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#### MUSIC RECITAL

Miss Mary Vance Pickett will give a Music Recital next Saturday evening, November 18th, at 7:30 o'clock, at the Baptist church, with Mrs. R. S. McCracken as accompanist. Miss Pickett will be assisted by Misses Williams and Katherine and Francis Mitchell. The public is cordially invited to attend.

—Just received—a big assortment of Sweaters for ladies, men and children.—Livingston-Mabry Co.

#### BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Ben Proett entertained the regular Bridge Club last Thursday at her lovely home on Prospect Hill.

Three tables were set for the players and many games enjoyed.

A tasteful two-course luncheon was served, consisting of fruit salad, chicken sandwiches, pickled peaches, wafers and hot tea, followed with mince pie and whipped cream.

—Sport Shirting, by the yard.—Livingston-Mabry Co.

#### MAJ. GEN. JOHN L. HINES ENTERTAINED

Maj. General John L. Hines, Commander of the Eighth Corps Area, U. S. Army, arrived in Marfa early Wednesday morning from El Paso, to inspect the local Army Post and the first squadron of the Seventh Cavalry stationed here.

After the completion of his inspection of Camp Marfa, the General was the guest of the Chamber of Commerce, where he and his staff officers, as well as Lieut. Col. Frank A. McFarney, the local Post Commander and all officers under him, were given an elaborate luncheon.

The Community House, where the spread was held, was beautifully decorated for the occasion in National colors and flags. The curtains were all drawn in the reception room as well as in the dining room, and lighted with electric lights, which brought out the beautiful interior decorations in splendid fashion.

On the tables in the reception room were placed artistically designed vases, containing a most beautiful array of American Beauty roses, while the tables in the dining room were decorated with large assorted colored chrysanthemums.

Exactly at 12:30, the hour set for the luncheon, the members of the Marfa Chamber of Commerce ushered their distinguished guest and his friends into the dining room, where a most sumptuous four course luncheon was served, which was especially prepared for the occasion by the ladies of the Marfa Methodist church, and served by a corps of Marfa's most charming young ladies, who acted as waitresses.

In his address of welcome, Mr. Wilson assured General Hines that the citizenship of Marfa and Presidio County had always been friends of the men in uniform; had co-operated with them in every way possible to make their sojourn pleasant while stationed in the Big Bend Country, and that they deemed it a great honor to have him as their guest upon this occasion.

In his reply General Hines said he appreciated the reception accorded him very much, for he loved the people of the West for their big heartedness and for the good fellowship he found amidst them. He further stated that he enjoyed the delightful climate he had here, and the wonderful scenery.

In regard to more soldiers coming to Marfa, the General said he could not say for certain whether the 1st Cavalry would come here from Douglas, Arizona or not, for their transfer to Marfa had been held up indefinitely and no one knew for certain when they would come, if at all. He recommended, however, that the Marfa people arrange for a more adequate maneuvering ground, before a regiment of soldiers were brought in here for training, as the present grounds were entirely too small to train the men on as they

should be trained. He suggested that a piece of rolling land, five to six miles across, should be arranged for. This land, he said, need not be close in but could be eight or ten miles out, but that it was absolutely necessary to procure such a tract of land if we ever expected to have a regiment of cavalry stationed here for training.

After luncheon, cigars were passed and the time was spent in talking over matters pertaining to the welfare of the local Post in order to make it a suitable place for the training of the 1st Regiment of Cavalry. Should Washington see fit to allow General Hines recommendation for its transfer to Marfa to function as originally intended.

At three fifteen, General Hines departed for Fort Sam Houston. He was escorted to the train by the entire personnel of the 1st Squadron 7th Cavalry and the officers of the local post of the American Legion, Camp Farmer Post, No. 151.

It was quite an honor for the Marfa Chamber of Commerce to entertain such a distinguished guest as General Hines and much credit is due the good ladies of Marfa who cooked so faithfully and decorated the Community House so artistically for the occasion and for the way they served that delicious spread. The whole affair was a grand success, long to be remembered by all who were fortunate enough to attend.

#### KILL THREE BEAR

Mack Sprout entertained two of his El Paso friends a few days ago with a real bear hunt over in the foot hills of the Davis mountain range.

A bear had interfered with Mr. Sprout's winter pork supply by killing one of his fat pigs, so he made up his mind to get even with old Bruin, and telegraphed two of his El Paso friends to come down and join him in a bear hunt.

The invitation was accepted without much hesitation by the El Paso men, who came down on the next train and proceeded to the Sprout ranch, where they were joined by Mack Sprout and his hounds.

They immediately departed for the hills and in a few hours dispatched three black bear. The bear were easily trailed by the trained hounds, for Mr. Sprout had located them in a lot of scrub oaks where they were feeding on acorns before he sent for his friends.

#### MARFA HI TO PLAY STOCKTON

The Marfa Hi football team, accompanied by Prof. Hudson, left Friday afternoon for Fort Stockton, where they will play the High school team of that city.

We hope they will fare better this time than they did last week when they lost with a score of 99 to 0.

#### ENTERTAINS WITH PARTY

Miss Alma Sue Felix entertained eighteen of her friends with a party last Saturday at the home of her parents.

Many interesting games were played during the afternoon hours, and delicious refreshments were served in two courses.

#### THE SENIOR GIRLS ENJOY PARTY

The Senior girls of the Marfa High School enjoyed a little get-together party at the home of Mrs. Tom Gourley last Friday night.

The hours were delightfully spent in singing and playing of games. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Those present were, Norilla Bishop, Lolla Buntin, May Howard, Katherine Schutze, Elaine Briam and Frances Gourley.

#### GENERAL HINES INSPECTS CAMP

Maj. Gen. John L. Hines arrived in Marfa last Wednesday morning to inspect Camp Alberts. He was accompanied by Col. Lincoln, staff officer and Capt. Bolte, his aide.

The General found everything in fine shape out at the Post and departed on the afternoon train for Fort Sam Houston.

#### HUNTERS BAG MANY DEER

With the opening of the deer season we find that the local sportsmen are having much luck and many deer are being brought in.

The following were among the lucky ones who brought home the venison:

Sam Neill killed a fine buck out on the T. T. Neill ranch near Valentine. Rev. M. A. Buhler and A. R. Maley returned home Thursday with a big one, killed in the Pinto Canyon on "Nobodys Hill."

J. W. Christopher, manager of the J. M. Radford Grocery Co., bagged a nice buck south of Marfa.

R. E. Petross, agent of the G. H. & S. A., brought home a big fellow, which he killed the first day of the season.

Chas. Bishop bagged a fat buck while out hunting the other day, not many miles south of town.

John Kerr killed a big buck last Sunday.

Buster Miles killed a big fellow over in the Davis mountains.

Roe Miller had more than his share of luck—he brought home two deer which he killed in the Davis mountains.

#### MEXICAN OFFICIALS VISIT MARFA

Lieut. Col. Castillon, commander in chief of the Mexican Army and stationed at Ojinaga, Chihuahua, garrison just across the River from Presidio, was a visitor in our city last Wednesday.

He was accompanied by Capt. Medina, also an officer of the same garrison.

These two distinguished Mexican officials came up to greet General John L. Hines and his staff of officers who spent Wednesday in our city.

While in Marfa the Mexican officials were entertained by our City officials and made to feel at home. For Col. Castillon has always proven himself a good friend toward Americans that visit Ojinaga.

#### THE STORK PAYS A VISIT

A wee little boy was born Wednesday morning at 6 o'clock to Mrs. Frank Moy at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Walker. The little son has been named Frank, Jr., after his father, who is mess Sergeant in Troop "A," at Fort Clark, Texas, and who is expected home to greet the little master of the home, just as soon as he can get his furlough from the U. S. Army in which he is serving. Mrs. Moy was, before he marriage, Miss Ruth Decker and has many friends in Marfa who will be glad to learn of the happy event. Both mother and baby are doing fine.

#### MARFA—EL PASO TELEPHONE CONNECTION

Mr. Biggs and Mr. Swan of the Southwestern Telephone Co. of Dallas Texas, were in Marfa this week in the interest of securing the affiliation of the Big Bend Telephone Co. and to connect Marfa with El Paso, directly.

They propose to connect Marfa at Pecos, and from there into El Paso on the Southwestern Line of communication. This would necessitate the building of only forty miles of line and would be much cheaper than to build a separate line into El Paso.

Marfa is already connected by phone with Fort Davis and from there the line would have to be built to connect with Balmorhea, the terminal of the Pecos City line.

From all indications this connection will be perfected in the near future and when completed will be of much benefit to Marfa.

Clarence Arthur was in Marfa this week from the ranch after supplies.

Dr. A. G. Church of Alpine, made a professional call to Marfa last Tuesday. He attended Mrs. Frank Moy.

Mrs. Kenneth Smith and little daughter were in Marfa last Friday from the ranch. They are accompanied home by Miss E. Wythe of Van Horn, Texas, who will visit with them for a few days before returning home.

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MARFA TEXAS  
HENRY W. SCHUTZE Editor

Successful political orators say many things that sound well but that usually mean very little.

It is almost time for our young Marfa men to fall out with their sweethearts. Christmas will soon be here.

We heard a certain lady remark the other day that she suffers in silence. Maybe she suffers when she is silent.

One thing we have never been able to understand is why most men attribute their success to brains and their failures to bad luck.

No matter how great a philosopher a Marfa man may be, we have never yet found one who could figure out how he came to catch a cold.

Most any editor can read an obituary notice and tell at a glance if the deceased subscription to his home-town paper was paid up.

We wonder why it is that people always yell for front or reserved seats at a theatre and then hunt the back seats at church on Sundays.

Some Marfa men would benefit greatly if they would spend at least fifty per cent of their time letting the other fellows business alone.

Modesty may be a virtue, but the Marfa business man who stays out of the advertising columns of his home-town paper is not the one who boasts about the business he is doing.

Life is too sweet to be bothered with the disgruntled readers of our paper; if you don't like our style, don't read it, but pay your past due account before you refuse it at the Postoffice.

Maybe they have Thanksgiving right after election, so that we might give thanks that the men we elected are no worse than they are.

The man who refuses to lend a helping hand to a brother man in distress is to be pitied rather than to be censured, for life surely must be a burden to him.

Honesty may still be the best policy, but every now and then a newspaper editor sees or hears things that leads him to disbelieve it. Especially is this true in politics. We are sometimes tempted to throw our hat in the ring and make an effort to get some of the gravy that is being dished out so lavishly.

We understand the beautiful American roses which bedecked the tables at the Community House last Wednesday in honor of General Hines, were grown in Marfa by Mrs. W. P. Fischer and Mrs. Chas. Pruett. They were simply beautiful and commented on by everyone who attended the reception.

### W. P. FISCHER REMODELS HOME

W. P. Fischer is having extensive improvements made on his already beautiful home.

A second story will be added to the present home and the entire interior will be re-painted and papered.

He has also built a large double garage and a cement driveway leading to same from the street.

Albert Karstendeik, the contractor, is doing the work and D. A. Flynn will do the painting and paper hanging.

When completed, the Fischer home will be one of the most attractive homes in our city, and will add greatly to the already prosperous appearance of that part of the city.

### METHODIST PARSONAGE RE-MODELED

The ladies of the Marfa Methodist church have had the parsonage re-modeled and put in first-class repair for the new pastor and his wife. Every room has been replastered and painted and other improvements made.

### A REMARKABLE FACT

A. H. "Tarkio" Schmidt of Kansas City, owner of the Tarkio Molasses Feed Company, feeds cattle on his Clay County, Mo. farm near Randolph. He sold steers on the Kansas City market October 31st of this year at \$13.00 a hundred weight, the top price for the day by more than \$1.00 a hundred pounds and the second highest price paid this year.

These steers were bought by Mr. Schmidt last November at the American Royal Live Stock Show and cost him \$8.25 a hundred pounds. They were Highland Herefords of the W. B. Mitchell breeding, of this city, and when sold at the show last November weighed 562 pounds. The whole string averaged first, and the fat ones returned to the market were the tail ends of the lot and weighed 1281 pounds, showing a gain that more than doubled their purchase weight.

The Herefords brought nearly four times as much as first-cost. Mr. Schmidt still holds back the tops to make show cattle out of them. The whole bunch has been fed since February on a fifty-fifty ration of Tarkio Molasses and corn. They were carried up to February on one feed a day of Tarkio Molasses.

### THE CROATIAN TAMBURICA ORCHESTRA

The people of Marfa who attended the first number of the White-Myers Lyceum course last Saturday evening at the Opera House, certainly enjoyed a treat long to be remembered.

The young men played many lovely pieces of classic music as well as many pieces of popular music and received much applause from the audience.

The next number of the Lyceum program will be equally as interesting—watch for the date.

Mrs. C. S. Chalfant, of El Paso, mother of our deputy sheriff, Jack Knight, is visiting in Marfa this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grays Bogel and children were up from the ranch this week to spend a few days with relatives.

### A NEW FEATURE FOR QUEEN THEATRE

The Queen Theatre will give every Saturday afternoon a Childrens Matinee from four to five o'clock at which a comic picture will be shown for the nominal sum of five cents.

Miss Dela Crawford will have personal charge of the kiddies during the matinee and all mothers who wish to do shopping in town can leave their children at the show and feel perfectly at ease, for their little ones will be looked after with much care.

Grown ups may also attend this comic feature for a five cent admission as well as the children. This will enable the parents or older folks of the family to accompany the little folks if they choose to do so.

Miss Crawford is the originator of this feature and is very anxious to see it proven a success, for she feels like many of the children of Marfa are unable to pay the higher price of admission of the regular run of pictures which the children, as a rule, do not understand.

These Saturday comic pictures will be especially picked to amuse the little folks and will be instructive as well. Let the little folks come.

Mr. Roark, formerly with the American Express Co. here in Marfa, has returned to our city with his wife, from Fort Bayard, N. M., to make his home here. They brought with them three of Mrs. Roark's brothers children who will attend Marfa public school.

We hear that Mr. Kingston recently killed a very large black bear in his pasture on the north side of the Davis mountains. He was out by himself deer hunting when he came across old Bruin, so he took a chance and cracked down on him, but only wounded him. The old bear gave a tremendous growl, which echoed throughout the canyon, and tore down rocks and trees making his get-a-way up the mountain side. Another good aim and a crack from Mr. Kingston's rifle brought the old bear tumbling down the steep incline. It was one of the largest animals ever killed in the Davis mountain range.

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Sixteen large sacks of old clothes were gathered and taken to the River to the poor and needy there. The Girl Scouts helped us so much with this work.

The Girl Scouts gathered magazines and sent them to the Tubercular Hospital at Kerrville. The express, \$7.50 was donated.

The books for this years work and expense have been audited and found correct. The audit has been sent to Headquarters. This is a good cause and one that our people should respond to without hesitating. Give your dollar to help suffering humanity.

War Fund of Presidio—Jeff Davis Chapter American Red Cross

Balance on hand in bank February 20th, 1922	\$427.73
Given by the Boys Camp Meeting Sunday School, August 23, 1922	15.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$442.73</b>

Checks Given as Listed Below:

June 15, 1922—L. G. Coop. Supplies given to Mexican at Ruidosa	3.15
June 19, 1922—Mrs. W. J. Yates (Telegrams sent to National Headquarters)	1.85
July 21, 1922—Lederle Autotoxine Laboratory (Vaccine points)	30.00
July 24, 1922—Mac's Drug Store (500 vaccine points and drugs)	77.70
Aug. 1, 1922—S.W. Surgical Supply Co. (Supplies for Mr. Anferson)	10.80
August 10, 1922—Lucy B. Rede (for food distributed to needy Mexicans at Redford, Texas)	10.00
August 22, 1922—C. M. Anferson (for food distributed to needy Mexicans at Ruidosa, Texas)	10.00
Sept. 1, 1922—New Era Printing Co. (printing)	4.50
September 21, 1922—J. L. Crawford (for food distributed to needy needy Mexicans at Lajitas, Texas)	10.00
September 23, 1922—C. M. Anferson (for food distributed to needy Mexicans at Ruidosa, Texas)	25.00
November 7, 1922—Lucy B. Rede (for food distributed to needy Mexicans at Redford, Texas)	20.00
November 9, 1922—C. M. Anferson (for food distributed to needy Mexicans at Ruidosa, Texas)	10.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$243.01</b>

Amount of money on hand February 20, and amount received to November 9, 1922

Amount of money on hand February 20, 1922	442.73
Amount of money spent from this fund from February 20, 1922 to November 9, 1922	243.01
Balance on hand in bank, November 9, 1922	\$199.72

Respectfully Submitted,  
BEN S. AVANT, Treasurer,  
Presidio—Jeff Davis Chapter American Red Cross.

Local Fund Presidio—Jeff Davis Chapter American Red Cross.

Balance on hand in bank February 20th, 1922	\$169.09
April 24, 1922—Money left by Junior Red Cross	10.00
May 1, 1922—Money left by Mrs. Mahon	6.75
May 10, 1922—Money left by Mrs. Frank Anderson, sale of candy	6.00
May 23, 1922—Money left by G. Raetzsch from local subscription	94.50
June 1, 1922—Money sent from El Davis Chapter, A. R. C.	25.00
June 24, 1922—Local Donation	2.00
June 25, 1922—Money sent by American National Red Cross	200.00
Oct. 26, 1922—Money refunded by W. W. Bogel from El Paso trip to Convention	5.79
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$519.13</b>

Amount of Money Spent From February 20, 1922 to February 1, 1922 as Itemized Below:

February 21, 1922—J. A. Holliman (Drayage)	8.50
March 1, 1922—Andrew Schwan (Ex soldier, food)	2.00
March 2, 1922—Mrs. R. Fitzgerald (Salary for February as Sec.)	50.00
March 6, 1922—Elite Tailor Shop (Cleaning old clothes)	3.20
April 1, 1922—Long Horn Cafe (Meal, for ex-soldiers)	.50
April 13, 1922—John Humphris (Typewriting)	4.00
April 13, 1922—R. E. Petross (Freight on old clothes to New York)	12.35
April 23, 1922—L. Beclin (Ex-soldier, 1/2 fare to San Antonio)	8.00
May 10, 1922—J. A. Holliman (Drayage)	1.00
May 27, 1922—American Nat'l Red Cross (For food sufferers)	100.00
August 12, 1922—J. Humphris (Typewriting)	.50
August 14, 1922—Murphy-Walker Co. (Food for Mexicans)	11.25
October 12, 1922—Mac's Drug Store (Medicine for sick Mexicans)	1.75
Oct. 26, 1922—W. W. Bogel (Expense to Red Cross Convention at El Paso)	30.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$225.05</b>

Amount of money received from February 20th, 1922 and amount already on hand to November 9, 1922

Amount of money received from February 20th, 1922 and amount already on hand to November 9, 1922	\$519.13
Amount of money spent from February 20th, 1922 to Nov. 9, 1922	\$225.05

Balance on hand to November 9th, 1922

Balance on hand to November 9th, 1922	\$294.08
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Respectfully Submitted,  
BEN S. AVANT, Treasurer.

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The question of whether or not this saving of human lives should be continued is put squarely up to the people of the State by the officials of the Texas Public Health Association.

If we stop to consider the enormous amount of money that has been spent for so-called "consumption cures" (that never cured), how much better off are the people in Texas when they buy a few seals. These seals aid the Texas Public Health Association and other local organizations to teach the people how tuberculosis and other diseases may be prevented and combated.

Mrs. O. P. McHenry and Mrs. R. E. Petross left Friday afternoon for a few days visit to El Paso.

—New Fall Merchandise arriving daily at Livingston-Mabry Co.

M. I. Jimenez, a prominent business man of Shafter, was a visitor in Marfa this week.

—Fall Goods arriving daily at Livingston-Mabry Co.

J. H. Clark, cashier of the Fort Davis State Bank, was a pleasant visitor in Marfa last Friday.

—New Wool Dress Goods, Livingston-Mabry Co.

A. C. McMillan, son of Maj. and Mrs. C. W. McMillan of our city, has been made a corporal at the Stanton Military academy of Virginia. His father reports that he is doing splendidly in his school work.

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UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY

### LOCALS AND PERSONALS

Mrs. O. L. Shipman was a business  
visitor at Alpine last Thursday.

Blankets and Comforters at  
Murphy-Walker Co.

H. W. Reynolds left Saturday for  
his ranch at Sierra Blanca, Texas.

Silk and Wool Sport Hose—  
Livingston-Mabry Co.

Mrs. A. B. Couture left last Sat-  
urday for El Paso, to join her hus-  
band.

New line of Gingham just ar-  
rived at Murphy-Walker Co.

Miss E. Wylie of Van Horn, Tex-  
as, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed  
Nevill and family.

Big assortment of Boys New  
Caps.—Livingston-Mabry Co.

O. L. Nicolls, a business man of  
Marathon, spent a few days in our  
city this week visiting his children.

Bargains in Ladies and Misses  
Shoes.—Livingston-Mabry Co.

Mrs. Carl Taylor and little son of  
Van Horn, Texas, arrived Tuesday  
on a visit to her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. Ed Nevill.

It will surprise you what you  
can save by paying cash at Murphy-  
Walker Co's.

The Rt. Rev. T. B. Howden, of Al-  
buquerque, New Mexico, arrived  
Thursday afternoon to spend a few  
days in Marfa with friends. He will  
be the speaker at the Armistice  
Day celebration, which will take  
place today at the Opera House.

Bargains this week in the Dry  
Goods Department at Murphy-  
Walker Co.

Ed Nevill spent a few days out on  
the Arthur Mitchell ranch this week.  
He expects to help with the round-  
up to see if he can keep pace with  
his cowboy friends with whom he  
formerly rode the range years ago,  
before becoming one of Marfa's  
business men.

Ralph Thomas has gone back to  
Floyd county to try his luck at  
farming.

New style Pumps and Straps for  
Ladies.—Livingston-Mabry Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grierson of  
Fort Davis, were visitors in Marfa  
last Wednesday.

Ladies Union Suits at \$1.38 and  
\$2.00.—Murphy-Walker Co. SPEC-  
IAL THIS WEEK.

Mr. and Mrs. Roe Miller and Mr.  
V. M. Ward of Fort Davis, spent  
Thursday in Marfa, visiting.

The peas you heard them brag  
about came from Murphy-Walker  
Co. The price is very reasonable.

Miss Elizabeth Fennell arrived  
Friday from Valentine, where she is  
teaching school, to spend the week  
end with her parents.

Our tables are displaying every-  
thing the market affords in fruits  
and vegetables.—Murphy-Walker  
Co.

William Bailey arrived Friday  
from Alpine, where he is attending  
the Sul Ross Normal, to spend the  
week end with his mother.

Our California fruit is coming  
in. We bought this fruit ripe, which  
makes our cash price very low.—  
Murphy-Walker Co.

The many friends of Mrs.  
Tom Meyers will be glad to learn  
that she is slowly recovering from  
a recent severe illness. She is still  
unable to receive company.

We are now displaying REAL  
BARGAINS every day. If you will  
visit our store you will be convin-  
ced.—Murphy-Walker Co.

Mr. Merrill, superintendent of the  
G. H. & S. A., passed through Marfa  
last Friday. He was in his private  
car, "El Paso."

Everything for the Fruit Cake and  
Cranberries for the sauce. Come  
in and let us help you get ready for  
Thanksgiving.—Murphy-Walker Co.

Miss Fay Boyce of Range, Texas,  
who is attending the Sul Ross Nor-  
mal at Alpine, is spending the week-  
end in Marfa, visiting her friend,  
Mrs. O. L. Shipman.

Capt. and Mrs. Short left Friday  
morning for El Paso, where Captain  
Short is one of the participants of  
the polo tournament at Fort Bliss.

Harry Young, Sr., returned Thurs-  
day morning from San Antonio,  
where he has been at the bedside  
of his son, Harry, who was operated  
on several weeks ago. He reports  
his son much improved and says he  
will be able to leave the hospital  
shortly.

The Fort Davis Mercantile Co.  
has a good supply of delicious ap-  
ples to sell the public at \$2.00 per  
box. Winesaps at \$3.00. Express to  
Marfa 25 cents. Mail orders are  
given prompt attention.

C. W. Scott, the advertising man  
of the Queen theatre, painted a very  
neat sign on the South side of the  
show building this week. Mr. Scott  
recently moved to Marfa from Van  
Horn, Texas, and since his arrival  
here has been kept busy painting  
signs.

Murphy-Walker Co. have now  
on display a line of Wool Dresses,  
New York styles. Come in and look  
them over. They have to be seen  
to be appreciated.

Miss Heste Brite left Wednesday  
afternoon for Guero, Texas, to at-  
tend the Turkey trot and to visit  
with friends. From there she will  
go on to Kansas City, Mo., where  
she will meet her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. L. C. Brite and attend the big  
stock show.

We are getting in all kinds of  
nuts. We have contracted for Tex-  
as pecans. Although they are  
scarce this year, we will be able to  
supply your wants.—Murphy-Walk-  
er Co.

Crawford Mitchell, Tom Mitchell  
and McKie Mitchell returned Friday  
morning from Decatur, Ill., where  
they attended the big auction sale of  
their cattle this week.

Rubber Stamps made to order. Send  
us your copy.—New Era Printing  
Co.

Board by the week at \$7.50.—  
St. George Cafe.

Mrs. Frank Russell left Thursday  
for Darlington, S. C., in response to  
a telegram informing her that her  
mother was very ill.

Buy your Christmas presents from  
the Baptist Ladies Bazaar Saturday,  
December 9th.

Mrs. T. T. Neill and Mrs. D. H.  
Hunter of Valentine, were in Marfa  
this week shopping.

Ladies Coats and Dresses—new  
stock—Prices Very Low.—Living-  
ton-Mabry Co.

A. M. Avant left Thursday after-  
noon for Snyder, Texas on a business  
trip to be gone for several days.

FREE—El Paso distilled water for  
your batteries, at J. B. Davis filling  
station.

### POSTED

This is to notify the public that  
my pasture just north of town is  
posted and no hunting will be tol-  
erated therein. This is final and all  
violators will be prosecuted.

W. A. MIMMS.

### POSTED

This is to notify the public that  
the W. H. Cardwell pastures are  
posted against hunting of every  
description.

W. H. CARDWELL.

### POSTED

The public is hereby warned not  
to hunt in my pastures, as they are  
posted against hunting and all vi-  
olators will be prosecuted.

MRS. J. P. KENNEDY.

### POSTED

This is to notify the public in  
general that my pastures are posted  
against hunting of every descrip-  
tion.

D. O. MEDLEY.

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