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Codes Well Drilling Now Under Fishing at 3160

Flow Gauges 23,000,000 Feet And Well Is Drilling About 25 Barrels Oil Daily—Leasing is Again Active.

Rhodes No. 1 of the Texas Oil Co., in the southwest corner of Lea county, sec. 22-26-37, resumed drilling again after being a fishing job for tools lost in the hole by the last gas well. Reports from the well stated that the gas had diminished to 23,000,000 feet on a gauge test and that it was spraying approximately 25 barrels of oil daily. The oil is very light and this is one of the reasons why it is difficult to estimate the amount of spray difficult to determine.

The wells in the Maljamar area are making good time and progress will be watched with interest. The Maljamar Oil and Gas Co., NW SW sec. 25-17-32, is drilling a fishing job for tools lost to a cave in. The oil show in this well are not tallying with the logs of the other wells in this company. The first expected has not turned up, although a second show has been found. Drilling is underway on a 2000 foot well. The Pueblo Oil Co., No. 1, in the NW sec. 24, has not shown the expected amount in this test from 3075. The well is drilling to 3125 feet.

Robinson No. 2, of the Texas Oil Co., NW SW sec. 25-16-32, encountered the salt at approximately the same depth as the Robinson No. 1 and so far appears to be drilling about the same as the No. 1.

Chaves county, the Arena Oil Co., sec. 18-13-31, is underreaming set casing to 760 feet, after which a bad fishing job. In Chaves county, McQuigg Brothers are making slow time on their sec. 7-5-29, due to the hole being drilled is underway below 3000 feet.

Hammond No. 1 well in the Wood section NW SE SW of 10-16-25, is shut down, installing a head, preparatory to using gas found for fuel to drill well. The last gas sand found in the well below 1200 feet has markedly increased the gas flow, but estimate is available as to the amount of the flow.

Statement made by the state office during the past indicates the leasing of state lands in this area has again become very active with the major companies taking the lead in buying.

MAGEE IS TO BE TRANSFERRED TO OHIO

ALBUQUERQUE.—Carl C. Magee, editor of the New Mexico State Tribune, is to be transferred to the Scripps-Howard newspaper, he told The Associated Press by long distance telephone.

Magee said he is not yet ready to say to what city he is being transferred and did not give his reasons for changing. He came to Albuquerque in 1920 when he bought the Albuquerque Morning Journal, which was changed in 1923 to the New Mexico State Tribune.

Magee's career in New Mexico has been a stormy one, leading him into fist fights, to one killing, of which he was cleared and to two jail terms during his fight on the trial of David J. Leahy. He was pardoned on two occasions by Governor.

Carl C. Magee, former editor of the Albuquerque Morning Journal and present editor of the New State Tribune in Albuquerque, will be transferred to the Scripps-Howard newspaper published in Cleveland, effective the latter part of the week, it was said yesterday.

2000 TURKEYS ARE GROWN BY FARMERS OF MIDDLE VALLEY

Middle valley farmers will have approximately 2000 turkeys to offer on the market this fall, it is believed. This represents an increase of about five hundred birds over last year's production. The above estimate is based on an average increase of 20 per cent in each farmer's flock over the past year.

The present price ranges in the neighborhood of twenty cents per pound and if the demand continues brisk, the price should remain steady. At this price each bird should net the growers \$3.00 or if the total turkey production is summed up, this crop will bring a return of \$6000 to the farmers of this section.

LAMB SHIPMENTS ARE HEAVY--MANY LOADED OUT TO THE FEEDERS

Lambs Are Weighing Out Exceptionally Well; Many Sheep Are Being Moved To Better Pastures For The Winter.

Several thousand lambs will be shipped out of this section within the next few days. The majority of shipments are consigned to feeders in Nebraska and Colorado, although on account of the continued dry weather and short range in the sectors west of here, several sheepmen will move their sheep to better pasturage for the winter months.

Saturday the Lewis Sheep Co., of Hope loaded out 1124 head of lambs to a feeder in Nebraska. On the same date Messrs. Watts, Coffin and McDonald of Hope loaded out 2900 head of lambs to a feeder in Nebraska. Tuesday 1800 lambs, property of the Wilburn estate were loaded out and shipped to A. J. Crawford, of Carlsbad. The shipment, however, has been consigned to a range near Otis. Pete Casabonne of Hope, also delivered a number of lambs to a feeder in Nebraska. Today John P. Cahape of Hope will deliver 2700 head of lambs, their destination, however, is not known at this writing.

Saturday, Messrs. T. E. Young, John and George Teel, and Mrs. Hila Teel will deliver approximately 2000 lambs to a feeder in Colorado. Jesse Funk, of the Cottonwood community will also ship 1000 lambs this week, their destination, however, is unknown at this time.

It is reported that Messrs. W. C. Bates and M. S. Foster loaded out approximately 2000 lambs from Lakewood this week. Another bunch of lambs, about 2000 have been loaded out at Lake Arthur by the W. S. and S. L. Williams Sheep Co.

On account of the continued dry weather the H. E. Lewis Sheep Co., are moving all of their ewes to a pasture north of Roswell. W. A. Colt, who purchased the Wilburn ranch some time ago, will move all of his sheep to the Spence ranch near Carrizozo, which was recently purchased by Mr. Colt, according to reports.

Sheepmen of the Hope sector state that the lambs are weighing out much better than was at first anticipated. The average weight is around 70 pounds each.

FIRST LYCEUM NUMBER

The first lyceum number of the season was given at the Majestic theater, Tuesday evening in connection with the regular picture show. This entertainment, scheduled to appear at the High school auditorium was later changed to the Majestic theater for the convenience of the lyceum patrons.

Appearing at this time was the Artells Dickson Concert Co., composed of Artells Dickson, baritone soloist; Mrs. Martha Dickson, pianist and Miss Helen Hunt, violinist. This concert came up to the expectations of the most critical and was enjoyed by a capacity house. The rendition of a number of negro spirituals by Mr. Dickson was perhaps one of the most pleasing features of the program, although his rendition of several Scottish songs as the closing numbers of the evening proved to be the most popular part of the entertainment.

WILL RECEIVE 4500 LAMBS

W. A. Eaker, prominent sheepman of the Cottonwood community, expects to receive 4500 lambs this week. Mr. Eaker will feed these lambs through the winter.

Loose-leaf binders, special ruling and stock forms—Advocate.

ARTESIA HIGH BEATS THE PECOS ELEVEN BY ONE TOUCHDOWN FRI.

The Pecos high school eleven crossed the Artesia goal line the first time in three years, when they met the Artesia Bulldogs on the West Main gridiron here, Friday afternoon. Pecos made a game fight but lost by a score of 18 to 12.

Pecos registered little opposition to the attacks of the Bulldogs in the first half. The locals kicked off to Pecos at the beginning of the first quarter and later recovered the ball when the visitors fumbled a forward pass. The Bulldogs commenced a steady march toward their goal line and registered a touchdown before the close of the first quarter. The locals repeated their performance in the second quarter and made another touchdown. The score at the end of the first half was 12 to 0 in favor of the Bulldogs and it appeared as though they were in a fair way to repeat their last year's performance.

The first part of the second half, however, was a different story. Pecos stiffened their resistance to the onslaughts of the locals and resorted to a series of long forward passes, their forward pass machine worked well and they completed a forward pass early in the third quarter for a gain of thirty-five yards and made their first touchdown. Early in the third quarter, Mahoney, Pecos' fast left end, grabbed a Bulldog fumble and raced forty yards for a touchdown. Neither side had been able to kick goal for the extra point, but the last touchdown for Pecos tied the score. Both teams fought stubbornly for advantage during the next few minutes of play. After Pecos failed to make their required yardage, the ball went over to Artesia and Williams completed a pretty forward pass of thirty-five yards for the decisive touchdown.

The last touchdown for Artesia, put new life in the team and the Bulldogs played on the offensive through the remaining minutes of the game.

Clayton and Jackson starred for the locals. The lineup:

House	Left End	Mahoney
Horne	Left Tackle	Poer
Yates	Left Guard	Madera
Simmons	Center	Collie
Littlejohn	Right Guard	Seay
Montague	Right Tackle	Crum
McCaw	Left Half	Murray
Williams	Right End	Bush
Naylor	Right Half	Moorhead
Clayton	Quarterback	Cowan
Jackson	Fullback	Bryan
Substitutes: Artesia, Pollard for McCaw.		
Officials: Fred Cole, referee; Jack Ballard, umpire; O. P. Gilbert, head linesman.		

NEW CITY LIQUOR LAW GETS TEST—TWO FINES ARE GIVEN BY JUDGE

A. P. and E. P. Rutherford, who are operating the Real Service Station, located at the end of West Main street, were arrested Monday on charge of possession and sale of intoxicating liquor. Howard Beecham, of Alamogordo, federal prohibition officer, assisted by M. Stevenson, town marshal, made the arrest. The liquor was found in the small house to the east of the Service station building. In addition to an assortment of paraphernalia used in the liquor operations, the officers confiscated seven and one half gallons of whiskey and nine dozen bottles of beer. The paraphernalia seized consisted of beer bottles, caps, jugs, etc.

The defendants were brought before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. commissioner but were released under the federal charge and were arraigned before Judge Gilbert, on charge of the violation of the city prohibition ordinance. After pleading guilty as charged, each defendant was given a fine of \$250.00 and costs.

After the fines were assessed, Judge Gilbert gave orders that the liquor confiscated be destroyed. Following out the judge's orders officers M. Stevenson and Beecham carried the whiskey and beer to the rear of Mr. Stevenson's office and poured the contents of each container in the alley. All trace of the liquor was soon lost to the thirsty ground.

This is the first test given the new city liquor ordinance, which became effective last May.

PLANS MADE FOR THE BAPTIST CONVENTION AT CARLSBAD NOV. 8-11

The Baptist state convention will be held in Carlsbad November 8 to 11, and plans are being made by the local Baptist people to have their share of preparation detail done in such a way as to make it a notable meeting. About 175 visitors are expected including laymen, pastors, and members of the Woman's Missionary Union, with many prominent state workers and also many noted men from other states.

The laymen's organization will open its session on Tuesday morning, the eighth at the Presbyterian church. The W. M. U. will open its session at the same time in the Baptist church.

On Tuesday night the convention banquet will be held at the Methodist church and will be served by the Methodist women. At this banquet, the B. Y. P. U. and Sunday school meetings will be held.

The final day of the convention, which will be armistice day, November 11th, will be cavern day, when the delegates will enjoy the trip through Carlsbad cavern. This feature is looked forward to with much interest by the visitors, it has been learned.

Among the prominent people expected for the convention, and who will have places on the program are:

Dr. C. M. Rock, President, of Phoenix, Arizona; Dr. I. J. Van Ness, Nashville, Tennessee, who has been the head of the Baptist publication board for more than twenty years and is a noted speaker; Mrs. Taul White, Birmingham, Alabama, of the W. M. U.; Dr. F. S. Groner, of Dallas, Texas, secretary of the Texas Baptist Missions Board; Dr. B. A. Copas, professor in the seminary at Fort Worth; Dr. W. B. Bagby, who has been a missionary in Brazil for thirty years, Dr. Oliver Groner, Memphis, Tennessee, of the relief and annuity board, Miss Lois Coltrin, head of the Baptist hospital at Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. McArthur, of the orphan's home at Portales, President C. R. Barriock of Montezuma College, and others.

The arrangements committee is asking local people to open their homes to aid in caring for the convention visitors.—Current-Argus.

ELLIFF SUCCEEDS SMITH AS MANAGER OF RODDEN STUDIO

Robert Elliff, of Roswell succeeds Frank F. Smith, as manager of the Rodden studio here. Mr. Smith is returning to Dallas, his former home, where he will again take up his work of photographer. Mr. Elliff managed the Rodden Studio here, a short time before the arrival of Mr. Smith.

ONE CASE OF SCARLET FEVER HERE

Dr. O. E. Puckett, county health officer, who was in Artesia Tuesday reports a case of scarlet fever in town. The patient is under quarantine and little difficulty is anticipated in preventing the spread of the disease, Dr. Puckett states.

PULMOTOR WILL BE PURCHASED AND KEPT ON THE FIRE TRUCK

The fatal accident in the oil field Tuesday afternoon has clearly demonstrated the need of a pulmotor for Artesia. Through the enterprise of M. Stevenson, town marshal, the needed instrument has been assured. Mr. Stevenson circulated a petition among the business men yesterday and secured the amount of \$148.50 sufficient to purchase a pulmotor for future use. The instrument will be added to the equipment of the Artesia Fire Department and will be kept on the fire truck to be used in all emergency cases.

HAMMOND—NICHOLSON SALE EXTENDED

The Hammond-Nicholson sale of the Ferriman stock of dry goods has been extended until Saturday, November 5th. Prices have again been reduced on all remaining goods. A substantial reduction has also been made on new goods recently arrived. See the announcement of Messrs. Hammond and Nicholson, appearing in this issue.

WOMEN'S CLUB ATTENTION

The four amendments to the state constitution to be voted on November 8 will be discussed by the legislative committee at the club meeting next Wednesday. Members are urged to be present and familiarize themselves with the nature of these amendments so that they will be prepared to vote intelligently on them.

W. T. MORGAN, FORMER RESIDENT OF ARTESIA DIES NEAR WEED FRI.

W. T. Morgan, age about 50 years, a former resident of Artesia, died at his home near Weed, Friday, according to word reaching here the first of the week. Mr. Morgan, who was a sufferer from tuberculosis of the throat, came to this section some eighteen months ago from Oklahoma and resided with his family near Weed until the early summer months. He lived here for a few months, but moved back to Weed about a month ago for the benefit of his health. Owing to his condition, the mountain climate proved to be of little assistance and he gradually grew worse until his death.

Burial was made at Weed Saturday. Mr. Morgan is survived by a wife and five children.

MC LEAN IS FATALLY GASSED WHILE AT WORK ON WELL NEAR HERE

A Pulmotor Brought From Roswell Fails To Revive Young McLean—Funeral Services Are Held at M. E. Church Today.

Cecil McLean, of Artesia, age 20, was fatally gassed Tuesday afternoon about 5 p. m. while working on the Donnelly well, southeast of Artesia. Young McLean it appears, had gone down in the cellar of the rig to take off or adjust a clamp on the casing, when he succumbed to the deadly gas. Other workmen on the rig found him lying near the casing, overcome by the fumes of the gas. He was brought to the surface as soon as possible and rushed to Artesia, where physicians worked desperately in an attempt to set up artificial respiration. A hurried call was sent to Roswell for a pulmotor, which arrived shortly after seven o'clock. For two hours thereafter the pulmotor was operated without apparent beneficial results. Friends and relatives of the unfortunate youth gave up hope reluctantly, after exhausting all resources to restore the breath of life. Cecil was the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. McLean of Artesia. He is a graduate of the Artesia high school, graduating with the class of 1926. Last year he was a student in the State University at Albuquerque.

His untimely going will be mourned by a host of friends. Young McLean is the first oil field worker to suffer a fatal accident since the establishment of the field here, more than three years ago.

The deceased is survived by a mother and father, two brothers, Farrell and Roland and two sisters, Glenn and Nina Mae.

Funeral services will be at the Methodist church this afternoon at 4 p. m., conducted by Rev. Mims J. Jackson, assisted by Rev. J. P. Sinclair. Interment will be made in Woodbine cemetery.

PEOPLES MERCANTILE SALE

The Peoples Mercantile Co., dry goods department are making attractive prices on new fall arrivals. Special prices are effective on ladies dresses, men's suits, children's shoes and an assortment of wearing apparel articles, which should be of interest to the general public. See their announcement in this issue.

REV. PEARCE CALLED BY CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. H. A. Pearce, of St. Louis, Missouri, has been called by the First Christian church of Artesia as pastor. Rev. Pearce will serve the Christian church here half time and the First Christian church at Carlsbad half time, according to the present arrangements, however, Rev. Pearce may be called here to serve full time later.

Rev. Pearce was former head of the Sunday School department of the Christian Board of Education at St. Louis. The call as pastor of the church here was made following a conference held Thursday evening.

INCREASING INTEREST IN RAISING POULTRY

Farmers and poultrymen of this section are manifesting an increasing interest in growing better poultry. Present indications point to the fact that in the future more attention will be given to increasing egg production. A. J. Savage, poultry expert, with the Ralston Purina Co., has assisted in culling more than 1400 hens and pullets.

A Survey Of Gas Line To El Paso Now Being Made

Several Parties Interested In the Proposed Project Which Will Cost in the Neighborhood of \$500,000 Says Post.

The following article with reference to piping natural gas from the Artesia field to El Paso, appeared recently in the El Paso Post and will be of interest to the people of this section.

Negotiations for construction of a pipeline which would bring natural gas to El Paso are being "conducted between the El Paso Co., and outside responsible parties," Manager D. A. Bantzen of the Chamber of Commerce announced.

Bantzen said that the men back of the project did not want names disclosed now because others might take advantage of the information and disrupt their plans.

From other sources it was learned that San Francisco financiers are interested in the project and that engineers are studying a proposed \$5,000,000 pipe line from the Artesia, N. M. field.

"Information I have received is that the people interested in the proposition are able to finance it if they care to do so," said Geo. D. Flory, vice president of the state National bank.

So far there is no assurance that the line will be built or that it is practicable, as geologists and engineers have not completed their reports. A survey has been under way for three months.

"Outside agencies," the announcement says, "experienced in building gas lines, have been in El Paso negotiating with the local gas company with the view of selling to the company natural gas for distribution to industries and domestic consumers. These parties have not completed their plans."

"There will be no application for a franchise, since the natural gas is to be distributed by the El Paso Gas Co."

K. L. Simons, general manager of the El Paso Gas Co., explained that the promoters, and not his company, propose to build the line.

"Whether the line is feasible depends upon reports that are being prepared now," he said.

"The cost of such a line is going to be large. Figuring will have to be close because of El Paso's distance from gas fields."

"We are not in the pipeline building business. If natural gas is brought to El Paso we want to distribute it, and I believe it will come some day."

Information about the pipeline project has been submitted to H. L. Aller, of New York, sponsor of a southwestern group of power and light companies owned by the Electric (Continued on last page, column 3)

THIS WEEK'S CHAPTER OF AUTO ACCIDENTS

The past week-end marks the occurrence of an unusual number of auto accidents, although fortunately no one was injured. The Dunn wrecker was called to an accident near the Espula gin, Saturday evening, when a Mexican driver turned a truck over. Quite by coincidence another car wreck occurred near the same spot about an hour later, when a delivery truck driven by a Mexican collided with a Buick touring car. Both cars were brought into town for repairs. No one was injured.

Friday, the Buick car driven by Mrs. Alf Coll was slightly damaged when it was given a broadside lick by Welton's grocery delivery wagon. A car driven by Knox Bewley knocked a hole in the fender of the car driven by Mrs. J. E. McCabe on the same date.

THE COTTON MARKET

The New York market opened this morning at 21.20c, the highest opening since the 7th, the day before the government forecast was made public when the market opened at 21.25c. Since the ginning report was given out Tuesday, cotton has advanced approximately \$8.00 per bale.

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TELEPHONE NO. 7

The state tax in New Mexico has
been increased approximately 50
per cent in the past year. They will
be still higher if we are burdened
with an election every year. Vote
against amendment 2, and try to get
New Mexico back on its feet financially.

IDEAL WEATHER

Visitors to this section during the
fall months have been enthusiastic
in their praise of the balmy sun
shiny weather. So far the weather
has been ideal. Fires are seldom
necessary for comfort. The climate
can't be beat at this season of the
year.

FEDERAL LOANS

New Mexico farmers are being
financed through the federal farm
loan bank at Wichita, Kansas, at an
annual expense to them of \$400,000
less than they would have to pay
for loans from any other source, according
to a statement read at the
New Mexico Bankers Association
convention from Miles Lasater, president
of the Wichita bank.

The unfortunate part of the situation
is that the farmers of the artesias
are in the Pecos valley do not
enjoy this privilege, yet they live
in one of the richest farming belts
to be found in the state. The day
is coming when they will, however,
if they will work together in an effort
to stabilize their irrigation possibilities.

SIDELINE COMMENTS ON OUR
AGRICULTURAL PROBLEMS

The secretary of the Portales
Chamber of Commerce is the authority
for the statement that the cream
checks in the Portales territory
amount to \$1000.00 per day. We
thought this was a pretty good sum
for cream checks alone and proceeded
to spread the news. A fellow
townsman came back with this remark.
"Why didn't you ask them what
their daily feed bill was." Our
answer was that the feed bill in
question was just what the farmer
made it. A farm that can grow
good cotton is certainly capable of
growing feed, or else there is something
wrong with the farm and in a
case of this kind the farmer would
do well to change farms.

We know a farmer in the Artesia
territory who is producing 50 pounds
of butter a week. We understand
that he has no difficulty in disposing
of his butter at 50 cents per pound.
Fifty pounds of butter at 50 cents
per pound is \$25.00 per week. Not
bad at that.

Not long ago a farmer made the
remark, "I'd just as leave be in the
pen as to be tied at home with a
bunch of cows."

We have a suspicion that the merchant
who stays in the store from
7 a. m. to 7 p. m. six days in the
week, is inclined to have the same
rebellious feeling at times. If he
gets tired and quits, another fellow
comes in and takes his place only to
find that he must keep the same long
hours, if he stays in business. So
far as that's concerned nobody has
ever made a success of anything, who
did not stay with it. If there is a
vocation that does not require close
attention, it would cease to be a vocation
very long, the competition
would be too keen.

(Continued next week)

COST OF COUNTY ELECTIONS

The cost of an election held for
county officers only, if Amendment
No. 2 is adopted, will be approximately
\$45,000 according to the
Taxpayers' Association of New Mexico.
In a previous statement the
director of the Association had estimated
the average annual cost of

EIGHT GIRLS AND FOUR BOYS PARTICIPATE IN THE STATE AUDITION

The State Audition for New Mexico
of the Atwater Kent Foundation
took place Friday evening, October
14, at State College, and was broadcast
from Station KOB. Program of
broadcasting began promptly at 7:30
p. m. and continued until 9:00. There
were twelve contestants from all over
the state, eight girls and four boys.
Each was allowed to sing two vocal
numbers. Names of contestants, their
numbers and addresses and the vocal
music rendered, follows.

No. 1, Erwin W. Hunter, Roswell,
sang "Gold Glittering Gold" by H.
W. Petrie, and "Bells of the Sea" by
Alfred Solman.

No. 2, Miss Evelyn Mearns, Albuquerque,
sang "The Bird Song" from
Pagliacci by Leon Cavallo, and "Pre-
lude" by Landon Ronald.

No. 3, Miss Elizabeth Hogue,
Carlsbad, sang "Lullaby" by Cyril
Scott and "Madam Butterfly," by
Puccini.

No. 4, James L. Tucker, Las Vegas,
sang "Duna" by Joseph McGill,
and "I'll Forget You," by Ernest R.
Ball.

No. 5, Miss Dorothy Frye, Santa Fe,
sang "June Is In My Hearth" by
Vaughan, and "At Dawning" by
Cadman.

No. 6, Mrs. Helen Hill Jones, Roswell,
sang "Sunlight" by Harriet
Ware, and "The Winds In The
South," by John Prendle Scott.

No. 7, Robert Baldwin, Santa Fe,
sang "Sebben Crudele" by Caldara
and "Song of Songs" by Moya.

No. 8, Mrs. Jewel Glenn Crosby,
Las Cruces, sang "Pale Moon" by
Logan, and "Morir Por Tu Amor."

No. 9, Carlos Peverly, Belen, sang
"At Dawning" by Cadman, and
"Rolling Down to Rio" by Edward
German.

No. 10, Miss Catherine Alldredge,
Tucumcari, sang "Until" by Wilfred
Sanderson, and "The Dawn" by Guy
D'Hardelot.

No. 11, Miss Margaret Speakman,
Tucumcari, sang "I Hear A Thrush
At Eve" by Cadman, and "When
Irish Eyes Are Smiling" by Ball.

No. 12, Mrs. Viola Haverty, Las Vegas,
sang "The Star" by Rogers
and "The World Is Waiting For The
Sunrise" by Seitz.

All contestants, their accompanists
and judges, were entertained most
hospitably while at State College,
as guests in the homes of the
faculty members of State College.
Luncheon and dinner were served at
the Girls' Dormitory. A reception
was tendered the contestants from
4:30 to 6:00 p. m. Friday afternoon
at the Home Economics Building;
likewise, after the broadcasting program,
at 9:30 in the evening, a dance
was indulged in by the visiting
guests and the young people of the
College.

The competition among the girls
was very keen. The winning girl,
Miss Elizabeth Hogue of Carlsbad,
gained her victory over seven other
contestants. She was chosen by a
joint vote of the radio audience
and special vote of eight musical
judges.

Erwin W. Hunter was the fortunate
young man who won over
three other contestants.

All reports indicate that the reception
from KOB was exceptionally
good.

Miss Hogue and Mr. Hunter will
be certified as State Champions to
represent New Mexico in the district
audition to be broadcast from
Station WFAA at Dallas, Texas, in
November, in competition with
champions from other Southwestern
and Southern States.

Winners of the State Contest for
Atwater Kent Foundation are:

No. 3, Miss Elizabeth Hogue,
Carlsbad, New Mexico.

No. 1, Erwin W. Hunter, Roswell,
New Mexico, Box 108, R. 1.

Second, third and fourth places

elections at \$75,000, if an election is
held every year.

Attention is called to the fact, however,
that since no registration is
required for the election of county
officers, the actual outlay for such
an election will probably not exceed
\$45,000, while the general election at
which state officers are elected will
cost in excess of \$100,000. The cause
for the large increase is found in
the registration expense which will
be about four times the expenditures
for this purpose heretofore.

If Amendment No. 2 is adopted the
election to be held in 1929 at which
county officers only will be elected
will involve estimated expenditures
as follows:

Costs of purging lists.....	\$ 1,550
Clerical assistance.....	2,790
Printing ballots.....	9,300
Election officials.....	18,432
Messengers.....	3,600
Cost of publications.....	1,024
Poll Books.....	1,524
Miscellaneous.....	6,770
	\$45,000

In connection with election costs,
it may not be too early to suggest
that if registrations are made periodically,
once in eight years, or, if
the next general registration is made
permanent with thoroughgoing
procedure for purging the lists annually,
the average annual election costs can
be kept at approximately \$45,000 or
\$50,000.

INSIDE INFORMATION

Liver and bacon makes a good dinner
meat, especially prepared, with
the merit of being very valuable in
the diet. Any kind of liver supplies
vitamins, iron, and furnishes the
body with protein and calories.

Peach dumplings, baked in muffin
pans, are seasonable now. Serve hot
with hard sauce, liquid sauce, or
whipped cream. Peel the peaches
but do not remove the stones as they
give the dumpling an extra good
flavor.

Unwrap meat as soon as it is
brought from the market, and place
it in a clean, dry, covered dish in
the refrigerator or other cold place
until wanted. Don't wash meat until
just before cooking. Washing draws
the juices out and hastens spoilage.

Always take the pieces of bacon
out of the skillet as soon as they are
delicately brown and crisp. Drain
them on clean, unglazed paper. If
you leave the min the fat they will
be greasy. Cook bacon in a heavy,
broad iron skillet over a slow fire,
and watch it constantly to prevent
scorching.

The correct basis for determining
the worth of any hen as a layer
should be not only the total number
of eggs produced but also the time
of production. Ten eggs laid in November
or December are worth approximately
20 laid in April or May.
—Dr. M. A. Jull, U. S. Department
of Agriculture.

The largest crop yields are possible
only when crop rotation and the use
of manure or fertilizers are practiced
together. Crop rotation increases
the returns from farm manure
and fertilizers; and manure, fertilizers,
and lime increase the returns from
rotation.

"Did Bill's college education do
much good?"
"His father learned a lot."

Leave your kodak rolls at Rod-
den's. In at 9 a. m., out at 5 p. m.

for women were taken by:

No. 6, Mrs. Helen Hill Jones, Roswell,
New Mexico, 607 W. 6th St.

No. 5, Miss Dorothy Frye, Santa Fe,
New Mexico, 132 Santa Fe Ave.

No. 2, Miss Evelyn Mearns, Albuquerque,
New Mexico.

Second and third places for men
were taken by:

No. 7, James Tucker, Montezuma
College, Montezuma, New Mexico.

No. 9, Carlos Peverly, Belen, New
Mexico.

Total number popular votes cast,
1627; total number votes cast by
judges, 1088; total number votes
cast, 2715.

WE THANK YOU!

The following have renewed their
subscription to The Advocate the
past week:

Frank Hutchinson J. T. Mitchell
Ralph Henderson V. S. Welch
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Aubrey Watson W. B. Glover

NOTICE!

Please do not send money in an
envelope for subscriptions—it is
liable to be lost—send a money order
or check.

OLD-TIME TELEGRAPHERS RECALL EPICS OF KEY

SAN FRANCISCO.—Stirring stories
of the transmission of telegraph
news in the old days, including the
Civil war and the Franco-Prussian
war, were related by members of the
Old-Time Telegraphers' association
at its convention here recently.

Johnny Lonergan, for instance, was
a telegraph operator with the Union
army when Sherman marched to the
sea.

"I remember," he said, "during the
Civil war when I used a set no larger
than a snuff box. I had to string
my own wires, too, and, if I couldn't
receive by sound, I would get the
vibration, which was just as good."

Lonergan claims that as chief operator
in Louisville, Ky., in 1868, he had
to "fire an inventive, inquisitive
cuss of an operator named Tom Ed-
son."

Frank H. Lamb, also eighty-five,
was another Civil war operator at
the convention. He was captured and
interned in Libby prison, to be re-
leased later and sent to War de-
partment headquarters in Wash-
ington, where Lincoln often sat on a
table watching the reports come in
from the battlefields.

A. D. Bradley of Omaha was elected
president of the association and
Omaha was chosen as the 1928 con-
vention city.

FIRE DANGER IN LINCOLN FOREST AGAIN REPORTED

ALAMOGORDO.—With two small
fires occurring last week, the Lincoln
national forest dry in many places
and the hunting season approaching,
forest officials are giving attention
to fire hazards.

The two fires were in the Mescalero
Indian reservation and were held
to a five-acre area. Men are to be
placed in the lookout stations and
fire fighting equipment is stationed
at intervals of two or three miles.

GINNINGS RUN OVER EIGHT MILLION BALES

The government ginning report
received here Tuesday morning gave
the total cotton ginnings up until
October 18th as 8,188,978 bales.

"Yes, Willard Mack is right, Luckies are best," says Paul Berlenbach

Popular pugilist tells
his manager, Benedict
Sterns, that Lucky
Strikes are the finest
cigarettes.



Willard Mack,
Noted Author, Producer
and Actor,
writes:

"We people of the theatre are, as
a rule, extremists. This is the
reflex action from overworked
nerves. When a man smokes forty
cigarettes a day, as I do, he must
be sure of his brand. I smoke
Lucky Strikes because I have
found they are soothing to the
nerves and at the same time they
cause no throat irritation. My
voice is always in perfect condition
and I am never troubled by
any coughing which might be
annoying to me in my work as
an actor."

You, too, will find that
LUCKY STRIKES
give the greatest
pleasure—Mild
and Mellow, the finest
cigarettes you ever
smoked. Made of the
choicest tobaccos,
properly aged and
blended with great
skill, and there is an
extra process—"IT'S
TOASTED"—no
harshness, not a bit
of bite.



"It's toasted"

No Throat Irritation—No Cough.

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YOU do not take a chance when you are feeding
Purina Poultry Chows. When you get your
record blanks, so you can mark on them the extra
eggs you get every day. We want you to check up
that way, because
you'll never feed any-
thing but Purina
Chows once you see
what they actually do
for you. Start feeding
Purina Poultry Chows
for those extra eggs
now.

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'Spreading Herself

Johnny gave three dozen eggs to an
speckled hen when she wanted to set. Said
knew she couldn't cover them, but said he
wanted to see the old fool spread herself once.

Don't get the idea that the banker is a
gentleman sitting on a pile of other people's money.
This bank is not attempting to "spread itself"
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By Charles Sughroe
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Poor Ol' Dad



J. P. LITTLE
Parts and Service Division
Chevrolet Motor Company

**CHEVROLET SERVICE
DEPARTMENT TO MEET
DETROIT OCT. 31**

In view of further broadening of parts and service facilities in the United States and to the Chevrolet service program for the ensuing year, the Chevrolet Motor Company has invited field officials of its parts and service division to Detroit for a day meeting, opening on October 31.

The meeting will be the first ever held by the company to mark another step in the program to increase the efficiency of its nation-wide service program.

The keynote of this session will be given by R. H. Grant, vice president of the Chevrolet Motor Company, and officials from the Chevrolet factories throughout the country.

The three days will be devoted to an inspection tour of the Motors Proving Ground at Warren, Michigan, where Chevrolet is undergoing tests night and day.

LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS
(Mrs. Ned Hedges, Reporter)

Harry Bailey was in Roswell on business Thursday.

Redmon Pate left on a business trip to El Paso, Tuesday.

L. J. Nichols was up from Carlsbad on business last Wednesday.

Mrs. Will Walden and children were shopping in Artesia Saturday.

Montine Pate visited relatives and friends in Carlsbad over the weekend.

Mrs. Oscar Moore, Mr. Lane and daughter, Miss Alma, were Artesia visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Shinneman, Lee Shinneman and Mrs. D. A. Goode were shopping in Artesia, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ware, of Artesia spoke at the Baptist church Sunday at the morning, afternoon and night meeting.

Rev. Thomas and family moved to Clovis this week. Lake Arthur regrets losing the Thomas family from her midst.

Mrs. Hinshaw, who has been visiting her son, Earnest and family, near Artesia for the past two weeks, returned Tuesday.

Miss Thula Harvey, who has been visiting her parents here for the past several weeks has returned to her home in Sibley, Iowa.

Mrs. M. S. Brown, who was called to Dallas to the bedside of her daughter some time ago, returned last week with Miss Margaret, who is slowly convalescing.

A number of our town ministers spoke at a called meeting at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon. Among the visiting speakers were Rev. Maddox, state evangelist, Rev. Stump, secretary Baptist convention, Rev. Anderson, Rev. Martin and Rev. Dyar of Dexter.

Prof. Bernard announces that Mrs. Brasher, Chaves county superintendent and necessary state officials will be in Lake Arthur Friday for the purpose of organizing a P. T. A. in Lake Arthur. Place of meeting, school auditorium, time, 2:30 p. m. All patrons urged to come.

The stock yards have been the scene of most of the activity in and around Lake Arthur the past week, besides the two drives of 2000 head each of Turkey Track cattle to out from here recently, better than 5,000 head of sheep have been weighed over Bill Walden's scales and shipped to eastern markets.

**THE COMMISSION WILL
APPEAL FUMIGATION
CASE TO SUPREME CO'RT**

The State Corporation Commission will appeal to the United States Supreme Court from the injunction of the district court in Albuquerque prohibiting it from issuing an order regulating cotton fumigating rates at Roswell, it was announced today.

Federal Judge O. L. Phillips held that state fixing of rates would interfere with interstate commerce. The Pecos Valley Cotton Growers Association and others interested are to assume the burden of proof and bear the cost of appeal. Pecos valley cotton growers contend exorbitant fumigation rates are being charged.

**INFANTILE PARALYSIS
IN STATE ABATING**

SANTA FE.—The infantile paralysis epidemic in the state is abating, with but seven cases reported last week and one Tuesday in Tucumcari, state health department officials said.

Miss Mollie H. Donnelly, physiotherapist, employed to attempt restorations in persons stricken by the disease, is giving treatments and instructing nurses in Las Vegas this week. The report shows ten cases advised on or treated in Colfax county.

JAUREZ SENTENCED

Conception Juarez, found guilty by jury Monday night of murder in the second degree, was sentenced Thursday to serve not less than twelve nor more than fifteen years at hard labor in the state penitentiary.

When asked if he had anything to say, Juarez declared he shot in self defense. He was convicted of shooting Manuel Olsbis, on July 8, the wound causing death about two weeks later.

The district court has continued hearing of many civil matters, of which there was a heavy docket.—Current-Argus.

Leave your kodak rolls at Rodden's. In at 9 a. m., out at 5 p. m.

Harmony Chapter O. E. S. No. 17 of Hagerman, headed by Alice M. Mason, W. M. and Bob Miller, came down in a body Wednesday night and put on the Eastern Star work for the Lake Arthur Chapter, giving the degrees of the order to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hines and to Miss Opal Ridgway.

**TO VETERANS OF
THE WORLD WAR**

World War Veterans who have not applied for the Adjusted Service Certificate (Bonus) are warned that only a short period remains within which applications will be accepted. Those who have not yet applied do so now, as a duty both to their dependents as well as themselves. There are at present 3,300,000 World War Veterans holding this certificate and, according to a report recently issued by the U. S. Veterans' Bureau, a total of 33,160 payments have been made to beneficiaries of the certificate holders, involving an amount of \$33,890,593.00.

To those veterans who are not familiar with the bonus, it may be explained that this certificate is a fully paid up endowment policy. If the holder of the policy should die, his beneficiary would receive the full sum in cash which the policy holder himself would have received had he lived.

Comrades, show your appreciation of the Adjusted Compensation Law and apply for its benefits; but be sure to do so before January 1, 1928. This is the lead line and you know how "tempus fugit."

The state service officer, N. C. Padilla, Santa Fe, New Mexico, the U. S. Veterans' Bureau, Albuquerque, New Mexico, the American Legion posts throughout the state and other Veterans' Organizations may furnish you with the necessary information and application blanks.

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**DAY DEPARTMENT
CONSTRUCTING MESA
TYPE ROAD IN N. M.**

Work is being taken in New Mexico of a type of road construction that has been originated in California by Cyrus S. Avery, named in highway circles and by him as the "drive in and drive out" highway.

There are many miles of mesa located highway in the state which it will be impossible to build Federal Aid type of road for many years. Upon these highways the state has built a type of road known as the "drive in and drive out" type. To make these mesa roads for motorists the deep ditches are being filled up and a shallow ditch substituted—a "drive in and drive out" ditch. That is, such that if a motorist gets into it or accidentally drives into it he will not be precipitated into the landscape with his car, but he will be able to get out of it by ordinary quick handling of the steering wheel and pull over the ditch and out onto the mesa or more often guide the car back into the road again without mishap.

This type is being built in the operations between Santa Fe and Albuquerque, and elsewhere with excellent results. As rapidly as the mesa state roads are being built the "drive in and drive out" type of construction will replace the deeper ditch type.

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"GRANDMA" RIGDON HONORED

"Grandma" Rigdon completed her eighty-first year Tuesday and in honor of the event the members of the Methodist Missionary Society appeared at her home en masse to give her a surprise party. Some time previously the Society had voted to make "grandma," as she is affectionately called, a life member of the society and having sent in \$25 had received a handsome certificate from the conference treasurer. This had been appropriately framed and was presented to her on this occasion. She also received a number of individual presents. Refreshments of cake and coffee were served by a committee of the members and altogether it was a very enjoyable occasion for all, especially for Mrs. Rigdon, who asserted that she expected to live to be ninety, which her friends heartily concur, in view of her unusual vigor and active life.

The anniversary was also celebrated by her family with a dinner at the home of Fletcher Owens. On this occasion all of "grandma's" relatives were present. This included her granddaughter, Mrs. Clarke Wilde and grandson, Fletcher Owen and their families.

P. E. O. MEETING

Women sculptors and painters was the subject of the program at the meeting of the P. E. O. at the home of Mrs. Chester Russell last Friday afternoon. A very interesting review of the life and works of Harriet Hosmer and Cecilia Beaux was given by Mrs. S. W. Gilbert, who also included George Inness in her list. Mrs. Atkeson followed with an excellent account of Rosa Bonheur, the greatest French painter of animals and Mary Cassatt, a noted American artist. The hostess served light refreshments, being assisted by Mrs. Shugart.

BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. R. D. Compton entertained two tables at bridge Tuesday afternoon complimentary to her mother, Mrs. William Compton, who was leaving yesterday to visit a son in Kansas. Refreshments of apricot shortcake and coffee were served. The company included Mesdames Compton, Sr., A. C. Brown, Mann, W. C. Martin, Rowan, Atkeson, Seale and the hostess.

MISSIONARY MEETING

Circle No. 1 of the Baptist W. M. U. met with Mrs. Fred Cole last Thursday afternoon. After a short business session there was a social hour, with refreshments of sandwiches and coffee. Mrs. Cole was assisted in serving by her mother, Mrs. C. E. Mann, and her baby sister, little three years old Janice.

EVENING BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Beecher Rowan was hostess to the Friday Evening club last Friday. After a delicious chicken supper the evening was spent in playing, Mesdames Mabel Welton and E. N. Bigler and Mr. and Mrs. Dexter substituting. Mrs. Rowan also had an extra table of players—Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Compton, Mrs. Wm. Compton and Mr. Rowan.

FIRST BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. S. D. Gates entertained the First Bridge Club on Tuesday afternoon, serving refreshments in two courses. There were three substitutes, Mesdames Hightower, Crandall and John Lanning.

MEETING AT THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Rev. Wainwright is conducting a good meeting at the Church of Christ this week. The attendance has been excellent.

HOME ECONOMICS CLASS EXERCISE

The Home Nursing class of the Home Economics department finished its course and gave a final demonstration of its work in an exercise given before the high school in assembly yesterday morning. The exercise was in pantomime and the scene represented the interior of Main street hospital in Artesia. Following is the cast:

Dr. Know Much—Fern McCaw.
Patient—Lola Gray.
Head Nurse—Mary Jackson.
Nurses—La Rue Mann, Verta Moore, Corinne Quattlebaum.
Probation Nurse—Mary Smith.
Hero—Camille Horner.
Mrs. J. D. Clare (the gloomy visitor)—Anna Louise Wright.
Reader—Ruth Bigler.

Miss Clement, the county health nurse, has been in charge of the class, assisted by the Home Economics teacher, Miss Ruth Morgan.

CHICKEN PIE SUPPER

Methodist Sunday school room next Thursday beginning at 5:30 p. m.

Posted signs at The Advocate.

Social Calendar

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THURSDAY (THIS WEEK)

The Past Noble Grands' Club meets with Mrs. Herman Jones at 7:30 p. m.

FRIDAY

The Sunshine Class meets with Mrs. Sid Cox at 2:30 p. m.

MONDAY

The Library Board meets at the library at 3:30 p. m.

The Young Women's Class of the Presbyterian Sunday school will give a Hallowe'en party in the church parlors at 7:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

The Second Bridge Club meets with Mrs. John Lanning at 2:30 p. m.

The Fortnightly Bridge Club meets at the home of Mrs. Frank Seale.

The Methodist Missionary Society at the home of Mrs. R. O. Cowan at 2:30. Election of officers.

Idlewhiles Bridge Club at the home of Mrs. Sid Cox at 2:30 p. m.

First Evening Bridge Club meets at the home of Mrs. Mabel Welton at 6:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

The Women's Club at I. O. O. F. hall at 2:30 p. m.

THURSDAY (NEXT)

Business meeting of the W. M. U. at the Baptist church at 3 o'clock. Installation of officers.

The Presbyterian Aid Society meets with Mrs. Tarbet at 2:30 p. m.

YOUNG MOTHERS' CLUB

The Young Mothers' Club met with Mrs. Harold Atteberry last Friday. The games were the order of the afternoon and light refreshments were served by the hostess. Those present were Mesdames Louis Cole, Harvey, Barnett, House and Ellis.

Go to the Church of Christ and hear a real treat. You will enjoy hearing the Gospel messages. 45-1tc

MISSIONARY MEETINGS

The Methodist Women's Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Grover Kinder last Thursday afternoon. "Work among the foreign born," was the subject of study with Mrs. Feemster as leader. In the business meeting plans were made for the forthcoming chicken pie supper, which will be held in the Sunday school room, Thursday evening, November 3rd.

In recognition of Hallowe'en the Kinder home was profusely and attractively decorated in Hallowe'en devices and at the close of the program the guests were entertained by the entrance of a number of sheeted ghosts of famous people, whose identity they were permitted to guess. They proved to be Betsy Ross, Eve, David, Washington, Noah Webster, Roosevelt and Lindbergh. Mrs. Kinder and Mrs. Keller, associate hostesses, served delicious refreshments.

The Methodist Young Peoples Missionary Society, of which Mrs. Sidwell is superintendent, met at the home of Lola Gray on Monday evening. The bible lesson was a chapter in the book "Picturesque Interviews with Christ." There was a short business session, followed by a social hour with refreshments.

The King's Circle, the Methodist Missionary Society for Intermediate girls, held a meeting at the home of Mrs. Sidwell on Monday afternoon and elected officers. Geneva Gilliland was chosen president, Nelda Wilson, secretary, Evelyn Keiser, treasurer, Margaret Frisch, social service secretary and Lilla Jackson, social secretary. The members reported on work for the Christmas bazaar, which will be given by the adult society in December.

CHILDREN'S PARTY

Bert Muncy, Jr., celebrated his 8th birthday anniversary yesterday afternoon with a boy's party. Eight other youngsters were at the party and they had a strictly boy's celebration with romping games and a general good time. Bert's mother served them with quantities of ice cream and cake and decorated hunter's horns helped them express their joyousness. The guests were Kenneth Compton, Kenneth Reid, Edgar Bishop, Burton Bishop, Delton Loving, Ormonde Loving, Leon Meeks and Billy Meeks.

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HARRY GOODELL, Mgr.—PHONE 71

RECEPTION FOR REV. AND MRS. JACKSON

Rev. Mims J. Jackson, the new pastor of the Methodist church, and Mrs. Jackson were tendered a welcoming reception by the membership of the denomination last Friday evening. The Sunshine class was in charge and the president, Mrs. Blocker, managed the business of presenting the pastor and his wife, the official family and the membership of the church to each other. Welcoming speeches were made by Dr. Stroup, Mr. George Frisch, Mr. Austin Brown, Mrs. I. C. Dixon and Miss Leona Allinger, representing the Board of Trustees, the Board of Stewards, the Sunday school, the Missionary Society and the Epworth League respectively. To all of these the pastor fittingly and happily responded, on behalf of himself and Mrs. Jackson. Miss Katherine Ragsdale delighted the audience with a vocal solo, Mrs. W. E. Ragsdale, accompanying. Refreshments of pumpkin pie and coffee were served by the members of the Sunshine Class with the assistance of the members of the Young Peoples' Missionary Society.

Advocate want ads get results.

PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The meeting of the society was held at the home of Mrs. Rex Wheatley last Thursday afternoon. Rev. Hall, Synodical Missionary, was present and gave a most interesting and instructive talk upon his work and the needs of the New Mexico and the home mission work.

A questionnaire upon primary and church work was prepared by Mrs. Arthur Stevens and Mrs. Arthur Stevens and Mrs. Beth Stevens were guests. Light refreshments were served.

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- Men's New Fall Overcoats.....\$19.95
- Men's all wool Lumber Jacks.....\$4.69
- Men's Leather Coats.....\$11.95
- Men's all wool Over Shirts.....\$2.19
- Men's Heavy Moleskin Shirt.....\$2.39
- Men's Dress Hats.....\$3.19
- Men's Dress Shirts.....\$1.49
- Men's Khaki Pants.....\$1.69
- Men's all leather Oxfords.....\$4.69 (TAN AND BLACK)
- Dress Shoes.....\$4.39
- Heavy Work Shoes.....\$1.89
- Heavy Blue Denim Overalls.....\$1.39 (JACKETS THE SAME)
- Men's Heavy Union Suits.....\$1.19
- Men's Leather House Shoes.....\$1.69

- Boy's Dress Shirts.....\$1.95
- Boys' School Shoes.....\$2.95
- Children's Play Suits.....\$1.95
- Children's Union Suits, 2 to 12.....\$2.95
- Leather Palm Gloves.....\$1.95 (WITH OR WITHOUT CUFFS)
- 14-oz. Canvas Gloves, dozen.....\$2.95
- Men's all wool Socks, pair.....\$1.95
- 8 pr. Men's Work Socks for.....\$1.95
- Turkish Towels, each.....\$1.95
- Large Turkish Towels, each.....\$1.95
- 81x90 Bed Sheets.....\$1.95
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- English Prints.....\$1.95 (GUARANTEED FAST COLORS)



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- Ladies' New Fall Dresses.....\$11.95
- Ladies' New Fall Coats.....\$12.95 to \$19.95
- Ladies' Dress Pumps.....\$1.95
- Ladies' Rayon Bloomers.....95c
- Ladies' Silk Bloomers.....\$1.95
- Ladies' Silk to the Top Hose.....95c
- Misses' School Shoes.....\$3.95
- Children's Shoes.....\$1.95

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New Mexico sends out \$33,000,000 a year for stock feed, a large part of which is produced in the state. Dan H. Otis, of the New Mexico Bankers association, told the New Mexico association convention last week.

Of the fact that New Mexico is largely agricultural it is not necessary to note that it is only a self-sustaining," he said. "The fact is that cattle prices are at a peak and will gradually decline for six or seven years, according to E. Grimes of the State College department of agriculture.

"We have been making inroads upon the stock and animals slaughtered at an earlier date," he said. "Evidence indicates that breeding herds has been bidding for a long time. We are probably at the low point of the cattle population and the next six or seven years are expected to increase. The fact that many of the cattle are partly finished cattle and it seems probable they will be sometime near the season and this is bound to increase the prices of all cattle. This year has encouraged this year by the fact that many feeder cattle are being sold, meaning their feed lots, meaning their feed lots, meaning their feed lots."

**FOR RECORD IN
CLERK'S OFFICE**

18, 1927.

States to Roscoe H. McNamee Lots 3 and 4, Sec. 18 S., Range 26 E., N. M. P.

District Court:

485 Suit on Account, J. W. Grocery Co. vs. Henry Tipson \$168.11.

486 Divorce. Francisco Ortez vs. L. Ortiz.

20, 1927.

Deeds:

W. Chipps to R. C. Goodard 24-24.

Deeds:

Sutton, trustee to Lulah C. Adams \$10.00 S 1/2 NE 35-22-27.

Adams to Julian Sanchez Lot 18, Blk. 10, Orig. Carlsbad.

H. Ellsworth to Thelma Sutton \$10.00 S 1/2 NE 35-22-27.

Deeds:

Estate of James Little, Deceased. 1-8 interest in the NE 1/4 NE 18-26; NESW; SWNW 1/4 Pt. NW 1/4 15-18-26.

District Court:

487 Suit on Account, Kemp Co. vs. Geo. Lorton \$36.60.

488 Suit on Note: Fannie B. vs. Boone Beach, et als

21, 1927.

Deeds:

Pate to R. L. Bynum \$75.00 Blk. 50 Art. Imp. Co. Add.

M. H. Ferriman to M. Ferriman \$100.00 Lot 6, Block 10, Imp. Co. Add. to Artesia.

Nicholson to M. A. Ferriman Lots 2 and 4, Blk. 21, Orig. Artesia. C. C. Nicholson to M. Ferriman \$400.00 Lot 6, Art. Imp. Co. Add. to Artesia.

District Court:

483 Transcript of Judgment George W. Welton vs. Er. Bowman \$662.50.

489 Suit on Note. Campbell vs. H. A. Webb

23, 1927.

Deeds:

Pate to R. L. Bynum \$75.00 Blk. 50, Art. Imp. Co. Add.

J. Figueira, Jr., to John Sr. \$10.00 Und. half in 1/4 NE; SWNE 20; N 1/2 24-23.

Emily Moore, et als., to Geer, \$1.00 SENW 34-22-23; Pt. E 1/2 NE 28-22-27 by right of way of the A. F. Ry. W. R. John Figueira, Jr. \$10.00 Und. interest in S 1/2 NW; N 1/2 SW; 21-16-23.

District Court:

487 Transcript of Judgment. Supply Co. vs. Geo. E. Bobb

490 Divorce. Nobia Shuster vs. Shuster.

24th, 1927.

Deeds:

Armstrong to J. G. Bujac, L. H. 17, Orig. C.

Mortgage:

Atkinson to W. L. Martin, 25-17-26. Carlsbad Natl. F. Alzugari, NENW; N 1/2 NW; NE 24-23-27; SENW;

Deeds:

Rascoe to Mrs. C. S. Harris 21, B. 22 or part NWSE; 20-20-27; to C. S. Harris, 22, B. 22 same subd. J. M. to Nettie McCormick L. 12 B. 10, B. 34, Fairview, Ar-

Siren—"Do you think my show any signs of toll?"

Siren—"The one with the ring on it shows that has been working."



WHAT CHILDREN SHOULD KNOW

THE SWEEP OF THE YEARS

There are some wonderful birthday parties in the big industries this year. The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad has celebrated its one hundredth anniversary with what many persons believed to have been the best exposition in history. It was called "The Fair of the Iron Horse." The Fair started by showing American Indians with pack horses in the manner of early travel, crude and slow. Then came Pierre Marquette and Joliet in sight of the Mississippi. Canal days and highways through the wilderness preceded the story of "the birth of the railroad" a hundred years ago. The early locomotives and coaches looked like mere playthings. The fair showed how the business of railroads grew and finally culminated in the exposition where great locomotives hauled beautiful trains.

One hundred and twenty-five years ago E. I. du Pont built a small powder mill, and the du Pont family have carried on the business ever since. In that early beginning practically all west of the Mississippi River was Indian country, as yet unexplored. Since then Fulton's Clermont made its first voyage on the Hudson; Morris invented the telegraph; an oil well was discovered by Drake, and gold in California; Edison invented the incandescent lamp; Peary went to the North Pole; the Panama Canal was completed; Marconi discovered wireless; moving pictures have been born, and Lindbergh has flown from New York to Paris.

The great du Pont family perhaps produces more articles used in the household and for public use than anyone else in the world. Explosives are only a feature of the business of their concerns, represented in nearly every field of industry. Pierre S. du Pont is considered a foremost leader of industry, and children can do no better than study what he has to say about the way to conduct a business. The following is what he wrote:

"Industry is founded upon the manufacture and sale of things that make this world a better place in which to live.

"Industry has nothing to sell save useful service * * * * *

"Practical application of knowledge to the making of things which are useful in man's every day life is industry's contribution to the advance of civilization.

"Civilization is our inheritance from the ages; ours, in trust for a while, to which we must add some useful knowledge that coming generations may increase their horizon."

**FIVE PERSONS HAVE A
NARROW ESCAPE IN
AUTO ACCIDENT SAT.**

Five persons miraculously escaped death Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock when two Ford cars met head-on on the Dexter highway at a point approximately 100 yards north of the Roswell compress. Clyde Gant, with his wife and baby, were returning to their home at Hagerman and Griffith Clardy, with Miss Virginia Hodge as a passenger, were coming toward this city.

Both cars were entirely demolished and officers who were called to investigate the wreck said this morning that occupants of both cars escaped only by a miracle.

Clardy, who was coming north started to go around a truck. Heavy traffic on the highway at this hour made a lot of dust and Clardy was unable to see the Gant car coming south. As result they hit head-on both cars being torn into pieces.

The Gant baby, age three years sustained a broken arm and a badly bruised head. Mrs. Gant was cut about the mouth and face and badly bruised while Gant was cut about the face and bruised. Miss Hodge was badly cut about the face and head and bruised. It was necessary to take a number of stitches in a

**SANTA FE ORDERS
124,000 TONS OF
RAILS FOR 1928**

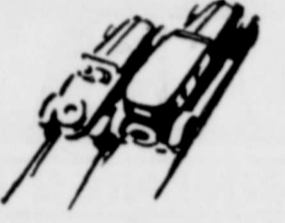
AMARILLO.—The Santa Fe railway has just placed orders for 124,000 tons of new rail for use in 1928, announces President W. B. Storey. Contracts for 87,800 tons go to the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company at Pueblo, 17,300 tons each to the Illinois Steel and Inland Steel companies, and 2,300 tons to the Bethlehem Steel company. The purchases represent 490 track miles of 110 pound rail and 281 track miles of 90 pound rail. Improvement schedules call for but few long stretches of rail laying, but all states in which the Santa Fe railway operates will be given some new rail. About forty-nine miles of new rail will be laid on the Rio Grande and New Mexico divisions the total amount of new rails to be laid on these divisions being about 7,665 tons.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express to our friends and neighbors, our sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness and the assistance given us during the illness and death of our beloved daughter, Ethel. Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Moore and family 45-1tp

scalp wound. She was also badly cut about the knee and leg. Clardy was cut about the face and badly bruised.—Roswell Record.

**On
the hills
that's the test**



NEW power for the hills—power that shoots your car along in high! That's what you'll find with Conoco Ethyl Gasoline.

And when you get back on the level and in traffic—faster pick-up, less gear-shifting and a motor that runs like new.

Get this anti-knock fuel at the Conoco sign.



**extra
Knockless
miles**

**There's No
Short Cut--**

TO FINANCIAL INDEPENDENCE!

Hard work and consistently saving a part of your earnings is the only sure road. Our savings department will help you.

**NEW MEXICO UNIVERSITY
GIVEN SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

ALBUQUERQUE —Mrs. Miriam Grunfeld has given the University of New Mexico a scholarship fund of \$5,000 in memory of her husband, the late Col. Alfred Grunfeld. One student is to be maintained at the university each year on the interest from the money.

Special prices on our stock of floor coverings. We can save you money. W. J. Williamson, new and second hand furniture. 44-1tc

Prepare for Winter

Now is the time to have that concrete walk put down, the roof repaired or the dwelling painted. Pride in home ownership is one of the best assets any city can boast of.

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Builders Supplies and Rig Timbers

LOOK AHEAD

If we could see ourselves as we will be pictured in life's mirror 20 years hence, the matter of investing in life insurance would be a different story. No high powered salesmanship would be necessary!

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**Get Ready For
WINTER**

We have a large assortment of Heating and Parlor Stoves. Don't wait too long to get the Stove you want.

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CASH REBATE

Pay Cash for Groceries and Get a Cash Rebate.

For Every \$10.00 Worth of Cash Sales Slips From Our Cash Register We Will Rebate 25c

We don't ask you to save up a bunch of sticky stamps and get a racket store class of prize, save your tickets and get THE CASH. No books to fool with, no time wasted deciding what premium you want, save our cash rebates and buy the things you need.

Welton's Grocery

Phone 85

THRIFT

Closing Out THE

Yes, Folks It's the
NEW Merchandise
On Sale Now

Naturally we were anxious to clean out all the older goods first and the tremendous selling the first week has cleaned out everything and now this week we start selling the new clean stock. Much of this stock was on back orders and has just arrived, spick and span new goods and we are pricing all this new stock exactly as if it were here and included with the Ferriman Stock. If you were here last week you will want to come again this week and if you were not here you will certainly want to come and share in this feast of bargains. Plan to meet your friends here they are all coming back this last week. Sale positively closes Saturday night, November 5.



Overflowing values brought overwhelming opportunities of the entire sale. This event. Here is a beautiful selection of

HERE ARE 6 REASONS WHY YOU SHOULD BELIEVE

REASON No. 1

\$2.50 MEN'S UNION SUITS, PART WOOL
Elastic ribbed, sizes, 34 to 46 inches chest measure
Part wool suits are sold elsewhere for a great deal more than we are asking for this excellent garment. Dependable.

\$1.79

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REASON No. 2

BOYS' AND GIRLS U-SUITS
PART WOOL—MEDIUM HEAVY WT.
An exceptionally well made suit in every detail. All seams are flat locked sewed. There is comfort in its fine fabric and more comfort and service too, in correct, unskimped sizes. Sears & Roebuck get \$1.39 for this sale price, sizes 6 to 16—

89¢

REASON No. 3

LEATHER PALM GLOVES, 35c Value

No need to say that these gloves will cost you more in a regular way soon, as cotton is up and still going. Our regular low price is 35c; soon they will be 50c, while 50 dozen last, buy them now per pair—

19¢

Grayco and Other \$5 Shirts \$2.65

BOYS' DRESS SHIRTS
\$1.00 Values
All are new stylish dress shirts in the light and medium shades. Sizes 6 to 12 ages to 14 neck—

79c

From the Ferriman stock, this famous New York shirt, their best shirt. The newest collar attached, collar to match and neckband styles; silk finished Rayon, broadcloth and finest percales, now—

\$2.65

Men's \$2 Spring Needle Knit Union Suits
Heavy cotton union suits, ribbed weave, in white ecru. Long sleeve, ankle length, flat lock seams throughout. All sizes—

\$1.48

Final Price Cut on Suits and Overcoats

Down again go prices on all suits and overcoats; men's and young men's and boys' fine suits, some with two pair of pants; all smart new fall and winter styles. The new browns and greys. Men's and young men's top coats and overcoats, new plaids.

All splendid tailoring. Coats and suits that have been \$35 and \$40. One special lot now priced at—

\$21.50

Men's Novelty Hats Values \$6.00

Men, we say without hesitation that this is the greatest bargain we have ever offered. These hats are all good styles; desirable shapes and colors. Not a hat less than \$5.00 many \$6. Numbers & sizes for everyone. Your choice while 96 hats last—

\$2.95

\$9.95 FITZ MADE COW HIDE LEATHER COATS

Wear, comfort, warmth, style and real value are all represented in this splendid coat. First quality mahogany brown body, lined with strong drill. Cut over liberal dimensions in the single breasted style, with two large lower pockets with flaps and two well constructed muff pockets, adjustable tabs on the sleeves and snug collar, sizes 36 to 46—

\$6.95

Men's Lumberjacks
\$8.00 Values, Now \$3.95

Many of these fine quality handsome 24-oz. wool blazers are worth \$8 and \$10. They are snug and warm for the coldest weather. Convertible collars. Two large button down flap pockets. Snug fitting, knit bottom, choice

\$3.95

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TO 50c WOMEN'S HOSE

19¢

One big assortment, mostly black and cordovan, including several numbers regular at 50c a pair, mostly good quality lisle 35c numbers—

TO 35c MEN'S MIXED SOCKS

19¢

One lot fancy mercerized standards of 75c and 75c plain first quality socks, all sizes

Men's \$7.00

Down again go prices on men's extra heavy stock. All should sell at \$8 to \$10. Most all are Light, medium and dark shades.

MEN'S PURE SILK PLAIN AND FANCY SOCKS, VALUES TO \$1.00

This is our regular stock TRU-FAB hose; fresh, pure silk and they carry the only guarantee of its kind known to hosiery. A new pair without question if you say so. We are including our entire stock, plain and fancy knit; regular price to \$1. Per pair—

57¢

Box of 6 Pair \$3.00

THIS AVERAGE SAVINGS NEXT

BARGAINS

HAMMOND & NICHOLSON

ECONOMY

Ferriman Stock

For Quick Action on Brand New Merchandise

Selling Will Continue Until Saturday Night, Nov. 5th Remaining Merchandise Takes Another Deep Price Cut

...days, but thousands more will come these last days, which will offer the best buying
This shows a few of the many phenomenal values that are typical of this wonderful bargain
...span merchandise and every sale tag spells real economy. A chance of a life time
...offered have reached the peak of value giving.

Were You at This Big Close Out Sale Last Week

PEOPLE WERE HERE FROM:

Carlsbad	Hagerman
Pecos	Dexter
Malaga	Lake Arthur
Loving	Dayton
Otis	Duncan
Lakewood	Elk
Hope	Mayhill
Roswell	Weed

IF YOU WEREN'T HERE THESE FOLKS CAN TELL YOU WHAT YOU MISSED!

And now they will all be back for these last days will be the best of the entire sale, because thousands of dollars worth of this splendid merchandise

MUST BE CLOSED OUT!

BEFORE THIS SALE ENDS

REASON NO. 5

WOMEN'S 95c PERFECT QUALITY
SILK RAYON HOSE

Perfect quality; semi-fashioned, with full fashioned marks high spliced heels and double soles. New colors have been on sale at 69c, reduced for final selling—

57c

REASON NO. 6

\$5.00 BOYS' SHOES

Boys' shoes and oxfords, in black or tan. Goodyear welt soles. Mannish shapes. Excellent wearing qualities. Sizes 2½ to 5½ at—

\$2.79

50c CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS AND SOCKS

19c

Black ribbed brown fine lisle, light colored lisle and Rayon sock in fancy colors, one big lot, all sizes, 4 to 10—

Men's Lace Boots
\$12.50 Values, Now \$8.95



Plain, moccasin and cap toe styles, fine calf and medium weight. Dress boots, buy them now—

\$8.95

\$10.00 Boys Suits to go at \$6.95

\$1.50 TOM SAWYER PLAY SUITS

Splendid quality blue chambray garments made as all Tom Sawyer garments are, full cut and carefully seamed, neatly trimmed, sizes 6 to 16—

89c

These suits are all new fall styles and come with one or two pants, either long or golf styles. The coat, vest and golf pant suits on sale—

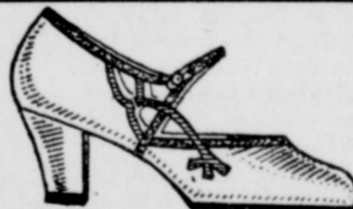
\$6.95

BOYS' SIZES 12 to 18
Values to \$14.50

Boys of this age want long pants and that is the way these suits come. They are well tailored, new models; and you can have 1 or 2 pair pants—

\$9.95

\$6.50 & \$7.50 Womens
Fine Shoes \$3.95



We are reducing many of our finest shoes that were priced up to \$7.50. Good styles, good lasts. Satins, patents, kids, black, tan, straps, pumps and oxford ties—

\$3.95

TO \$5.00 MEN'S WORK SHOES... \$2.95



Here are shoes of brown and light elk tan uppers; some with oak leather soles and some with Ushide and Panacord soles and rubber heels; a number of styles, all special values; some even \$5.50 numbers—



ONE LOT FINE SHOES
Values to \$8.00

About one hundred pair of shoes and slippers; black, tan and brown. Fine calf, kid and kangaroo. Poole & Johnson Shoes and others that sell regularly from \$5.00 to \$8.00. A real red hot shoe special; better be here early. Your choice, per pr—

\$2.95

EVERYTHING
ON SALE

KEYSTONE Boys Blouses, Values up to \$1.25



Yes, mothers, they are genuine KEYSTONE Blouses in khaki and blue and gray chambray; priced in our regular way at from 95c to \$1.25. They are full cut and can be worn as shirts if desired and here is a chance to save; sizes 6 to 10 now only—

\$1.69

...s at \$3.95

...have been on sale at \$4.95; many
...from Korrek Brand suits and
...from last season. **\$3.95**

WEEK-ENDS SATURDAY

GOING OUT FERRIMAN STOCK

PROSPERITY

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE

In the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF AUGUST STRAUSS, Deceased.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF AUGUST STRAUSS, Deceased.

To Fred Strauss, Baylis, Ill.; Herman Strauss, Ohlman, Ill.; Mrs. Minnie Hansen, P. O. Box 21, South Denver Station, Denver, Colo.; Mrs. G. C. Livingston, Broken Bow, Georgetown Route, Nebr.; J. L. Strauss, Route No. 1, Box 2000, Montrose, Calif.; Jack (Alvin) Strauss, Box 197, Lyman, Nebr.; And to whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that the alleged Last Will and Testament of August Strauss, Deceased, late of the County of Eddy and State of New Mexico was produced and read in the Probate Court of the County of Eddy and State of New Mexico on October the 3rd, 1927 and the day of the proving of said alleged Last Will and Testament was thereupon fixed for Monday, November the 14th, 1927 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Probate Court room at the Court House in Carlsbad, New Mexico, and all persons having any objection to the Probating of said Will will file their objections in writing with the Clerk on or before the time set for hearing.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of this Court on the 5th day of October, 1927.

(SEAL) THELMA T. LUSK, County Clerk.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, Oct. 1st, 1927.

NOTICE is hereby given that Arcadio Hernandez, of Dayton, N. M., who, on August 1st, 1922, made Add'l. Hd. Entry containing 160 acres, Act 12-29-16, No. 025758, for N½SE¼ and E½NW¼, Section 17, Township 19 South, Range 25 East, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 23rd day of November, 1927.

Claimant names as witnesses: David S. Martin, of Dayton, New Mexico.

Charlie Martin, of Dayton, New Mexico.

Irvin Martin, of Dayton, New Mexico.

Jesse T. Collins, of Artesia, New Mexico.

V. B. MAY, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, October 17th, 1927.

NOTICE is hereby given that Florence D. Williamson, widow of George M. Williamson, deceased, of Artesia, New Mexico, who, on May 9, 1922, made Hd. Entry Act 2-19-09 containing 320 acres, No. 027723, for E½ Section 17, Township 17 South, Range 25 East, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 26th day of November, 1927.

Claimant names as witnesses: Jesse L. Truitt, John W. Vandegriff, John B. Muney, Albert L. Allinger, all of Artesia, N. M.

V. B. MAY, Register.

HOW

WINGS OF SEAPLANE ARE NOW MADE WATERPROOF—

Curious sights are to be seen in an airplane factory. For example, in the laboratory of one corporation there have been tried experiments with a new sort of "dope" with which the wings of seaplanes are impregnated to render them waterproof. The liquid is slightly yellowish in color and held in a test tube is very transparent. When water is poured into it from another tube a strange result is obtained.

The water scarcely mixes with the varnish solution before large fluffy masses of solid material begin to form. They are true cotton balls, the cotton having been precipitated in the liquid by a mixture of distilled water. Each little fiber of the cotton seems to melt into visibility as if by magic. The masses quickly join to form cotton balls, which slowly float to the surface.

The chemical composition of the wing varnish, of course, contains the dissolved cotton in the form of cellulose. When the water is poured into the solution the cellulose, in the shape of fibers, is precipitated.

After the varnish has been spread upon the cloth of the airplane wings and has thoroughly impregnated it, the cotton in solution enters into the structure of the cloth and strengthens it as well as waterproofing it. But when the water enters the solution before the varnish has dried, then the cotton comes out and the effect of the "dope" is spoiled.

BOTH PARTIES IN NEW MEXICO HAVE BEGUN TO TALK ABOUT POLITICS

SANTA FE.—Sentiment is gradually crystallizing in New Mexico among democrats and republicans as to the choice for the presidential nomination, notwithstanding that the state conventions for selecting delegates to the national convention are as distant as next May.

At this time there appears to be little chance of much of a fight over where New Mexico will stand, though the republicans possibly will send an uninstruced delegation to the national convention.

Sentiment is almost unanimous among republicans of state-wide prominence, it is said, for Herbert Hoover for president. H. O. Bursum is known to be for former Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, but he is about the only outstanding leader in the Lowden ranks. Charles Springer, former Governor Mechem, James G. McNary, Governor Dillon, Ed Sargent, Ed Otero and many other of the republican chiefs are said to look with favor on Hoover and believe that he would carry New Mexico.

On the democratic side, there is an abundance of sentiment for Al Smith; in fact, he is about the only candidate being considered and if he continues to develop strength it is very likely that by next May the democrats of this state will swing in line for him with an instruced delegation.

Former Governor A. T. Hannett was one of the original boosters of Smith in this state and many of the most prominent democrats in the state now concede there is little chance of any other candidate having much of a show for the New Mexico vote.

The political activity over the forthcoming election on constitutional amendments is creating some talk as to possible candidates on the state ticket next fall. The democrats are making an active fight in nearly every county against at least two of the proposed amendments, Nos. 2 and 5, especially No. 2, which would create four year terms for state and county officers and make the time of the election of county officials in off years when there is no general election. The adoption of the amendment would automatically extend the term of office of present county officials one year in order to accomplish this purpose.

The republicans have been inactive as yet regarding the amendments and have held no meeting of the state central committee as the democrats did to decide their position on the amendments. There is little need of this, they say, as the amendments were proposed by a republican legislature and quite naturally they are in the position of having to support all of the amendments.

Amendment No. 5, which is drawing the fire of the democrats, would limit the introduction of bills to the first 45 days of a legislative session. The other amendments, No. 1, to increase the pay of the legislators was passed up by the democratic committee, and No. 3 to provide for the exchange of public lands in forest boundaries for government lands outside the forests was approved.

Whether the vote on these amendments on November 8 will be heavy seems problematical, but it seems destined to bring out some early political discussion.

The democrats do not have as much before them in shaping up a state ticket next fall as the republicans because of the fact that two of the men on the top of the ticket are conceded by all as destined for renomination. These are Senator A. A. Jones for U. S. senator and Congressman John Morrow for congress.

The scramble for the nomination for governor, however, promises to be quite lively with Col. D. K. B. Sellers, of Albuquerque; former Governor James A. Hinkle of Roswell; Attorney General Rob Dow and A. L. Hudspeth of Carrizozo being prominently mentioned, nursing a secret hope that lightning might hit in his direction.

On the republican side of the fence among those being prominently mentioned at this early date for the nomination for U. S. senator are Lieutenant Governor Ed Sargent, former Judge Ed Mechem of Las Cruces; Francis C. Wilson of Santa Fe; Ed Otero of Los Lunas and former Senator Bursum is not entirely out of the running.

Many persons probably will be brought forth for the congressional nomination, but some of the leaders are said to be saving this for Bronson M. Cutting, Santa Fe publisher, whom they hope to hold in the republican ranks. He supported the republican ticket a year ago after being in the democratic ranks for the preceding four years.

Governor Dillon still tells his friends that he will not accept renomination and that he is sticking to previous statements that he only wanted one term. There are many who think he will be forced to take another nomination, unless perchance he is switched to the head of the ticket and nominated for U. S. senate.

Among the outsiders who are being mentioned for the gubernatorial nomination and a newcomer in the

political field, is B. H. Kinney of Albuquerque. He has the financial means and is being boosted among some of his friends as an ideal business candidate for the office. He lived for a number of years in Socorro before moving to Albuquerque and is chiefly interested in mining in the state. In event Dillon should consent to run Mayor Clyde Tingley of Albuquerque is also said to be ambitious and again, it is said Kinney may be the choice for lieutenant governor.

Manuel Otero, defeated for governor in 1924 by a very close vote, is not without his followers and undoubtedly would have some strong support for the nomination if he cared to make another race for the office.

The republican organization is moving slowly in getting in shape for the election next fall. Although Hugh Williams, state chairman, resigned some months ago, the state committee has taken no action toward holding a meeting to fill the place and seems content to let things drift along for a while.

The democrats deferred the choice of a new chairman at their meeting in Albuquerque last September until the holding of the state convention next May. John B. McManus, who also had resigned, was induced to serve until that time.

Cape Suits of Tweed or of Knitted Cloth



Interest is being awakened for cape ensembles. As yet they are not numerous, being the advance guard of a mode "on the way." The one pictured here is of rose and gray Scotch plaid knitted fabric with solid gray. Similar styles are designed either of tweed or chevilot.

Advocate want ads get results.

GOOSING MULE BAD LUCK

Garner Mason has learned by experience that "goosing" a mule is bad luck, he having tried the experiment this afternoon. Garner is rather fond of dumb animals anyway, and while passing Sam Mc-

Kinstry's team at the hay office he thought he would be friendly with the off handed mule, and by way of expressing his friendly feeling he jabbed the mule in the ribs. Not understanding Garner's intentions the mule gave a forward pass and hit Garner a blow that was not de-

served. An ugly contusion was made on his cheek and he is slightly disturbed. Other says "never more" will be friendly with a low down Hagerman Messenger.

Advocate want ads get results.

Camel

The cigarette preferred by experienced smokers

In the remarkable growing popularity of the cigarette many brands have bid for favor, but Camel continues to lead by billions. Quality put it there; quality keeps it there.



If all cigarettes were as good as Camel you wouldn't hear anything about special treatments to make cigarettes good for the throat. Nothing takes the place of choice tobacco.

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Santa Fe

Purchases Promote Prosperity

WHILE the Santa Fe is itself a large employer of labor—its payroll in 1926 totalled \$107,000,000, and its employes number more than 75,000—indirectly as a buyer of materials and supplies it helps to furnish employment to many more. Such purchases last year exceeded \$64,000,000. In addition it bought over \$12,000,000 of new cars and locomotives.

Its largest class of material was fuel, which totalled \$24,360,000. This consisted of about 2,267,000 tons of coal, and 507,800,000 gallons of fuel oil. The use of coal or oil on any division is determined primarily by which is the cheaper fuel in that locality.

The second largest class of purchases was iron and steel products, for which the expenditure was approximately \$19,750,000. This included an expenditure of \$9,500,000 for 152,700 tons of rail, frogs, switches, and fastenings. \$1,500,000 went for wheels, axles, and tires, and \$306,000 for flues and tubes for locomotives. Bridges, turntables, structural steel, forgings, and fabricated, unfabricated, and pressed steel took nearly \$3,000,000. Steel and iron are basic necessities in railroading.

Purchases of forest products totalled \$6,412,000, which included over 3,000,000 cross ties, and large quantities of lumber and timbers. The Santa Fe creosotes its ties and much of its timbers, otherwise greater quantities would be needed each year.

Folders, report blanks, notices, tickets, tariffs, and various items in the stationery line required \$1,225,000, electrical materials \$660,000, lubricating oil and grease, illuminating oils, waste, etc., \$1,180,000, and air brake material \$617,600.

These purchases were necessary to maintain the railroad properly and to give satisfactory service to the public. They were covered by 130,000 invoices and were made from 3,347 individuals and firms. Note the wide spread of this buying.

Thus the Santa Fe and all railroads are an important factor in maintaining the prosperity of our country through the employment arising from these large purchases of supplies, as well as the millions directly disbursed among their own employes for services.

When the railroads are doing well, they buy materials and supplies on a larger scale than when net revenues fall off. Money thus spent mainly pays for the labor of many persons, helping merchants, farmers, everybody—your own community included. You therefore are vitally interested.

W. B. STOREY, President
The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe
Railway System

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LOCAL

Runyan was in from the north Monday.

Mrs. Fred Knowles are at their old home in Kansas.

Conner is attending Business College.

Daugherty is leaving today to visit with his daughters.

J. Brooks left yesterday for son, Frank and wife at Texas.

Arthur Stevens and Miss Stevens were here last week from Roswell visiting Mrs. Stewart.

Sprague left last week for Illinois, after spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. John and family.

L. Carr arrived from Borland Monday and is visiting F. Phillips, Mrs. George and other friends.

Robert Burns and grand-Bobbie Mitchell, left last week to spend the winter with Mrs. Lighter, Miss Lois Burns, in Texas.

Remember that the only hog buyer in the above report is a truthful source at 45-1tc

Henry Crockett, Bryant and J. D. Josey, all of whom were transacting business matters yesterday, Mr. Williams is lamb movement heavy at present.

heard J. Emmett Wainwright at the Church of Christ? If missing a real treat. 45-1tc

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Eddy County.
 R. D. Compton Well No. 4, Mann permit, in the SW 1/4 NW 1/4 sec. 4-18-27:
 Drilling below 1000 feet.
 Empire Gas & Fuel Co. Russell 4A NW corner SW SE sec. 35-17-27:
 Drilling below 400 feet.
 Grimm et al, Daugherty No. 1, NE SW sec. 3-17-27:
 Drilling below 1500 feet.
 George F. Getty, Inc., Rawson-Mesa No. 1 in the SE 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 14-20-29:
 Abandoned temporarily.
 Getty Oil Co., Hinkle No. 1, NE corner sec. 23-20-29:
 Drilling below 900 feet.
 Hammond Oil Co., NW SE SW sec. 15-16-25:
 Shut down installing control head.
 Hamilton Petroleum Co., Billings No. 1, sec. 12-19-26:
 Shut down at 2306 feet.
 Kelly et al, Jim Berry permit, No. 1, NW NW sec. 27-17-27:
 No report.
 Levers-Carper No. 5, sec. 3-18-28:
 Drilling depth not known.
 Manhattan Oil Co., No. 1, Cronin permit, SE NE sec. 1-18-27:
 Pueblo Oil Co., Yates No. 2, SW SE sec. 33-17-28:
 Drilling below 1700 feet.
 Pueblo Oil Co., Gessert No. 1, in the N NW sec. 1-17-31:
 Drilling below 3115 feet. Oil show at 3067 to 3076.
 Skelly Oil Co., Lynch permit, sec. 22-17-31:
 Swabbing.
 Texas Production Co., Robinson No. 2, NW SW sec. 25-16-31:
 Drilling below 2635 feet.

Chaves County.
 Arena Oil Co., NE 1/4 sec 18-13-31:
 Set 12 1/2 inch casing at 412.
 Underreaming to 760 feet.
 Buffalo Roswell, in sec. 24-11-27:
 Shut down at 4300 feet.
 Etz, De Vito et al, NW SE sec. 24-11-25:
 Shut down at 1085 feet.
 Gibson Oil Corp., Forsyth No. 1, center NE 1/4 sec. 8-11-23:
 S. D. at 672 feet.
 McQuigg Bros., Neis No. 1, center NW NW sec. 7-58-29E:
 Drilling below 400 feet.
 Sparrow and Drake, Fahrlander No. 1, sec. 11-6-27:
 S. D. at 80 feet.
 Texas Company No. 1, Dunken Dome, SW 1/4 sec. 29-17-18:
 No report.

Lea County.
 Bordages, Jennie Hughes No. 1, center of S 1/2 sec. 27-19-38:
 Drilling below 150 feet.
 Exploration Company, well No. 1, in the NE 1/4 sec. 25-19-35:
 Awaiting bottom hole money.
 Henderson-Dexter-Blair, Wyatt No. 1, SW SW sec. 34-17-33:

CRUDE OIL PRODUCTION DECLINES IN WEEK

TULSA, Okla.—Crude oil production declined 11,875 barrels during the week ending October 22 as compared with the week ending October 15. The Oil and Gas Journal stated Tuesday Production for the week was given as 2,489,109 barrels as compared with 2,500,984 barrels for the preceding period.

All the major producing areas reported declines, the Journal says. Production in Oklahoma was given as 779,850 barrels as compared with 790,785 barrels for the previous week. During the week greater Seminole's output sank from 441,490 barrels to 431,715 barrels. The Gulf coast area, north central, west and panhandle areas of Texas fell off slightly while California followed suit with a loss from 411,500 barrels in light oil to 408,750 barrels.

70 A DAY DIED AUTO ACCIDENTS IN SEPTEMBER

CHICAGO.—A daily toll of seventy lives was taken by automobile accidents last month, the national safety council announced last week. It was estimated that 2,080 men, women and children were killed in September. Cities under 100,000 population reported no motor vehicle fatalities last month included Berkeley, California, Colorado Springs, Colorado, and Pueblo, Colorado.

Drilling below 5250 feet.
 Inglefield & Bridges, sec. 4-17-34:
 Drilling below 4192 feet.
 A. D. Morton well No. 1, in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 sec. 28-11-38:
 Shut down.
 Maljamar Oil and Gas Corp., Beardsley No. 2, NE corner SE NE sec. 15-17-32:
 Drilling below 2600 feet. Oil show at 2575 feet.
 Midwest Oil and Refining Co., NE NE sec. 9-19-38:
 Drilling at 350 feet.
 Texas Production Co., Rhodes No. 1, NW 1/4 sec. 22-26-37:
 Drilling below 3160 feet.
 Texas Production Co., No. 1 Lockhart, in sec. 5-22-38:
 Drilling below 3915 feet.

Curry County.
 Frio Oil Co., Saunders No. 2, in sec. 11, twp. 5N, 35 E:
 Shut down at 1250 feet.
 Haddon Petroleum Co., Arthur Laird No. 1, sec. 22-8-36:
 Shut down.
 Steinberger et al., No. 1, in the center of the NE 1/4 sec. 21, twp. 3 N, 35 E:
 Drilling below 3525 feet.

Quay County.
 Argo Oil Co., sec. 5-7-31:
 S. D. at 3500 feet.
 Gibson Oil Co., NW 1/4 sec. 25-8-32:
 Preparing to drill deeper to 4,000 feet.
 Ohio Oil Co., sec. 24, twp 7 N, rg. 29 E:
 Shut down at 3925 feet.

DeBaca County.
 McAdoo Petroleum Corp., State No. 1, sec. 16-1-27:
 Shut down at 2710 feet.
 Ask some one who has heard the Evangelist at the Church of Christ. 45-1tc

LOCALS

H. B. Gates was a Roswell visitor yesterday.

Walter Ferriman and family spent yesterday in Carlsbad.

The little daughter of James Bates is recovering from a severe illness.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Collins, Monday morning the 24th inst.

Jeff Hightower came in the last of the week from a three weeks' trip to Arizona.

Mrs. Jeff Hightower was called to Clovis yesterday by the serious illness of a cousin.

Mrs. William McGinn, of Fort Worth, spent Saturday in Artesia attending to business matters.

Mrs. G. B. Dungan returned last week from Durango, Colorado, where she was called by the death of her sister.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to Florencia Sosa and Juanita Vill, both of Artesia.—Roswell Record, Saturday.

The Misses Mary and Katherine Boyer, of Clovis, were here several days last week, visiting their friend, Mrs. W. R. Hornbaker.

Mrs. R. M. Gardiner and daughter, Helen, of Belen, were here last week visiting Mrs. Gardiner's daughter, Mrs. Merle Roady, and family.

H. D. McRae, of the Continental Refining Co., has been transferred to Sapulpa, Oklahoma and left with his family for that place the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Whalen, of Pecos, accompanied the Pecos high school football team to Artesia Friday and witnessed the game here, Friday afternoon.

Ben Dunn was in Portales last week visiting Mrs. Dunn, who is staying with her mother there for the present. Robert Ohnemus accompanied him on the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. McQuigg, of Los Angeles, California arrived in Artesia yesterday morning. Mr. McQuigg plans to spend several weeks in the valley, overseeing his oil operations.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Morrison, of the field, are the parents of a six pound baby daughter, that was born at the Artesia hospital, last Friday, the 21st. They have given the name of Nevela Jean to the little lady.

See our complete stock of mattresses. W. J. Williamson, new and second hand furniture. 44-1tc

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How often you have heard and possibly may have used this expression.

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QUIVIRA THE MYTHICAL CITY LOCATED ON MAP PRINTED 250 YEARS AGO

SANTA FE.—Quivira, New Mexico's mythical city of gold, is located in the region of Raton in a map published in Paris 250 years ago and reprinted in the October number of the New Mexico Historical Review just off the press.

Historians hold the map remarkable in that it shows the Pecos river to be the western boundary of New France, the latter including all of Texas in its claims, and for its accuracy in naming the Indian Pueblos and outlining the course of the Rio Grande.

Santa Fe was shown to be the largest and most important settlement between the Mississippi and the Pacific, in fact it was one of the dozen important towns in what is now the United States. Even at that early day the Apaches and Navajos are named as occupying about the same regions they do today.

Among the principal settlements given are: San Lorenzo, Santo Domingo, San Ildefonso, Santa Cruz, Santa, Los Angeles, Saint Michael Saint Jerome, Socorro, Acoma, Sambe Curai, San Deigo, Abo, Senecu, and Chihili.

In Arizona, the San Francisco mountains are indicated as the Blue Mountains with a settlement named Santa Fe in the vicinity of the present Flagstaff. What is now Colorado is designated as Tegmaio.

It is curious historians say, that instead of giving Santa Fe its full Spanish name—La Villa real De Santa Fe De San Francisco De Assisi—it designates the capital of the province as Santa Fe De Granada, definite proof that the founders named the city after the Sant Fe in Spain made famous in the siege of Granada.

TENDAM MAINTENANCE TO BE ESTABLISHED BY THE HIGHWAY DEPT.

Tandem maintenance has proved its superiority over ordinary methods on gravel and earth roads. Results obtained in the training school district and elsewhere offer convincing proof of the effectiveness of the "tandem" method.

Briefly "tandem" maintenance is described as follows:

Two units of equipment are used in tandem, one following closely behind the other, the two spaced at such an interval that approaching traffic may turn out for the front machine on the right, passing the second unit on the left. The purpose of this tandem arrangement is to completely cover the road from shoulder to shoulder in one operation, thus giving maintenance to the full width of the road-bed and at the same time cleaning it of any rock, ridges of earth, sand or debris of any nature that might furnish a hazard to traffic. The scheme necessarily provides for the casting of the loose material from one shoulder directly across to the opposite shoulder instead of casting from both shoulders toward the center as is ordinarily done in maintenance operations.

The direct advantage of this plan is two-fold: First, it results in a flat crown road-bed which is generally admitted to be the proper design for fast moving automobile traffic. Second, it eliminates absolutely the ridges of loose earth, rock sand and debris that are of necessity left in the center of the road-way when only one machine is in operation upon a patrol until the operator is able to make his return trip. Breakdowns, bad weather or other adverse conditions may delay this return trip several days.

The "tandem" method of maintenance affords a complete covering of the road-bed on a single trip thru a finished road as the operators proceed. A double covering is made on a complete round.

The equipment adapted for this type of maintenance may consist of a 5-ton tractor with an 8 inch grader provided with right and left extensions, this unit to be followed with a motor grader equipped with a 12-inch blade or some standard type of maintainer or drag equipment. The main idea is to arrange the units in such a manner that they will have sufficient blade capacity to fully cover the road-bed.

This method will require the use of two maintenance units on patrols where in many instances only one is now in operation and will also make necessary a readjustment of patrols, combining some of the shorter ones and in general lengthening all patrols where the plan is not already in operation. On a 50 to 60 mile patrol, it is possible to effect a complete round trip once each week.

The "tandem" plan has been adopted exclusively in the Torrance county training school district and the splendid results secured there have been heralded all over the state. The good results obtained on the road surface, the economy effected in man power and the elimination of the ridges of loose material so objectionable to motorists, lead to the probability of establishing "tandem" practice on all roads under maintenance throughout the state next year.

Be sure and hear J. Emmett Wainwright at the Church of Christ. It

THE CHURCHES

BAPTIST CHURCH

The church has called as pastor Rev. R. Peterson, former pastor at Tucumcari and he has notified us of his acceptance. He will be with us and preach his first sermon on the first Sunday in November.

Sunday school next Sunday, 9:45. The three B. Y. P. U.'s at 6:30. At 7:30 the Young Womans Auxiliary under the leadership of Mrs. Ware will give a Missionary Pageant, entitled "The Call of New Mexico Missions" especially emphasizing Montezuma College. It is a matter of local interest and pride that Mrs. Ware is author of the above play. The B. U. P. U. topics for next Sunday are: Senior, "Some Heroes of the Homeland"; Intermediates, "South American Sketches"; Juniors, "Dr. John A. Broadus."

Wednesday night, November 2, the church elects full set of officers for the year.

HOPE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. B. M. Stradley, Pastor

Services Sunday, October 30th. Sunday school, 10 a. m. A class for every age and a competent teacher for every class. Noel L. Johnson, superintendent.

At 11 a. m. we will have a special young peoples song service led by Prof. E. L. Bryan. The Hope orchestra, led by Prof. Bryan, will render several special orchestra numbers. Dr. W. J. Wade will speak on Christian education for ten minutes. The pastor will preach a short sermonette on "Front Line Christianity."

E. A. Traylor will lead the congregational singing.

At 7:30 p. m. the pastor will preach on "Borderland Christianity."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

613 West Main Street

Sunday service at 11:00 a. m. Wednesday service at 7:30 p. m. Subject for Sunday, October 30: "Everlasting Punishment." The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Corner Fourth and Grand

Rev. John Sinclair, Pastor.

Phone 249

Sunday, October 30th. 9:45 a. m., Sabbath school. 11:00 a. m., morning worship. Sermon "Favorite Texts of Famous People—John Newton's Text, "Quarterly Communion Service."

6:45 p. m., Christian Endeavor. 7:30 p. m., evening worship. Junior choir and orchestra. Sermon "The Man Who Cannot See Far Enough." Monday, October 31st, 7:00 p. m. Halloween social in church social room under auspices of young women's class.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Prayer, Praise and Bible study of First Corinthians, 11 and 12.

"The mothers of Artesia know that the church is the most important institution here."

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Corner 7th and Grand Ave.

One block north of new school Bldg.

Bible school for all ages, 10:00 a. m.

Morning service by the Evangelist 11:00 a. m.

Afternoon service, sermon to the church, 3:00 p. m.

Evening service, 7:15 p. m.

Our meeting started off very encouraging. We are having a full house at every service. Every seat was taken and several had to stand last Sunday evening and we are expecting a greater number next Sunday to hear the wonderful messages that are being presented each evening. We have added more seats and chairs to take care of the increasing number that is coming.

We are going to have a big basket dinner next Lord's day, so let every member come with well filled basket and add some for visitors that we are expecting from other towns.

I have recently opened a carpenters Repair Shop

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DAYTON ITEMS

(Mrs. W. H. Rambo, Reporter)

J. T. Ezra, of Lake Arthur, was looking over Dayton Sunday.

G. A. Threlkeld and wife, of Artesia, were in Dayton Friday.

Grandpa Burrows and wife have returned to their home in Texas.

Dewey and Tom Burrows have returned to the McCamey oil fields.

Hoyt Owens was visiting his parents, H. N. Owens and wife Monday.

The Dayton Epworth League and Sunday school motored to Lakewood Sunday morning.

George and Miss Emogene Kaiser

Those who have not heard Brother Wainwright's wonderful Gospel sermons are missing a real treat. Ask some one who has heard him. You will also enjoy our congregational singing. The kind of song service where everybody feels like singing. Tell your neighbors and friends about the meeting and urge them to come. Everybody invited to come and you will enjoy the sermons and be glad you came.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Corner Eighth and Missouri Streets

W. A. Huffman, Pastor

9:45 a. m., Sunday school. C. J. Wilde, superintendent.

11:00 a. m., morning worship. Sermon subject: "The Secret of the Lord."

6:15 p. m., childrens meeting.

6:45 p. m., young peoples society.

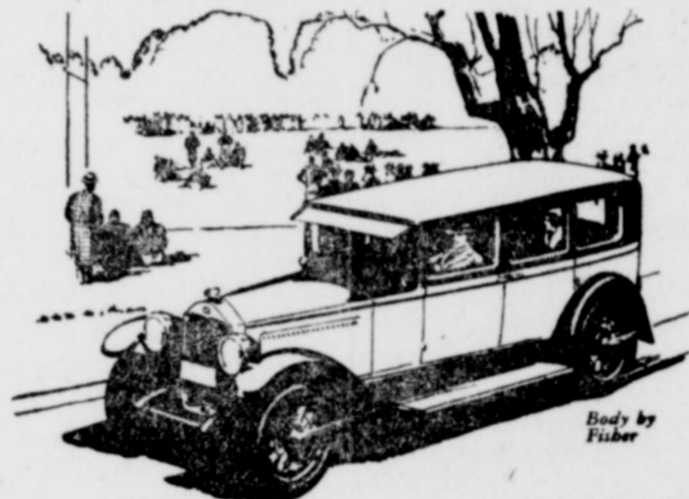
7:30 p. m., preaching. Subject: "Full Salvation's Terms."

7:30 p. m., Tuesday, cottage prayer meeting. The place will be announced Sunday.

7:30 p. m., Thursday, prayer meeting at the church.

You are invited.

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were guests of their brother, A. A. Kaiser at the Kaiser ranch Sunday.

Hoyt Owens and Francis Burrows came home from the Texas oil fields to spend a few days with the home folks.

Rev. J. D. Terry and family spent Sunday with his son, Tom Terry and family and attended church at Cottonwood.

Several of the Dayton people attended the Lakewood pie supper and dance Saturday night and report a fine time.

Mrs. Hoyt Owens underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Carlsbad hospital last week and is reported doing nicely.

Mrs. S. A. Hughes is reported improving and expects to leave the hospital sometime this week. Her little sons, Sam and Woodie, are staying with their grandparents, H. N. Owens and wife.

Tuesday of last week Arthur Hughes and family of Ft. Worth passed through Dayton en route to his brother, S. A. Hughes' home at El Paso Gap and was a guest at the H. N. Owens home, also visited the Carlsbad Caverns. They left for their home Sunday.

Dayton school children, who were not absent or tardy first month of school: Room No. 1 Miss Frankie Wailes, teacher—Ray Harrison, Ruth Gushua, Manda Bowman, Ruth House, Virginia Fulton. Room No. 2, Miss Emogene Kaiser, teacher—Stewart Eads, Edna Bowman, Charles Gushua, Charlie House, John Gushua, Wilma House, R. C. Horner, Fay Gushua, Alex Smith, Florence Savoie, James Fulton.

The protracted meeting being conducted by J. Emmett Wainwright at the Church of Christ is the topic of the city. Have you been yet? Itc

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LOCALS

... was in town from ...
... and wife spent ...
... Carlsbad.

Mrs. G. M. Winans motor-
... Tuesday.

Mrs. Skelt Williams were
... ranch Saturday.

Mrs. Arba Green and
... Green motored to Ros-
...

Mrs. Robert Burns and
... Feemster motored to
...

... left recently for New-
... with a carload of
...

... returned Monday
... Texas after spending the
... home.

McCaw and E. C. Miller
... Sunday and visit-
... aunt, Mrs. Callo-

... Wraith arrived from
... to visit her sister,
... and other rela-
... friends.

Mrs. J. M. Story re-
... from a weeks motor
... which they visited Santa
... quaque.

... of Denver, Colorado,
... the Continental Oil Co.,
... here, looking after the
... of his company.

... Hadley arrived last
... El Paso, Texas for a
... her relatives, the Colls,
... many old friends.

... engineer in charge
... construction work on the new
... Newman, Texas, spent
... with his family here.

... Byrd, who has been
... the past six weeks at the
... mother, Mrs. R. E.
... reported to be slowly im-

... returned to the
... Sunday, after spending the
... at home. His mother, who
... Oklahoma went to the
... him for a fortnight visit.

... and family returned
... a visit to Ted Adding-
... family at Miami, Texas.
... gettings are getting along
... Miami and like it there.

Mrs. J. H. Long enter-
... week Mr. and Mrs. How-
... of Roswell, and their
... C. Speets, of Jersey
... Jersey, also their daugh-
... Joe Morosi and family, of

... has been down from
... near Mayhill, this week.
... has been here the
... of weeks assisting in the
... grandmother, Mrs. Silas
... who is suffering with a

... Judge Ferrell, of Murphys-
... has been employed
... National Bank as book-
... succeeding Miss Hazel By-
... Miss Ferrell is a
... Miss Edene Ferrell, a
... the Artesia schools.

Mrs. Gene Rowland ar-
... Thursday from an extend-
... Pacific coastal points.
... few days stay in Artesia,
... Las Vegas, where Mrs.
... and her daughter, Miss
... will enter school.

Mrs. Oscar Pearson and
... Harshey returned Fri-
... a visit to the Dallas
... En route home they
... the daughter of Mr. and
... Mrs. Floyd Senter,
... and Mr. Pearson's sis-
... Aubrey Watson, at Por-

... Richards came over
... San Juan, where she is
... see her mother and sis-
... brother before their depar-
... California for the winter.
... left on Saturday and
... accompanied them part
... on her return to San

... Jane Wilde and children
... week for Clovis, where they
... her mother, Mrs. Hart-
... of the Nazarene church
... From there they will
... stay with Mrs. Wilde's
... Mrs. Alice Owens, who is
... here.

... came in from Midland,
... the last of the week and after
... his daughters, Mrs. John
... Mrs. Skelt Williams, a
... and attending to business
... returns to Texas this week.
... who has been visiting her
... for several weeks, goes
... with him.

... one thing about present
... to be commended—
... has been relegated in-
... ward.

FIRE DOES \$125,000 DAMAGE TO PLANT OF OTIS GIN THURSDAY

The fire which Thursday after-
noon did damage placed at more
than \$100,000 at the Otis Gin &
Warehouse Co. plant twelve miles
south of Carlsbad, continued to smol-
der and threaten adjoining buildings
for two days, before being brought
under control.

Original estimates placed the dam-
age at \$225,000 but it was later said
that there was much less cottonseed
stored than was at first believed
and it is hoped to salvage a large
part of this. The fire, which is be-
lieved to have started in a cotton-
seed conveyor hot box, destroyed a
large seed house and the company
office buildings valued at \$75,000,
and two railroad box cars filled with
seed.

Revised estimates Saturday placed
the loss at more than \$125,000 in
the Otis Gin & Warehouse Co. plant,
in the fire which started Thursday.
The damage to the plant is estimat-
ed at \$35,000 and cottonseed loss,
\$89,250, which does not include the
two box cars destroyed. The plant,
which was covered by insurance, is
to be rebuilt, it is understood.

LIVESTOCK MEN TO DISCUSS TAX VALUATIONS NOV. 15

EAST LAS VEGAS.—Tax valuations
on both grazing lands and live-
stock will be important subjects be-
fore the third quarterly executive
board meeting of the New Mexico
Cattle and Horse Growers' associa-
tion to be held in Carrizozo, Novem-
ber 15.

This announcement was made Sat-
urday by T. P. Talle, member of the
organization, who said a commit-
tee will be named to appear before
the state tax commission when it
starts its hearings, November 21,
to present proposals and recommenda-
tions of the association executive
board.

Dates will be fixed for the annual
state convention and committees ap-
pointed for it. Delegates will be
named to the annual convention of
the American National Livestock as-
sociation to be held in El Paso, Jan-
uary 25-27, 1928.

The greatest agony a baby has to
endure is being taken care of by its
dad an evening while mother goes
out for a change.

PICKED UP ON MAIN

Recently when asked what he in-
tended to do when Artesia was piped
for natural gas, Eph Bullock replied:
"Well, I'm going to install a lot of
slot machines over town and when
the gas gets low and they phone for
coal, I'm going to say, drop a quar-
ter in the slot please and then laugh
at 'em."

It sometimes appears permissible
to wink at violations of the traffic
ordinance. Only last week, a man
who believes in doing something for
his country loaded his family in his
lizzy to find that it was necessary
to park four children on the outside
or make an extra trip to town. He
arrived in town without losing any
children or without a mishap, but
no sooner had he driven on Main
street, than M. Steve cast his eagle
eye over in the direction of the
loaded flivver and immediately de-
manded that the driver put the ex-
cess cargo on the inside. The man
with the courage to rear a large
family now days ought to be al-
lowed a few privileges or else let
Steve suggest to Henry Ford the
necessity of manufacturing a double
decked car.

There is no closed season on some
kinds of sport resembling football.
Recently a fine exhibition of the
rough and tumble game was given
near this office. One of the com-
batants, mistaking the other for a
football started to kick a goal, si-
multaneously the other started run-
ning in the same direction for a
touch down and would have made
it in nothing flat, had not the other
combatant interrupted with an
occasional rude kick. Sorry that our
camera man couldn't get a moving
picture of this most interesting
game, so that our readers could ap-
preciate what happens around here
occasionally.

MASSEY PARDONED

SANTA FE.—W. C. Massey of
Roswell, sentenced in 1925 to serve
five to seven years in the peniten-
tiary for murder and who began
serving the sentence last month was
pardoned Saturday by Governor R.
C. Dillon.

Gov. Dillon said he had received
letters and petitions from 1,100 per-
sons and eight members of the trial
jury asking Massey's pardon. Par-
don also was issued to Andrea Pi-
sana, who violated a six months
suspended sentence at Las Cruces.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK?

By E. R. Waite

F. L. Williams, managing editor
of the Lincoln (Nebraska) Journal,
says:

THAT the man who thinks the
world owes him a living would have
a hard time getting a judgment to
that effect from any court.

The same man goes thru life pity-
ing himself and by so doing makes
himself an object of pity to every-
one.

The brother to the ox who be-
lieves he owes the world real ser-
vice and tries to deliver what he
owes generally finds joy in living
and is surrounded by friends and
supporters.

The worker or pretended worker
who thinks more of pay day or play
day than he thinks of his work usu-
ally works later on under a fore-
man who was one day his appren-
tice boy.

That apprentice boy by applying
himself to his work found it easy
to run around his fellows and land
on top of the heap.

Unless spoiled by success, he will
later on have a part in the business,
and as an employer he will be pro-
moting the workers who think they
owe real service and should give
just that before asking for their pay

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RANCHMAN NEAR CARRIZOZO MEETS DEATH IN RANCH PUMPING PLANT

CARRIZOZO.—Guy Warden, a
prominent ranchman living near
here, was whirled to death when his
clothing was caught by a set key
in the drive shaft of the ranch
pumping plant late Friday.

Pick Warden, noticing the pump
had stopped, found his brother's body
badly crushed with both arms and
legs broken. The body will be for-
warded to West Virginia for burial.

check.

Beware of the employee who is
always insisting on more money for
his work. Where the work is de-
livered the pay check problem is
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Saturday

LINDBERGH COMPLETES AIR TOUR---HE HAS NO FUTURE PLANS HE SAYS

NEW YORK.—Successfully ending a less spectacular but perhaps more remarkable feat of aviation than his trans-ocean flight to Paris, Col. Charles A. Lindbergh has returned from a 22,350 mile tour of the country and now he hasn't a job.

"I'm going to drop out of things for a while," smiled the man whom 30,000,000 or more persons have seen and cheered in the past three months. "I don't know what I'm going to do."

And, no, he wasn't going to run for congress; no, he hadn't been offered the presidency of an aircraft concern at a salary of \$250,000 a year. Every report as to his future, put in the form of a question, met a ready, emphatic denial. The nation's hero simply hasn't made up his mind.

Figures on the 48-state tour showed that he had been late but once when fog prevented him from landing at Portland, Maine. He made stops in 82 cities, made 147 speeches and endured 1,285 miles of parade. He piloted his plane more than 355 hours.

We have a nice assortment of chair pillows, sofa pillows, new and second hand rugs. W. J. Williamson. 45-1tc

Leave your kodak rolls at Rodden's. In at 9 a. m., out at 5 p. m.

FERREE ENDS CAREER OF SINGING MOUSE AT HIS RESIDENCE

S. E. Ferree, local attorney, recently made an interesting and important discovery at his residence in south Artesia. He found what is known as a singing mouse, so called because the chirps of the mouse resemble the singing of the bird. Mr. Ferree first heard a peculiar noise behind the piano and upon investigation found a mouse perched upon the piano sound board. The sound board apparently magnified the twittering of the mouse.

The career of the mouse as a singer came to a tragic end a few days later when he fell victim of the deadly trap. It is rumored that several ladies in the neighborhood offered Judge Ferree a handsome reward if he can find and capture a specimen of the famous singing mouse alive. They want the mouse as a pet.

QUAIL SEASON CLOSED IN FOUR COUNTIES

Attention of the sportsmen is called to the fact that a closed season on quail will be maintained in four counties this year. The counties in the closed season area are: Otero, Lincoln, Torrence and Taos. The quail season in Chaves county will be opened during the month of December only.

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No hunting or trespassing allowed on the Lanning ranch, east of the city. 45-3tc

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BACA SUES STATE FOR \$460.00 ALLEGED DUE HIM FOR BACK SALARY

SANTA FE.—Another move in the Rep. Liberata Baca case came yesterday when Baca obtained an order from District Judge Reed Holloman instructing State Auditor Miguel Otero, Jr., to show cause by November 1 why he should not pay Baca some \$460 in salary and travel allowance as assistant state rural school supervisor.

Baca was originally appointed by Miss Lois Randolph, state superintendent of public instruction, as her assistant. Otero contended that since Baca was a member of the legislature he could not also hold a state appointive office and Judge Holloman upheld him in a mandamus action brought by Baca. No appeal was taken although Otero said he urged it.

Baca then submitted vouchers for salary in his present clerical capacity and travel allowance dating back to July 2, when he was assistant state superintendent of public instruction. Otero said he wanted a supreme court ruling on whether a legislator can hold either a state appointive or a clerical position and refused to pay these warrants. Miss Randolph then announced Baca would not sue and Otero would have to stand the consequences of his act.

With the governor's approval Otero arranged to have Rep. Albert K. Mitchell of Harding county appointed assistant comptroller for one day, and as clerk in the comptroller's office for one day to get a test case to the supreme court. This is followed by Baca's new mandamus action but it is Otero's plan to go ahead with the test case, Otero said.

GAS LINE TO EL PASO

(Continued from first page)
tric Bond & Share Co., who is here on an inspection trip. The El Paso Gas Co., is one of his concern's properties.

Several different groups and individuals have visited the Chamber of Commerce in recent months relative to proposed gas pipe lines from Amarillo and Artesia.

Dr. A. M. McCoy of Wichita Falls, who was here today, conferred with Bauden relative to such a proposition.

C. E. Sillex, Ballinger oil operator; W. L. Sanders of Cisco, field man for Sillex, and L. D. Parks of Cisco, engineer, went so far last week as to draw up a franchise ordinance which they proposed to submit to the city council.

NEW SERUM FOR INFANTILE PARALYSIS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—A serum has been developed in an Indianapolis biological laboratory which may mean the end of infantile paralysis.

J. K. Lilly, manufacturer of pharmaceutical supplies, has announced that after ten years of research work and experimentation his biological laboratories have succeeded in finding a serum that is effective against the dreaded child disease.

"More than 10,000 units of the new serum have already been sent to the epidemic centers of the United States," Lilly said, after revealing that the hygienic laboratories of the United States public health service had granted his firm a license to produce the new serum.

The new specific for the treatment of infantile paralysis is known commercially as the "poliomyelitis anti-streptococci serum." The faithful horse is the medium for the development of the serum.

The new serum has been developed in co-operation with Dr. Edward C. Rosenow, head of the division of experimental bacteriology of the Mayo foundation, Rochester, Minnesota.

Dr. Rosenow began his experiments in 1916. He first isolated the microorganism that caused infantile paralysis. This germ was found to be a pleomorphic streptococcus.

PRESBYTERIAN MEETING

There was a good attendance of interested listeners at the services conducted by Rev. Hall at the Presbyterian church all last week. The rich and varied experiences of Rev. Hall as a Synodical Missionary in New Mexico conspire to make his sermons inspiring and helpful.

PHARMACISTS APPLY FOR CERTIFICATES

Twenty-six applicants for registered pharmacist certificates appeared before the New Mexico State Board of Pharmacy at Albuquerque Monday, the first day of the regular two-day fall meeting of the board.

"My grandfather," said the English boy, "was a very great man. One day Queen Victoria touched him on the shoulder with a sword and made him a knight."

"Aw, that's nothin'," the American boy replied. "One day an Indian touched my grandfather on the head with a tomahawk and made him an angel!"

Calling cards, 100 for \$1.75, panned stock.—The Advocate.

THE VALLEY GINNINGS TOTAL 19,789 BALES TO OCTOBER 26TH

This week, north valley gins fell fifty-two bales short of the high mark set the previous week, when 1,987 bales of cotton were ginned. Ginnings at the same date last year were given as 5,341 bales against 9,613 bales ginned, this year, up through the 25th of this month. The figures by gins are furnished through the courtesy of Mr. Wilde, plant quarantine inspector and follow:

Roswell, two gins	1,316
South Springs Gin Co.	1,015
Oasis Gin Co.	551
Greenfield Gin Co.	1,118
Dexter Gin Co.	98
Hagerman Gin Co.	651
Farmers Coop. Gin, Hagerman	1,103
Lake Arthur Gin Co.	668
Association Gin, Espula	969
Association Gin, Artesia	668
Association Gin, Atoka	751
Farmers Gin Co., Artesia	699
Total	9,613
Previously reported	7,678
Gain over last week	1,935
Total north valley ginnings	9,613
Total Carlsbad project ginnings reported to October 25th	10,176
Total valley ginnings	19,789
Total state ginnings reported on October 18th	25,116

LOCAL

J. V. Alexander carried a truck load of hogs to Artesia one day this week for which he received 8½ cents a pound. Gene Wade went along to see that Vick didn't get skinned, but it seems he didn't help much.—Penasco Press.

The church societies are busy sewing for the forthcoming Christmas bazaars. The Episcopal Guild is holding an all-day meeting at the home of Mrs. Corbin and the Christian Ladies' Association, at the home of Mrs. C. Bert Smith.

C. S. Makeig, of Roswell, district manager of the Southwestern Public Service Co., accompanied by H. E. Samson, of Amarillo, general superintendent of the Amarillo properties, was in Artesia Tuesday, looking over properties of the company.

S. S. Nye, of Roswell, with the U. S. Geological Survey was attending to duties connected with his office here yesterday. Mr. Nye is doing geological work for the underground water survey, which is being carried forward by the U. S. G. S.

Jim Cosby, who left for points near Houston, Texas sometime ago, is back in Artesia and states that he is glad to be back in the old home town. The mosquitoes proved too much for him and he has suffered an attack of the malaria fever since leaving Artesia.

Mrs. J. B. Cecill, who has been visiting her mother at Cleveland, Ohio, has been called to Cambridge, Massachusetts, to attend the bedside of a sister, who is ill. While in Cambridge Mrs. Cecill will also spend sometime with her son, J. B., Jr., who is a student in Harvard University.

Debut of Velvet Coats for Daytime



Velvet coats for evening wear? Yes. Indeed! But the real news is the fact of velvet coats for daytime wear. These range from smartly simple styles to elaborately furred velvet models like this one, which is a deep blue, lavishly furred with dyed fitch. This stunning coat registers not only fabric interest, but it highlights advance styling details, such as the sunburst tucking incorporated in its diagonal fastening; also the intriguing treatment of fur cuffs.

DILLON PARDONS ONE FROM REFORM SCHOOL

SANTA FE.—Gov. R. C. Dillon Tuesday pardoned Monroe who was sentenced from Curry county in October, 1926, to serve eighteen months in the state reform school.

For Women Only

Miss Gladys Johnson, special representative Gossard Line of Corsets, will be with us Wednesday, November 2nd with entire large line of corsets and brassieres on display. You may select style, she will fit the garment to your figure.

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Just received some more of those new fancy clock and other new effects and colors.

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COMMISSION SAYS FUMIGATION RATE OF \$1.00 IS FAIR

SANTA FE.—An order, which a federal district court injunction prohibits it from being put into effect, was issued Monday by the state corporation commission fixing the Roswell cotton fumigation rate at \$1.00 per bale.

The rate of \$1.50 now being charged by John Guitart, owner of the Roswell fumigation plant, is exorbitant, the commission holds. The commission is appealing to the United States supreme court from the district court's injunction.

An interstate commerce commission hearing on interstate coal rates will be held in Roswell, November 21, and another November 22 on interstate class rates, it was said.

ROSELAWN GROCERY CLOSED

The Roselawn Grocery closed its doors Monday and will discontinue operating at the present location. According to a statement issued Monday by the proprietor, Walter Ferriman, the establishment was closed at the expiration of the present lease and unless satisfactory terms could be agreed upon with reference to a future lease on the building, the stock will either be sold or moved to another location.

THANK YOU

By this means, I wish to express to the people of Artesia and surrounding vicinity, my sincere appreciation for their interest and support in the State Audition, which was broadcast from Station KOB on October 14th.

45-1tc ELIZABETH HOGUE
Advocate want ads get results.

DISTRICT COURT CLOSED

The regular October district court was closed last night, a heavy docket of cases having been disposed of in a usual run of cases. Judge H. A. Kiker, Judge Brice, heard many cases, though Judge Brice for part of the term a number of cases.

Those convicted during the term have not yet been taken to their terms at the state penitentiary, but will probably be taken there—Current-Argus.

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