

KENNA
(From the Kenna Record.)
Mike Liles, of Artesia, is here visiting his sister, Mrs. Dave Howell.
M. M. Pyle, of Eagle Hill, passed through Kenna, enroute to Roswell.
Word from Bennie Good says that he is enjoying army life at Camp Cody.
W. P. Littlefield says that a six inch rain fell at his ranch north of town last Sunday afternoon in an hour and forty minutes.
Tom Neely, John Daniels and Shirley Lemons returned from the harvest fields near Pampa, Texas, the first of the week.
Ethel Matkin returned from Dexter Sunday where she had been visiting her sister.
S. B. McClean and family are here from Oklahoma for a visit with Mrs. McClean's father and

mother, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Hill.
F. Kimmons and A. M. Baker of Picketon, Texas, also W. F. Sparks, of Lockney, Texas, left Monday after having spent several days here with relatives and friends.
Frank Littlefield had the misfortune of getting his arm broken Monday. He was riding a gentle horse and the animal became frightened at something and jumped from under the boy causing him to fall so that his arm was broken just above the wrist.
Berryhill Bros. report having brought in a fine well at a depth of 200 feet, on their ranch 12 miles south of town. It has been considered almost impossible to find water in that vicinity been brought in within the last few months. These, with the recent good rains, have transformed that part of the county

into a very desirable place for stock raising.
J. A. Cooper and family are in Clovis this week.
Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Great-house arrived Wednesday from Wills Point, Texas, to visit their daughter, Mrs. E. E. Lee, and family.
Frank Good has gone to Ranger, Texas, to look after business interests there for a few days.
Jim Hunter, of Elida, was a business visitor in our town Wednesday.
Dr. J. S. Pearce, of Portales, made a professional call near Kenna Monday night.
C. W. Littlefield returned from Littlefield, Texas, Wednesday.
Lindsay White has gone to Clovis where he has accepted a position as helper in the machine shops of the Santa Fe Ry.

Pithy News Items
Gathered From All Over
New Mexico
Western Newspaper Union News Service.
COMING EVENTS.
October—Annual meeting New Mexico Public Health Association.
A big crowd attended the Magdalena cowboy roundup.
Burglars took \$1,300 in currency from the bank at Lordsburg.
Albuquerque negroes have formed a corporation to build a hospital.
Las Vegas is planning to establish a white way for the principal streets.
The corporation commission turned over to the state treasurer in corporation fees \$580.70, and insurance fees, \$209.
The Oaks Co. is cutting the station for the fourth level on the Central shaft of the Deep Down mine at Mollon.
S. H. Gafford, a lineman employed by the Roswell gas and electric company, was instantly killed when at work on a pole.
Cecil Pickett, 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pickett of Levy was severely scalded by falling into a kettle of boiling hot beans.
The body of Louis Lermustaux, a miner at Madrid, who was run over and killed by a train, was shipped to Bernalillo for burial.
William H. Ockel, touring from Cleveland, O., to Los Angeles, Cal., dropped dead while driving his car fourteen miles south of San Marcial.
The army casualty list includes Ernest O. Emerson, Roswell, severely wounded. Alvin B. Wilde of Lovington, was also named in the list of wounded.
The State Land Commissioner sold 75,000 acres of state land in McKinley and Valencia counties for \$3 the acre, plus the price of millions of feet of timber.
The license of E. Renaud, proprietor of the Sawmill saloon or roadhouse which has come into notoriety in connection with the Pulliam-Davidson case, was revoked by the county commissioners at Albuquerque.
With the expansion of work through out the state, there are now busily at work making better roads in many places and building new ones in others. 679 men, 155 two-horse teams, 29 four-horse teams and nine trucks and tractors.
Driving from the Navajo reservation to Gallup during a thunderstorm, an Indian freighter had each one of his four-horse teams killed by a bolt of lightning. The Navajo was saved as he was behind the wagon and kept out of the storm.
Heavy rains have fallen over eastern New Mexico. In some places the storm assumed the proportions of a veritable cloudburst. In places there is more water than has been seen on the ground in three years. Stockmen are greatly cheered, as they feel that the long drouth has finally been broken.

STOMACH TROUBLE
Mr. Marion Holcomb, of Nancy, Ky., says: "For quite a long while I suffered with stomach trouble. I would have pains and a heavy feeling after my meals, a most disagreeable taste in my mouth. If I ate anything with butter, oil or grease, I would spit it up. I began to have regular sick headache. I had used pills and tablets, but after a course of these, I would be constipated. It just seemed to tear my stomach all up. I found they were no good at all for my trouble. I heard

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ONE CENT A DOSE

VALLEY VIEW
(From Elida Enterprise)
Well the drouth is broken and fine rains have come to the aid of our pastures. Though the rain was spotted, we were glad to get it. We are hoping that more will follow and then we will be able to raise feed crops.
E. C. McCown returned from Roswell, where he has been working since the Fourth.
D. A. Guffy has just added a nice screened porch to his residence. He says he can sit and watch his cattle grow now without being bothered by the flies.
Lee Collins failed to get a flow of water at a reasonable depth in the northeast corner of his farm and is moving the rig to another point.
Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Guffy have received a letter from their son Sgt. Asa Guffy, who is stationed at Camp Jackson, Columbia, S. C., in which he said that he was coming home on a furlough soon if he can. "Big Boy" will receive a hearty welcome from his old friends.
Another lot of our boys have answered the call of Uncle Sam. Tom Myers, Bennie Good and Frank Southard answered this time.
The dance at Jim Spillman's was fairly well attended. All our boys are gone now to war, and our social gatherings all seem small.
Misses Cornelia and Bettie Stobbs are preparing to attend school in Portales again this winter.
John Mahoney, of Quannah, Tex. and a friend have been visiting his brother-in-law, J. H. Taylor, have started home, but they had to go see Roswell, the city they had heard so much of. Mr. Mahoney has been here since 1886 and says this is the worst drouth he has seen here.
E. T. Dunn, Tom Neely and John Daniels, who have been in the harvest fields near Pampa, Texas, write they will come home soon, as they have been rained out. Fields flooded.
The pupils of Big Valley have received their diplomas and Miss Bettie Ruth Roberts is among the lucky ones. She wants to attend high school at Roswell this year.
The Misses Marcell and Alma Stevens, of Roswell, are spending vacation as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Berry, here in the valley, and say they are having a fine time.
Bear grass cutting is still an industry here. It is good to have something to fall back on during the drouthy seasons and bear grass is one solution of the problem.

We can handle your sale bill in short order. With the New linotype, we can print them so you can put up bills going home.
The man who buys the "made in Germany" article after the war will know that he is adding to prop up the junkers for another attack on the world. To meet this condition, the American Defense society has formulated a pledge which is being generally circulated and signed, and which pledges the signator to buy no German products.

Confessions of a German Deserter
The Pillaging and Ravaging of Belgium
is told in detail by one who participated—a Prussian officer whose conscience revolted at the atrocities, causing him to desert.
The author—a young German—was an engineer with Von Kluck's army when it crossed the Belgian frontier on the mad rush to reach Paris. He participated in the entire campaign until the battle of Mons, in which he was wounded and sent to a hospital from which he escaped over the Dutch frontier, finally reaching America. He is in the United States now, registered as an alien enemy, and has written his experiences for our readers.
This Authentic, Vivid Story of German Militarism and "Kultur" as It Really Is
can be read in
THIS NEWSPAPER
Don't Fail to Read It

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Beginning at noon Monday, August 1, the chimes of the Immaculate Conception church at Albuquerque will ring each day promptly at 12 o'clock and will thus extend the daily invitation to people of all creeds to unite in one minute of silent prayer, each after his own fashion, but all for the success of the allied arms.
The first home guard battalion of New Mexico was formed at Albuquerque. One hundred and one enlisted men and fourteen officers make up the unit. A state regimental band also will be formed. C. M. Barber of Albuquerque has been commissioned major by Adj. Gen. James Baca and will command the battalion.
The five boys, Manuel Gonzales, Albin Archuleta, Leandro Martinez, Rosendo Moya and Eufelio Varela, accused of murdering Isias Trujillo near Watrous, were given a preliminary hearing at Las Vegas, and all pleaded not guilty and were bound over to await the action of the grand jury. All five accused are under 21 years of age.
Governor Lindsey announced he would not call a special session of the New Mexico Legislature to provide for the casting of votes by New Mexico soldiers and sailors at the fall election, the obstacles, he says, being insurmountable. He may ask Secretary Baker to grant a furlough to all soldiers in this country to return home to vote if they desire.
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Ever Try Honey as a Substitute For Sugar?

The dealers were cut down another 60 per cent in the amount of their sugar supply, the first of August. This is now 20 per cent of the sales, when there were no restrictions on sugar. The amount allowed to be sold to consumers was cut the first of August to the rate of 2 pounds per person per month.

We urge the use of substitute sweetening. Karo and other corn syrups are off the market at present but we will have it as soon as obtainable. We have a great variety of other syrups.

Honey as a sweetening agent has been overlooked by a great many housewives. We have it in ten pound, gallon buckets, the pure strained goods at per bucket \$2.00
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Want Ads
RATES:—One cent per word for each insertion. Payable when ordered. Try these want ads, as people read them every week.

LAND LOANS—See W. B. Oldham or W. B. Oldham 41f

Lee Carter writes Fire Insurance in Best Companies. 41ff

FOR SALE—1917 Ford, good as new. See S. N. Hancock. 40 ff

WANTED—Claws from 3 to 8 years old.—G. W. Robertson, Portales. 30ff

FOR RENT—House with city water and lights on north side of track.—C. O. Leach. 39ff

FOR SALE—Best wind fall apples at Mrs. Holcomb's orchard, Roswell, N. M. 41 ff

A BARGAIN—A \$115 Victoria, year old and \$75 worth of records for the price of the records. M. care of News. 41 ff.

FOR SALE—Champion mowing machine, rake and Planet Jr. cultivator, all new.—Ask at News office. 42 ff

LOST—Between Portales and the Rockham farm or between Portales and Redland, one Ford car license No. 1999, also rear light. Finder please leave at the News office J. H. Johnson, Inez, New Mexico. 42 ff

FOR SALE—New Jersey milk cows, ages from 2 to 7 yrs., all extra good, carefully selected. All in milk except one, 2 lbs. fresh shortly. See D. A. Haggerton, half mile south and three west of Portales. 41 2tp

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Optimistic Thought.
Remembrance is the only paradise
out of which we cannot be driven.

Problem of Human Nature.

It is true, as opponents of changing
the clocks to save daylight contend,
that the same thing would be accom-
plished if everybody got up earlier.
The trouble is that everybody won't.—
Philadelphia Ledger.

Little Doubt About It.

Mary and Bobby were playing on a
picket fence when Mary accidentally
slipped and her little dress caught in
one of the pickets and held her sus-
pended about a foot from the ground.
Bobby tried and tugged, but in vain,
he could not release her, so he said:
"Never mind, Mary, I'll go and call
my mother." And poor little Mary, hang-
ing by the lone picket, replied earnestly:
"All right, Bobby, and I'll wait for
you here."

Vade Mecum.

Pulpitarily, the infatuated young
man sought counsel at the bazaar of
an ancient and prayed the ancient tell
him how he might learn of his fair
lady's faults. "Go forth among her
women friends," spake the venerable
one, "and praise her in their hearing."
—George Jean Nathan in Puck.

NEW COMPOSITION

By ALICE KILLIAN.

"I see that Mr. Birdsong's new piece
is being featured in the music stores,"
observed Mrs. Birdsong's caller. "I
envy you the privilege of enjoying his
compositions so long before they reach
the clamoring public."

"Oh, my dear," exclaimed the wife
of Mr. Birdsong, "please don't speak of
those direful days preceding the ap-
pearance of a new one—or I'll burst!"

"Surely, there's nothing unpleasant
about it," the caller apologized. "I of-
ten picture you sitting beneath the
piano lamp playing the new airs ten-
derly, while Mr. Birdsong leans back
in the shadowy big chair listening to
your interpretation of the harmonies
that originated in his own soul."

"That sounds awfully nice and po-
etic and it would look good in a pic-
ture frame," said Mrs. Birdsong, "so
I hate to disillusion you. But you
might as well know that those harmo-
nies you speak of are born into the
world through painful esthetic trav-
ails."

"I'm surprised! His compositions
sound so exquisitely effortless. I sup-
posed he dashed them off on a Pull-
man or anywhere—just like that!"

"My goodness!" gasped Mrs. Bird-
song. "You force me to tell the horrid
details. First, Mr. Birdsong comes
home from a trip, drops his grip,
kisses me briskly, snatches off his
coat and rushes to the piano. 'Listen!'
he says, 'how do you like this? I just
made it up last night!'"

"I rave over it at first because I like
the melody and at the end of the sev-
enth day I rave because he won't stop
playing it."

"He pounds it out the instant he
jumps from the bed in the morning
and the last thing at night—about 1 a.
m.—he is playing it with the soft ped-
al. He disregards meals. His soup
cools before he gets to it and he never
waits for dessert."

"Sometimes he forgets and takes his
napkin along to the piano when he
thinks of a new strain to insert. And
he drags me along, too, whether I've
finished eating or not. You see, he
plays by ear strictly, while I studied
music. So he depends upon me to
write the notes on the manuscript pa-
per for him."

"I'll think it's all done and ready to
send to the publisher, when he yells
frantically: 'Two minors should fol-
low each other. Change it here. Now
I'll play it. How do you like that?'"

"Then he asks me to play it so that
he can get the effect. I do. Then he
blurts out: 'You can play the right
hand that way, exactly as I want it,
but not the left. Can't you fake a
bass? I want that F sharp played
with A. Is that the way you have
written it? Get away a minute! I'll
get the doggone thing! See, now, isn't
that pretty harmony?'"

"About that time he strikes a fresh
chord unexpectedly. 'What's this?' he
cries. 'Here, what's this? Play it in
the treble while I hold this chord, and
play the treble with your left hand, so
you can write down the chord with
your right hand!'"

"When I have done that obediently
he announces: 'Now, we've got to
change that top note. Should it be G
or A?' After we change it he hums:
'Ta-ta-ta—ta-ta—ta,' and decides it
will be too high for the ordinary voice
and tells me to transpose it so the
top note will be E."

"I procure a clean sheet of manu-
script paper, and do it all over again.
Then he has a brand new inspiration.
He thrusts his pencil behind his ear
and plays the new idea frantically.
'That's the stuff!' he beams. 'Do you
get that? Doggone it! There it is!
See it! Doggone it! I knew I could
pick that up. That's the right change,
isn't it? Wait a minute. Let's see
how I do it!'"

"I wait and listen. Then he says:
'How is the bass to this thing? Maybe
that bottom note ought to be changed.'
I tell him it is correct according to the
rules of harmony."

"I don't care about the rules!' he
fumes. 'My ear tells me—now it ought
to go. Dad gum it! I take liberties
with the piano that nobody else does!'"

"About that time I slip over to the
table and take up the book I had be-
gun reading and read it while Mr.
Birdsong was away. Before I've read
the place where I left off he calls me
back to the piano and asks sweetly:
'What are these notes here, my dear?
I smooze—I ought to learn how to read
music!'"

"Can't he read music?" The caller
was amazed.

"He doesn't know one note from the
other. When the green and white proof
sheet comes back from the publisher I
have to go over it with him at least a
hundred times, to make sure it's just
the way he wants it."

"Well, I think your name should ap-
pear on the finished copy—you do
most of the work."

"Did any woman on earth ever get
full credit for the amount of work she
does for her husband? Well, the wife
of a musician is no exception."

Turned Around.

"The judge gimme fourteen years."
"I think I can get that sentence re-
versed." "Where would be the sense
in that? Reverse fourteen and you've
got forty one."—Pittsburg Chronicle-
Telegraph.

Attraction for Her.

Esther was allowed to sit at the
table with the elders at a five o'clock
tea. "Next to whom would you like
to sit?" asked the hostess. "Next to
the young man, please," answered Esther.

WHY

Are the People of The United States
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may have 2 pounds per person per
month.

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half pounds per person per month.

The people of Italy, one pound per
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Those amounts are not guaranteed
by the Allied Government, but are
the maximum amounts that will be
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The British are not complaining.

The French are not grumbling.

The Italians grin and go without.

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