

THE MESSENGER

Hagerman—Where the most valuable mineral water in the Southwest flows from an artesian well in the city.

WEDNESDAY TWENTY-SEVEN

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SCHOOLS

HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL BASKET BALL CLASS TOURNEY

The following pupils have made excellent grades for the month of school will meet in a basket ball September and are singled out for tournament beginning Tuesday of the reader's approval. Those whose names appear each time during the first semester will be permitted to form an extra unit during the second semester. Only those making a grade of 90% or above are entitled to the above honors.

Ellsworth Evans, Waunita Evans, Fredrick Heitman, Fay Hoyt, Eleanor Hughes, Mildred Key, Beulah King, Paul Lemons, Fannie Meador, Mayre McIntosh, Juanita Newsom, Joe Peters, Carolyn Sweatt, Merle Sweatt, Dorothy Sweatt, Flora Terry, Joyce West, Pickets West, Ruth West, Ruth Wiggins and Spurgeon Wiggins.

The honor of making the highest average grade in the High school goes to Eleanor Hughes. Her average was 96%.

WIT AND HUMOR

Professor White—"Helen, explain please what we mean by the Monroe Doctrine?"

Helen Hoyt—"Er-I-uh-I a well, I don't believe I remember."

Prof. White—"Well, Helen, please repeat the question?"

Helen—"Remained silent."

Prof. White—"I should like to know if you have ever heard this little verse, Helen:

"My heart is in the highland
My mind is not here.
My heart is in the highland chas-
ing a dear."

Mr. Brinkley, president of the Car-rizo bank, and educational director of the State Banker's Association, was introduced by W. A. Losey to the High school and eighth grade students Monday. He spoke forcibly and convincingly in regard to the need of students knowing the construction of America's financial system. He said that a person who was not a financial success, was not much of a success. According to statistics available 1% to 10% know the organization of the present national financial system. Since 80% to 90% of business ventures are failures, the speaker said that students should become familiar with the workings of finance. Mr. Brinkley traced the program of banking and its influence from 1870 to the present time. He said that youth, to receive credit, must talk straight and be honest. The address was enthusiastically and seriously received by the students.

Teacher—"James will you give a sentence using the word 'unaware.'"

James—"Unaware is what you put on first and take off last."

Teacher (absent minded)—"That's good. Roy, give a sentence using the word 'notwithstanding.'"

Roy—"My Pa wears out the seat of his pants but notwithstanding."

Messenger Want Ads pay.
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200,000 TOURISTS VISITED THE LINCOLN FOREST PAST SEASON

Recreational activities in the Lincoln National forest have continued to increase and nearly 200,000 visitors went to the forest during the past tourist season.

For the information of tourists the United States Forest service is placing three hundred and fifty signs in the forest area giving mileage and direction to points of interest.

One of the historical places marked is Tunstall canyon. The sign there relates that J. H. Tunstall was killed there on February 18, 1878, that Billy the Kid was foreman on Tunstall's ranch and to avenge his employers death, the Kid started the conflict which resulted in the Lincoln county war in which more than sixty Lincoln county citizens were killed.

CAR TURNS TURTLE ON HIGHWAY NEAR TOWN SAT.

While on their way to a party Saturday night the car in which Hank Robinson and Miss Glencie Ona Stroud were riding turned turtle on the highway near town; the top and windshield were torn from the car, but the occupants escaped with only a few bruises and scratches and a huge scare.

Miss Stroud was learning to drive the car and let it run into the ditch, the car turning over and pinning them underneath it. A passing auto helped them from under the wreck and they returned to town too scared to think of a party.

FALL MOHAIR CLIP OF PINON SECTION IS BEING DELIVERED

Mohair growers of the Pinon section are delivering the fall mohair clip to Bond Baker Company at Roswell this week, where the clip will be stored for shipment. The fall clip, amounting to something over 100,000 pounds was slightly heavier than the spring clip and brought 57 cents per pound, a quarter cent under the price of the spring delivery.

THE COTTON MARKET

The following is the quotations from the New York cotton market, based on December deliveries, for the past week:

	Open	Close
October 19,	19.73c	19.57c
October 20,	19.53c	19.57c
October 22,	19.66c	19.72c
October 23,	19.81c	19.53c
October 24,	19.50c	19.59c
October 25,	19.80c	

MAN DIES ON WAY TO ROSWELL

J. H. Hanks, steam fitter from Albuquerque, died Monday afternoon, near Acme, while en route to Roswell. Mr. Hanks was accompanied by Al S. Roughton also of Albuquerque, who stated that Mr. Hanks asked that the car be stopped and after getting out of the car was dead within a few minutes. A coroner's jury was summoned when the body was brought to Roswell.

BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison McKinstry were hosts to the Hagerman Bridge club on Thursday evening of last week.

Mrs. Jack Sweatt and Mr. W. A. Losey won high scores.

Mrs. L. K. McGaffey, democratic nominee for state senator, was in Hagerman Thursday of last week meeting the voters.

Mrs. Marie L. Kadow returned last week from a visit in some of the northern states. Coming through Colorado she encountered snow, and says she is glad to get back to the "Sunshine" state.

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DANGER OF PRAIRIE FIRES GROWING AS THE HIGH GRASS MATURES

A large section of the southwest is today facing the danger of a disastrous prairie fire. The danger is not confined to the Pecos valley, but practically all of the plains of the state as well as a large part of West Texas. Midland is the first West Texas town to see the peril of a fire on the ranges and accordingly the Midland Chamber of Commerce has posted large signs along the Bankhead highway says an exchange, warning the motorist not to throw burning cigarettes, matches, cigars or like materials where there is a likelihood of setting fire to the ranges.

REDUCED COAL RATES WILL SAVE THE VALLEY RESIDENTS \$50,000.00

Reduced rates on coal from the Waldo and Gallup districts in northern New Mexico to Pecos valley point as far south as Otis, was effective on the 18th, it was announced last week. The reduced freight rate was the result of the efforts of the valley coal dealers with the Pecos valley traffic bureau, who have had the matter up before the State Corporation Commission since October 1927. The order of the corporation commission was finally upheld by the supreme court. It is estimated that the reduced rates will save the valley residents a sum of \$50,000 annually.

R. W. Cumpsten has just finished painting the front of L. W. Garner's store white, and the appearance of this building is greatly improved.

HAGERMAN TO HAVE A NIGHTWATCHMAN

At a meeting of the business men and the city council last Monday night it was agreed that a night-watchman be appointed by the city council, \$50.00 of his salary to be paid by the city and the remainder by the business men of the town. A committee was appointed to solicit money to help in paying the salary of the man employed.

A number of burglaries and other forms of lawlessness make it necessary to take steps to stop law violators, and the money spent for an officer will be well spent.

CLOVIS GIRL FATALLY INJURED IN AN AUTO ACCIDENT SUNDAY

Miss Jamie McAdams, age 16, daughter of W. T. Adams, was fatally injured Sunday afternoon in an auto accident, five miles south of Clovis. The accident occurred when a car in which she was riding turned over in a ditch on the Portales-Clovis highway. Miss Adams was taken to her home and died about three hours afterwards. Her head and chest were badly injured.

WINDS CARRY PINK BOLL WORM INTO THE U. S.

TUSCON, Ariz.—That south winds carry the pink boll worm, scourge of the cotton crop in southern United States, into this country from Mexico, was asserted by Dr. B. R. Coad, head of the investigation unit of the Federal Bureau of Entomology at Tallahassee, La., who arrived here by airplane from Mexico last week.

Previously it was believed that the cotton pest was transported only on carried objects. While the insects is "a pretty poor flier" the investigation established that it can be "carried along air currents," Dr. Coad said.

Dr. Coad was accompanied by R. L. Mitchell, air pilot for the Louisiana bureau, through Chihuahua, Durango and Coahuila tracing the movement of the boll worm. Dr. Coad said that he was "certain that the form has been transported by air from Mexico into Texas" but he was not convinced that it had been carried into Arizona in such a manner.

The remedy for the situation, Dr. Coad indicated was to include northern Mexico in the protective district which now includes Texas and New Mexico.

"We are studying the problem of handling the entire district of Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, and north Mexico as a single unit in fighting the infestation of the pest," Dr. Coad declared.

Rev. and Mrs. M. F. Bell and Mr. and Mrs. B. J. West are in Roswell today attending a meeting of the ministers and laymen of the Methodist church.

COTTON GINS ARE NOW RUNNING REGULARLY CROP BELOW NORMAL

Heavy Rains In August Cut Crop Short—Some Cotton Damaged By Hail—Much Late Cotton Will Not Mature At All.

The gins at Greenfield Hagerman and Lake Arthur are now running regularly and much cotton is being turned out by them though owing to rains the crop is late and the total amount of cotton ginned to date is something like 700 bales short of what had been ginned at this time last year.

Up until Saturday October 20, 1928 the Hagerman gins had ginned a total of 933 bales. The same date last year they had ginned 1630 bales. The Greenfield gin had ginned 189 bales Saturday night.

The Lake Arthur gin had turned out 344 bales Saturday night. At the same time last year they had ginned 556 bales.

Only 606 bales of cotton ginned this season had been sold Saturday night, leaving a balance of 860 bales then unsold.

Heavy rains during August caused the cotton stalks to grow rather than put on fruit, and the top crop usually put on is too late to mature before frost kills the plant. It is estimated that the yield this year will only average about three-fourths of a bale to the acre, whereas the normal yield is one bale to the acre average.

REV. M. F. BELL CALLED TO WILSON, OKLAHOMA

Rev. M. F. Bell, pastor of the local Methodist church for the past year, has been called to the pastorate of the M. E. church at Wilson, Oklahoma, and will leave Nov. 13th for his new charge.

Rev. Bell was returned here for another year, but had previously asked for a transfer to Oklahoma, believing that his hay fever would possibly be cured by the change of climate. Tuesday of this week he was notified that the transfer had been made, and he tendered his resignation as pastor of the local church.

Rev. Bell has not only done much for the upbuilding of his church here, but for the betterment of the town and community as well, and his wife will be greatly missed. The pastor of the church at Wilson, Oklahoma we understand will succeed Rev. Bell here.

ATTENDS CIRCUS

The following were among those attending the circus at Roswell Wednesday: Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Lawing and Martha Carter, Lillie Mae Andrus, Mrs. B. J. West and niece, Peggy, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sweatt and children, Mr. and Mrs. David Hulet and two children, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Mason and Children, Steve, Betty and Garner, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stroud and daughters, Glencie Ona and Blanche. Many others attended whose names we did not get.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. VanArsdol attended the circus Wednesday.

BIG BUS OF SUN SET STAGE DESTROYED BY FIRE WEDNESDAY P. M.

A fifteen passenger bus, the property of the Sun Set Stage Co., was completely demolished by fire yesterday afternoon about seven miles out of Carlsbad at the foot of what is known as the Seven mile hill. There was only one passenger at the time of the fire and he escaped without injury. The origin of the blaze is thought to have been due to a defective exhaust.

According to information reaching here late yesterday afternoon, the driver of the bus, Slim Northcutt, stayed with the burning vehicle until the steering gear burned his hand, but succeeded in stopping the bus at the foot of the hill. Upon making the stop the passenger and driver turned their attention to saving the baggage and succeeded in saving all the packages and baggage as well as the spare tire. The bus was too far gone to attempt to put the fire out.

The loss amounting to approximately \$6,000.00 was not covered by insurance it was said.

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MAKE YOUR SELECTION NOW

The Southwestern Plainsman in a recent editorial remarks:

In a recent speech at Columbus, Ohio, United States Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Dunlap declared that he considered the present the best time for thirty years to buy farms. Certainly Secretary Dunlap is in a position to be well posted on the outlook and believing that he should know what he is talking about. According to his deductions, there are many hopeful factors in the farm situation at the present time but after reading his address, one cannot fail to be impressed with the fact that he is expecting improved conditions to be brought about by the farmers themselves rather than by legislation. He foresees that the farmers are going to become persuaded more and more, to take advantage of the information and advice which is freely furnished by the department of agriculture, the extension service and various other governmental agencies. It is no longer enough for a farmer to work hard in order to succeed. His business has become too complicated. The farmer today has to reckon with a thousand and one things that never entered into the calculations of his grandfather at all—in fact they didn't exist. A revolution is taking place in agriculture which bids fair to bring about a great change in methods. If Mr. Dunlap is correct in his deductions, farming should become more profitable in the next several years and those who like rural life should take advantage of the present opportunity to select a farm home that meets their ideals. This seems to be a sort of transition period with low prices to select—an opportune time for the farmless farmer and the farmerless farm to get together.

ROUNDER'S MOTHER

Old Trapper, who lives in Skunk canyon over towards the H. J. ranch, was in town after beans and bacon last week and with him was his favorite dog, Rounder. Rounder is a descendant of all the dogs that have lived before him to the common bystander, but Old Trapper says he has some wonderful traits.

Old Trapper says that Rounder's mother was a wonderful bird dog, never flushed a bird when she once pointed it, and would stand like a wooden dog for hours. That trait was what caused her untimely end. Old Trapper was over in the foothills of the Cherry Cows after birds, and the brush was so thick that he lost Rounder's mother but supposed that she would find her way home when night came. She never showed up and it was not until the following year that the cause of her disappearance was explained.

Old Trapper was hunting over the same ground the next year and in a little clearing came onto some bleached bones of some animal and on closer examination they proved to be the skeleton of a dog. A few feet away on a rocky shelf was the skeleton of a bird. Evidently Rounder's mother had pointed a bird and both had starved to death.—Exchange.

DOES YOUR CHILD ATTEND SUNDAY SCHOOL?

Despite the fact that we have eight different religious organizations in Hagerman numbers of boys are to be seen loafing around on the streets on Sunday morning instead of attending church or Sunday school.

Some of these boys are sons of men and women who are regular attendants at church, but for some reason or other they do not persuade their boys to accompany them.

We believe strongly in the Sunday schools, and in keeping children in regular attendance there—because if the boys are in a class at Sunday school we know that they are not into some mischief or other.

Keep children in Sunday school and you give them a trust in the Almighty that will enable them to discredit the teachings of evolution that they will sooner or later be brought in contact with.

And, speaking of evolution—this is the worst curse that has ever visited the human race. In our opinion the teaching of evolution is, more than anything else, responsible for the crime wave that has been sweeping the country the past few years. If we fear not God, then there is nothing whatever for us to fear—death means nothing to the man who believes not in eternal punishment.

But if children are brought up in Sunday school there is little to fear from the teaching of evolution.

TOO MANY AUTO ACCIDENTS

Deaths from automobile accidents have increased five per cent over last year, says a recent press report. During the first eight months of the present year over 16,000 people have been killed by the autos in the United States and at the present death rate the total is expected to reach 24,000. Too many deaths by the auto.

While reading the press dispatch we were constrained to wonder how many auto deaths were due to drunken driving.

MODE OF TRAVEL CHANGING

When our ancestors changed their mode of travel from foot to the use of horses and camels, there doubtless were some killed in trying to train the animals—and we suspect that people shook their heads and said that this method was too dangerous to ever come into common use; but it did.

The railway train was at first dangerous; many people lost their lives, and some thought that this mode of travel would never be popular—but it was.

A number lost their lives riding bicycles, but they finally became popular.

Then came the auto which took its toll of lives before it was perfected to where it could be driven without any great danger, and we were told that it would never replace the faithful horse—but it has.

Now the passenger-carrying airship is beginning to be used, and far be it from us to say that before many years this mode of travel will not replace all others. But it will be many, many moons before we ride in one of the blamed things.

HAGERMAN IN LINE FOR BOOM

Hagerman is in line for a boom, but said boom will not come of its own accord—it must be brought on by those who live here.

Oil and gas have been reported to have been encountered in the Neal well west of town, and it looks as though we might be in the center of a vast oil field. But unless we show some signs of life the boom caused by this discovery—if reports are correct, will profit us nothing. We must get busy and boost, tell the world of our city—and get new industries located here.

In addition to the oil talk there is some hint of outside interests asking to be permitted to develop our mineral well. Development of this well alone will make a city of Hagerman within two years if we can get someone to take hold and push it.

This is no time to sit idly by—if we want our city to grow we must help it grow.

Advertise the town—tell the world that you live at Hagerman, the best town in the southwest.

PATIENCE AND OPTIMISM

The successful oil operator is both patient and optimistic, the operations in southeastern New Mexico for months have proved this. He is also a believer in the old saying, "All things come to him who waits."

Not long ago when a complaint was made that it looked like there would be nothing to write or talk about so far as the development of this section was concerned, a scout replied, "Well, we are finding out more about the country everyday." Indications are brighter just at present than at any time during the past six months, that the operators will not only learn more about the country but that they will uncover some major oil pools as well.

Activity during the past week has been very encouraging. It will take time however to prove up some of the wildcat territory. The oil industry has been compelled to adjust itself to the periods of depression as well as the flush times. Now it appears as though the tide is slowly turning for the better.

THAT LITTLE WATCH WHEEL

The watch wheel in your pocket runs 4,836 miles per year, says an official of the Southern Pacific railroad. One dollar collected every time your watch ticks would pile up each year a fortune amounting to roughly \$157,630,000.

He further says: "Your watch should tick 18,000 times each hour, or 432,000 times each day if it is keeping accurate time. The balance wheel should travel about one and ninety-six one-hundredths inches with each beat, thirteen and one quarter miles every twenty-four hours, or 4,836 miles in a year."

BUSINESS GOOD

A Jew once told us that the successful business man did not advertise when business was good; that only when business was slack did he advertise.

Judging from our ad columns, business is powerfully good around here of late; we are glad this is so. However, when business becomes slack, we would like for everyone to know that the Messenger is the best advertising medium in the Pecos valley.

The Messenger covers a field not touched by any other newspaper; it goes into the homes of the citizens; every person receiving it is a bonafide subscriber—and we are adding new names to our list all the time—without soliciting them.

CARELESS DRIVERS

A careless driver climbed the sidewalk on Main street, bumped into a plate glass door and shattered it Saturday night; another careless driver ran into a car on the highway near town the same night, wrecked it and injured the occupants. Sunday another careless driver bumped into a car that was standing on the side of the street in town. All of which leads us to remark that a law requiring that all motor car drivers be examined before a license is granted them to drive, and that reckless drivers and those that drive autos while drunk be barred from the roads.

THE SUCCESSFUL MAN

The story of every successful man is the same in essential details. He began work when he was young, stuck to it, was reliable, efficient, polite, fair and had respect for the lessons of experience. The story has been told so often that it greatly enrages the loafers, and they make fun of it; but here is one fact to depend upon.—E. W. Howe.

We don't know how many sheep there are in the state, but we expect to have a pretty good idea about the number in San Miguel county, when the votes are counted November 6. Delgado and Romero both raise sheep as a side line when they are not playing politics.

A farm relief plan isn't going to help the farmer, who lives out of a tin can and expects to get rich raising one crop.

J. MORROW'S RECORD

Attention is called to the legislation brought to New Mexico by the democratic membership in the congress of the United States, especially the efforts of John Morrow, as sole representative in the lower branch of congress.

Some twenty-one measures were enacted during the first half of the seventieth congress, dealing with constructive legislation for the state and more especially the following bills, 6496, 6497, 6498, 6499, Rio Grande river compact between New Mexico Colorado and Texas, to protect New Mexico's rights to the water of the Rio Grande; Pecos river of Texas and New Mexico; Cimarron of North New Mexico and Oklahoma. These bills were reported favorable and upon consent went to the calendar for action in the December 1928 session. Conserving and protecting these waters to the state is among the vital needs for New Mexico's future development.

Public resolution No. 7, to amend the constitution of New Mexico in order to submit to the voters of the state, the proposed amendment passed by the 8th state legislature, dealing with contracts for the protection of minerals upon state lands. Appropriation of \$250,000 for Avalon dam; \$71,000 for Carlsbad Caverns; \$100,000 for Middle Rio Grande conservancy district; \$70,000 for Hatch flood sufferers; 250,000 acres of land to care for the settlement of indebtedness in Grant, Luna, Hidalgo, Santa Fe, counties and the town of Silver City. A total indebtedness of \$400,000, one half of same charged to Silver City, a matter pending for 40 years, now finally disposed of and the remaining funds from land sales, estimated more than half a million dollars to go to the common school fund of the state. Many more private and public bills, sponsored by Mr. Morrow were passed.

We also call attention of Mr. Morrow's work upon flood control; his efforts for impounding dams, his work for the Boulder dam and particularly clearing title to school lands; his work in the house with the efforts of the late Senator Jones in bringing the state mineral rights in 9,000,000 acres of public lands, which means millions of dollars, if honest men handle same in state.

Mr. Morrow stands for protection upon all New Mexico interests, live stock, cattle, sheep and wool and has introduced in congress a bill for protection upon hides and also seed products.

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Community Building

Moving, or Fall Behind, Natural Law

There is much food for thought for the community in this short editorial from the Kansas City Star:

W. H. Manss at the talk of commerce luncheon was kind of thing to make Kansas City satisfied with itself. But it was a kind of thing that ought to make the city think.

Community, like an individual, needs to be shaken out of itself. The city needs just that treatment. The city has been content to go long on past achievements and assume that its natural advantages and its facilities already acquired would, in some automatic, mysterious fashion, bring it growth and prosperity. But the city has learned, and it has learned by this time, that an attitude is fatal to community progress.

It is not every fellow for himself, but if a community is to go forward, individual citizens, civic and business groups that fall into the habit of regarding their own imagined welfare as anything and everything add up for the good of the city will be a while that they, as well as the community, have suffered. Mr. Manss has struck at the heart of Kansas City's problem. It is a test of the city's mettle. What will be the result?

Women Plan Flower-Lined Roads

One of the 600 women's clubs in the state is planning to plant larkspur, hollyhock, geranium, honeysuckle and other perennials along all state and federal highways not only will make Indiana pleasing to the senses, but it is a very useful purpose. Vines and shrubs on sloping roadsides will prevent erosion and prevent dirt from being washed onto the pavement and on new construction in a space of time will hide the scars of the tractor's shovels.

Indiana has a state forest at Henry's Fork, 30 miles north of Louisville. Small shrubs and trees native to the state are cultivated. From this nursery are to be obtained saplings and flowering shrubs which the highway department has promised to set out, in co-operation with the conservation commission and the women.

Don't Paint on Wet Wood

Builders who wish to obtain the best results possible in painting their homes and other exterior woodwork should be careful to apply the priming coat to dry wood. If the wood has been exposed to rain or has become soaked with water from some other cause, the coat of paint should not be applied until the wood has had a chance to dry out. Otherwise, a very satisfactory paint job may result. The paint may become chalky, peel or show discoloration. The first coat is put on while the wood is dry, a satisfactory paint job will result. No matter how much water strikes the wood after it has received its priming coat, the moisture will not penetrate the paint film and will evaporate, leaving the paint in a suitable condition for the second coat.

Label the Garden

In many gardens where a great variety of flowers and shrubs are grown it is necessary to know just where each flower is and as each has a treatment of its own. Garden labels then must be used unless a map is made of the garden, which is not as advisable. A new label on the market to place the place of the unsightly wood is a metal card holder made of rust-proof iron, galvanized and painted in dark green. To designate the plant, the card is removed and marked, then replaced and covered with a piece of mica which is weatherproof.

Support for Roof

The permanence depends as much on what holds up the roof as it does on the surface exposed to the elements. A roof framed with 2 by 6 joists spaced 16 inches apart and spanning a distance greater than 12 feet, and which are not set at an angle of less than 45 degrees, will be strong enough to support heavy roof loads such as tile and slate. If a roof is set at an angle of less than 45 degrees, the rafters should be sturdier.

Materials That Last

When building a home, be sure of the material. One of the best ways to save heavy upkeep costs is to strangle them at their birth. Be ruthless about cut, slash, slay. Get the kind of materials that will endure. Endless hours for painting or renewing coatings which crack or fall off are unnecessary.

The World's Smallest License Plate



One of the most unusual and interesting automobile license plates of the entire 1929 series is that which Alaska will distribute, through its Territorial Treasurer, W. G. Smith, at Juneau. The plate is about six inches long and three inches deep. The color scheme is white on a maroon background. Doris Hill, featured in Paramount Pictures, is attaching the plate to a new 1929 Buick.

For the Coed Sweater With Colorful Stripes



The call of the schoolgirl sweater mode is for stripes, up and down, around and around, zig zag or on the diagonal. The sweater pictured is white, striped with blue, for to follow fashion the college girls simply must wear some one or more or many shades of blue this season.

DAIRY FACTS

KEEP COWS CLEAN AND COMFORTABLE

Maintenance so far as possible of summer conditions for dairy cows in winter calls for a good snug barn in which the dairy stock will be comfortable the coldest days. "It is not necessary that the temperature of the barn be kept anything like that of a human dwelling," says Dr. C. H. Eckles, chief of dairying of the University of Minnesota, "but on the other hand a barn so cold that the manure freezes every night will have a bad effect on milk production and will therefore be the means of losing money for the cow owner. "Ventilation is important. Fresh air for the cow is as great a necessity as feed and is cheap to supply. If a barn is thoroughly wind proof and has a good roof, the cows will not suffer much from cold. In the northern states the barn should be insulated by being boarded up on the inside. If frost gathers on inside walls of a barn in cold weather, causing them to drip moisture as the temperature rises, the ventilation is poor. But ventilation alone in a cold climate will not prevent frosty walls; proper insulation is needed.

"Any changes in the barn that will improve the sanitary conditions, or that will make it easier to keep the cows clean, should be made now. Let it be remembered that the barn is a place to prepare human food and that the health and even lives of the children of the country depend to a goodly extent upon conditions in the stable where milk is produced. To produce clean milk requires clean cows. A good floor, a gutter of proper depth and width, and especially a platform of the right length for the animals, are the first things necessary to keep cows clean in the ordinary barn.

"Imitate summer conditions both as to feed and comfort of the animals, and winter production will be as satisfactory as early summer, with the price generally better."

SEEN IN THE GLASS OF FASHION

"Things are not always what they seem" as was remarked by wise Phaedrus in the year 8 A. D. This observation fits most every phase of life. For instance, a sheer dress material looks for all the world at first glance to be a fine worsted of shady blocks, reveals on close examination that it is a series of varicolorings obtained by the use of rayon. These blocks which for a plaid are of worsted in red brown, while alternate blocks are mingled with gold and silver made in chemistry's textile wonder which gives it a coppery look where the gold color is used with the brown, and yet a different tone where it is white.

Pajamas have long been Persia's pride in man's sleeping attire. Americans call them Pa-jamas—and pa and all the boys wear the snappy new rayon underthings. Pajamas and union suits have won out over the prejudices of even the old-fashioned man. Pajamas may be made along the lines of the regular cuts, or if you prefer, a knock-a-bout in-

door costume.

It might have seemed, too, that the two piece frock was destined to extinction but "there's many a miss between the cup and the lip,"—the two piece frock survives! It makes its appearance for fall wear elaborated and destined for more formal functions. Transparent velvet topped by metal cloth blouses—not a new note, you say—but it is strictly new in its latest adaptations. The jumper is decidedly longer, always belted and developed with the tight hip line.

MAYHILL BRIDGE COMPLETE

The state highway department announces that a new bridge above Elk has been completed. This bridge eliminates the last crossing on the Penasco. A few years ago there were twenty-six fords on this route. The new bridge is fifty-five feet long and is the result of the promise of the highway department and Governor Dillon that the last ford should be taken out of the route.

Messenger Want Ads pay.

Charter No. 7503—Reserve District No. 11 REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK AT HAGERMAN, IN THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON OCTOBER 3, 1928. RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$156,531.42
Overdrafts	148.63
United States Government securities owned	34,051.35
Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned	10,401.60
Banking house, \$6,550.30, Furniture and fixtures	9,498.95
Real estate owned other than banking house	67.67
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	11,344.42
Cash and due from banks	30,619.53
Outside checks and other cash items	865.34
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	1,250.00
Total	\$254,778.91

Capital stock paid in	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus	10,000.00
Undivided profits—net	177.71
Circulating notes outstanding	25,000.00
Demand deposits	139,940.49
Time deposits	31,447.65
Bill payable and rediscounts	23,213.06
Total	\$254,778.91

State of New Mexico, County of Chaves, ss:
I, W. A. Losey, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. A. LOSEY, Cashier.
GEO. W. LOSEY,
W. E. BOWEN,
WILLIS PARDEE,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of October, 1928.

(SEAL) J. T. WEST,
Notary Public.

My Commission Expires March 22nd, 1929.

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GRACE S. MASSIE

Sheriff—
JOHN C. PECK

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Treasurer—
MRS. W. C. HOLLAND

Supt. of School—
MRS. JULIA E. BRASHER

Surveyor—
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BOTH PARTIES INTENT UPON VICTORY IN STATE AS CAMPAIGN FINISHES

SANTA FE.—With less than two weeks give promise of showing a Sunday for everyone to catch their breath the political campaign in New Mexico swings into the stretch with the leaders of both parties intent upon their campaign strategy intended to carry them both to victory on election day. Unfortunately some one will have to lose, to make the election orderly.

The campaign in the state got away to a late start, in comparison with the campaigns in other states. From three weeks to a month before the New Mexico parties got down to the business of selecting their tickets other states had their tickets in the field and both their state and national campaigns underway.

Working on the premise that a short campaign was easier on campaign funds, political pocketbooks, and campaigners themselves, and with some jockeying for convention positions as an incentive for a little further delay the conventions were cleaned up early in September by the party camps. Five weeks of maneuvering, canvassing and speaking have just about indicated to the democratic and republican headquarters where they stand respectively with the voters, and the final two weeks of working days left and three whirlwind finish, with both factions firmly stamping the seal of security on the ground already gained and working to strengthen uncertain territory.

The wind up of county conventions apparently had republican headquarters on the edge for a few days, with regard to the situation in three counties as it might effect party harmony, but to all outward appearances, and with respect to the statements of leaders in the counties, the San Miguel, McKinley and Sandoval county eruptions were disposed of harmoniously, and completed with the party in the counties united for the tickets nominated.

About the only claims advanced so far on given territory has been the claim by republican speakers that Chaves county would go for Hoover. The claim, however, brought an immediate and emphatic refutation from Jethro Vaught and Coe Howard in a prediction to republican headquarters, that "wherever Chaves county or any of the other eastern counties go republican the rivers will be flowing up hill, the trees will be growing with their roots in the air and the republican party will have adopted Bryan's cross of gold speech as a part of its national platform."

Charges of whispering campaigns intended to arouse religious prejudice continue to be left at the gate of one party on one night and returned to the given with the compliments of the receiver the next night.

In the gubernatorial race Governor Dillon has not departed far from his practice of short speeches and is emphasizing "the building of the highways as the state's third greatest industry" and the development of the state's resources, while attorney General Robert C. Dow has continued his charges of "extravagance in the present republican administration," and his promise to "give the people a more efficient and less expensive government and clean out the state house and highway department of political pie counter politicians."

While politics from the pulpit has cropped out prominently in several other states, the ministers of New Mexico, so far as reports to the newspapers indicate have kept out of the political situation.

Only twice during the campaign so far has there been political expressions made by ministers in the state before religious meetings, and both of those utterances were made by representatives of a church, who came into the state from elsewhere—one from Colorado and one from Texas.

The straight ticket voter, is the principal enigma faced by both parties. With both parties facing the possibility of ordinary safe votes being deflected by the unusual presidential situation, there is some conjecture over whether democrats who may vote for Hoover and republicans who may vote for Smith, will vote straight or scratched tickets.

Both political headquarters express confidence but likewise both confess that they have problems. Personal house to house canvassing has been engaged in statewide by both parties, and it may be that the real effective work of the campaign will come from the army of workers in the field.

WELL KNOWN ROSWELL MERCHANT DROPS DEAD

C. A. Davis, age 48, manager of the Radford wholesale grocery at Roswell, dropped dead while at work in his office Thursday afternoon, about 4 p. m. Death was due to heart attack. Mr. Davis leaves a widow and four children, three of whom live in Roswell.

BEST OF HUMOR

His Affliction
"I see the doctor's attending him again. What's he got?"
"Money?"

At Palm Beach
"Why forget-me-nots on the table?"
"We're leaving today. Just a little idea of the waiter's."

Undeniably Dense
"Is she stupid?"
"My dear, she thinks an octopus is an eight-legged cat!"

On a Credit Basis
"Well, and how's business?"
"Going like clockwork."
"Tick, tick, tick—eh?"

Her Preference
He—Do you read love stories?
She—No; I like to have them told to me.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

In the Fowl Class
"You were no spring chicken when I married you!"
"No; but I was a goose."

Musical Scents
Musical Teacher—Who can tell me the national air of Italy?
Bright Boy—Garlic.

Comprehensive
"What he doesn't know about horse-racing isn't worth knowing." "That goes for what he does know, too."

The Limit
Would-Be Hunter—What is the game limit in this locality?
Native—Two deer and one guide.

Sharing It
"Do you have your own home?"
"No; you see, we have company most of the time."

Just at Times
Guest—"Does the roof always leak like this?" Country Hotel Clerk—"Nope. Only when it rains."

Not That Sick
Girl—I want a nice book for an invalid.
Librarian—Something religious?
Girl—No, not now. He's convalescent.

Various Trades Offer Occupation to Blind

Blind men are employed in many engineering factories. In one German electrical concern, says the annual report of the National Institute for the Blind, more than one hundred sightless people are employed, while double that number are being trained. Blindness, it is said, is no hindrance to a man looking after two or even three automatic machines. The average earning capacity of a blind operative in these works is considered to be about 80 per cent of that of a normal-sighted man.

Ninety blind persons employed in French engineering trades earn about 85 per cent of full wages. A motor factory in America employs 44 blind men, who are given the work for which they seem most competent.

Big-Hearted Hoot
Although Hoot Gibson, the western star, is noted for his horsemanship, his intimate friends know him equally well as an auto race driver. Indeed, it was only phenomenal success in pictures that kept Hoot from going permanently into the auto race game.

Recently, "on location," Hoot spent an evening with a fortune teller who, in the course of her reading, pulled the old bromide: "Let me warn you; some one is going to cross your path." "Don't you think you'd better warn the other party?" asked Hoot anxiously.

Broken Saw Traveled Far
Fragments of a circular saw crashed against the dwelling of Mrs. George C. Laller in Portland, Maine, 300 feet from the starting point in the yard of Harold E. Campbell, when the saw, 36 inches in diameter, burst and screamed into shrapnel through the air. Another section embedded itself in the roof of a house 200 feet distant and in the opposite direction from that which the large section had traveled.

Obliging Papa
Angelina—I couldn't decide among my suitors, so I told them all to see papa.
Alice—Well?
"Now I'm worse off than ever; papa gave his consent to every one of them."—Pittsburgh Sunday Telegraph.

Change Cars
Williams—So the train hit you and carried you on the cowcatcher for several miles?
Brown—Yes, and I suppose I'd be on there yet if the conductor hadn't kicked me off for not having a ticket.

No Matter How Payable
"Do the mosquitoes annoy you, Mr. Brown?"
"Yes, I always dislike having bills sent in."—Pittsburgh Post.

After Marriage
"Your husband never seems to send you flowers any more."
"That's all right. He puts that money into life insurance."

Tailored Coat Dress for Street Wear



Interest is revived in the coat-dress for street wear, styled of one of the very new lightweight woolsens, or of the new rayon and wool weaves which are so effective. Perfected tailoring is the outstanding feature of these frocks, with attention directed to unusual detail. A handsome fur neck-piece is indispensable.

LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS (Mrs. Ned Hedges, Reporter)

Mrs. D. A. Goode has been on the sick list this week having recently had all her teeth extracted.

Rev. Waithal has moved his family here. He filled his first appointment at Lake Arthur Sunday and preached a most excellent sermon.

The ladies interested in the repair of the Methodist church met in conclave at the home of Mrs. John Lane Tuesday and plans were made for the sale of quick lunches and prepared food on election day. Committees were appointed but the selection of the booth was left to be decided later.

Mrs. Shirley Smith was hostess Tuesday evening to the Teachers club. This was the second meeting of this club which was organized two weeks ago.

The October meeting of the Parent Teachers' Association occurred the evening of the 19th. The usual crowd was present and enjoyed the play given by Mrs. McCall's class in dramatic art. The refreshments consisted of doughnuts, coffee and cocoa. At the business meeting Professor Bernard acted as chairman. Clyde Nihart, chairman of the nominating committee presented the old ticket for reelection which unanimously carried, much to the delight of everyone interested in a successful P. T. A.

SUPREME COURT ACTS GUADALUPE REGISTRATION

SANTA FE.—Holding that the new election code is not in conflict with the state supreme court has reversed Judge Luis Armijo in the Guadalupe county election registration case and instructed the judge to take evidence in the case.

Judge Armijo has denied a petition by J. D. Hannah, democratic chairman in Guadalupe county for the removal of 350 names from the county registration book. Judge Hanna contended that the registration had been illegally made, and Judge Armijo had sustained a demurrer filed by the registration judges which claimed that the petition was without effect since it did not allege that the names were of persons who were not constitutionally qualified electors.

Mr. Hannah took the case to the supreme court on a writ of certiorari and the decision was handed down Saturday.

If you have a house or room for rent, try a messenger want ad.

SURVEY BEING MADE FOR NEW RAILROAD SEAGRAVES TO HOBBS

LUBBOCK, Texas.—The Lubbock Journal said Monday that a group of engineers employed by the Santa Fe railroad, headed by J. W. Stewart and J. T. Ervin of the Chicago engineering department of the rail system, Monday began an extension of the Lubbock-Seagraves branch of the Panhandle-Santa Fe lines toward Hobbs, New Mexico, scene of the latest southwestern oil strike.

Although J. C. Barton of Slaton, division superintendent of the Panhandle-Santa Fe, refused comment, authoritative information, the paper said, adds that a new townsite, about 20 miles southwest of Seagraves, will be traversed by the new line.

Survey of the extension came immediately after announcement that the Pure Oil Co., had made a location for a deep test in sec 110, block H, Gaines county, 10 miles south of Seagraves. One producing well already has been drilled in the Hobbs area and several other tests are under way.

A rail line connecting Seagraves and Hobbs would be about 36 miles long.

TAXPAYERS SAVED \$443,000 IN INTEREST THROUGH THE REFUND OF BOND ISSUES

SANTA FE.—Statistics which show that taxpayers of the state have been saved \$443,684.43 in interest through the refunding during 1927 and 1928 of bond issues were announced Saturday by John Joerns, secretary of the state tax commission.

The total amounts of bonds for counties, municipalities and school districts which have been refunded, Mr. Joerns said, total \$1,264,900.

"If the old bonds had been continued in force," Mr. Joerns said, "the amount of interest which would have to be paid would be \$1,036,670.50. Practically all of the old bonds. All of the refunding bonds are serial bonds, which provide for an annual reduction of the principal and interest. Ninety per cent of them carry a lower rate of interest. The amount of interest which will have to be paid on the refunding bond issues is \$592,986.07, and represents a saving to the taxpayers in interest payments of \$443,684.43."

F. W. SANDS DEAD

F. W. Sands, prominent Roswell business man, died at a Kansas City hospital Thursday afternoon, following an operation for the removal of a brain tumor. Mr. Sands came to Roswell in 1908 and was manager for the Western Union Telegraph Co., for a number of years, later he became identified with the Roswell Building and Loan Association as assistant secretary and with the Roswell insurance and Surety Co., as secretary. Mr. Sands age 53, leaves his widow and two children. Burial was made in Roswell.

How Blood Travels

Assuming the heart to beat 69 times a minute at ordinary heart pressure, the blood courses through the veins at the rate of 207 yards in a minute, or seven miles an hour, 168 miles a day, and 61,320 miles a year. If a man eighty-four years of age could have had one single blood corpuscle floating in his blood all his life it would have traveled in that time nearly 5,150,000 miles.

"How is it that a little boy of your age is smoking?"
"Bad companions, ma'am."
"What do you mean?"
"I was the only boy in the family and mother made me play with my sisters until I was most ten."

Winter is Coming Prepare for It

Build a hen house and get more eggs during the winter months. Hens lay better when protected from the weather.

Build stalls for your cows to stay in during bad weather, and you will get more milk.

Build a shed to milk in and save yourself the discomfort of milking out of doors in cold weather.

Building Material Is Cheaper Now Than It Has Been In Years—But It Won't Remain Cheap

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The type of coat so popular for general wear throughout the winter months. Of hardy tweeds or mixtures with collars of collar and cuffs of raccoon or wolf.

SPECIALLY PRICED

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**TANGLED; HE
DOWS IGNORANCE
OF STATE FUNDS**

Republican State Central Committee)

Mr. Dow is out for Smith. His brother Hiram Dow, is appealing to the eastern counties to support the democratic ticket because of the American paper attacks on the Klan which is fighting for Bob.

Bob is tangled in his own affairs. Hiram, his brother, who is running his campaign in Chaves county like a fly caught on tangle.

Democratic candidate confines his things about which he is speaking at Artesia. "At the close of the administration we owed only an account of roads."

Mr. Dow didn't know what he was talking about or he made a mistake. We prefer him ignorant of the facts.

THE DEBENTURES
is especially severe in his denials of debentures. Again his denials tangles him. Debentures are time loans. They save the state from twenty-five years of time loans. They save the state from some of the uses to which these short time loans have been put for buildings at various institutions:

New Mexico Military Institute, \$100,000; for the New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, \$25,000; for the New Mexico State University at Las Vegas, \$100,000; for the New Mexico State College at Silver City, \$75,000; for the Spanish-American school, \$50,000; for the New Mexico school for the deaf and dumb, \$75,000; for the New Mexico School for the Home, \$25,000.

Laws of 1927 authorized the issue of bonds against the University permanent fund in a sum not to exceed \$100,000 for the erecting and equipping of buildings on the university grounds. Mr. Dow refuses to say which one of the institutions he would have de-

FUNDS FOR ROADS
Dillon administration found money in the state road fund and spent it everywhere where demands were made. The Dillon administration had to raise money or stop the roads. It found a way in the active opposition of Mr. Dillon the lawsuits he instituted against the general.

Five cent gasoline tax law was issued by the Dillon administration and the income from that tax was used for the roads with which to build roads. Dillon administration has built roads and kept the roads in better condition than before.

Moreover, it will not cost the state one dollar for the roads on these debentures. The increased quantity of roads used on the roads built with debenture money will more than interest.

Gasoline taxes paid by tourists in other states will pay both principal and interest on the debentures.

**Suggestions for Veiling
The Autumn Bride**



Two very charming versions of head-dresses which are modish for the autumn bride are shown in the picture. Exquisite simplicity is the keynote of the one shown at the top. The other model elaborates the theme somewhat with a cap of pearls and orange blossom motifs, at the same time adhering to the snug silhouette.

The Real Thing Last
The duke of Cambridge when in Rome paid a visit to the pope, from which he returned greatly impressed: "I don't hold," he afterward remarked, "with all this spoliation of the pope; tomorrow they will be robbing the king, and, the day after, they'll be wanting to rob me."—From "Reminiscences," by Sir Vincent Corbett.

Napoleon's Consort
Constant, Napoleon's valet de chambre, described the Empress Josephine as a lady of middle size "exquisitely shaped and with an elasticity of motion which gave her an aerial appearance. She had magnificent hair and eyebrows and dark-blue eyes, and her expression was full of sentiment and kindness."

Watch the Little Things
A little neglect may breed great mischief. For want of a nail the shoe was lost, for want of the shoe the horse was lost, for want of the horse the rider was lost—being overtaken and slain by an enemy—all for the want of care about a horseshoe nail.—Benjamin Franklin.

Always One Smaller
Electrons are so small, investigators tell us, that 50,000,000 of them could sit on the point of a pin. Yet there are no limits to smallness. Doubtless among that 50,000,000 there could be a point so small that one electron could sit on it and say, "Ouch!"

Trail of Diamonds
Because diamonds are frequently found in glacial debris in the Great Lakes region, geologists believe there is a huge diamond deposit in the vicinity of Hudson bay. Search for it has been futile because of glacial rock covering territory.

World's Many Languages
It is estimated that 2,976 languages are spoken throughout the world. This number includes the many barbaric means of expression used in obscure places. Of the 800 distinctive languages existing today 48 are current in Europe.

"Dry" by Public Opinion
Temperance problems cause no trouble in Afghanistan, for the country is "dry" of its own free will. That is to say, there is no law against the sale or consumption of intoxicants, but public opinion is against it.

Dismissed With Doubt
A German psychologist says that perfume has played an important part in the growth of kindness in this world of ours, but, then, he may just be an old sentimentalist.—New York Evening Post.

Long in Charitable Work
The oldest charity society in this country is the German society, which was founded in 1784. It provides medical service, a free employment service and an immigration service.

24 NAMES ADDED TO REGISTRATION LISTS
Judge Richardson last week ordered twenty-four names added to the registration lists of voters in Carlsbad, Artesia, Cottonwood, and Oil Field precincts, the same having been properly presented to the court by the republican chairman, R. L. Halley. Seven of these voters live in the Carlsbad precinct, eleven in the Artesia precinct; two in the Cottonwood precinct and four in the Oil Field precinct.

Quite a number of the democratic voters failed to be placed on the list because no one attended to presenting them properly to the court.—Current-Argus.

VOTE
For Mrs. Frank Markl for County Treasurer.—Adv. 43-2tc

WANT ADS PAY

DEXTER ITEMS

Roy Bailey was in Roswell Tuesday. C. C. Prichard, of Roswell, was in Dexter last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shipworth have a fine boy, born October 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawing are the proud parents of a fine girl, born October 19th.

Mrs. Josie Glass, Esa Glass and Mr. and Mrs. Walker Harris were in Artesia Sunday.

Mesdames Earl Wolf, Will Marx, and Miss Gladys McMain were in Roswell Saturday.

Mable and Aileen Adams, Eva Mae O'Bryan and Minnie Campbell motored to Artesia Sunday.

Mrs. McDaniel, of Kress, Texas, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. W. F. Kerr, and Mrs. Roy Shipworth.

Mesdames J. W. Dudley and Luther Dudley, of Roswell, visited Mrs. P. P. Clark wednesday.

Mrs. O. W. Phillips, who has been in the hospital at Roswell, returned home Sunday very much improved in health.

Tommie Hubbard who is teaching school at Lincoln, visited his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Hubbard over the week end.

Miss Grace Stanley, who is teaching at Cottonwood, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stanley, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. O. W. Durand and two children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hanes, and other relatives in Roswell Saturday.

Mildred Bailey, while playing with some more girls at the depot Sunday afternoon, broke her arm when she leaped off the platform.

H. B. Wattenbarger left Sunday night for Childress, Texas, in answer to a message from that place stating that his father was seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell, of Tennessee, and E. G. Stone, of Oklahoma City, came in Friday, and Mr. Stone, of California, came in Sunday for a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Stone; their brothers, A. T. and A. C. Stone and their sister, Mrs. M. L. Kuykendall.

**Frock of Lightweight
Woolen Is Vogueish**



To be fashionable one really must have a frock of novelty or plain woolen this season. The sheer woolen georgettes are handsome. The very attractive gown in the picture is of independence blue wool crepe with stitching of silver bordering the blouse.

PREACHING AT DEXTER
Chas. C. Fuqua will fill his regular appointment at the Church of Christ at Dexter next Sunday; preaching three sermons, one at 11:00 o'clock in the morning; another at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon and at 7:30 at night.

WHEN YOU TRADE
In Roswell, go to the little store for men just back of the First National Bank. There you will find a good assortment of standard merchandise. 43-2tc

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VOTE
For Mrs. Frank Markl for County Treasurer.—Adv. 43-2tc

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We wish to thank each and everyone who has helped to make this one of the greatest sales we have ever held, and invite you to continue to trade with us.
We still have lots of goods left. Come here for your needs.
Come in next week and see what a dollar will buy at our—
DOLLAR COUNTER
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We have some real bargains in Used Cars—all in good mechanical condition.
See our Used Cars before buying. We will save you some money. Or, if you prefer, we will sell you a new Chevrolet.
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SQUARE BASE HEATER
Purdy Furniture Store
ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO

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That Is News**
Editors keep advertising out of their news columns, but they can not keep news from their advertising columns.
Every ad of this company contains news of interest to our customers.
Whether we try to paint a word-picture of our new Frigidaire, Range, Washer, Water Heater, Cleaner or any Electric Appliance—or whether we show an actual cut, some new feature of our appliances over ordinary appliances is brought to light and represents news to some one.
**Southwestern
PUBLIC SERVICE
Company**

Attention!
WE INVITE YOU TO PUT OUR
Western Chick and Dairy Feed
to a test on quality and price
The majority of the feeders in the Dexter, Lake Arthur and Hagerman sections are using our feed—we want them all.
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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior
U. S. LAND OFFICE at Las Cruces, N. M., Sept. 12, 1928.
NOTICE is hereby given that Joe Newsom Barnhill, of Hagerman, N. M., who, on Feb. 21, 1924, made homestead entry, No. 028676, for E½, SW¼, sec. 25, E½ SE¼, sec. 26, T. 14-S., R. 28-E. and lots 1, 2, sec. 30, T. 14-S., R. 29-E., N. M. P. & Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Dan C. Savage, U. S. Commissioner, at Roswell, N. M., on the 27th day of October, 1928.
Claimant names as witnesses: John W. Vest, of Roswell, N. M., Dee Wheeler, Shorty Han, Robert Merrett, these of Hagerman, N. M. 39-5t V. B. MAY, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, N. M., September 21, 1928.
NOTICE is hereby given that William Oscar Ballou, of Lake Arthur, N. M., who, on April 7, 1925 and December 16, 1927 made Additional H. E. Sec. 7, Act 2-19-09; Additional Stock Raising No. 029928 and 034485, for SW¼, Sec. 8, T. 16 S., Range 24 East; N½, Section 20, Township 15 S., Range 23 E., N. M. P. & Meridian has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Dan C. Savage, U. S. Commissioner, at Roswell, N. M., on the 3rd day of November, 1928.
Claimant names as witnesses: John Weaver, Robert Galantine, Lon Blevins, Jim Ballou, all of Lake Arthur, N. M.
V. B. MAY, Register.
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, N. M., September 12, 1928.
NOTICE is hereby given that S. C. Jones, Elida, N. M., Guardian of minor child of Albert T. and Minnie B. Jones, deceased, who, on September 24, 1923, made S. R. Hd. Entry, No. 028515, for SE¼, E½ SW¼, S½ NE¼, SE¼ NW¼, Sec. 34, SW¼, Sec. 35, Township 10 South, Range 29, Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, Section 6, Township 11 S., R. 30 E., N. M. P. & Meridian has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Dan C. Savage, U. S. Commissioner, at Roswell, N. M., on the 3rd day of November, 1928.
Claimant names as witnesses: T. C. Smith, T. B. Smith, of O'Donnell, Texas, S. G. Jones, Viola Jones, of Elida, N. M.
V. B. MAY, Register.
First Publication Oct. 4, 1928
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, N. M., September 21, 1928.
NOTICE is hereby given that William O. Ballou, one of the heirs and for the heirs of George Ballou, deceased, of Lake Arthur, N. M., who on November 6, 1925, made Homestead Entry Sec. 2289 R. S., No. 029191, for S½ S½, Section 27, Township 15 S., Range 23 E., N. M. P. & Meridian has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Dan C. Savage, U. S. Commissioner, at Roswell, N. M., on the 3rd day of November, 1928.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET

The following is the Republican County Ticket for Chaves County:

- State Senate—**PRAGER MILLER**
- State Legislature—**R. C. WORSWICK**
MRS. W. W. PHILLIPS
ROBERT KELLAHIN
- Sheriff—**HARRY THORNE**
- Treasurer—**MRS. FRANK MARKL**
- Assessor—**RAYMOND ARMOLD**
- Probate Judge—**E. S. WOOD**
- County Surveyor—**M. H. HUNTER**
- County Commissioners—
District No. 1: **WILL H. JOHNSON**
District No. 2: **A. D. JONES**
District No. 3: **HARRY COWAN**
- County Clerk—**TOM MCKINSTRY**
- School Superintendent—**LORRAINE CLARK**

Autumn Mode Announces the Short Fur Jacket



In keeping with the vogue which is so pronounced for short jacket effects, comes into the autumn style picture youthful short fur coats. They are incomparably chic worn over the new lightweight woolen frocks in matching color. Caracul, Persian lamb, broadtail and gray krimmer are mostly used for these jackets.

40th DIVISION REUNION AT SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA

There will be a reunion of the commissioned and enlisted personnel of the 40th Division at San Diego, California, during November 10, 11 and 12, 1928. All personnel who served with the division during the World war are cordially invited to attend. It is earnestly hoped that there will be a large representation from the state of New Mexico. Further information may be secured from Captain George H. Shea, Cav. (DOL), Room 335 Federal Bldg., Roswell, N. M. Phone 603.

Mrs. Gnaggs: "This is the end. I can live with you no longer."
Mr. Gnaggs: "Yes I guess it's all over but the shooting."

Little Girl: "Mother, what did you do when a boy first kissed you?"
Mother: "Never mind."

If you have a house or room for rent, try a messenger want ad.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Weaver, Robert Galantine, Lon Blevins, Jim Ballou, all of Lake Arthur, N. M.
V. B. MAY, Register.
First Publication Oct. 4, 1928
Fifth Publication Nov. 1, 1928

United States Department of the Interior General Land Office, Las Cruces, N. M., Oct. 6, 1928.

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico has filed in this office Indemnity Selection, No. 038438, List 9292 for the following tract: E½SE¼, Section 18, Twp. 19 S., R. 20 E. N½NW¼, Sec. 13, SE¼NE¼, NE¼SE¼ Section 17, NW¼SE¼, NE¼SW¼, Sec. 26, Twp. 19 S., R. 19 E., N. M. P. & M.

The purpose of this publication is for the purpose of allowing all persons claiming the land adversely or desiring to show it to be mineral in character an opportunity to file such objection to the selection with the Register of the U. S. Land Office, Las Cruces, N. M. and to establish their interest therein or the mineral character thereof.
V. B. MAY, Register
1st pub. Oct. 18, 1928
5th pub. Nov. 15, 1928.

INSIDE INFORMATION

Do you know leaflet 28, "Lamb as You Like It?" It contains suggestions on cooking lamb properly, and may be obtained for the asking from the United States Department of Agriculture.

Squash as well as pumpkin, can be used for pie filling. As these pies contain eggs and milk, they must be cooked in a moderate oven. To prevent the crust from becoming soggy, prebake it until it is delicately colored, but not brown, before putting in the filling.

There are no household methods of setting the color in a dyed fabric. The use of salt, vinegar, and other substances has been found to do absolutely no good. Dyes, however, are so much better now than they used to be, that it is usually satisfactory to try a sample of the goods you think of buying, and if it does not run when you wash it, or fade too much when exposed to the sunlight, it may be considered reasonably fast in color.

Canned pineapple can be served in a number of appetizing ways when fresh fruits become scarce. Pineapple pies, tarts, and sauces for dessert are all delicious. Pineapple and sweet potato baked in alternating layers makes a good vegetable combination. Fried sliced pineapple is often served with meats, just as apple sauce or fried apples or a tart jelly is served. A good winter preserve can be made from canned pineapple and dried apricots.

WHEN YOU TRADE

In Roswell, go to the little store for men just back of the First National Bank. There you will find a good assortment of standard merchandise. 43-2tc

Messenger Want Ads pay

"THE KING of KINGS"

Majestic Theatre Artesia

Thur.--Fri. Nov. 1 and 2

SPLENDID BEAUTIFUL MASSIVE

and filmed at a cost of over \$2,500,000.00

This is positively your only chance to see this picture.

Artesia Thur.--Friday Nov. 1 & 2

Matinee Thursday 2:30 Night at 7:45

LETTER FROM COUNTY NURSE

The following list of names is of the "five point" children in your school or children in whom we could find no defect of vision, weight, posture, throat or teeth:

Richard Reavis, Dub Hardin, Vada Cooper, Leon Beeler, Martin Harris, E. A. White Jr., Vernon Ridgely Nick Davis, Jean McKinstry, Lucille Lattion, Robert West, Irene Torres, Richard Lange, Glen Knoll, Ione Allen, Halloway Chalmers, Samuel Boyer, Martin Woodman, Fay Hoyt, Pickens West, Basil Barnett, Paul Lemons, Vodie Burrell, Steve Mason, Landon Terry, Elizabeth McKinstry, Delphine Lattion, Ida Bee Lemon, J. E. Peters, Elsie Wurtzel, Glenyce Stroud, James Burke, Flora Terry, Martel Graham, Kenneth Stine, Donald West, Ed Pippet, Kerr Guest, Elenor Hughes, Madge Dozier, Bernice Barnett, Hazel Zimmerman, Alcyce Williams.

The most serious defects seem to be the large number of underweight children in your school and the many permanent molar teeth that are decayed; the latter, as you know, being the most important teeth in the mouth. Will you please ask the teachers to stress the correction of these two defects?

The health report of Hagerman school is as follows:

Defects	Number
Vision	26
Tonsils	114
Teeth	90
Underweight	67
Overweight	6
Skin	5
Normal	43
No Examination	222

Jean Prager, County Nurse
Little Girl: "I did the same thing mother."
We have some nice pictures. See them at Teed's. 43-1tc

EDUCATIONAL ASS'N

A school board section organized at the New Mexico Educational Association, and will session on the morning of November 2, J. T. Reid, extension work at the University, has announced the association is being organized by the University, and is in the policies of educational a number of other states. School boards throughout have endorsed the plan, 25 to 50 representatives of county school boards are attending.

In addition to the elect officers and attending to the organization, the delegation will discuss school and finance, teacher tenure, and the duties and of school boards at this year.



PRAGER MILLER

Republican Candidate for State Senator

TO THE VOTERS OF CHAVES COUNTY:

In asking for your suffrage on the 6th of November, I am fully cognizant of the fact that there will be much serious business to attend to if people and industries are to be properly represented. Roswell's prosperity depends very materially upon the prosperity of our basic industries—farming and livestock. The progress, also, of our great Military Institute and other educational institutions means much to us. We must command the respect and confidence of the leaders at Santa Fe if we are to accomplish best results from that law-making body.

I ask, and hope to be favorably considered for the important office of State Senator on the grounds that my life's experience, here in the valley, better qualifies me to serve you efficiently.

Should the Supreme Court declare the artesian water bill unconstitutional, it will fall upon your Senators to help in the creation of a proper and equitable law conserving the underground waters of the Pecos Valley. This is one of the many important matters that might be settled, if properly handled, to the mutual satisfaction of Roswell and our farming communities. Problems of this character can only be successfully carried out with the full cooperation of all concerned, and also to our being well anchored in the Senate.

Matters pertaining to the taxation are paramount issues in this campaign. If we are to enjoy good roads, good schools and otherwise make our state more attractive to people of other states who might be induced to make their homes with us and spend their money in future development of our industries and natural resources, we must be prepared to pay for these things in taxes. To justly and fairly collect and distribute tax monies is therefore, no small task.

Voters must be led away from cheap prejudiced politicians into more serious affairs of government. I wish to say to my many friends, both Democrats and Republicans—that I am most anxious to be elected that I might serve you to the best of my abilities. If you feel that the interests of Chaves County will be better served by my election, I appeal to you to aid in inducing your friends and neighbors to vote for me. My native Country, has reared and educated me and, if I should receive a commission from the electorate on November 6, I will show my love and respect for all the people of Chaves County by giving you genuine, unbiased and constructive service in the State Senate.

Sincerely,
PRAGER MILLER.

The Modern Man Is Well Dressed

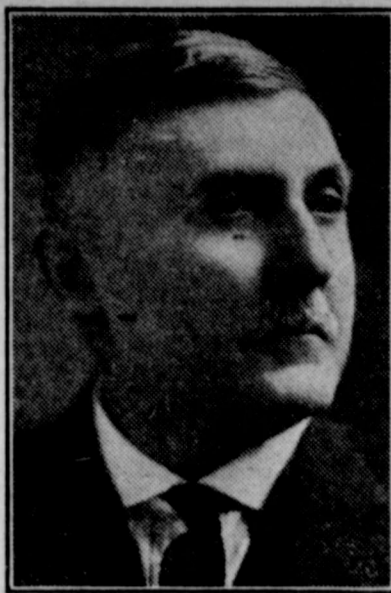


What's It All About?

Its all about our new suits and overcoats—the fine new styles—new materials—and the knowledge of knowing your are purchasing satisfaction here. If you want to see the best looking and classiest suits and overcoats we have ever shown—make a date with yourself the next time you're in Roswell to stop in.

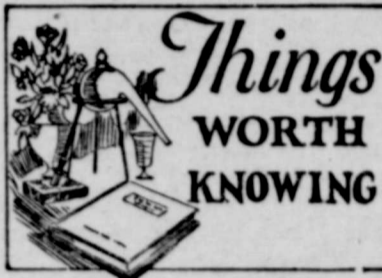
This ad will entitle Mrs. George Wilcox of Dexter to a pretty tie if presented by the 30th.

CHE·MODEL



JOHN MORROW

Democratic candidate for Representative to the 71st U. S. Congress.



Burr clover is an excellent winter cover crop, especially where it can be allowed to mature seed so that it will volunteer every fall.

The most profitable pig is the one that never stops growing and makes good gains from the time it is farrowed until it is ready for market.

On land on which red clover or mammoth clover will not do well, alsike clover is recommended as satisfactory soil improving crop. Run down land can be brought up by alsike clover nearly as well as by red clover.

Discard spindle shaped tubers from your seed potatoes and reduce the probability of the spindle-tuber disease appearing later on. Reductions in yield of from 25 to 50 per cent may result if plants are affected with this disease.

If fattening hogs are "pushed" from weaning time to market, the most economical plan is to have them on good pasture with free access to shelled corn and tankage or fish meal in self feeders. Middlings or shorts of good quality, or old-process linseed meal, may be fed instead of tankage or fish meal.

In selecting corn for seed or breeding, farmers in the southern states are advised to choose ears having husks that are at least long enough to cover the tip of the ears and that close tightly around the silks. Very long, tight husks are an aid in preventing injury from the corn earworm and the weevil and also from birds.

Although white clover is usually an uninvited visitor in the pasture—coming in without being planted—it is one that should be welcomed more than it is. Plan to encourage this nutritious forage plant, which is relished by all classes of livestock, by giving it plenty of phosphate and also some lime. It may increase the value of your pasture 100 per cent.

Why lose valuable plant food from the soil through erosion when much of this loss can be prevented by a winter cover crop? According to the U. S. department of agriculture, soil erosion removes 20 times as much plant food as is taken out of the soil by crops. A winter cover crop to prevent waste is especially important in the south.

Temperature is a very important factor in the successful fermentation of vegetable foods, such as pickles and sauerkraut, say chemists of the U. S. department of agriculture. The foods should be kept as close as possible to 86° F., at which temperature the bacteria essential to fermentation are most active. This is especially important in making sauerkraut.

The importance of legumes in adding nitrogen to the soil is far greater than is commonly realized, says the U. S. department of agriculture. A two-ton crop of vetch, if turned under, will add more than 100 pounds of nitrogen to the soil. Vetch should be planted early enough so that the plants are well established and firmly rooted before winter begins. Delayed seeding is a frequent cause of failure of this crop.

An interesting series of studies of the effect of early grazing of the range have been conducted at the U. S. sheep experiment station, Dubois, Idaho. In a comparison of two 80-acre pastures, the one protected from grazing in the early spring and fully grazed in the fall showed, at the end of five years, a cumulative effect of about 87 per cent more forage than the pasture that was grazed heavily in the spring and again in the fall. The average difference over the five-year period was 16 per cent in favor of protection in the spring. These figures show conclusively that the pasture protected in the spring is building up while

ORGANIZATIONS PLEDGE SUPPORT IN CAMPAIGN FOR HIGHWAY SAFETY

SANTA FE.—Letters pledging the support of various organizations are being received daily at the state highway department offices on the campaign for greater highway safety to be especially observed during Highway Safety Week, Nov. 12th to 18th.

Practically all of the organizations of the state who make community interest a part of their program have been requested to join with the highway department and the national safety movement organizations in bringing the reasons for highway accidents before the public and the method of cure. The response has been most gratifying according to highway employees engaged in the work.

Establishing a new precedent, the department has requested the clergy of the state to give a small portion of their time to the spreading of safety information to their parishioners. Early indications are that their response will be very good. "It seems that the state is at last waking up to the need for some stringent measures to cut down the accident rate," W. C. Davidson, state highway engineer, expressed himself. "In this campaign we hope to get before the people the fact that such measures must be taken by themselves. The department can do no more than expend every effort to build roads which modern design indicates are the safest type. This is being done. But accident records show that only a very small, almost minute percentage of accidents can be classed as road fault. The great bulk of accidents are preventable by the driver himself."

During Highway Safety Week literature will be furnished every organization and all of the schools, the latter through the cooperation of the state department of education. Each group is requested to bring the contained in the literature before members or students. It is hoped in this way to bring the doctrine of safety straight to the individual.

COTTONWOOD ITEMS

(Miss Alma Bradley, Reporter)

R. R. Smith who has been in Childress, Texas attending to business returned home last week.

Miss Helen Waldrop who has been visiting in Carlsbad for the last week returned home Saturday.

Miss Katie Cowan and Mable Vowell spent last Saturday in Roswell shopping and attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Wilkins invited a few friends in to dance Friday night. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all present.

Mesdames Clarence and Oscar Pearson are making the drive for the cemetery association funds on Cottonwood this week.

Dr. Puckett visited the Cottonwood schools last Friday, over sixty were vaccinated for small pox and a few were vaccinated for typhoid fever.

Mrs. E. S. Summers who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. W. L. Bradley and other relatives, returned to her home in Demmit, Texas, last week. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Anderson and Mrs. W. L. Bradley who spent a few days there visiting.

QUALITY IN EGGS BEGINS ON THE FARM

Practically all eggs are of good quality when first laid. But if they are to retain their quality and reach the market in good condition they must be properly handled and cared for on the farm. There is no process in marketing which can improve an egg of poor quality. All that can be done is to preserve the original quality. First of all it is necessary to have good poultry stock of a standard variety in order to produce eggs of uniform size and color. The flock must be well housed, fed, and cared for in order to increase productivity. As soon as the hatching season is over, all male birds should be disposed of, or separated from the flock, so that infertile eggs of superior quality will be produced. Nests, clean and sufficient in number, must be provided in order that the largest possible percentage of eggs may be kept clean. Dirty eggs should never be washed unless they are to go into channels of immediate consumption. Washing reduces the keeping quality and results in losses, especially if the eggs are to be placed in storage. Eggs must be gathered frequently, at least once a day. During very hot or very cold weather it is preferable to gather them twice a day to prevent heating or freezing injury. They should be kept in a cool, moderately dry place to maintain their quality and to prevent mold development.

the unprotected, over-grazed pasture is wearing out. The forest service is cooperating with the bureau of animal industry in this work.

LOCALS

J. T. West was in Artesia Friday.

Dr. Williams was in town Saturday.

E. T. Swisher was in Roswell Friday.

W. A. Losey was in El Paso the first of the week.

C. F. Tresler is spending a few days in Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gant visited in Dexter Sunday.

Mrs. Edward McKinstry was a Dexter visitor Monday.

J. W. Alter was a business visitor to Roswell Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Collins attended the circus Wednesday.

J. C. Hirsch attended the show in Roswell Wednesday night.

B. Y. Miller, of Dexter, was a Hagerman visitor Saturday.

Mrs. J. E. Stephens, of Caprock, was a business visitor to Hagerman Wednesday.

Mrs. L. W. Garner and son, John Duke, attended the circus in Roswell Wednesday.

Randall Green and family and J. N. Barnhill and family went to Lake-wood for a two day outing.

J. H. Lanier and family, of Crowell, Texas, visited in Hagerman Saturday. Mr. Lanier is manager of an M. System store at Crowell.

VOTE

For Mrs. Frank Markl for County Treasurer.—Adv. 43-2tc

ATTENTION—Those owing accounts to me will please call at First National Bank, Hagerman, and settle same as soon as convenient. Dr. E. E. Dickason. 42-4tc

Norton's Ice Cream is always the best. Try some at Teed's 43-1tc

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METHODIST CHURCH

"Some body said it couldn't be done, But he with chuckle replied: That he for one would not say so, Until at least he had tried."

That is what somebody said about our asking for two hundred people in the classes at our Sunday school for last Sunday, but we did that and then some, we actually had in class period two hundred and twenty one people. Others came in after the record was made up and were not counted at all. This is a record for small town Sunday school work. Now we are thinking in terms of three hundred for next Rally Day. The program that followed at the eleven o'clock hour was splendid. It was a day of happiness for the workers of this church. One man said to the writer this week, that we were actually doing a community service in the work we are carrying on. This he said after he had been in Sunday school for the first time in our church. Prof. John Henry Slater's class of high school folks had exactly forty in attendance. This now has thirty two on roll. It was a day of victory we will not soon forget. It only opened our eyes to what we can do when we determine to do it.

For next Sunday the regular program of church calendar will prevail. At eleven o'clock the sermon will be on; "The Christian's Possessions." Everything that is worth while belongs to the Christian. God does not demand that any one should enslave himself. The citizens of the kingdom of God are the freest people on earth. This sermon will help you. For the night hour, at seven fifteen, the subject will be: "Should the State of California have Hung Edward Hickman." The evening service will open with a special prelude by the orchestra and close with a postlude following the benediction. Special vocal numbers have been arranged for this service. Two small boys will assist the pastor with this sermon on the platform. Come early if you want a seat that will be comfortable. Let every young person be on hand for the meeting at six thirty.

The midweek service Wednesday evening at seven thirty.

M. F. BELL, Pastor

VOTE

For Mrs. Frank Markl for County Treasurer.—Adv. 43-2tc

SPEAKING!

High School Auditorium

HAGERMAN, N. MEX.

Tuesday Night, Oct. 30

7:30 O'clock

Well-known speakers will speak for the Republican ticket, State and National, and will thoroughly discuss the issues of the day.

Everybody Is Invited to Hear These Speakers!

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Sizes for Women, Misses, and Juniors

L. C. CLUB MEETS

The L. C. Club met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. A. M. Ehret. After the business session a social hour was spent by Mesdames Utterback, Mason, Bailey, Holloway, Stine, Mitchelet, Heitman, Bauslin, Burk, Evans, M. D. Menoud, Wiggins, Menoud, Aubrey, Evans, Boyce, the hostess and one new member, Mrs. R. N. Thomas, two visitors, Mrs. Jim Michelet and mother, Mrs. Hugo Jacobson. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. E. D. Menoud on November 1st.

SECOND MEETING OF THE EXTENSION CLASS

The extension class in European history met for the second time Monday evening from 4:00 until 6:00 p. m. The class, conducted by Prof. W. Madley of the history department of State Teacher's college at Silver City, is studying the period of European history from 1900 to the present time. The following names are of those who are taking advantage of the opportunity of receiving aid in the study of vital issues: Misses Burt, Symmons, Lane, Pierce, Lewis, and Messrs. White, Slayter, Hulet, Thomas and Mrs. Thomas.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS

The Missionary society of the Methodist church met with Mrs. Mann Tuesday afternoon, after a short business session, the hostess had charge of the program for the afternoon. The house was decorated with Halloween decorations, black cats and owls seemed to peep from every corner, various Halloween games and stunts were played until a late hour when refreshments of pumpkin pie, whipped cream, olives, pickles, and cocoa were served to the following guests: Mesdames Stine, Bell, Cowan, VanArsdol, Ridgely, Paddock, Bailey, McKinstry, Harshy, Slayter, Jim and Chas. Mitchelet, Sellers, Swisher, Jacobson, Floto, Harris, Meeks, Buck, Carter, Stroud, West, Campbell and Miss James.

UNIT NO. 2 ORGANIZED

Some of the younger matrons of the community met on Tuesday afternoon to plan and organize a home improvement unit No. 2, since they felt that the problems and interests of the group in unit No. 1 were hardly the problems and interests that were confronting them. The officers elected were: Mrs. John Bowen, president; Mrs. Cecil Barnett, vice-president; Mrs. Aubrey Evans, secretary-treasurer. Others present were Mrs. John Allen, Mrs. Bob Johnson, Mrs. Frankie Davis, Mrs. Orris Atwood, Mrs. M. D. Menoud, Mrs. Bert Utterback and Mrs. P. R. Woods.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. John Bowen, and fully ten more members are expected to be present at the demonstration class there.

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Atwater-Kent, Majestic, Kolster, and Stewart-Warner Conn and Pan American instruments. Gibson Guitars, string instruments.

We always have a good stock of used and reconditioned player pianos, and grands. Eleven years of faithfulness to the musical needs of East Mexico.

Drop a line and our sales call.—Ginsberg Music Co., Second, Roswell, N. M.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—place just outside city room residence, modern; water; would make an ideal or truck farm. Would like sheep. Write O. W. Liston, Del., Roswell, N. M.

FOR SALE—I have left a hold furniture with C. T. for sale. See him and get bargains. Dr. E. E. Dickason.

FOR SALE—Business house, feet, on Main street, Hagerman. Would rent to right party. Cumpston.

Millions in Hats
The felt hat industry is the most important one in Great Britain. of nearly \$50,000,000 is represented and about 10,000 workers are employed in the various plants.

Uncle Eben
"Love yoh neighbor," said Eben, "but don't allow that granted dat yoh affection is reciprocated."—Washington

To Pack Flowers
When sending choice flowers a distance, cut silts in pots stems well in, and the flowers keep fresh for about 14 days.

Give Fate Credit
Since such little happenings great events, who can regard puny will or effort as a pride?—American Magazine

When It Strikes Home
The expression "the long short of it" is never better than when a man longs for when he is short of it.