

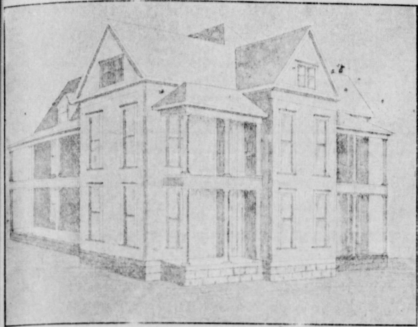
Pecos Valley News.

A Newspaper for the Homeseekers and the Homebuilders of the Middle Valley

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ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO, SEPTEMBER 12, 1907

NO. 1



ARTESIA COLLEGE, WHICH OPENED MONDAY.

THREE IN ONE WEEK

Runaways are Becoming Common Again
—No One Seriously Injured—Dublin Scared to Death.

Three runaways in one week is a good average even for a lively town like Artesia but so far no one has been seriously hurt except as stated in the headline and some folks, the victim among the number, claim that he was not scared at all, but that it was heroism pure and simple that made him stay by the horse until it stopped. The first occurred Sunday evening when Chester Dublin was trying to back a horse off from a sidewalk. No one else was in the buggy and according to Chester's tale, the horse stood on his front feet and kicked back over the dashboard, striking the driver on the leg and on the hand. No bones were broken, in fact nothing was damaged much except the buggy, and Chester and the horse are both doing well.

Runaway No. 2 was not much of a runaway. Will Kuykendall was driving near Dayton Sunday evening when the horse became frightened at something in the road and performed a few acrobatic stunts finally landing astride a wire fence. After getting himself in this position he took the sensible view of the case and stood still until some young men came along and helped Will release him. Nothing whatever was broken in this case.

No. 3 came off Saturday afternoon on Main street. Misses Ethel and Lizzie Bay were driving in front of Mr. Beatty's studio when one of the horses got the line under his tail and started to run. The other horse tried to keep up with him and they turned the corner going west up Main street, and throwing the young ladies out in front of the bakery. Neither was hurt and the horses turned across the street where they were caught.

The south bound train was reported on time Tuesday evening and a terrible state of excitement existed. It was a false alarm however and the train came in an hour late, and did not bring any mail at all.

Found—A boys coat. Gray in color and is for boy about fourteen years old. Owner can have same by calling at the News office and paying for this ad.

City Council Meets.

Artesia City Council met in regular session Tuesday evening of this week, all being present except Councilman McBride.

An ordinance was enacted requiring residents and property owners to keep down the weeds upon and adjoining said property. James Nelson was appointed city marshal and general utility man to be employed as the council may direct.

Dr. J. Dale Graham was appointed city physician.

J. E. Swepston was appointed to contract with competent persons for the construction of cement walks along properties where the owners had been notified to put them down but had not.

Wm. Crandall was appointed special committee to arrange with the owners of water rights to turn said rights over to the city for a consideration deemed just to all concerned.

The above actions of the council will meet with all the hearty concurrence of nearly all our citizens.

Pearly George, an old resident of Artesia, was down from the mountains Tuesday visiting friends and attending to business.

J. R. Blair made a business trip to Malaga the forepart of the week.

James D. Whelan, E. C. and Homer Higgins went hunting Monday at the bogs. The younger Higgins tells wonderful tales about the ducks he killed but couldn't get, but the other two refuse to say anything further than Whelan shot five times at a bunch of mud hens and could not make them fly.

Elmer Feemster and Albert Linnell cleaned up a round dozen of ducks on the bogs one afternoon of this week.

Tom Schneider went up to Roswell on business yesterday.

Mrs. F. Emphar and her little son started yesterday morning for their home at Strong City, Kans.

G. W. Dent returned to Sharon, Tenn. Mr. Dent owns some very desirable land near Artesia.

In the Henry—Hoffman case which was tried at Carlsbad this week, a verdict was returned giving the plaintiff, Mr. Henry, \$2,550 for drilling a well for Mr. Hoffman in May, 1906. Mr. Hoffman claimed that the contract was not fulfilled.

Cecil Clayton moved into his new home just east of Rev. E. E. Mathes last week.

IS CHIEF CALLIOPE

Gayle Talbot, Is Manager of the Artesia Cornet Band.

Will GIVE WEEKLY CONCERTS

The Artesia Cornet Band elected the following officers: Gayle Talbot, general manager; C. F. Hoffman, secretary and treasurer; O. J. Adams, leader.

Owing to the enterprise and efforts of Dr. J. Dale Graham, residents of the town have consented to contribute to the band. The organization has done much for the town and has never asked anything of the people.

Weekly concerts will be given henceforth as long as the weather permits.

BAND CONCERT GOOD

Everybody in Artesia Turned Out and Some Not From Artesia—Saturday Night at Joyce-Pruit Corner.

The band concert last Saturday night was good and to judge from the crowd on the streets it was appreciated too. The band is improving every day and the concerts bid fair to become one of the most pleasant features of the autumn evenings. The concert for this week will be given on the corner by Joyce Pruit Co s. store. Following is the program:

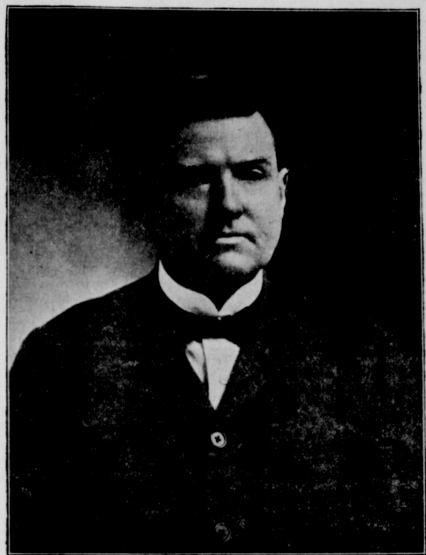
- Canaba—March.....Hall
- "When Knighthood was in Flower"—Waltz.....Gustin
- Massa's Birthday Party—Characteristic Polka.....Laurendeau
- To the Front—March.....Vandercook
- "Sing Me a Song of the South"—Waltz Song.....Mackie
- Niobe—Polka.....Coffin
- (Taka Solo)—Dr. M. M. Imman.....
- Our Director—March.....Bigelow
- Star Spangled Banner.....

Library Board Meets

The regular meeting of the Woman's Board of Managers of the Library on Thursday afternoon showed the following members present: Mesdames Atkeson, Kemp, Martin, Gilbert, Johnson, Inman and Jacobson. During the illness of Mrs. Johnson, Librarian, the work was successfully carried on and the Reading Room kept open at the regular hours. Many books have been read throughout the summer vacation and every evening brings a fair number of visitors to the room. The reports of various officers and committees were encouraging. Mrs. Gilbert, chair man of the purchasing committee, reported that 50 new books have been ordered. Most of them are late fiction. Mrs. Ross' resignation was accepted and her place on the board will be taken by Mrs. E. T. Dunaway.

Albert Albright and George Krause, of Salem, Ohio, have been in the Valley for a few days. They express themselves as being pleased with the Pecos Valley than any other place they have seen since they left home.

Wm Dooley returned Saturday morning from a visit to his old home in Michigan.



HON. GEORGE CURRY, GOVERNOR OF NEW MEXICO.

Walter Weems at Rest

Walter Weems died at his home in Newtonia, Mo., Sept. 1, at 4 o'clock p. m. Walter was once a resident of Artesia, having come here on account of failing health, but not recovering he returned to his Missouri home to spend his last days with his loved ones. He was a young man of great promise, with unusual intellectual powers, sweet spirited and well qualified to accomplish great good in the world; so it is hard to understand why one so useful and promising should be taken. But the Lord's ways are not our ways; they are deep and past finding out; so we have only to cleave unto him and his promises, as he knows and directs all things for the best.

Walter Weems leaves a father, mother, two brothers and one sister, with many relatives and friends in Missouri, and many friends in Artesia and other places where he has resided, to mourn his loss.

I. A. Kuns returned to his home at Gadrock, Ia., yesterday morning. He was looking over the land around here with a view to locating.

T. J. Andrews, who owns a saw mill up in the mountains, is building a commodious residence on the corner of Fourth and Texas Avenue.

The big ditching machine was loaded on the cars Tuesday and taken away. It was quite an attraction when it was first brought to town.

Mr. Brainard arrived last Saturday with his household goods and has moved into the house west of Judge Logan.

Mrs. Schwartz and son, Craig left this morning for Enid, Okla., where Craig will enter school. Mr. Schwartz will meet his wife at Wichita, Kans., Monday and together they will go on Salem, Ohio their old home for a visit of a month with relatives and friends.

FIVE CUTTINGS SO FAR

E. Robin Cutting Alfalfa Fifth Time—Once More Before Winter—About Nine Tons Per Acre.

As a proof of what can be done with alfalfa in the Sunshine Territory with irrigation, we have only to point to the little patch belonging to E. Robin of Artesia. Nearly every one knows where it is, on the road to the old ball grounds and it contains only five acres. It was planted one year ago and this year has yielded five cuttings and another will be cut from it in October. The first cutting was made April 11 and averaged about 3 1/2 of a ton to the acre or four tons on all. The second cutting was made May 27, running eight tons. July 4 made 10 1/2 tons; August 6, eight tons. The present cutting is about 7 1/2 tons making so far 38 tons cut from a five acre lot. If the next cutting is only one ton to the acre it will make 43 tons the market price of which loose is \$430, or \$86 per acre. These are facts and can be proven.

Just along the same line only in fruit here is what O. J. Adams done. He doesn't give an excuse for doing it, and in fact it wasn't his fault for when he set out grape vines it was for home use and not to sell the products. However he set out six vines two years ago and as a natural consequence the cow ate one of them up. The other five he just let grow and one of them grew 27 feet long. This year he picked over 50 pounds of grapes off of those five vines and in the spring he had to cut them back on account of the late frost. These grapes were not taken care of as they would have been if they were used for commercial purposes, they just grew up like Topsy. Two bunches were picked for exhibition and one of them weighed 27 ounces and the other 18. This statement can also be proved.

PECOS VALLEY NEWS

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D. L. NEWKIRK, Proprietor.
J. F. NEWKIRK, Editor.

\$1.50 A YEAR

One Year Old.

WITH this issue the Pecos Valley News starts out on its second year of existence in Artesia and the first thing we wish to do is to thank those who have aided us in making this paper a success. These friends are many, and it would be almost impossible to go to each one separately so we take this means of thanking them all at once. In regard to our policy for the coming year there is not much to say. The News is a republican paper and as such believes in supporting the PARTY, and not the individuals. In national politics our only stand is that there should be no "third term." In all things we are for the Pecos Valley in general and Artesia in particular, FIRST, LAST AND ALL THE TIME. And under this head comes Artesia county.

Politics cut a small figure with a country newspaper and we intend that such shall be the case with the NEWS. Our work will be to print a newspaper, and to print all of the news all of the time. We also aim to print a paper that will give the prospective homeseeker in other parts of the country, a general idea of what is going on here.

Many subscriptions expired with the last number and we should be pleased to have you renew. Our terms are \$1.50 payable in advance. We have no complimentary list. It is true that we do not collect from the ministers of the city but that is a voluntary contribution to the various churches. Material and labor are much higher than they were a few months ago and we can not afford to carry subscriptions year after year.

We certainly appreciate your patronage and hope to furnish you a much better paper for the ensuing year than we did in the one that has just past. We have got the Record completely subdued and Mullane on the run. Stay with us in the interest of Artesia and Artesia county.

Artesia County.

Artesia county, when created, will have an area of over 4,000 square miles, and an assessed valuation of fully \$2,000,000. It will contain the best farm land of the Pecos Valley, in which are situated five rapidly growing towns with plenty of room between them for future growth.

Artesia county will be a model, so far as morality is concerned. There will be few saloons, no licensed gambling and not a single baudy house within its boundaries. We will have little or no county debt to start with, small criminal court expenses and no moral users to eradicate. Our citizenship will be of the highest standard and we will be assured of a just and economical administration of county governmental affairs. No matter what the political affiliation of our county officers, they will be our friends and neighbors in whose hands our interests are safe.

TEDDY BEAR Souvenir SPOONS...

We have just received the latest thing in Solid Silver Souvenir Spoons,

The Teddy Bear
PRICE \$2.50

We have Teddy Bear SCARF PINS
Price 50 cts.

Pecos Valley Drug Co.

We appeal to the towns and neighbors within the proposed new county to carefully consider the situation in the light of the above statements. Would not such a condition of affairs be conducive to the education and social culture of your boys and your girls? You desire to surround them with every refining influence possible and you desire that they should come in in contact with the good only; then aid us in the establishing of Artesia county.

No other country has a brighter prospect than the middle valley. We are a choice sovereignty within ourselves. We have only to reach forth, grasp and utilize the opportunities that nature has so generously bestowed upon us that the choicest blessings of existence may be ours.

We, Too, Are Listening.

We don't remember of having heard of a resignation having been handed in by members of the Bureau of Immigration, that institution, which prior to the last assembly, was "a useless waste on the people's money!" That gent down in Bernalillo county who has in his possession this not altogether undesirable plum, should pass in his resignation just like the other fellows if the Governor does not want to accept it, he won't.—San Juan Democrat.

THE esteemed Artesia News is mistaken in asserting that the Daily Record is trying to line up with the new Governor. The Record stands just as it stood during the Hagerman administration, in favor of better and more economical Territorial government.

In taking this stand we have incurred the bitter enmity of some of the Democratic county officials of our own county—not that we had anything against them personally, but because we have pronounced the salaries paid certain county officers beyond all reason. If Curry stands for the interests of all the taxpayers and not merely for the politicians and tax eaters, then he will have lined up with the Record. As for the war dance held by the "Old Setters," Mr. Curry probably knows all the details better than the Artesia News or any other paper in the Territory could tell him. That simply has nothing to do with our position on any question of politics, religion or government. We concede every man a right to his own opinions, and presume that Curry will be governed in all his administrative acts by considerations of the general public good, and not by petty spits and realises. His attitude towards the editor or manager of this paper will not make the slightest difference in the policy of the paper. The Record stands for better government regardless of individual men or parties.—Record.

CAPTAIN CURRY was appointed mainly for the purpose of harmonizing the Republican party of New Mexico. Any Democrat who thinks otherwise is not much of a Democrat. Still Curry is our Governor, whether he be Democrat or Republican, and the demand of the people for better government is not a partisan question and it is the duty of all good citizens to give him the benefit of the doubt until he has full opportunity to "make good." If he honestly tries to serve the whole people, he will need all the support they can give him.—Roswell Record

Getting a little out of line, George, stick to "official harmonizer."

It was rumored on the street last week that Mr. Whelan had sold his paper, the Advocate, to a stock company, and was preparing to leave. We learn that this is a mistake and we are glad to hear it. Mr. Whelan has been the most pleasant business competitor we have ever had, and it would not only be a loss to the community, but a personal one to ourselves to have him leave. It is considered the proper thing in a town with two papers, to have them fight like dogs and cats, the people always expect it, but here we have nothing of the kind; another reason for Artesia to be considered a model town.

MR. HANNA probably realizes by now what a great mistake he made. If he does not he don't read the papers of the territory very much, for nearly all that have reached our desk lately have contained a write-up of him and none of them would look well as an epitaph. All the same that it is about what they are, for he might as well go lay down and die if he intends to stay in New Mexico after his latest break. Also from the hints he has received up and down the line, he must have a ticklish feeling every time he thinks about his ears.

As the New Mexican doubtless knows, the Bursan "bar" has been exhausted, and not more than two papers in the Pecos Valley got any part of that \$2,400 distributed from Sauta Fe. Five hundred dollars, too, was really to much for one man to claim as his share for distributing the money.—Roswell Record.

When the bar' went round, we were t' "in it." We hereby sever notice that we refuse to "jine in" any more until at least a stove of that said bar' comes this way. We need it to larrup Mullane with.

Now if the Governor will give Newkirk a bite the Pecos Valley will be harmonized—then all the Governor will have to do is to restore peace between the Albuquerque Journal and the Santa Fe New Mexican.—Roswell Record.

As official harmonizer, George, please notify the Governor as to which way his duty points. Humble as we are, we are not lacking in appreciation.

It is surprising what a lot of local news the Roswell Record contains since it's press dispatches have been shut off by the strike. The Record has a chance to be a newspaper for the Pecos Valley in a way that no other paper has, and behold, we are harmonized and wish it well. This is the last obstacle removed.

We do not know of one man having been convicted of felony from the territory comprising "Artesia County." Our people are law abiding and there would be little court expenses. Artesia county means low taxes and good society.

Two members of the commission appointed to revise the statutes have resigned. They are Spiess and Studley, both members of the last legislature. No members of the Bureau of Immigration have resigned to date.

MORMON evangelists are at work in Artesia, where the editors of the two local papers have not even one wife apiece.—Roswell Record.

And one of them the handsomest editor of the Valley.

The next meeting of the National Irrigation Congress will be held at Albuquerque, N. M. As that is a year ahead, the city may be in condition to receive and care for the visitors.

The record was smashed at Denver last week when two men were killed in an auto race. To our knowledge only one fatality has occurred at a time in previous races.

We must disagree with the New Mexican in calling the late governor "unlamented." He was lamented exceedingly by the Roswell Record and the Morning Journal.

A man wanted a railroad ticket and had only a \$2 bill. It required \$3 to get the ticket. He took the \$2 bill to a pawn shop and pawned it for \$1.50. On his way back to the station he met a friend, to whom he sold the pawn ticket for \$1.50. That gave him \$3. Now who's out that dollar?—Ex.

Fatherree & Enfield are well prepared to supply all the hunter needs. Get your supplies of them. Guns to rent at reasonable rates.

The Artesia Milling Co. have just received a supply of Texas red seed oats. See them at the mill. rtf

HAVE AN ARTESIAN WELL?

If you are contemplating improving your land have SPERRY & LUKINS drill you a well so as to get some sood of it this fall. Their prices are the lowest of any in the Valley.

Anything To Sell, Anything to Exchange,
Want a Business Of Any Kind
Anywhere?

If so, it will pay you to see or write J. W. FOSTER, ARTESIA, N. M. He is in touch with more than 3000 agents throughout the United States and has or will get PROMPTLY just what you want. Best bargains in irrigated farm lands. Correspondence solicited.

Roswell Automobile Co.

Mail and Passenger Line between Roswell, N.M. and Torrance, N. M.

daily, Sunday included, connecting with all trains on the Rock Island and Santa Fe Central. Leave Roswell at 1 p. m. Leave Torrance on the arrival of the El Paso train due at 2 a. m. Running time between the two points, 5 hours. Meals furnished at Camp Needmore free of charge. Saving passengers for El Paso and Santa Fe and towns in the western part of the territory 24 to 42 hours.

AGENTS FOR THE BUICK AUTOMOBILES. Garage and Repairing. Special cars for Torrance or return furnished by addressing the company two days in advance, at

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A fine line of Jewelry will be on display in a few days

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The Best Rigs in Artesia

and at the most reasonable Prices



All of our horses are safe for Ladies and Children to drive

One Block South of Gibson Hotel

THE STAR STABLE
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GUANO AS

The Guano South of Artesia Station

Carlsbad, N. M.

A little over men who were Texas, purchased named Pattee's rights and title as the Bat Co. southwest of Artesia, New Mexico, had it as with head. They also dug the guano at treating plant wagon road railroad and ship the guano in points, with this perfect such an excellent supply one for the product each month \$1,500 shipment ret about the plant at pr sold straight panies such Hawaiian Fert. Fertilizer Co. ent points, a these people sis and paid analysis is m. is. The p any about ter deducti \$8.00 per t and drying from the wh per ton. T then take t it with wio sand, city the Chicago retail it for tofore their made to se this perfe months ago er citizens the interes the stock Guano, s. m. is. The p also the lo plant, had ers filed it ceeded to facilities ic. In discuss the Pecos ness men their view should no country at to the inte also the n men than which is by an all be preser of the tari say that i be paying much inf us from now buyi and as all the prope of Edly c take the take this facts bet them to done. There don t kn fertilizer know we



A SCENE IN THE GARDEN OF W. F. SCHWARTZ

GUANO AS A FERTILIZER

The **Southwest** of Carlsbad contain **inexhaustible Supply**—Plain **Statement of Facts.**

Carlsbad, N. M., July 21, 1907. A little over a year ago, three men who were citizens of El Paso, Texas, purchased from parties named Patterson and Hagan, their rights and titles to what is known as the Bat Caves, twenty-one miles southwest of Carlsbad, Eddy county, New Mexico, organized a company, had it incorporated in Texas with headquarters at El Paso. They also looked up a market for the guano and built a drying and treating plant, established a good wagon road from the caves to the railroad and proceeded to treat and ship the guano mostly to California points, where the demand for this perfect fertilizer has grown to such an extent that they cannot supply one fourth of the demand for the product. They now pay out each month for labor and supplies \$1,500, and load ready for shipment ten tons daily, which is about the full capacity of their plant at present. The guano is sold straight to the fertilizer companies such as Armour & Co., Hawaiian Fertilizer Co., and Union Fertilizer Co., all located at different points, and the guano is sold to these people on its chemical analysis and paid for accordingly. This analysis is made by their own chemists. The product brings the company about \$45.00 per ton and after deducting \$9.00 freight and \$8.00 per ton for mining, hauling and drying, they receive a profit from the wholesalers of about \$8.00 per ton. The fertilizer companies then take the pure guano and mix it with wood ashes fine cinders, sand, city garbage tankage from the Chicago packing houses and retail it for \$35.00 per ton. Herebefore there has been no effort made to secure local markets for this perfect fertilizer and two months ago the writer and two other citizens of Carlsbad, purchased the interest of C. W. Doss, one of the stockholders in the El Paso Guano & Fertilizer Co., and took also the local management of the plant. Had the incorporation papers filed in New Mexico and proceeded to improve the plant and facilities for handling the product. In discussing this new industry of the Pecos Valley with local business men and farmers I find that their views are that the fertilizer should not be shipped out of the territory at all, that it is very much to the interests of the farmers and also the merchants and real estate men than this perfect fertilizer which is placed at our very door by an all wise providence should be preserved for the exclusive use of the farmers of the valley. They say that in ten years that we will be paying double the amount for a much inferior fertilizer shipped to us from the same firms that are now buying the product from us, and as all of the local stockholders are property owners and taxpayers of Eddy county, we are inclined to take the same view, therefore, we take this opportunity to place the facts before the public and leave them to judge what is best to be done. There are people who say we don't know whether our land needs fertilizer or not, and others say we know we need it, but the farmers

are too poor to buy it, while others say we will try it and see what it does for us. To all such I would say, every farmer has some poor land that with good fertilizer can be made to produce any kind of a crop more than equal to the best land they have, and that for every dollar spent for fertilizer you will gather 100 per cent profit from it in that season, and as for testing the bat guano as a fertilizer any chemist can tell you that the three ingredients that compose it are the three vital substances necessary to plant life and that if the soil does not furnish them they must be supplied by fertilizers, or there will be no plant life. The first is nitrogen, and the most important; the second is phosphoric acid, and the third is potash. I have before me a copy of the analysis of the last car that I have returned from and is made by G. W. Gooch, of Los Angeles, Cal. and is as follows:

"Ammonia 6.57 per cent.; phosphoric acid 11.43 per cent.; potash 50 per cent. This car of guano was shipped to Riverside, California and brought \$23.88 and was taken out of the west end of the east cave at a depth of 70 feet below the highest point of the guano and was undoubtedly deposited there several thousand years ago."

Numbers of learned men and expert engineers have visited these caves and all agree that the immensity of the guano and the vastness of the caves are one of the wonders of the world. The writer recently had the pleasure of escorting through these caves Mr. S. R. Meek, of a Chicago university. Mr. Meek has explored the Mammoth cave of Kentucky, and his expressions were greatly in favor of the New Mexico cave. He stated plainly that the Kentucky cave was small compared with this one and that the deposit of guano was a revelation. I also recently had the pleasure of showing our deposit and plant to Mr. Smith of Redlands, Cal., who came here for the express purpose of convincing himself that he could order bat guano from us and be sure of having his orders filled, and he said: "I am glad I came, and I shall come again, to look and to wonder, I shall place a bat on my bill-heads as soon as I get home, as the people of my state prefer this bat guano to any bird guano or any fertilizer sold, but I have never been able to furnish it except in very small quantities, but I am perfectly amazed at the quantity you have here; I don't believe there is anything like it in the known world."

It is a well known fact that the bulk of the bat guano used in the United States is shipped from South America and retails from \$80 to \$90 per ton here.

In conclusion, I wish to state to the people of Roswell, Hagerman, Artesia and Carlsbad, as well as other towns along the Pecos line, that we have spent millions for water and other necessities to make this an agricultural community, why should we allow this precious component of our success to escape us when it is within our grasp to secure it and hold it forever. I have put these plain facts before you to the best of my ability. This is not an oil proposition or a mining prospect, to flatter us today and beggar us tomorrow; the deposit is before the eyes of any man who will spend the eyes of any day at my expense to go and see it. He can verify the value by filling a sack and using it on his

Talk of the Town

Mrs. Brownlie left Friday for a visit to Russellville, Ark.

Mrs. Charlie Echols has been quite sick the past few days.

Alfred Edwards, of Glade, Ariz., is visiting at the home of his uncle, J. M. Turckett.

Final naturalization papers were issued to Rev. E. McQueen Gray of Carlsbad last week.

The ducks are coming and are you prepared? If not get a gun of Fatterree & Enfield. 1tf

W. S. Williamson, son of W. J. Williamson, left Friday for Liberty, Mo., where he is attending a ministerial school.

Saturday the remains of M. H. Thomas were shipped to Paris, Texas for interment. W. O. Thomas accompanied the body.

We carry the highest grades of ammunition—only the most reliable. Let us supply you this season. Fatterree & Enfield. 1tf

Supply of Texas red seed oats just received. Come in and get what you need while we have them in stock. Artesia Milling Co. 1tf

Attorney L. O. Fullen of Carlsbad has been appointed district attorney by Judge Pope. The appointment was merited and gives general satisfaction.

Dr. J. J. Clark returned from Plaquemine, La. last week after an absence of several weeks. Mrs. Clark and little daughter will return in about a month.

The News had its first birthday this week. It is a lusty and growing infant and it is unlikely that the troubles of teething and of the second summer will at all affect its health.—Advocate.

If you go a hunting you want to bring home some game. Get guns that are made right, and your chances are doubled. Fatterree and Enfield sell both. 1tf

V. E. Fatterree, O. G. Greer and W. G. Teyman took a few days off this week in answer to a summons to attend as grand jurors at Carlsbad. No records of expression were kept when the three were taken from the same firm.

If the people of this neighborhood had seen "the power of the press" last Saturday they might not have had as much respect for it as they should. The engine went to the bad and the power was furnished by the editor who stood behind the blooming thing and worked it washday style.

Mrs. E. E. Randall left last Friday morning for Chillicothe, Mo., with the remains of her husband, who died Thursday of last week. Mr. Randall came here some time ago for his health and was improving until he took a trip to the mountains. While there he got wet in a rain and though he was hurried to medical aid, he lived only a few days.

Wanted—Have a customer wanting to hear from good old maids or widows with claims who need a good husband. Talk fast. J. W. Foster. 50tf

If you want to go hunting and have no gun, rent one of Fatterree & Enfield. They have the best. 1tf

plants, also send a sample to any chemist. We have had it analyzed in New York City, Chicago, Kansas City, San Francisco, Los Angeles and a dozen other points and they are all the same story. The most perfect fertilizer known.

I will also state that should the railroad now in prospect, be built from El Paso to Carlsbad, the value of the guano to the present owners would be doubled by reason of the road running close to the caves and also reduction in freight to California points; therefore what is done to secure this deposit should be done soon or the cost will be beyond our means. The rich state of Illinois thought enough of its beds of natural phosphate to have the legislature pass a law prohibiting any company or corporation from owning them and they belong to the state, and they are only about two per cent at that.

GEORGE BRUCE, Operative Manager, Carlsbad, N. M.

Our Motto: "GOOD GOODS" At a Reasonable Price

For the next thirty days we offer you the following reductions in the price of our implements. We do not want to carry them over until next season and give you the benefit:

- 2 double disc John Deere plows \$60. Former price \$70
- 1 disc cultivator \$35. Former price \$40
- 1 John Deere walking cultivator \$25. Former price \$30
- 3 Dain corn harvesters \$20. Former price \$25
- 1 Dain power lift rake \$37.50. Former price \$45
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OBSERVATIONS
"TAKE WHAT YE WILL, AND THROW THE REST AWAY"

IN THE EDITORIAL COLUMN WILL BE FOUND AN announcement that this issue begins another year with the Pecos Valley News and an outline of its policy for the forthcoming year, but there is more significance than one may think in the fact that a republican newspaper has survived a whole year in one of the strongest democratic counties of New Mexico. It did look like a forlorn hope when we pulled into this town a little over a year ago and prepared to root the few republicans from their hiding places, and to add to the general demoralization, everything in the office went wrong at first. The rollers were made for a different climate, and the first few issues of the paper looked like someone had stood off at a distance and thrown the ink on the form with a ladle. These rollers' specialty was leaving a large white spot somewhere in the forms, not any certain spot, but they just skipped around anywhere. Before we discovered what was the matter, we done about everything to that press that we possibly could without tearing it to pieces and the cow punchers used to come in to take lessons on "How to use the English language expressively." The next thing on the program was to get type setters and we raked the country with a fine comb and without avail. Faris Heath was going to school then and only working after four o'clock. One day a weazened faced, dried up sort of a fellow wandered into the office with a cigar three times too large for him stuck in his face and announced that he was a printer just off the range and looking for a job. This was no other than J. Lawrence Lockney, himself, and when he sat himself down at the case and started to digging type out of the boxes it was a sight for gods and men. Things got to working smoother after a while and it generally happened that a tramp printer would come in about the time we were in a rush. One of these wandering typographers had laid out forty days and forty nights on the desert out of Roswell before he hit Artesia and he was not in shape to do much manual labor. After he left us he went to work for Mullane, whom he told that he (the printer) had tried to cut his heart out but that he could not kill himself. Mullane thinking that he might try his experiments around the office, dismissed him and he departed from our sight. Aside from the inside troubles—which the public generally know nothing about—we had our other trials and tribulations in getting the business started, something that is no cinch with a new newspaper. The advertisers were a little bit timid at first and no one can blame them, but as they saw that the News was here to stay they became a little more liberal, and as they saw our subscription list growing ever day they became still more so, until now we have as good advertising patronage as any paper our size in the Valley. While all this about ads and other money making properties of the paper may not have anything to do with its high purpose of reforming the world, and so on, it takes money to make the mare go and if the Pecos Valley News was not a paying proposition there would be no Pecos Valley News. The main purpose of the paper is to print the news, but at various times you may expect to have articles like this and the others in this column forced upon you and should learn to take the good with the bad, saying with John D. or some other great man, "There is so much good in the worst of us, and so much bad in the best of us, that it behooves none of us to speak ill of the rest of us." The wording of this quotation may not be just correct; also it is not intended as a slap at Puckett, it was just put in here to fill up space.

The editor of this paper has been hooted and howled at by the various other editors of the valley because he failed to score over a noted Irish beauty in the recent contest at Roswell, until it has come to a point where, like the late Lamented Ex, he has to make some explanations, until in fact his Job-like patience has disappeared and the veil of mystery surrounding this affair shall be torn away and vanish like the mists of night before the coming of Aurora or as liquid refreshment before the coming of Mullane. The facts of the case are that I was not a candidate for honors at the hands of the Press and Bar Associations, and it was generally understood that either Puckett or Harlow would walk off with the prize. I do not smoke in public and it would not look well to buy cigars for the other fellows just to get their votes, so I kept out of the fight all along, and the votes cast for me were by honest, fair minded men, who wished to see justice done, and praise awarded where praise was due. When Puckett and Harlow fell back before my triumphant advance, their anger and jealousy knew no bounds and then and there they decided to run in a "dark horse," in the person of Mr. Whelan (have to call him Mr. since he got the cigars) who, recognizing his unworthiness, had heretofore hid himself when the question of beauty was mentioned. Mullane was also out of the race—in fact he was never in it—and he fell in with the project at once, even to the extent of setting up the crowd to "two-fers." It was the last straw that broke the camel's back and it was these last votes of Mullane that settled the contest. I do not mind the defeat but I do hate to have it rubbed in, though in all fairness to James D. I wish to say that I have enjoyed about as many of the weeds as he has, but here is the best part of the tale; these cigars are the first he has smoked since his good friend Carrie Nation was in town, nearly a year ago. If you want to know the rest, just ask James D. Whelan about that little hatchet he carries wrapped in a silk handkerchief next to his heart.

In the days when knight-errants roamed the world, a remark derogatory of a woman was settled at the point of a lance, and the fact that we have fallen from this high state is due mainly to the husbands of washwomen and other such gentlemen of leisure, who adorn the street corners with their presence and the sidewalks with their saliva. There is not as much of this in Artesia as there is in some other places, but where there is any at all it is too much. The ladies themselves may not hear it, and considering who it comes from it might not worry them very much if they did, but it makes a man's blood boil at times to hear the remarks these self-made critics pass upon every decent woman who happens to come within their sight. Do these men ever think of their mothers or sisters? If they have wives, God pity them, for a man who will stand on a street corner and talk about a passing woman, no matter who or what she is, is not fit to associate with respectable dogs. There should be a law giving these gentlemen employment on the rock pile, or a chance to think over questions of the day in the city cooler, but unfortunately there is none. A little wholesome work or just as wholesome meditation, might make them change their views and manner of speaking about God's greatest gift to mankind.

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Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, N. M., Sept. 8, 1907.
Notice is hereby given that Mabel C. Johnson, of Artesia, N. M., has filed notice of her intention to make final commutation proof in support of her claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 580 made July 30, 1906, for the SW 1/4 Sec. 25 & NW 1/4 Sec. 24 T. 17 S., R. 25 E., and that said proof will be made before D. L. Newkirk, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Artesia, N. M., on Oct. 21, 1907. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of the land, viz: T. Peck, Jennie Youkin, all of Artesia, N. M.

Notice of Publication.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, N. M., Sept. 8, 1907.
Notice is hereby given that Ralph D. Ferguson, of Artesia, N. M., has filed notice of his intention to make final commutation proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 505 made Nov. 26, 1904, for the NE 1/4 Sec. 25 & NW 1/4 Sec. 24 T. 17 S., R. 25 E., and that said proof will be made before D. L. Newkirk, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Artesia, N. M., on Oct. 21, 1907. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of the land, viz: John E. Roberts, George Johnson, Harry T. Peck, Jennie Youkin, all of Artesia, N. M.

Notice of Publication.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, N. M., August 12, 1907.
Notice is hereby given that Robert R. Bontly, of Artesia, N. M., has filed notice of his intention to make final commutation proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 743 made May 1, 1906, for the SW 1/4 Sec. 25 & NW 1/4 Sec. 24 T. 17 S., R. 25 E., and that said proof will be made before Albert Blake, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Artesia, N. M., on Oct. 4, 1907. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of the land, viz: Charles S. Davis, John J. Henderson Byrd Walter, Robert Speck, all of Artesia, N. M.

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Notice is hereby given that James Lathly of Hope, N. M., has filed notice of his intention to make final commutation proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 728, made May 1, 1906, for the SW 1/4 Sec. 25 & NW 1/4 Sec. 24 T. 17 S., R. 25 E., and that said proof will be made before D. L. Newkirk, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Artesia, N. M., on Oct. 4, 1907. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of the land, viz: Leander S. Wright, James R. Cannon, Noel L. Johnson, Dee Swift, all of Hope, N. M.

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Notice is hereby given that James H. Naylor, of Artesia, N. M., has filed notice of his intention to make final commutation proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 728 made May 1, 1906, for the SW 1/4 Sec. 25 & NW 1/4 Sec. 24 T. 17 S., R. 25 E., and that said proof will be made before Albert Blake, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Artesia, N. M., on October 5, 1907. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land: John R. Cecil, Hudson A. Porter, Frank Morrison, Henry Owens, all of Artesia, N. M.

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Miss Carrie Childress, one of the Artesia teachers visited in Hagerman over Sunday.

G. W. Stambaugh left last Friday for Ottawa

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Mr. Wetig made a business trip to Hagerman this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rawley left Monday for Fall City, Neb.

Louis Feemster made a business trip to Roswell Tuesday.

C. V. Brainard made a business trip to Lake Arthur Monday.

Mr. Hastie is visiting friends and relatives in Wellington, Kans.

C. L. Anderson and W. C. Camp left the fore part of the week for Courtland, Kans.

G. U. McCrary, Dr. Graham and Dr. Baker attended court in Carlsbad this week.

The ducks are coming and are you prepared? If not get a gun of FATHERREE & ENFIELD.

J. Soreremen, Ayers Shanks and Joe Goodale left this week for Guthrie Center, Iowa.

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A. N. Pratt of Carlsbad was in town Monday and remained over to attend the meeting of the Masonic lodge.

H. M. Jones went to Roswell Monday morning to help the Grandod Manufacturing people set up a rock crusher.

Twenty-one of our citizens went to Carlsbad last Sunday night to attend court, some as jurors and others as witnesses.

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