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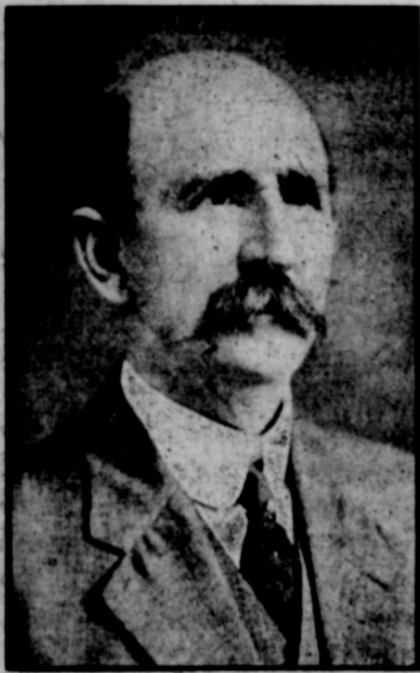
ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1911.

NO. 16.

STANDARD BEARER

**For the Democracy of New Mexico,
Who is Worthy of Confidence
and a Winner.**

William C. McDonald, democratic candidate for governor of New Mexico, was born on a farm near the little town of Jordanville in the southern part of Herkimer county, New York, not far from the shores of Otsego Lake, in 1858. His



WM. C. McDONALD.

mother died when he was about four years old, and his younger years were spent on the farm and in attendance at the public school which was located about a mile from his home. He began teaching at the age of 17, after having attended a neighboring academy, and accumulated sufficient capital to complete his education in Casenovia Seminary. He resumed teaching and while engaged in teaching school studied law though he never engaged in its practice.

Mr. McDonald came west to Fort Scott, Kansas, in the spring of 1880 and while there he was admitted to the bar. In the same year he came to Las Vegas and from that place he went overland to White Oaks where there was considerable excitement over gold discoveries which had been made there. He secured employment in a store owned by A. N. Jones and the next year, 1881, he took up surveying and mining engineering work which he followed successfully until the summer of 1890, when he took charge of the Carrizozo Ranch temporarily. He had formerly done considerable work for the ranch company which is a foreign corporation, the stock of which is held mostly by people of small means who are dependent on it for revenue.

In the fall of 1890, after he had been there a few months, he took charge of the ranch and he has been practically in the absolute control of the management of its affairs ever since, conducting the business successfully and to the entire satisfaction of the stockholders.

"During this whole time," said Mr. McDonald, "I have

never used a dollar for politics of anyone's money except my own."

He has been honored by the people of his county at different times by being elected in official positions. He was assessor of Lincoln county in 1885 and 1886; was elected as a member of the house of representatives of the twenty-ninth legislative assembly from the counties of Lincoln, Chaves and Eddy in the fall of 1890, and was elected a member of the board of county commissioners of his county in 1904, serving as chairman of the board in 1905 and 1906. Last December he was selected, in his absence and without his knowledge, as chairman of the Democratic Central Committee, which position he filled with credit until his nomination for governor this month.

Mr. McDonald served the people of Lincoln county faithfully, capably and efficiently during his term as assessor and county commissioner, but it was during the session of the twenty-ninth legislative assembly that he had opportunity to show what kind of man he is. At that session of the legislature he introduced a road bill which was far in advance of any road law which had been proposed in the territorial legislature, and he was successful in getting it through the Democratic house, but the bill was killed in the Republican Council, of which Thomas B. Catron was the first conspicuous member. It was at this time that the Democrats in New Mexico were being persecuted and, under the jury law which was in effect, it was possible to use for political effect and to punish such Democrats as the Republican bosses wanted to intimidate.

A bill had been passed in the Democratic House, providing for the drawing of the names of the jurors from a wheel so that it would not be so easy to pack juries. This bill the Republican Council refused to pass. Meanwhile the appropriation bill was held as a club to induce the council to pass the jury bill. The bills went to conference on the last night of the session, McDonald having charge of the Jury Bill in conference and Fall having charge of the Appropriation Bill. There was a stormy time in the conference and the house conferees reported to the house that no agreement could be reached. Fall stated that he would not take the responsibility of defeating the appropriation bill. It was here that the strong character of the Democratic candidate for governor came out. He took the position that the jury bill must pass if the appropriation bill passed. If the jury bill did not pass the appropriation bill should not pass. He said that he would take the responsibility of defeating the appropria-

THE FIRST RALLY

**Democrats of This Vicinity to Join
in Jolification and Hear from
Visiting Speakers.**

The first real Rally of democrats in this vicinity will take place to night—Wednesday—7:30 o'clock at the Commercial Club room.

The speakers expected to be present, include Messrs. J. T. McClure, Ed. S. Giboney, Van Stone, K. K. Scott and Zach L. Cobb. There may also be others to speak.

The matters to be discussed will be the Blue Ballot and various other vital issues to the people of New Mexico.

While the meeting will be under the auspices of the democratic club, citizens of every political faith are cordially invited to be present. Those interested in securing good government in New Mexico, are welcome to any democratic meeting.

After the speaking a McDonald Club will be organized in honor of the democratic nominee for governor.

Let there be a large turnout of people in Artesia and vicinity.

tion bill if the Democrats would stand with him, and they did. Mr. Catron was informed that the bill must pass if he wanted to get the appropriation bill through, and he weakened and the jury bill was passed.

Mr. McDonald is a man of undoubted ability, well educated, of the strictest integrity and is possessed of a high sense of honor. He has resided for many years at the ranch headquarters at Carrizozo, in the sight of Carrizozo station on the El Paso and Southwestern, with his wife and only daughter, and has given his time and attention to the raising of cattle and sheep of high grade. From such surroundings, he will come to reside in the Executive mansion in Santa Fe, where he will, to use his own expression, "do the work of the people the best I can, and keep the administration as close to them as I possibly can. I am in favor of progressive ideas of government and favor such legislation as will bring that about."

The Democrats of New Mexico, are proud of their candidate for governor and have an abiding faith that he will make good as governor of the state of New Mexico.

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ments that the people of New
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Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Swepston returned Saturday night from the Dallas Fair, where they report to have had a fine time.

Delightfully Entertained.

On Wednesday and Friday afternoons of last week, Mrs. Donnell entertained in her accustomed happy and charming style. She was most graciously assisted by her winsome daughter Miss Nellie. The luncheon on each day was an appetizing repast and much enjoyed.

Instrumental and vocal music by Miss Nellie Donnell, assisted by Mrs. Overholt added much to the pleasure of the occasions, which were pronounced by the lady guests as most pleasant.

HEARST RETURNS TO THE FOLD

**It Is Believed His Name will be
Presented as Nominee
for President**

New York, Oct. 20.—William R. Hearst's announcement that he was back in the regular Democratic fold caused much speculation in political circles regarding the fate of the Independent League. This organization was founded by Mr. Hearst and nominated candidates, supported by him, in the last national and state campaign. Mr. Hearst declared himself last night at the opening rally of the local fusion campaign.

"I am speaking," he said, "as a good citizen, I hope, and also as a good Democrat. Mr. Murphy and his kind drove me out of the Democratic party five years ago but the commendable course of the national Democracy has brought me back into the fold."

Hot Springs, Ark., Oct. 21.—Wm. R. Hearst's expressed intention of realigning himself with the Democratic party pre-figures presentation of the publisher's name to the New York delegation as a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination, according to Oscar W. Underwood, Democratic floor leader of the house of representatives.

Mr. Underwood today declared he thought the Hearst following in the California delegation to the next Democratic convention would support Hearst for the presidential nomination.

Flood Cancels Roswell Engage- ment For Speech.

Roswell, N. M., Oct. 21.—H. D. Flood, Virginia congressman, who was to visit the valley under the auspices of the Democratic county central committee, will not be here, owing to a rush of speaking on the west side of the territory.

G. A. Richardson, of Roswell, permanent chairman of the territorial Democratic central committee, is in Santa Fe and has wired the county central committee that chances for Democratic success increases every day.

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Then there is consumed by the Artesia Alfalfa Milling Company, two cars of hay per day, from which one car of meal is produced. This mill is running full time and will be for the season. At present there are 50 cars stored in the warehouse of the company, in the buying of which the management has done the alfalfa owners here a kindness. Of course, there have been several times that number of cars already consumed, during the season, and more will have to be bought, but it is a big thing for one mill with a capacity of one car of meal per day to lay in 50 cars of hay at once. Mr. Larsh the new manager of the alfalfa mill certainly understands his business and is building up a fine trade.

There are always orders for the full capacity of the mill, because the meal is made from the very best hay and care taken in its manufacture, sacking and shipping. The Artesia Alfalfa Milling Company is of great benefit to Artesia and its producers of alfalfa.

But this is not all. There have been more than 25 cars of apples shipped, and several cars of peaches. And while cantaloupes were first tried here this year as a product for shipment, there were over 30 cars of cantaloupes sent out.

In addition to these car shipments, there were innumerable hundreds of pounds of fruit and vegetables sent out by express.

And it must be remembered that the orchards of this immediate vicinity have scarce begun to bear. In a few more years the fruit shipments will equal those of alfalfa and the latter will increase instead of diminish.

The productiveness of this section is in its infancy. Just wait until these large tracts are cut into small ones and there will be ten producers where there is now one, and you will see a transformation such as the imagination cannot now conceive.

Rev. J. C. Gage, so well and favorably known here and who resides at Roswell, though his home is anywhere in this section, has been in Artesia the past week, and Sunday night preached a most excellent sermon at the Baptist church.

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Democratic State Ticket

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W. C. McDonald, of Carrizozo.
For Lieutenant Governor—
E. C. DeBaca of San Miguel County.
For Secretary of State—
Antonio Lucero.
For Attorney General—
Wm. R. McGill of Portales.
For State Treasurer—
O. N. Marron of Albuquerque.
For State Auditor—
Francisco Manzanares of Guadalupe
For Stat Supt. of Public Instruction—
Alvin N. White.
For Commissioner Public Land—
John Emerson of Eddy County.
For Members of Congress—
H. B. Ferguson of Albuquerque.
Pas Valverde of Clayton.
For Corporation Commission—
F. Martinez of Espanola.
O. L. Owen of Clovis.
G. H. Van Stone of Estancia.
For Judge of the Supreme Court—
W. A. Dunn of Roswell.
Summers Burkhardt and R. H. Hanna
of Albuquerque.

Fifth Judicial District Ticket.

For Judge—
J. T. McClure of Chaves County.
For Prosecuting Attorney—
K. K. Scott of Chaves County.

County Ticket.

For Senator—
F. F. Doepp.
For Representative—
H. M. Gage.
For Sheriff—
Cicero Stewart.
For Probate Clerk—
A. R. O'Quinn.
For Treasurer and Collector—
W. H. Merchant.
For Assessor—
John W. Price.
For Probate Judge—
J. W. Armstrong.
For Superintendent Public Instruction—
A. E. Bailey.
For Surveyor—
B. A. Neymeyer.
For Commissioner District No. 1—
W. H. Woodwell.
For Commissioner District No. 2—
Whit Wright.
For Commissioner District No. 3—
C. W. Beeman.

Roosevelt Scores American Judiciary.

New York, N. Y., Oct. 21.—
The judiciary of the United States must be brought within the control and made answerable to the well-thought-out judgment of the people, in the opinion of Theodore Roosevelt, who spoke last night on "The Conservation of Womanhood and Childhood," before the Civic forum.

"I most emphatically believe that we have been wise in giving great power to our judges," said Mr. Roosevelt. "But I also most firmly believe that like any other power, this power can be abused, and that it is

a power from which the people have merely temporarily parted, and not one which they have permanently alienated."

In the last 25 years, Mr. Roosevelt said, the courts of New York once or twice have thrown what proved well nigh unsurmountable obstacles in the path of needed social reforms.

"I for one hold that if a majority of the people, after due deliberation, come to champion such social and economic reforms as these we champion tonight," he continued, "they have the right to see them enacted into laws and become a part of our settled governmental policy; and I shall never abandon the effort to see this view triumph."

The Art Exhibit.

"The interest in Art should be inculcated in the minds of the children in our schools at an early age, and it is necessary, for this purpose, to have works of Art in the school buildings. The children would then become familiar with the master works of Art of all ages and absorb, unconsciously, what is true and good and beautiful."

There will be open at the Higgins Building and continuing through the entire week perhaps the most notable Art Exhibition of its size ever given in our vicinity.

The event will not only be a notable one among school entertainments but will be a revelation of the exceeding beauty and distinction of good pictures in the school room, for the Artesia school has been able to secure 200 examples of the best school subjects in large productions, attractively arranged and catalogued to the end that every parent, child and friends of the school may see and appreciate, now, the advantages to be derived from the beautiful pictures in our school rooms.

Each parent can assist us by making a contribution of whatever amount the donor may desire to be applied to the picture fund. Local organizations may assist us by making a donation of a picture of their selection. You are assured of our appreciation of your presence and any effort in your power to increase our funds.

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Secretary B. Stephenson of the Commercial Club, has returned from an extended visit to Paris, Texas.

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[Roswell Register-Tribune.]

The contract was let Wednesday to L. F. Wachs' Western Engine company to furnish and install the pump at the Schwenker and Sumners land east of the city. This 2,000 acres is to be put under intensive cultivation. The company is to cut it into small tracts and put it on the market.

The well will be twelve inch and about 700 feet deep. A 35-foot, 40-horse power all steel pump is to be used. It flows 2,000 gallons per minute. This is the second all-steel pump ever used in the Valley. Capt. Charles de Bremond has one on his place.

Man Who Was Frozen to Death Visits Roswell.

[Roswell Record, 21st inst.]

Joe Kemp, the old time man of the Southwest who has been driving the stage between Artesia and Hope for many years, was a visitor in Roswell yesterday and left last night for Artesia, from which place he will drive out to his home at Hope. Mr. Kemp is the man who was "frozen to death," in the blizzard of five years ago, according to the newspaper stories of that time. He was caught in the storm and badly frosted, but finally came to life when thawed out.

S. W. Gilbert, of Artesia a business visitor here yesterday and returned last night.—Roswell Record, 21st inst.

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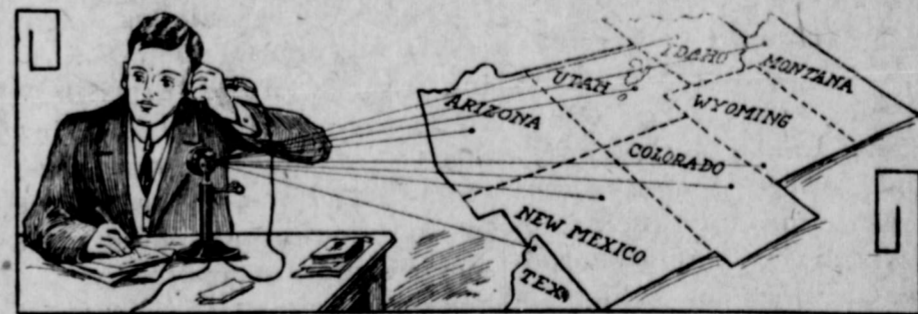
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Several hunting parties have been in the mountains west the past week and others are still out, but little game is found.

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Rev. Edward C. Morgan, president of Western College, preached a most excellent sermon Sunday morning at the Baptist church.

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The Ladies Aid of the Baptist church, will meet at the church Thursday afternoon at three o'clock. Subject "State Missions."

NOTICE—F. J. Pool will sell at public sale on W. Grand Ave at his home Tuesday, October 31, of stock, machinery and household goods. 3t-15.

Mrs. C. E. Meade was the charming hostess at a delightful dinner party Thursday. Covers were laid for six, and a six course dinner was served.

Material for the new depot and other improvements for the Santa Fe is expected here this week and the whole contract to be finished within three months.

Mrs. E. E. Mathes of Artesia, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Gillespie a few days this week. She returned on Friday afternoon's train.—Roswell Record, 21st inst.

Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Larrabee had as their guests Sunday, C. W. Major and family of Hagerman, and Mr. C. Paton, of Iowa, who is looking after his interests in this section.

A letter from Dr. L. C. Kuykendall, son of Mr. J. O. Kuykendall, formerly an esteemed citizen here, announces that he is now located at Oklahoma City for the practice of his profession. His many friends here wish him success.

A killing frost reached this section last Saturday night and the weather has been somewhat cool since, but it is a change for the better and will do away with the few nuisances in the way of insects and caterpillars.

Mrs. W. B. Pollock, of Canonsbury, Pa., who has been visiting her sister Mrs. H. G. Southworth, left Friday morning for Corpus Christi, Texas, where she will be joined by her husband and daughter later in the season. After spending the winter near the Gulf, they will proceed to California, where they will spend some weeks before returning home.

WANTED—Good Housekeeping Magazine requires the services of a representative in Artesia to look after subscription renewals and to extend circulation by special methods which have proved unusually successful. Salary and commission. Previous experience desirable, but not essential. Whole time or spare time. Address, with references, J. F. Fairbanks, Good Housekeeping Magazine, 381 Fourth Ave. New York City.

Mrs. Allen McBee was hostess at a farewell party to her friends Saturday afternoon. Mrs. McBee will leave soon for Elephant Butte to make her home. The house was prettily decorated and the affair was a most unique one. A new "Progressive Bridge" was played. Cubes, with letters on them and these were thrown and the one spelling "Bridge" received 25 points. The game was very interesting. Mrs. Kauffman received the prize, a handpainted plate. At a later hour a three course luncheon was served.

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"Lamprett told me about it," explained Beaver, as he put a small drug store package down on the table. "He said it cured his indigestion and was the finest thing out. It's none of your patent medicines, either, but a good, plain, old-fashioned remedy that our grandmothers used—It's boneset! Ever hear of boneset tea?"

Mrs. Beaver shuddered. "I can taste it now," she moaned. "They fed it to me when I was an innocent, helpless child too young to hurl the stuff through the window and smash the furniture in protest! I think I had ague or something. Just as I would begin to feel a little bit comfortable and less achy my mother or my Aunt Amelia would appear through the kitchen door with a white apron tied about her waist and bearing carefully a steaming bowl that contained a quart or more. The deadly black fluid within gave off a noxious vapor, and I would begin cringing."

"Now, now!" the cupbearer would say, in the comfortable tone of the surgeon who assures you it is not going to hurt very much, "It's only your boneset tea! Drink it down right quick and you won't mind it!" Mind it! Why, John Henry Beaver, boneset tea is the quintessence of all the bitterness in the whole world. And you are deliberately planning to take it—"

"Nonsense!" said Beaver. "You women are all nerves! I guess it isn't very bad, and it certainly looks harmless—just little dried leaves! Lamprett said it cured his indigestion!"

"It would cure anything!" asserted Mrs. Beaver, resignedly, as she took the package and obediently prepared to make the required dose. "That is, after you get the taste of it in your mouth you haven't time to fuss much with typhoid or smallpox or leprosy, or whatever it is ails you! All your energy is required in your efforts to forget the boneset! Mere indigestion is a happy little picnic compared to what you'll experience when you try to drink this stuff! Oh, I'll make it for you! Don't you worry!"

Beaver, compelled to demonstrate man's superiority to unpleasantness of that sort, drank the tea to the last drop. "That was fine!" he said with chattering teeth, as he finished. "I believe I'll lie down a bit!"

He huddled in a shrinking heap, with his face buried in the sofa cushions. Mrs. Beaver heartlessly laughed. Then she put the package of boneset on a shelf where reposed supplies not in daily use. She was quite sure Beaver would not want it again very soon.

Quite a large number of callers dropped into the Beavers' house the next Sunday afternoon and at dusk the tea cart was trundled in by the maid bearing things to drink and various delightful edibles. Everybody gathered around the open fire and Mrs. Beaver began to pass plates and napkins.

"You'll all have tea, of course?" she inquired, amiably, proceeding to pour it without waiting for an answer. "You really must have tea, whether you care for it or not, because I pride myself on my tea—I get a special brand and I insist on people drinking it and liking it! This was three dollars a pound, I'd have you good people know, and it has the fragrance of the flowers and the fields and fresh air. I call it nectar!"

Everybody took tea, naturally. "It's a little darker than usual," commented Mrs. Beaver, as she poured. "Oh, Doctor Biggs! You never—"

Doctor Biggs hastily took up the cup he had set down. "Perhaps if I could have some more sugar," he suggested, resignedly. He put five lumps more into his cup.

"Don't be so greedy," said the banker, seizing upon the sugar bowl. "Other people'd like some of that sugar."


"I never saw people use so much sugar!" commented Mrs. Beaver, frowning. "You'll simply spoil the flavor of the tea. Why, Mrs. Biggs, don't you—"

"I rarely drink tea!" said Mrs. Biggs firmly, as she set down her cup as far as possible from herself. "You must excuse me!" She looked pale.

Gazing around the room, Mrs. Beaver saw to her amazement that all the

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company had set down their cups, and were feverishly eating cake. In a far corner her husband was twining himself over a bookcase and muttering things that sounded like "Fragrance of flowers—and fields"—oh, lovely!" Mrs. Beaver in bewilderment raised her own cup to her lips. Then she sat back with a crash. "Goodness!" she cried. "I told Hilda to use the special brand of company tea, and she has used the boneset!"

Out of All Comes Hope.

Hope is anticipation, with possibility or realization. It is an inherent feeling in mankind, and a divine provision for the sustenance of interest in life. Hope is a chord which strikes pleasant desires for the future; it is everyone's sunshine, the rainbow in the storm, the silver lining to the present cloud, a star set in the firmament of our lives, to brighten, lighten and cheer the way, and differs in magnitude and brightness according to occasion. Hope is an antidote of misery, a cordial for the despondent, and a chain with many links.—Nellie E. Mate.

Distinguished Visitor.

Senator Thos. McMechan, of Oklahoma City, accompanied by his wife and two nieces, is a visitor at Artesia. In addition to representing the largest city in Oklahoma in the state senate, Senator McMechan is one of the largest and wealthiest land owners there. The writer is pleased to see him again and to feel that in urging his nomination while residing in that city, no mistake was made, as Senator Tom has more than made good.



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This region of substantial wealth is located along the Pecos River which flows through the central part of Eddy county, New Mexico. From the Pecos river toward the west the land rises rapidly from 3100 feet to the Gaudaloupe mountain range where it reaches an altitude of 9500 feet. Toward the east from the Pecos broad rolling prairies merge into the plains of West Texas. The size of Eddy county is 5,500 square miles but only a small portion of this area is adjacent to the river and therefore capable of being irrigated. Every crop that has been tried upon irrigated land in Eddy county has proven successful and the variety of money producers are so many that the farmer may choose what suits his tastes; this marked advantage over places where a mishap to the staple crop forces the land to lie idle until next season.

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Artesia, New Mexico

"Shady Timber Deals."

[Roswell Record, 21st inst.]

The Pecos Valley News breaks loose with some remarks about some "shady timber deals," and then tries to connect Governor Hagerman with them. The writer of that bit of history in the News must have known, or perhaps he does not know anything about New Mexico, that those "shady timber deals," and they were "shady," were the deals put through by the gangsters the News is supporting. One Bull Andrews was one of the high moguls in those deals and the very men most earnestly supporting the gangsters and the gangsters themselves were largely interested. It was Hagerman's opposition to these "shady timber deals" that aroused the gang's bitter hatred of him. Yes, these timber deals were "shady," more than that they were gigantic steals engineered by the gangsters the News praises through its columns. But what can be expected? The News is a gang newspaper.

Hope Happenings.

[Press, 20th inst.]

Mrs. H. M. Gage is in Albuquerque attending a meeting of The Eastern Star.

Mrs. John McIlhany, of Artesia, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Cooper

A. C. Keinath and R. D. Ferson of Artesia, accompanied by Dr. McClure of Galesburg, Illinois, were here prospecting in and around Hope.

Wilkinson and McClay, Artesia furniture dealers, have leased the Swift Hotel and will have it remodelled for a store room and will put in a stock of furniture October the 1st.

The voters of the county paid

"I had been given up to die by three of our best doctors,

I could not stand it to be on my feet and I was so swelled in the abdomen I could hardly breathe.

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Hugh M. Gage a compliment by the splendid vote given him in the primaries. This was a case of the office seeking the man. Hugh didn't have to beg for the office of Representative—the people all over the county just rolled up the big vote for him on general principles,

Railroad Time Table.

South bound passenger, arrives at 6:49 p. m., local time.
North bound passenger, arrives at 6:32 a. m. local time.
South bound local, departs at 1:40 p. m. local time, daily.
North bound local, departs at 10:40 a. m. local time, daily.

SORE NECK ON FARM HORSES

Usually Preceded by Bunch Coming on Top Where Collar Fits—Should Be Treated at Once.

A sore neck is usually preceded by a bunch coming on the top of the neck where the collar comes. If this is left and the horse worked it soon becomes a deep-seated sore, causing no end of trouble. If this bunch is noticed the first day it appears it can be entirely removed and the horse worked continually, if the lump is treated with oil of spike every night and morning. It pays to look after the welfare of the horse, as he is our main dependence during the rushing work of summer, and a horse with a sore neck cannot do his work easily nor as satisfactorily as though he were sound. It never pays to overdo a horse when the weather is excessively warm, as he is almost sure to get sore shoulders or a sore neck, no matter how well his collar fits, if his blood gets overheated. It will often pay to give a horse a pail of water between meals in very warm weather. It may mean some work; but it will pay in the long run to not neglect anything that will add to the comfort of the hard-worked animal.

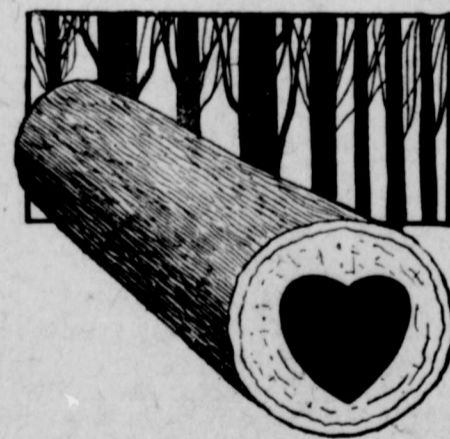
Dayton Dots.

[Echo, 20th inst.]

Owen McClay, the Artesia furniture man was here Monday.

G. C. Robbins, who has a fine farm northwest of town, is preparing to install an air lift pump on his well.

A. W. Henry announces that he will build a concrete store and alfalfa warehouse at the spur and open an office in one of the largest alfalfa markets in Texas for the handling of hay before the next season arrives.



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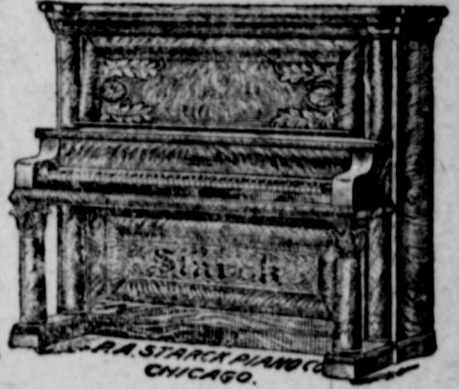
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