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In the Oil Fields

There is little change in the oil situation since last week, at least that the public is aware of. At the Altus well work stopped a couple of days ago on account of water. It was reported that the cement floor in the bottom of the well was faulty; and again that the casing was leaking. It may be either and it may be neither of these things that stopped the drill.

At Lake Arthur the drilling is proceeding day and night. An outsider can gain nothing by watching the work, and the operators will say nothing except that everything is going alright and the prospects are satisfactory.

A new Oklahoma company headed by Dr. L. H. Miller is trying to secure a block of leases in the Dayton district, and if successful the company proposes to begin drilling at once.

Now all who think this is an indefinite showing concerning the present situation must remember that we can only get such facts as the operators will disclose. Drilling for oil is not like plowing a field, or other work that proceeds without interruption, particularly in this artesian belt. Hard formations are encountered, machinery gives out and water is a constant menace.

Besides all this the drilling of a well sometimes stops short for some reason that is as secretly guarded as the password to a secret society. Oil is a lubricant. And oil operators, from fact perhaps, partake of its lubricating nature. The drilling of a well sometimes stops, not because they don't find oil, but because they do. This may be to secure more leases in that vicinity, or to give the knowing stockholders a chance to get some stock from other stockholders who are not "on." Juggling is not confined to horse racing. But nothing of this kind can be done after it is known that oil has been found.

No intimation is intended that this is the situation at the

Altus well or the Lake Arthur well. But such situations are found, and where they are the least expected.

Farewell to "Polywog"

On Oct 1st the train known for years as the Polywog, running through Artesia from Roswell to Carlsbad one day and back the next, will be discontinued. In its place will be a daily train each way, except Sunday, carrying day coach. This train will leave Artesia, north bound at 8:25 A. M., and south bound at 11:25 A. M.

The Polywog has been doing every-other-day duty between Roswell and Carlsbad since Feb., 1915, and gives way to daily service on account of the increasing freight traffic of the Pecos Valley.

Training School for Sunday School Workers

There will be a Training School for Officers and Teachers in the Sunday School and workers in all other departments of Church activity at the Baptist Church beginning Oct. 7th and lasting through the 14th, conducted by the Sunday School Department of the Baptist General Convention of New Mexico assisted by the Sunday School Board of Texas. The Training Class will study the Convention Normal Manual and will be taught by Mr. William P. Phillips, Baptist Sunday School Secretary of Texas and Rev. C. Ross Papne Field Secretary of New Mexico. There will also be some instructive and inspirational lectures and addresses on Sunday School work. The hours will be from 4.30 to 6.30 p. m. Luncheon will be served by the ladies of the church at 6 p. m. so that no one need go home between classes. All the workers in the several churches in Artesia are cordially invited to attend these classes and hear the lectures by these specialists. The entire course is free.

Buren Sparks, Pastor.

Crumbs From Carlsbad

(From the Current)

Lewis means is here looking around with a view of investing in Angora goats. He and his brother-in-law, Jack Scott, are buying a bunch from Cox and Bonine of Dog Canyon.

The question of paving the four principal blocks of Main street was practically settled this week when seventy-five per cent of the property owners affected petitioned the council to proceed.

Mrs. George Newlander, left for Artesia Sunday afternoon where she will join her husband who has rented a garage there and is running the business for himself. Mrs. Newlander is a sister of Mr. Harrell at the flume, and has been here visiting for a few weeks.

In April, 1893, Carlsbad was incorporated under the statute giving citizens of a community containing over 1,000 and under 2,000 population the right to incorporate as a town. The city act provides that there must be over 2,000 people consequently the place was incorporated under the town act. Since then whole families including some town officials persist in calling the town a city, and the town board of trustees the city council. The town is large enough at present to re-incorporate as a city which if done would make it quite proper to dub our town dads, "city council," but at present it is incorrect to call them other than town trustees and also the marshal, "town marshal."

A Quaint Relic

Clovis News: On display at the Jackman Dry Goods Co. is a pair of shoes that were made for army service during the civil war. They bear the stamp of the quartermaster's department at Philadelphia and bear a date during the sixties. The shoes are made of "real" leather and are hand sewed and nailed, but they are so crudely shaped that we

have an idea they were anything but comfortable for the marching soldier. They resemble more than anything else the heavy brogan plow shoes that were sold in stores some fifteen years ago.

Potash Near Carlsbad

Something of a commotion has been caused even in government circles by the discovery of distinct traces of potash in a salt well 7 miles southeast from Carlsbad. Analyzed by the German method this salt is said, by a government chemist at Washington to contain about four per cent of potash, which is as great as the percentage found in the salt of the German mines. Deposits of potash in paying quantities have until now been confined to Stassfurt, Germany.

Roswell's New Railroad

The Rosewell people seem to feel that their new railroad is assured. The Record, in its Saturday issue says:

The result of the meeting held in the rooms of the First National Bank building between M. B. Hereley and the local railroad committee is that Roswell's proposed new railroad connecting with a trunk line east is assured. M. B. Hereley stated yesterday that beyond a doubt the road would be built within the next eighteen months. The only thing about the entire matter that is now indefinite is the exact route the road will take east.

Dr. Bailey's Bean Crop

Portales Journal: Last Saturday Dr. B. H. Bailey brought to the Journal office two stalks of pinto beans that look like ready money. The stalks were large and literally filled with bean pods that were bulging with beans. They were grown on his place east of town by Roy Austin. He says he has thirty-five acres and that he expects to take off thirty dollars per acre. They were late getting started and the stand is not as good as it should have been, but at that, thirty dollars per acre for a bean crop is a proposition not to be sneezed at.

Gov. Lindsey on Prohibition

"Booze and business efficiency can never occupy the same ground," declares Governor William E. Lindsey in a letter made public to-day by the Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League. In this letter, Governor Lindsey declares himself positively in favor of the adoption of the Prohibition State-wide Amendment to be voted on by the people of New Mexico on November 6th.

The letter made public in connection with the opening of the dry speaking campaign throughout the state is as follows:

"I have your request for a brief statement by me touching the matter of the vote in November on the Prohibition Constitutional Amendment prohibiting the sale, etc., of intoxicating liquors in New Mexico.

I believe in the redemption of mankind on earth and right here in New Mexico.

If we abolish the saloon, banish graft from our politics, purchase from our elections,

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A BEVERAGE


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Besides its popularity at drug stores, fountains and restaurants, Bevo has found a welcome place in the home. A family beverage—a guest offering—a table drink that goes perfectly with all food.

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enforce the laws and go to work, our salvation is as inevitable and will be as glorious as our mountain sunrise.

Booze and business efficiency, the dread of economic waste, the gospel of hope for the salvation of mankind on earth, each and all militate for the prohibition of whiskey.

On November 6th, next, opportunity knocks at our door. Heaven help us to be ready to open the door and let it in.

Very truly yours,
W. E. Lindsey, Governor.

Facts About Sweden

Sweden has a population of 5,680,000, and Stockholm, the capital and largest city, has 382,085 inhabitants. The almost universal religion is Lutheran, and education is compulsory. The area is 172,876 square miles, which is a little more than twice the area of Minnesota. Much of the country is rough but is heavily timbered. Lumbering and fishing are the most important industries. There are a little more than 9,000 miles of railway. The people of Sweden

and Norway have always had the reputation of being the best sailors in the world. The total war strength is estimated at 600,000 men, with half a million more unorganized.

Heathens at Home

A Baptist minister at the close of his sermon announced that in the course of the week he expected to go on a mission to the heathen. One of the parishioners said afterward:

"Why, you have never told us one word of this before. It finds us unprepared.

What shall we do?"

"Brother", said the minister, solemnly, "I shall not leave town."

For Sale—Practically new six horse power gasoline engine at a bargain.—R. L. Paris

Vaccinate your calves with Immuno—the germ free vaccine—sold by R. H. Norton.

Complete line of repairs for all mowers and rakes. L. P. Evans.

Report of the Condition of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO

As made at the call of the Comptroller of the Currency
At close of business September 11, 1917.

CONDENSED

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$201,282.26	Capital Stock.....\$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts.....750.37	Surplus Fund.....10,000.00
U. S. Bonds.....50,000.00	Undivided Profits.....2,697.31
Banking House, Fur. and Fix.....10,000.00	Circulation.....50,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank.....4,300.00	Deposits.....330,321.53
Cash and Sight Exchange.....176,686.21	
Total.....\$443,018.84	Total.....\$443,018.84

I certify the above statement to be correct. J. E. ROBERTSON, Cashier

Comparative Statement of Deposits

SEPTEMBER 11, 1916, \$181,379.24
JUNE 20, 1917, \$274,239.78
SEPTEMBER 11, 1917, \$330,321.53

Referring to our Statement above we invite your attention to our Cash and Sight Exchange account of \$176,686.21
A Reserve of over Fifty Per Cent.

We assure you our every aim and effort is to serve your banking needs efficiently.

OUR MOTTO:
SAFETY AND SERVICE

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

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N. M. Schuster, Vice-Pres., D. W. Runyan,
Albert Blake, Vice-Pres., H. W. Schuster,
J. E. Robertson, Cashier.

First State Bank

Artesia, New Mexico

"The Growing Bank"

COMPARATIVE DEPOSITS:

September 2, 1915.....\$39,533.45
June 20, 1917,.....152,225.09
Sep. 11, 1917, \$164,358.17

BEECHER ROWAN, President
M. B. CULPEPPER, Vice-President
ROY AMMERMAN, Vice-President
B. P. WILLIAMS, Cashier
K. B. ROWAN, Asst. Cashier

Condensed Statement

of the condition of

First State Bank

of Artesia, New Mexico

at the close of business Sept. 11, 1917.

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$122,269.87	Capital Stock.....\$15,000.00
Overdrafts.....3,407.76	Undivided Profits.....371.75
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures.....3,858.84	Deposits.....164,358.17
Cash and Sight Exchange.....55,133.45	Rediscouts and Bills Payable.....5,000.00
Total.....\$184,729.92	Total.....\$184,729.92

I certify the above to be correct.
B. P. WILLIAMS, Cashier.

Business Cards.

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Artesia Lodge No. 11, I. O. O. F.
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 attend. Visiting members will always
 find a welcome.

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Demoralized Russia

It is deplorable that Russia is losing, little by little, all the advantages gained in the war, through internal dissensions and bickerings. If Russia would only bury her differences and dissensions and present a united front to the enemy she would cut a wide swathe. The Russian soldiers are not only injured to hardships but are normally persistent and brave. Neither the German nor Austrian soldiers have ever dared to meet the Cossacks in a hand to hand conflict. It is also doubtful if a given number of men of any nation could conquer an equal number of Russians on equal grounds. But demoralization is contagious and the Russian army seems to be pretty thoroughly inoculated.

Sacrifices for the War

People who think we are called on for serious sacrifices on account of the war should read of the things being done by some of our European allies. It must be remembered that some of the European nations, most of them in fact, are financially nearly at the end of their string, and money is being raised by all kinds of personal sacrifices. In Italy, for instance, jewelry, heirlooms, crowns and other things made of gold are given to the government and sold as old gold. There is even a rivalry between the large cities in their contributions of this kind. Venice is, so far, in the lead, having collected and donated 220 pounds of gold. Measured by such a standard our sacrifices are not worthy of the name.

Plan to Conquer the World

U. S. Senator Lewis has made the statement that Capt. von Goetz of the German imperial navy told Admiral Dewey in 1898 that it was the plan of Germany to conquer the world in about fifteen years, and that a report of the late admiral, now on file in Washington, told of this. Had this been published at that time it would have been dismissed as a joke. But as it fits in with what has since transpired the German admiral might have been telling the truth. The plan, according to Senator Lewis, was to first capture Paris, and the taking of New York and Washington would follow. It is becoming a matter of general belief that Germany was after big game when she went into this war. No nation would have spent thirty years in preparation and brought into being the greatest fighting machine the world has ever seen just for purposes of defense. But with all her preparation, she bit off more than she can masticate. Not only that, but the rulers of the German empire have made themselves despised by the people of all the neutral nations of the globe.

Episcopal Service

At Saint Paul's Episcopal church Sunday evening Rev. Edw. S. Doan of Roswell will preach on the subject: "Why we are Catholics but not Roman." This sermon will be instructive to people who wish to think and who are governed by principle and not prejudice. Service at 7:30; all invited. —Committee.

HOT TAMALES

Once more the Kaiser's boy tried to break through the lines at Verdun and once more the boy failed.

President Wilson is a distinguished man in many respects, but his "notes" alone make him noted.

About the only place where it is safe for a man to lambast the government or the president is in the U. S. senate.

Sec. of State Lansing is something of a marksman. Every time he fires his gun he brings down one of the Kaiser's diplomats.

The consciences of the German rulers ought to be good and in good condition, for they have never been used enough to wear the "new" of.

The rapidity with which Gov. Ferguson of Texas shifted funds from one place to another showed him to be a financier of great ability.

Bob Lansing is the boy that sends the hot stuff over the wires. When he flashes a piece of news it makes a commotion throughout the whole world.

The news dispatches inform us that Gen. Klimoff, of the Russian revolutionary forces, has surrendered. He was probably afraid of the troops of Gen. Shootsky.

If all of the people of the United States should vote on whether or not our navy needed a new secretary every vote would be "yes" except one. If Daniels didn't vote they would be all "yes."

It is said that the I. W. W. has a working fund of \$100,000 in the general treasury. If this money is to be used only when the members are "working" it will remain in the treasury until it rots.

It is said that owing to the high price of silk, ladies' skirts are to be still shorter. A certain physician once said that skirts should be just above two feet, but they are getting a long way above two feet.

The Carlsbad Current says: "Captain Leneau had the misfortune to get one of his Jersey cows struck by lightning last Saturday during the thunder storm and rain." Wonder how he managed to "get" her struck.

President Wilson has not yet asked our advice in the matter, but if he ever does we shall advise him to sever diplomatic and other relations with Senator La Follette then give him a passport to Mexico to remain there until the war ends.

People have different ways of beating the high cost of living. Some are canning turnip leaves, some carp, some rabbits and some sweet cider. Fortunately, chewing gum, of all the necessities, has not advanced in price.

U. S. Senator La Follette is by common consent Lieut. Gen. in the army of obstructionist, and Hardwick, Stone, Gore Gronna and others are Maj. Generals. Representative Jeanette Rankin and Jane Addams are the head nurses.

Events which before the big war began would have been published with startling headlines are now told in brief news items. Important happenings are so numerous and rapid that only the most momentous ones are featured.

Can any one remember a day within the last two years when some association of workmen didn't strike or threaten to strike? Strikes have become both epidemic and endemic, and the time is not far distant when the strikes must be subjected to heroic treatment.

Nation-Wide Events

Gallup is preparing to royally entertain the club women who come there to attend the state federation meeting which opens Oct. 2d.

The Alfalfa Produce company of Portales is shipping a car of butter per week that is made in the factory there. This brings on an average \$16,000 per month.

A fine specimen of wild rocky mountain sheep was captured in Arizona, and shipped to the Zoological park at Washington, D. C. It was a ram with horns 14 inches long and weighing 150 pounds.

A double raid on England by German Zeppelins and airplanes was made last Monday night, resulting in the death of fifteen persons and injury to more than seventy. Among the injured were three women.

In lieu of a state fair Albuquerque this year will hold a four day patriotic celebration on October 10, 11, 12 and 13th. One of the days will be known as Battery A day, when the battery will have the leading place on the program.

The cotton crop in the Carlsbad district is turning out well. Nearly one half of the total acreage of thirty five hundred acres is planted to the Durango variety, which is a long staple selling higher than short staple cotton.

One thousand citizens of Washburn Wis. sent to U. S. Senator La Follette a demand that he resign his position. The people there also threaten, if he refuses to resign, to send a delegation to Washington to work for either his removal or impeachment.

James E. Ferguson was formally declared removed from the office of governor of Texas and barred from holding any public office of honor trust or profit hereafter. This was the verdict of the state senate which sat as a high court of impeachment.

A barrel of German red dye hidden away in the stock room of a paper company of Lincoln Neb., since its purchase three years ago for \$89 was sold to a New York concern for \$5000. The paper plant recently changed hands and the new owners finding the dye placed it on the market.

A teacher in one of the high schools of Minneapolis who was a member of the I. W. W., stated while being interviewed by the board of education that "the program of the I. W. W. is the most effective weapon the proletariat has for bringing about a new and better society." He was immediately discharged.

Food Administrator Hoover is requesting the American people to cut down their consumption of sugar one third in order to send that much more to France. France he says is facing a period of two months with no sugar which is counted a human necessity, and that country has asked for a hundred tons during the next month, and more later on.

FOR SALE, a Victrola, with doors and top. Also about 20 records, Will sell cheap, or will trade for saddle and outfit. Call at Second Hand store, next to Frank's Bakery. 1 t

City Garage

Has new and second hand cars for sale at a bargain. Rear of old State Nat. Bank.

Wanted.

Poultry and eggs wanted for which I will pay highest market price. Get my prices before selling. Artesia Joe Goodale.

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12 1-2 lbs Sugar for \$1.00
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Ask us for it. If we do not have it,
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Eddy Co. Medical Society

The physicians of Eddy Co. met at the office of Dr. M. P. Skeen, Artesia, last Saturday and organized a society to be known as the Eddy County Medical Society. There were present six physicians of Eddy county, exclusive of the Artesia medics, and five from Chaves county, as follows:

Dr. Lynch, Hope; Drs. Black, Lauer, Boatman and Lackey, Carlsbad; Dr. Miller, Loving; Drs. Lang, Lake Arthur; Drs. Swearingin, Joiner, Bradley, Roswell. All the physicians in this county except five were present.

The society organized with the following roster of officers: President, Dr. Skeen, Artesia, Vice President, Dr. Lynch, of Hope, Secretary, Dr. Stroup of Artesia, Treasurer, Dr. Boatman, Carlsbad.

Meetings will be held quarterly, the next one to be at Artesia on the second Tuesday in December.

Dr. Lackey of Carlsbad was chosen as a delegate to represent this county at the next meeting of the state medical association to be held at Las Cruces next month.

The object of the society is to promote the scientific and social welfare of its members. At every meeting papers will be read on subjects of vital interest to the members, and these will be followed by a general discussion.

The Government Needs Farmers as Well as Fighters.

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CALLED HER FAMILY TO HER BEDSIDE

Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But Now She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardui For Her Recovery.

Royse City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Kilman, of this place, says: "After the birth of my little girl... my side commenced to hurt me. I had to go back to bed. We called the doctor. He treated me... but I got no better. I got worse and worse until the misery was unbearable... I was in bed for three months and suffered such agony that I was just drawn up in a knot... I told my husband if he would get me a bottle of Cardui I would try it... I commenced taking it, however, that evening I called my family about me... for I knew I could not last many days unless I had a change for

the better. That was six years ago and I am still here and am a well, strong woman, and I owe my life to Cardui. I had only taken half the bottle when I began to feel better. The misery in my side got less... I continued right on taking the Cardui until I had taken three bottles and I did not need any more for I was well and never felt better in my life... I have never had any trouble from that day to this."

Do you suffer from headache, backache, pains in sides, or other discomforts, each month? Or do you feel weak, nervous and fagged-out? If so, give Cardui, the woman's tonic, a trial.

The Enormous Volume of our Business is Strong Evidence of Our Ability to

Clean, press and repair clothing so thoroughly those who try us

Try Again

You ought to become fully informed regarding our Hoffman sanitary method of pressing clothes.

Suppose you tell us you're interested that's all.—We'll call.

The time to place your order for your fall Suit is

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"Gets-It" has revolutionized the corn history of the world. Millions use it and it never fails. Ladies wear smaller shoes and have pain-free feet. We old fellows and young fellows forget our toes and feel frisky as colts. Everybody with a corn or callus needs "Gets-It." We will all walk about and enjoy ourselves as we did without corns. Get a bottle today from your druggist, or sent on receipt of price by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill. This is all you need to pay.

Local

If you want to get good grub go to the Red Cross box supper next Friday night at 6:30.

Mrs. D. E. Williams of Cedar Point ranch was a week-end guest of her daughter, Mrs. Scott Green, and family.

There is a slight tinge of Autumn in the air these days, through the weather could not be more salubrious and enjoyable if made to order.

Car Repairing

Done promptly, honestly and satisfactorily at the City Garage at reasonable prices. Rear of old State Nat Bank.

Harvey Munsey and s. Nevil were Roswell visitors last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Darlington entertained friends at dinner last Wednesday evening.

Ernest McFadden left Saturday night for a short business trip to Waverly, Kan.

Mrs. Santo of Hope was the guest Saturday and Sunday of her sister, Miss Jewell Logsdon.

Misses Martha and Matilda Harris have returned from an extended visit to their old home at Memphis, Tenn.

Dr. Inman left Sat. night for points in Arizona and California on a trip that will combine business with pleasure.

Mrs. E. B. McCaw of Avis, N. M., visited her mother, Mrs. Mrs. C. A. Lawrence, last week, also her two sons who are attending school here.

R. S. Trumbull, El Paso, Agricultural agent El Paso & Southwestern Ry was in town between trains Thursday. He was looking up oil and stock interests.

Prof. Paris has purchased the property recently occupied by L. G. Hadley. He moved his family and effects early in the week. Mr. Hadley has moved to El Paso.

Mrs. L. G. Hadley left Sunday night for El Paso, which place will henceforth be her home. Mr. Hadley and Mr. McCanne are operating a machine shop there.

Carl Cogden who was once in charge of the shoe department of the Joyce Fruit stores left last week to take charge of the dry goods department of a store in Albuquerque.

Looking for Bargains?

If so call at City Garage and get prices on second hand cars. Rear of old State Nat. Bank.

Ferree and John Garre at the county seat on last Tuesday.

Berry has gone to Texas to find the apple market. He has several carloads to sell.

Dad Mummert won his bet, and the Hardwick guests want to know when it is going to be paid.

Joyce Fruit have installed a gasoline filling station. Their tank has a capacity of 1000 gallons.

C. E. Mann attended a county commissioners' meeting at Carlsbad the first days of the week.

N. E. Garrett, who lives east of the rail road, is seriously ill, though he is thought to be improving.

Vernon George recently purchased 100 head of white heifers near Pecos, and now has them at pasture near Artesia.

Dahlias are now in their glory. Some of the plants in town are seven feet high and the blossoms are large and perfect.

Herr Barlow has improved the ground in the rear of the Smokehouse by leveling it and planting it to Bermuda grass. He has set a good example for others to follow.

The statements of the two local banks published in last week's issue of the Advocate make a good showing. These institutions do not seem to be affected by the war.

At the charter election held at Albuquerque Tuesday the new charter which does away with councilmen and substitutes a commission form of Government carried by a majority of 156 votes.

Work began on the Ford service station last Monday morning and the warehouse in the rear of the brick structure was completely razed by Tuesday night. The work is being pushed with vigor.

H. P. Larsh of Artesia has purchased the cotton gin at Loving and will remodel it and install new machinery. This gin was built when cotton was first begun to be raised in the Pecos Valley.

In spite of the early frost Minnesota will dig out 35,000, 000 bushel of potatoes this season. The farmers are uneasy for fear they may have trouble in getting them stored until they can be shipped.

The Rebekahs celebrated the 66th anniversary of their organization last Friday night. The social part of the program was engineered by the young folks who played games and had a good time generally. A bountiful supper was served and every one was glad to be a Rebeckah or the friend of one.

This has been a good season for tomatoes, and the canning factories are making the most of it. It is estimated that the fields about Artesia, Dayton and Lakefield will total more than 500 acres. The factory at Lakefield expects to can fully 100 carloads while Dayton will can between 35 and 40. The quality of the tomatoes is also exceptionally fine.

Back From Kansas

J. A. Bruce made a trip to Kansas where he has more than 100 head of cattle at pasture. He found the cattle in good condition and has not decided when he will bring them here. Mr. Bruce made the trip with his Dodge, and never missed a clip, going or coming. Arthur Horner, who has been in charge of his herd, returned with him.

All sizes of pipe and pipe fitting, windmills, pump cylinders pump leathers and sucker rods. L. P. Evans.

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"They Satisfy!"—and yet they're Mild!

Box Supper for Red Cross

The ladies of the local chapter will have a box supper at the rooms of the Jonquil club, Main St. next Friday evening, Oct 4th at 6:30 o'clock, for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Each lady is requested to contribute a box containing two good suppers with her name on the box. These boxes will be sold to the highest bidder for cash, after which the contents will be devoured on the premises.

Besides the supper there will be a short program of music and short patriotic talks by patriotic spellbinders. Remember the time, place and cause. Come everyone, and come prepared to do business.

Live Stock for Sale

One bay mare, six years old and well broke.
One Jersey cow, four years old, with calf by side.
One Jersey cow, five years old.
Stock may be seen at my place one block southwest of the High School building.
E. Page, Artesia.

Spot cash paid for old brass, copper, iron, rubber boots, shoes and auto tires. L. P. Evans.

For Immune—the vaccine that prevents Blackleg among your calves—see or write R. H. Nerion, Artesia N. M.

Hang Cards in Windows

The ladies who have signed pledge cards circulated by the representative of the Council of Defense, have been receiving cards of membership from headquarters at Washington, to be hung in windows. Some who have received these cards, not having understood what they were for, have thrown them away. The ladies of the local council earnestly request every lady who receives one of these cards to place it in a front window. They are in hopes to have such a card in the front window of every residence in Artesia.

Farewell to William Wirt

Mrs. Welton gave a dinner party for her son, William Wirt last Friday evening. The whole house was thrown open and beautifully decorated with American beauties. Sixteen couples of the "smart set" were present and pronounced the occasion more like the return of the prodigal son than a farewell to him.

A Rook party and luncheon were given as a farewell to Mr. Wirt by the Misses Kellogg and Armstrong on Saturday evening, at the Ward residence. They played rook until 10 o'clock, when a delicious luncheon was served. Mr. Wirt left on the midnight train. These young people and a host of other friends went to the station to say farewell.

Change in Train Schedule

Effective, Monday October 1st.
Northbound local will leave Artesia 8:25 A. M.
Southbound, will depart 11:25 A. M.
Daily accept Sunday, carrying day coach.
C. O. Brown, Agent.

To the Farmers of Artesia

My machine will be equipped with a bean attachment so I can care for your crop. I solicit your patronage.
P.G. Klopfenstein.

The Price of Lenses

is rising. We have been notified that a raise of 20 per cent is already in effect and there will be an extra raise of 50 per cent in sixty days.

Our advice is that you buy an extra pair of glasses NOW before we start to raise our prices.

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To the Parents

The following suggestions are made to those parents who are interested in the Educational development of their children. I presume of course that this means all parents. The problem before us though is such as to need more than just ordinary-casual attention. Under what conditions can a growing child do his best work, are we creating just those conditions, if we are not, who can, just how far we are responsible for strong, sturdy, powerful, responsible, reliable, honest, truthful, accurate, healthful, moral, men and women to fill the ranks of society—yes and just how far are we responsible for the opposite of all virtues; these are I maintain, only a few of the many phases that we are responsible for directly. In other words our training and our standards mean all in all for our children.

Our standard for school work this year is such that whatever your child may be in school in the future he will not be considered to have had inferior work. Our efforts are to make our work above the ordinary. Our demands for promotions are that a pupil must be efficient in the subject before he secures a credit. Half done work is not to be accepted or tolerated. In other words every student must come to our standard of work or fail. Indications are some needless failures for the first term pupils must do more work. It is an injustice to the child to give a high grade if the work has not been done. It is an injustice to the child not to make the standard right. It is also an injustice to the child for him or her to be allowed to spend an excessive amount of his time at something that interferes with his work at school. Poor students are made

this way. The morality of every student is hurt in this way. This excessive time may be spent in work, in play or in frivolities. All are very necessary yet all may be very detrimental. If a child lets one or all of these interfere with his thinking of school from the time he leaves the school building in the afternoon until he enters the room in the morning he is materially handicapped. It will be almost impossible for him to make more than half his credits in a creditable manner, especially in the upper grades and in the high school. If a child is thus handicapped the only just thing is to keep him out of school to do the work or play and when he is through with that let him do school work. In other words make school worth while. Don't mistake the above sentence to mean that the child should be kept out of school—it means to give him every advantage. No pupil should be allowed to be out later than 11 o'clock, at any time while in school. Once a week even at this hour is too often. If your child is not in bed asleep by this time every night in the week he is absolutely unfit for the kind of school work we are asking him to do. I am inclined to think the parents company in most cases is to be desired for the most of our events to be truly wholesome for the development of children.

I make the above suggestions frankly to all, that those who are interested in the deepest welfare of their children. Don't talk interested, be interested.

R. L. Paris

Heavy Loss of Live Stock

"The killing of live stock on railway tracks has become a more and more troublesome question to handle," says the Rock Island Railway in a circular letter to employes and the public, asking their co-operation in preventing this waste of meat when meatless days are staring the country in the face.

"During the year which ended June 30, 1917, the second district of the Rock Island Lines killed 274 horses and mules, 1114 cattle, 1650 hogs and 104 sheep, a total of 3142 head of stock," the letter continues. "This represents a total loss and an absolute waste. This stock was killed on eleven divisions, comprising the district.

"The country is being combated for horses and mules, both for army purposes and for farm work. The cattle loss does not represent a loss in beef alone, but a loss in dairy products also, as many of those killed are milch cows. Hogs sold on the Chicago market on August 21st at \$400.00 a ton live weight, which price is a strong indictment of the criminal waste by the useless slaughter of the above 1650 hogs killed by trains on this portion of the Rock Island Railway and represents in money value approximately \$57,750.00.

"The money loss, while serious, is nothing compared to the food loss which is absolute and final and it is seldom possible to make use for food of any stock struck by trains and this loss is one which even this rich nation can ill afford."

Railway employes and owners of live stock co-operating, need give this matter careful attention. Precaution and vigilance will reduce the loss of live stock on railroads materially.

A. M. Hove.

TO TRADE—Twin Indian Motorcycle for a cow. Address, "S" care Advocate.

Notice for Publication
028587
Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office at Roswell,
New Mexico
August 23, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that

George R. Daring, of Lake N. M., who, on May 11, 1917, made Hd. Entry Serial No. 033181, NE 1/4 SE 1/4, and SW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 26, Township 15 S., Range 25 E., N. M. P. Meridian, filed notice of intention to establish a three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register or Receiver U. S. Land Office, at Roswell, N. M., on Oct. 4, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Wiltie S. Haven, Elrie C. Jackson, John W. Haven, these of Lake Arthur, N. M.; Forest E. Levers, of Roswell, N. M.;
Emmett Patton, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
035115
Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Roswell,
New Mexico
August 23, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Tipton Vannest, of Lake Arthur, N. M., who on Dec. 20, 1916, made Hd. Entry Serial, No. 035115, for SE 1/4, Section 33, Township 14 S., Range 25 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before A. M. Thomas, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Artesia, N. M., on Oct. 1 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Robert O. Cowan, Chester Russell, these of Artesia, N. M.; Chester K. Ledlie, Joseph L. Ledlie, these of Hagerman, N. M.;
Emmett Patton, Register.

Notice for Publication
033181
Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M.
Aug. 23, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Horace B. Worley, of Lake Arthur, N. M., who, on Feb. 11, 1916, made Hd. E., Serial No. 033181, for N 1/2 NW 1/4 and N 1/2 NE 1/4, Section 7, Township 16 S., Range 25 E. N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before A. M. Thomas, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Artesia, N. M., on Oct. 2, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
William E. Perdue, William S. Morgan, Boyd E. Morthland, Wilson Gossett, all of Lake Arthur, N. M.
EMMETT PATTON,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
026667
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,
August 27, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that David S. Martin, Assignee, of Dayton, N. M., who, on September 21, 1916, elected to purchase under D. L. Relief Act, March 4, 1915, the SE 1/4, Section 34, SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 35, Township 18 S., and Lot 4, SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 2, and Lot 1, Sec. 3, Township 19 S., Range 25 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before A. M. Thomas, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Artesia, N. M., on Oct. 3, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Bruce P. Williams, of Artesia, N. M.; Paul A. Terry, George W. Lamar, Hattie J. Stallings, these of Dayton, N. M.
EMMETT PATTON,
Register.

Notice of Contest
Department of the Interior
United States Land Office
Contest No. 9751.
Roswell, N. M., Sept. 12, 1917.

To Oscar G. Flemister of Artesia, N. M., Contestee:

You are hereby notified that John B. Harris who gives Artesia, N. M., as his post office address, did on Sept. 12, 1917, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your Homestead Entry, Serial No. 027851 made Sept. 24, 1913, for SW 1/4, Sec. 6, Township 17 S., Range 25 E., N. M. Meridian, and as grounds for his contest he alleges that you have not resided on said land nor had any improvements thereon for more than three years last past; that said absence from the land was not due to your employment in military service rendered in connection with operations in Mexico, or along the borders thereof, or in mobilization camps elsewhere, in the military or naval organizations of the United States or the National Guard of any of the several States.

You are therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken as confessed, and your said entry will be cancelled without further right

and, either before this office or on appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the date of publication of this notice, as shown below, your answer, under oath, specifically responding to these allegations of contest, together with due proof that you have served a copy of your answer on the said contestant, either in person or by registered mail.

You should state in your answer the name of the post office to which you desire future notices will be sent to you.

Emmett Patton, Register.

Notice for Publication
029441
Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. Sept. 8, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Samuel J. Ross, of Lakewood, N. M., who, on Oct. 12, 1914, made Hd. E. Serial No. 029441, for S 1/2 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 21 and NE 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 28, Township 19 S., Range 25 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three years Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. W. Dauron, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Lakewood, N. M., on Oct. 22, 1917.

Claimants names as witnesses:
James T. Ross, Jr.; Gideon M. Boyd, Jr.; Jerry M. Mann, these of Lakewood, N. M.; William H. Ross, of Artesia, N. M.
Emmett Patton,
Register.

Department of the Interior
United States Land Office
Roswell, New Mexico, Sept. 6, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, under the provisions of the Acts of Congress approved June 21, 1898 and June 20, 1910 and acts supplementary and amendatory thereto, has filed in this office selection lists for the following described lands:

List No. 7952. Serial No. 040188.
Lots 1, 2, S 1/2 NE 1/4, Sec. 4, T. 17 S., R. 29 E., N. M. Mer., 159.81 acres.
List No. 8150. Serial No. 041334.
S 1/2 Sec. 1, T. 16 S., R. 21 E., N. M. Mer., 320 acres.
List No. 8151. Serial No. 041335.
All Sec. 13, T. 16 S., R. 21 E., N. M. Mer., 640 acres.
List No. 8152. Serial No. 041336.
Lots 17, 18, E 1/2 SW 1/4, Sec. 6, T. 16 S., R. 23 E., N. M. Mer. 154.57 acres.
List No. 8153. Serial No. 041337.
SE 1/4, Sec. 6, T. 16 S., R. 23 E., N. M. Mer. 160 acres.

Protestors or contests against any or all of such selections may be filed in this office during the period of publication hereof, or at any time before final certificate.

Emmett Patton,
Register.

In the District Court
Eddy County, State of New Mexico

The First National Bank of Artesia, a corporation,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Martin Yates, Jr. and Mary Yates, his wife, S. N. Gilbert and Emma Y. Gilbert, his wife, E. N. Nicolson, administrator of the estate of Andrew Nicolson, deceased, C. C. Nicolson and Sue Hatcher,
Defendants.
No. 2593.

Notice of Master's Sale

Whereas, an order was duly made and entered in the above entitled cause, The First National Bank of Artesia v. Martin Yates, Jr. et al. No. 2593, by the Judge of said Court on the 14th day of July, 1917, foreclosing a certain mortgage deed given by defendants, Martin Yates, Jr. and Mary Yates, his wife, covering the Southwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of Sec. No. 24, Twp. 17 S., Range 26 E., N. M. P. M., Eddy County, New Mexico, in favor of C. W. Williams and assigned to the plaintiff, which mortgage was given to secure the payment of a certain note in the sum of \$2200.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum and 10 per cent on the principal and interest as attorney's fees, and which said order appointed me, A. C. Keinath, Special Master, to sell the said property in satisfaction of a judgment rendered in said cause on said day, July 14th, 1917, to wit: \$2200.00 principal of said note, \$1784.02 the interest due on said note to July 10th, 1917, \$398.40

attorney's fees, being 10 per cent on the said principal and interest and the interest on said amounts to the day of sale, \$65.72 and the sum of \$13.50 cost of suit and the further cost of making this sale.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that I will sell the said described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the said judgment and such other and further costs as may accrue herein in making this sale, on the 17th day of October, 1917, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. on said day, at public vendue to the highest and best bidder for cash, at the front door of the Post Office in the town of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, as the law provides in such cases.

Witness my hand this 13th day of September, 1917.
A. C. Keinath
Special Master
Sep. 14 Oct 5

Notice of Foreclosure Sale.
In The District Court,
County of Eddy, State of New Mexico.

First National Bank of Artesia,
New Mexico, a corporation,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Earl D. Jones and Grace E. Jones,
Defendants,
No. 2584.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the judgment of foreclosure and order of sale rendered on the 20th day of April, 1917, in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico within and for the County of Eddy in a cause therein pending No. 2584 on the civil docket of said court, wherein the First National Bank of Artesia, New Mexico, a corporation, is plaintiff, and Earl D. Jones and Grace E. Jones are defendants, to which judgment reference is hereby made for the particulars thereof, I, A. C. Keinath, having been duly appointed as Special Master by said District Court, shall expose for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the First National Bank of Artesia, in the Town of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, on Saturday, the 13th day of October, 1917, at two o'clock P. M. of that day all the right, title, interest and claim of said defendants Earl D. Jones and Grace E. Jones of, in and to the following described real estate in Eddy County, New Mexico, and more particularly described as Lots Eight (8), Ten (10) and Twelve (12) in Block Fourteen (14) of the Original Town of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, together with all and singular the lands, tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging, or in anywise appertaining, the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits thereof, and all the interest, title and estate, right, claim and demand whatsoever of said defendants Earl D. Jones and Grace E. Jones, said real estate to be sold as property of said defendants Earl D. Jones and Grace E. Jones under said judgment of foreclosure and order of sale in said cause, to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness of one thousand, one hundred seventy-six and 91-100 dollars (\$1176.91) as principal and interest, and the further sum of one hundred fifteen and 50-100 dollars (\$115.50) as attorneys' fees, and costs of suit, said judgment being in favor of the plaintiff and against said defendants on the promissory note involved in said foreclosure suit.

The total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale is the said amount of \$1176.91

The total amount of attorneys' fee and interest due on date of sale	115.50
Clerk's costs	6.10
Sheriff's costs	1.75
Special Master's fee	10.00
Publication of notice of sale	9.65

Total amount due on date of sale, and costs of further proceedings herein, \$1319.91
Dated at Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, this 11th day of September, A. D. 1917.
A. C. Keinath,
Special Master
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