally with the men for several years resent the interference of one of the factions of suffragists and the attempt to turn the suffrage cause into an adjunct of the Republican party. They believe they know how to vote without being told by women who never had the vote; and they refuse to turn against the Democrats who have done so much for their cause in their respective states.

This attitude is brought out clearly in an interview by Nikola Greeley-Smith, nationally prominent as a writer on the staff of the New York World, with Mrs. Alexander Thompson, Democratic National Committee-man from Oregon, and Mrs. Theresa M. Graham of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

"One would think," observed Mrs. Thompson to Miss Greeley-Smith, "that if any instruction in suffrage matters had to be given it would come from the women who have won the vote and do vote rather than from Suffragists in the East who are still disfranchised. I am a young woman, but I have been through three campaigns for the vote in Oregon. In the final campaign we won through the co-operation and help and belief in us of the men of Oregon.

**Aided by Democrats.**

"We have been voting only five years and we are still grateful to our men. So, when the Congressional Union sent speakers to Oregon to tell us to vote against all Democrats we laughed at them. Why, at the last election they campaigned against George E. Chamberlain, who introduced the first Suffrage bill in Oregon and who had been the friend of the women all through their fifteen years' fight.

"I agree with every word that Mrs. Thompson has spoken," declared Mrs. Graham. "The conditions in my State are the same as in Oregon, except that we have had the vote for twenty years, and it was given to us without our having to fight for it. The Congressional Union has speakers in Idaho now urging us to slaughter the Democrats and free our sisters in the East. How silly that is! Are women in the East so foolish as to be led away by the mere declaration of a candidate, unsupported by his party, that he's personally in favor of a Federal amendment? Woodrow Wilson voted for Suffrage. Has Charles E. Hughes ever voted for Suffrage? Wilson has done everything consistent with a belief in State rights, one of the fundamental principles of Democracy. Suffrage can never win as a partisan issue. Alienate the Democrats en masse and you have killed every chance Suffrage has."

**Won by Wilson's Speech.**

It is admitted by practically all suffragists that their cause has been helped greatly by the speech President Wilson made before the convention of the National Woman's Suffrage Association at Atlantic City recently, on Sept. 8th. When the President told them he had "come here to fight with you" the 4000 suffragists gathered in Nixon's Theatre arose and cheered him enthusiastically.

This pledge by the President led Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the association, to say:

"You touched our hearts and won our fealty when you said you had come here to fight with us."

"The astonishing thing about this movement," said President Wilson, "is not that it has grown so slowly, but that it has grown so rapidly. . . . I get a little impatient sometimes about the discussion of the channels and methods by which it is to prevail. It is going to prevail, and that is a very superficial and ignorant view of it which attributes it to mere social unrest. It is not merely because the women are discontented, it is because the women have seen visions of duty, and that is something which we not only cannot resist, but, if we be true Americans, we do not wish to resist."

"I have felt as I sat here tonight the wholesome contagion of the occasion. Almost every other time that I ever visited Atlantic City I came to fight somebody. I hardly know how to conduct myself when I have not come to fight somebody, but with somebody.

"I have come to suggest, among other things, that when the forces of nature are steadily working and the tide is rising to meet the moon, you need not be afraid that it will not come to its flood. We feel the tide; we rejoice in the strength of it."

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## COUNTY DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES ANNOUNCE SPEAKING DATES

The candidates for the various county and district offices on the democratic ticket will make a whirlwind campaign of the county next week: Every-

where assurances come of the usual democratic landslide for Curry county but still the county nominees feel it their duty to meet the people they are to serve during the next term.

The following speaking dates have been announced, the speaking at each place to begin at 7:00 p. m.

Grady, Monday night, Oct. 30th.

Pleasant Hill—Wed. Nov. 1.

Hollene—Thursday, November 2.

Melrose—Friday, Nov. 3.

Texico, Saturday, Nov. 4.

Clovis—Monday, November 6.

On Tuesday night Hon. A. A. Jones, candidate for U. S. Senator, together with Hon. W. B. Walton candidate for Congress and Hon. Antonio Lucero, for secretary of state, will speak at the Elk's Auditorium in Clovis. This is really the big event of the campaign.

A cordial invitation is extended to everyone in the county to attend these speaking.

## Lyceum Theatre



FRIDAY, OCT. 27

Blanche Sweet

—IN—

"The Secret Sin"

A PARAMOUNT PICTURE.

The story is a bitter pronouncement against the drug habit and the opium trade.

Added Attraction --- "Drew Comedy"



SATURDAY, OCT. 27

Bessie Barriscale

—IN—

"The Last Act"

A story within a story. Shows an actress playing the part of an actress.

Added Attraction--- Keystone Comedy--- 2 Reels.  
Chester Conklin in "Cinders of Love"



MONDAY, OCT. 30

Francis X. Bushman

—IN—

"The Wall Between"

A Thrilling Romance of Army Life.

Added Attraction--- Metro Travelog.



TUESDAY, OCT. 31

BLANCHE RING

America's Favorite Actress

—IN—

"The Yankee Girl"

Added Attraction---Pathe Weekly.  
"Mutt and Jeff" Comedy Cartoon.

COMING SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4

Wm. S. HART

Who played the "Fighting Parson" in "The Disciple"

—IN—

"HELL'S HINGES"

## ELECTION JUDGES NAMED THIS WEEK

From the County Seat:

The board of county commissioners was in session this week working on the appointment of election judges. The following judges and clerks were named to serve at the several voting precincts in the county at the election Nov. 7th.

No. 1. City Hall, Clovis. — Judges—H. J. Mitchell, A. B. Austin, F. B. Payne, Clerks—F. S. Burns, E. H. Robinson.

No. 2. Triplett's store, Texico Judges—Keet Jones, Wm. Murphy, W. W. Hungate. Clerks—E. F. Grisson, Joe Deats.

No. 3. School house, Black-tower. Judges—Walter Copeland, L. J. Sparks, J. W. Eller. Clerks—A. B. Douglass, W. I. McConnell.

No. 4. School house, St. Vrain. Judges—B. N. Harding, Robt. Claybrook, Victor Barris. Clerks—Ray McGee, Dallas McDaniel.

No. 5. Sammon's real estate office, Melrose. Judges—A. Sweet, G. W. Ryle, K. C. Kirby. Clerks—H. H. Harmon, Elmer Nicholson.

No. 6. Postoffice building, Field. Judges—J. W. Davis, Ed Watson, Wm. Echols. Clerks—H. T. Bowen, E. W. Hale.

No. 7. School house, Grady. Judges—E. E. White, W. G. Myers, Abe Cox. Clerks—L. T. Crawford, Jack Keathly.

No. 8. School house, Hollene. Judges—P. B. Hartley, T. S. Teeters, D. L. Smith. Clerks—John W. Trent, W. H. Clark.

No. 9. Baker Bros. office, Clovis. Judges—Ben Sanford, T. M. Davenport, J. D. Loper. Clerk, Jake Laan, W. F. Swartz.

No. 10. Kelly's store, Claud. Judges—W. L. Byrne, A. S. Marks, L. H. Brashier. Clerks Geo. Keenan, Will Pipkin.

No. 11. Jordan's old store room, Bellview. Judges, J. M. Reeves, John Mitchell, J. T. Troop. Clerks—Ira Colter, J. C. Jordan.

No. 12.—Boney school house. Judges—Dallas Johnson, B. F. Cogdill, J. D. Cameron. Clerks—J. B. Brooks, Geo. Ambrose.

No. 13. Lincoln school house. Judges—H. W. Bell, John Barry, J. E. Westfall. Clerks—S. M. Kirby, Ed Fahsoltz.

On every hand we hear the statement that the democratic nominees for county office are among the most competent and efficient that have ever been nominated in the county. That they will all be elected, of course, is a forgone conclusion, but now let's see how big a majority can be rolled up for each nominee.—Clovis News.

## TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION MEETS SATURDAY

From the County Seat:

The report given by Mr. Bickley, county superintendent, states that the scholastic enumeration of the county is over four hundred above last year. Most of the schools that have been visited are to be complimented on their efforts in making their daily program, assigning each recitation a certain number of minutes.

This effort is being put forth believing that each child is entitled to its part of the teacher's time.

Teachers and directors are urged to report all violations of the compulsory school law. It is hoped that each father and mother will realize the responsibility in this matter and that all children between the ages of seven and fourteen will be in school each day in the session.

Following is the program for the County Teachers' Association which meets in Clovis at the high school building on Saturday, Oct. 28th, beginning at 10:00 a. m.

Music.

Devotional Exercises.

Opening Address—Pres. S. A. Jackson.

Schoolroom Wastes.—Prof. E. W. Bowyer.

Teaching Pupils How to Study—D. L. Adkins, C. S. Coulee.

How I Teach Primary Reading—Miss Mary Robinson, Mrs. Fred Ohr.

Music.

School Hygiene and Sanitation—J. T. Smith, Mrs. Lena Maxwell.

Tree Contest—Kinds of Trees and Their Planting.—J. H. Kays and D. I. Barnett.

Busy Work for the Beginners—Mrs. Myrtle Tuggle.

Music.

## LOOKS ENCOURAGING FOR A BIG VICTORY

Hon. Harry L. Patton, candidate for attorney general on the Democratic ticket, spent Saturday at his home at Clovis. In a talk with the News man Mr. Patton said that he had covered most of the state during the past few weeks and things sure looked to him like a democratic victory for the entire state ticket. On every hand, he said, he had not only received encouragement in regard to his own candidacy, but voters were flocking to the support of the other state nominees and to the national ticket. Mr. Patton will be a busy man during the remaining days of the campaign, and left again the first of the week to resume his speech-making tour.—Clovis News.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

We are now partly moved into our new quarters and are better prepared than ever before to look after your needs. We invite a visit to our store, that we may show you our complete line of new and up-to-date Dry Goods, Shoes, and Groceries. Modern equipment, Careful service.

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*Texico Farwell News*

### Personal

L. O. Daniel, Route 2, Texico, paid the News a visit Saturday.

Mr. H. R. Neel was in Kansas City several days the past week.

F. C. Clark, land sales manager for the Capital Reservation, left Friday morning for Chicago.

Messrs French of Dallas, and Lawrence Davis, L. L. Davis, and J. Jay Allen of Hereford were a quartette at the Farwell Inn Friday.

Mr. Lee and three children of Mountainair, N. M. arrived in Texico-Farwell this morning. Mr. Lee will work in the Texico Garage.

Messrs Glen Hess and L. H. Hitchcock, of Crosbyton, and contractors on the Neel & Herbert building, were stopping at the Farwell Inn Thursday.

Haskel French, traveling salesman for Waples-Platter Gro. Co. whose headquarters is at Texico and Clovis, left in his auto Friday for a trip to Colorado Springs.

John Minion returned Sunday from St. Louis. Mr. Minion has been gone 3 months during which time he visited points in Mexico, also Denver, Chicago, Milwaukee and Dayton. Says he is going to settle down and farm.

Send your clothes to Keatings, to be cleaned and pressed.

Cleaning, Pressing and Altering at prices you can stand—at Keatings in Murphy Hotel Building.

### Saturday Morning

OCTOBER 28

Owing to delay in arrival of a new type shipment, and added to this the detail work of adjusting the first issue to its routine and getting new presses impressed aright, this number of the News is one day late in appearing.

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#### Halloween at Farwell School

Friday night the children of the Farwell school, under the supervision of Prof. White, participated in a Halloween festival. A small charge was made for the benefit of the Farwell High School Library.

The school house, the walls of which were a mass of black cats and pumpkins, was filled to overflowing with people. Ghosts and witches were on every hand.

A fishing pond was a drawing side attraction. Fortune-telling booths were entered by many who wished their future fate made known to them. Bluebeard's wives were among the witching attractions of the evening.

Sweet piano music was furnished by Miss Leta Green, and school songs enlivened the merriment.

The cake and pie servers did a good business.

The library fund received a nice deposit, and everyone had a good time.

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#### At the Movies.

Texico-Farwell people are appreciative movie fans. Friday night drew a big crowd at the Criterion. To accommodate all the show had to be repeated. The Criterion is presenting good shows and Texico-Farwell are proud of this enterprise.

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#### FIRST FROST

The heavy frost of last Friday night, following the norther, caught some vegetation in this section—the late unripened kaffir and cane. But most crops were mature, and but slight damage resulted.

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#### Markets

##### Fort Worth Live Stock

Fort Worth, Texas, Oct. 27.—Hogs—Receipts 2000; markets closed 10 lower; top \$10.15; bulk \$9.90 @ 10.10.

Cattle—Receipts 3500 including 500 calves; market slow and steady beef steers, \$6.00 @ 7.00; cows, \$4.00 @ 5.25; heifers, \$5.50 @ 8.50; bulls, \$4.25 @ 5.00; calves \$5.50 @ 8.50; stockers steers, \$6.00 @ 6.75; cows, \$4.00 @ 5.50; heifers, \$5.00 @ 6.50; calves, \$5.50 @ 7.50; Sheep—Receipt 650; markets steady.

##### Kansas City Grain

Kansas City, Oct. 27.—Kaffir, No 2 white 195; No. 3 white 193 @ 194.

Milo—No. 2 195; No. 3 193 @ 194.

Wheat—No 2 red 181 @ 186; No. 3 red 175 @ 184; No. 4 red 168 @ 180; No. 2 hard 183 @ 190; No. 3 hard 178 @ 188; No. 4 hard 170 @ 185.

### Local

#### First News Subscriber

There are two first subscribers to Texico-Farwell News. Before the News plant or force reached Texico, A. J. Tays registered his name with a representative here, asking to be the "first" News subscriber, and paid his dollar. Before leaving Dallas, S. Y. Matthews—friend of the publishers—paid a dollar and asked to be the "first" subscriber. Mr. Tays is a Texico-Farwell booster; S. Y. Matthews is an insurance man of Dallas—representing the Northwestern National Life Co. of Minneapolis.

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