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There was an interesting beauty contest with bouquets of flowers as the entries. Mr. and Mrs. Dub Andrus won the prize for a beautifully arranged bouquet of dahlias and chrysanthemums. The prize was a charming little aquarium presented by Mrs. Curry.

Lovely refreshments of cake and coffee were served by the committee.

The next meeting, which is the regular November meeting will be held Friday this week at the home of Mrs. Jim Michelet at two thirty o'clock. Mrs. Hugo Jacobson will be joint hostess. Mrs. Mason will be in charge of the program, the subject of which will be "Old and New Mexico Art."

## YOUNG DEMOCRATIC CALL

SANTA FE—A meeting of the state executive committee of the State League of Young Democrats has been called for November 19 at Santa Fe to study the selection of a national committeeman to be made November 20 by the state democrats "because he will be advisor to the young democrats."

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Whether or not the hunters can be prosecuted and fined will depend on whether the land they were hunting on was private property or public domain. One legal opinion here says a person may not be fined for hunting on public lands. If there is privately owned lands in the Lee pasture, it would be well for the hunters to acquaint themselves with the fact in the future.

## SEEKS UNDERSTANDING ON GOLD WITH ENGLAND

WASHINGTON—Anxious to avoid an unrestrained monetary war, the administration Monday sought an understanding with Great Britain on the application of President Roosevelt's plan to steady exchanges and increase prices by buying foreign gold.

For the London government, Sir Frederick Leith-Ross, treasury expert on international finances, interrupted his conferences on war debts to talk with American fiscal officials of the economic possibilities behind the presidential plan.

Meanwhile, exponents of varied schools of economic thought shook their heads and predicted disappointing results. Slumping markets spoke the opinion of the nation's stock and grain traders.

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There was an interesting beauty contest with bouquets of flowers as the entries. Mr. and Mrs. Dub Andrus won the prize for a beautifully arranged bouquet of dahlias and chrysanthemums. The prize was a charming little aquarium presented by Mrs. Curry.

Lovely refreshments of cake and coffee were served by the committee. The next meeting, which is the regular November meeting will be held Friday this week at the home of Mrs. Jim Michelet at two thirty o'clock. Mrs. Hugo Jacobson will be joint hostess. Mrs. Mason will be in charge of the program, the subject of which will be "Old and New Mexico Art."

### YOUNG DEMOCRATIC CALL

SANTA FE—A meeting of the state executive committee of the State League of Young Democrats has been called for November 19 at Santa Fe to study the selection of a national committeeman to be made November 20 by the state democrats "because he will be advisor to the young democrats."

## HUNTERS ARRESTED FOR TRESPASSING IN OLIVER LEE PASTURE

Several big game hunters, including two from the Cottonwood section have been arrested in the Oliver Lee pasture near the Pinon section, on charge of trespassing. According to the story told here, the hunters were approached by riders and ordered to appear in camp. The men refused unless the man on horseback could show his authority which he could not do. The two Cottonwood hunters were then ordered to appear in the Alamogordo justice of the peace court on November 16th.

Whether or not the hunters can be prosecuted and fined will depend on whether the land they were hunting on was private property or public domain. One legal opinion here says a person may not be fined for hunting on public lands. If there is privately owned lands in the Lee pasture, it would be well for the hunters to acquaint themselves with the fact in the future.

### SEEKS UNDERSTANDING ON GOLD WITH ENGLAND

WASHINGTON—Anxious to avoid an unrestrained monetary war, the administration Monday sought an understanding with Great Britain on the application of President Roosevelt's plan to steady exchanges and increase prices by buying foreign gold.

For the London government, Sir Frederick Leith-Ross, treasury expert on international finances, interrupted his conferences on war debts to talk with American fiscal officials of the economic possibilities behind the presidential plan.

Meanwhile, exponents of varied schools of economic thought shook their heads and predicted disappointing results. Slumping markets spoke the opinion of the nation's stock and grain traders.

Misses Nell Burt and Jessie George chaperoned the members of the Sophomore class on a line party to the Yucca Tuesday night.

## SCHOOL DAYS By DWIG



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HAROLD DYE, Managing Editor

SERIES OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS GIVEN BY SCHOOL

The Hagerman High School, in following the plan of Education programs which are sponsored by the American Legion, the National Educational Association, and the United States Bureau of Education, makes the following statement of programs which will be given in the school auditorium, and the dates on which each will occur:

The first program will be given next Monday at 2:30 p. m. The subject will be developed by Major Kelley, of the Military Institute.

Monday, November 13, the theme will be "Home and School Cooperation." In homes where unemployment and reduced incomes have lowered life to a mere existence, children must not be allowed to suffer the loss of morale and hope. Every child has an inalienable right to a good home. In the emergency, the school home must perform many of the services taken care of in the parental home during normal times. A common interest in the welfare of children brings the home and school closer together in such crises as the present. The school will endeavor to plan with parents a program of protection for children in our own community. School facilities may be used for the preparation of food and the distribution of clothing. School libraries may be made available for better service to the homes. Programs of wholesome amusement and recreation can be arranged in which parents may participate.

Monday, Nov. 20. "The Schools and Reconstruction." Schools are conserving in the communities human resources for effectiveness upon the return of normal conditions. In this program it will be shown how schools contribute to economic security. Higher standards of living are demanded by educated people, and the schools help by increased skill and knowledge of their students, to attain these better living conditions. Education in the worthy use of leisure time, is a problem which the schools are helping students to solve.

Monday, Nov. 27: "The School and Loyalty to the Nation." Popular government depends for its continuance upon the faith and loyalty of the people. At a time when the pinch of want, and the blundering of well-intentioned leaders test confidence in the future of our nation, its citizens are devoted and loyal. American schools have inspired a great faith in the stability and the justice of democracy. The schools teach respect for duly constituted authority, and the necessity for obedience to law, honor to the flag, admiration for our great national heroes, a knowledge of American ideals, and the struggle for their achievement. The schools are the major unifying force in American life today. Education is the insurance policy for democracy.

Monday, December 4: "Safeguarding Character Essentials."

Sound character is the nation's most valuable asset. It is based upon high ideals and wholesome habits. Both are required from the earliest years. To lay the foundation of character, is the privilege of the home. Generosity, courtesy, respect for others grow out of the intimate relationships of the family. The church extends the principles of unselfishness and kindness which the child learns in the home. Home and church and school establish respect for the principles of good conduct, and encourage their practice in human relationships.

COTTONWOOD ITEMS

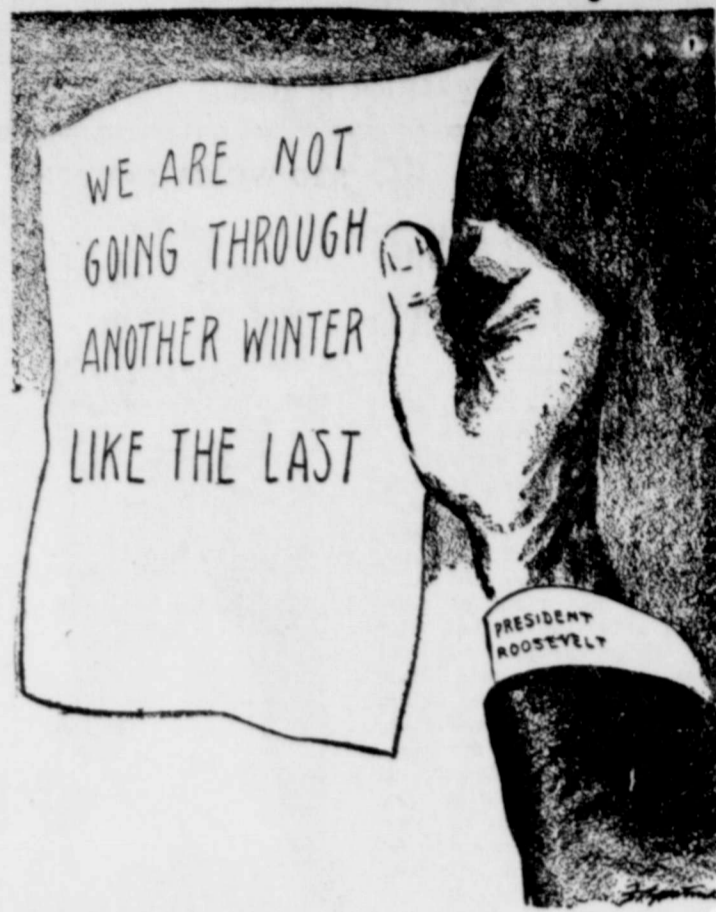
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones of Slayton, Texas, are visiting Mr. Jones' cousin I. P. Johnson and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Spence and Mrs. Russell of Lake Arthur enjoyed a watermelon feast at the Bobo home last Sunday.

Otis Watts and family of Appling, Arkansas, are visiting his sister Mrs. B. M. Mills and family of the Cottonwood this week.

Roy Ingram accompanied Mrs. O. A. Pearson and daughter Miss Alma Pearson on a trip to Texas last week. Roy will visit relatives near Corsicana, Texas, while Mrs. Pearson and Miss Alma will visit her daughter, Mrs. Floyd Senter and family at Houston, Texas.

Remember the Issue



I made some reference to my five months old baby in last week's paper and the wife wants to know how come. She says that her baby is seven months old.

Mrs. Dye is so narrow minded that she thinks a fellow ought to just have one wife. I argue with her occasionally about the matter, but deep down in my heart I am agreed that one wife is enough.

It does look as though some of these deer hunters could think up better alibis. If they are no better hunters than they are liars, it's no wonder they came back empty handed.

Every ranch house in the hunting territory advertises turkeys for sale, and do they sell 'em? It's a whole lot easier to buy a couple than it is to come back home and face the gang empty handed.

What's the matter with Hagerman kids? They must have got cold feet Tuesday night, or else Alma Nail was a little too hard boiled for them. But we are ashamed of the kids anyhow. Why we can remember when we used to spend the greater part of every Halloween night in jail.

Pete Losey qualified as Hagerman's biggest liar—in size, and unscrupulous imagination, at the Men's Club supper Tuesday night. But we doubt if it took any kind of contest for his wife to find that out a good many years ago.

Some people who make the loudest noise because they can't get a better price for what they have to sell, will spend thirty minutes trying to beat the price down when they buy anything.

Talking about extravagance, what do you think about some of the European nations trying to start another war when they have not paid for the last one.

These new trains are being built for speed and wind resistance. The big heavy lumbering trains will be discarded. You boys who are growing a bay window just think how out of date the practice is and how hard it's going to be to push the bay win-

dow against a hard westerner next spring. Besides just think of the chances you are taking of being discarded.

Butcher—I can't give you any further credit, sir. Your bill is bigger now than it should be.

Customer—I know that. Just make it out what it should be and I'll pay it.

Patient: "Is the doctor in?"

Attendant: "No, he stepped out for lunch."

Patient: "Will he be in after lunch?"

Attendant: "No, that's what he went out after."

Hobo: "Boss, will you give me a dime for a sandwich?"

Gen.: "Let's see the sandwich." —Bucknee Belle Hop.

Sunday School Teacher: "Now, children, what is the last thing you do before you go to bed at night?"

Bright little boy: "Put the latchkey under the door-mat for mother."

Blinks—Ever buy anything at a rummage sale?

Jinks—Yes, I bought back my Sunday pants the last time our church gave one.

She broke her engagement because he told her he was a liver and kidney specialist, and she found out that he only worked in a butcher's shop.

She—Before we were married you said you were well off.

He—I was, but I didn't know it.

Here's another tax spasm from the Tucumcari News: Tax his head, tax his hide, Let the government officials ride. Tax his cow, tax his calf, Tax his horse and tax his laugh. Tax his blisters, tax his hand. Tax his Ford and tax his gas, Tax the road that he must pass. Tax the pay-roll, tax the sale, Tax his hard-earned paper kale. Tax his pipe and tax his smoke—Teach him government's no joke. Tax the water, tax the air, Tax the sunlight if you care. Tax the living, tax the dead, Tax the unborn e'er they're fed. Tax the coffins, tax their shrouds, Tax their souls behind the clouds. Tax them all and tax them well, Tax them to the gates of Hell.

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Guard Consumers' Pocketbooks



Here are important members of the consumers' advisory board of the NRA meeting for a discussion on ways and means of preventing profiteering and price gouging. From the left: Dr. Frederick Howe, consumers' counsel for the agricultural adjustment administration and new member of the consumers' advisory board; Mrs. Mary Harriman Rumsey, ex-officio chairman of the board, and Dexter Keezer, executive chairman of the board. Mrs. Rumsey has put a plan in operation whereby a consumers' council will be appointed to operate in each county of the United States to help prevent unreasonable price increases.

Ramirez Refuses Pardons Does Not Want To Swell Ranks Of The Idle

The state penitentiary is the only home "Tutti Frutti" has and he intends to stay there, says the Santa Fe New Mexican.

Offered commutations, which would make him a free man, he has declined with thanks. Former Governor R. C. Dillon was the first chief executive to offer him liberty, but he refused, hoping the governor would not insist. He was eligible for clemency under the late Governor Arthur Seligman's pardon policy, but again he signified his preference to remain in his cell.

"Tutti Frutti" is Jesus Ramirez, sent up from Dona Ana county to serve from 40 to 50 years for rape. He began his sentence February 8, 1924. He is 77 years old.

Governor Seligman's policy was to pardon on each holiday the prisoner who had the most seniority, in point of "service," and who had a clear record—that is, who had violated none of the prison rules. Ramirez was one of the first to meet his requirement, but he waived his right.

Ramirez says he is an old man and if he were cast out upon the world, especially in this time of unemployment, he would be unable to get a job—at least, not a job that would enable him to

live in the comfort that he enjoys in his present station in life, according to Warden E. B. Swope. "He said something, too, about wishing to pay his debt to society," said Swope.

Ramirez isn't entirely excluded from the world beyond the walls, however. He is a gardener.

Prison officials believe, however, he has not entirely forgotten the "great outside" despite his self-imposed imprisonment. It is said he has painted windows on the wall of his cell. Warden Swope was not prepared to say whether there was anything in this story, however. Ramirez has tastefully decorated his cell, he said, but all the warden could remember about the decorations was that there were some pictures of "santos."

If there is any reason for his nickname, Swope didn't know it.

"That is a common practice among the 'boys,'" said Swope. "Almost every man here is known by a nom de pen. In addition to his number. Sometimes there is a reason; just as often there is not."

"Tutti Frutti" was a school teacher. He continues to study and it is said knows three or four languages, including Chinese.

War Veterans' Problems

Not since the period of the World War has the Red Cross faced a greater problem in handling the claims of World War and other veterans. Due to the changes in the regulations covering veterans' claims, chapters all over the nation have been crowded with veteran applicants for relief and for service in preparing appeals. During last year Red Cross home service workers in 3,268 chapters dealt with the problems of 411,124 ex-service men or their families. The chapters also aided 7,346 men still in the regular army, navy and marine corps.

Safeguarding Public Health

The Red Cross reports that 693 nurses are employed by 428 of its chapters in public health nursing. During the past year Red Cross nurses made 1,234,000 nursing visits, other than to schools, and also inspected 633,000 children in schools. Nursing at the bedside of the sick, unemployed, or other needy is a major part of their work. The Public Health Nursing Service of the Red Cross also directs the teaching of classes in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick. This course was taught to 53,000 persons during last year.

An Army of Children

The membership in the Junior Red Cross last year was 6,629,866 boys and girls in schools, private, public and parochial. They enjoyed volunteer work in hospitals and for orphans, the aged and crippled, and also aided their schoolfellows by providing attention for their eyes, purchasing their glasses, and giving many other types of service to them. The Juniors aid their school work by carrying on correspondence and the exchange of portfolios with school children in other nations.

SOUTH EDDY COUNTY GINNINGS

Cotton ginnings on the Carlsbad project reached 10,886 bales up to and including October 28th. The ginnings follow: Carlsbad, 602; Gilbert, 984; Tipton, 1,910; Farmers, 1,604; Loving, 2,073; Otis gin and Warehouse company, 1,479; Harkey, 846; Black River, 1,188.

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State Wants Some Cavern Revenue

SANTA FE—An active attempt to recover title to a school section in the heart of the Carlsbad Caverns National park, or to secure reimbursement to the state for this section of land, is to be launched soon, Frank Vesley, state land commissioner, announced Tuesday.

Vesley declared that despite the action of the legislature in giving the government a deed to this section, the government does not have title to this land.

"The legislature had no more authority," he said, "to give the government a deed to this section, than it has to give a deed on the Empire State building. The state of New Mexico still has title to this section."

"I am interested chiefly in securing adequate reimbursement to the state for this section. The government, I understand, received approximately \$168,000 from visitors to the caverns last year. The state should be allowed some portion of the revenue or else granted sufficient public domain to reimburse it for this valuable section so lost."

Vesley indicated that a million acres of public domain would be somewhere near a fair reimbursement since if all of the land could be leased at the 3 cent minimum per acre it would return \$30,000 annually to the public schools.

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At first all blotting paper was pink, because red rags were used to make it. These rags were hard to bleach and could not be used for the fine writing paper. Now blotting paper is every hue.

Moses—"How fas' can you all go in dat new car?"

Rastus—"Ah could make two miles a minute 'ceptin' foh one thing."

Moses—"What's dat, boy?"

Rastus—"On'y jes cause de distance is too long foh de shortness of de time."

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If you feel sour and sunk and the world looks punk, don't swallow a lot of salts, mineral water, oil, laxative candy or chewing gum and expect them to make you suddenly sweet and buoyant and full of sunshine. For they can't do it. They only move the bowels and a mere movement doesn't get at the cause. The reason for your down-and-out feeling is your liver. It should pour out two pounds of liquid bile into your bowels daily. If this bile is not flowing freely, your food doesn't digest. It just decays in the bowels. Gas builds up your stomach. You have a thick, bad taste and your breath is foul. Skin often breaks out in blotches. Your head aches and you feel down and out. Your whole system is poisoned.

It takes these good, old CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS to get these two pounds of bile flowing freely and make you feel "up and up." They contain wonderful, harmless, gentle vegetable extracts, amazing when it comes to making the bile flow freely. But don't ask for liver pills. Ask for Carter's Little Liver Pills. Look for the name "Carter's Little Liver Pills on the red label. Rosent's substitute. 25c drug stores. © 1931 C. M. Co.

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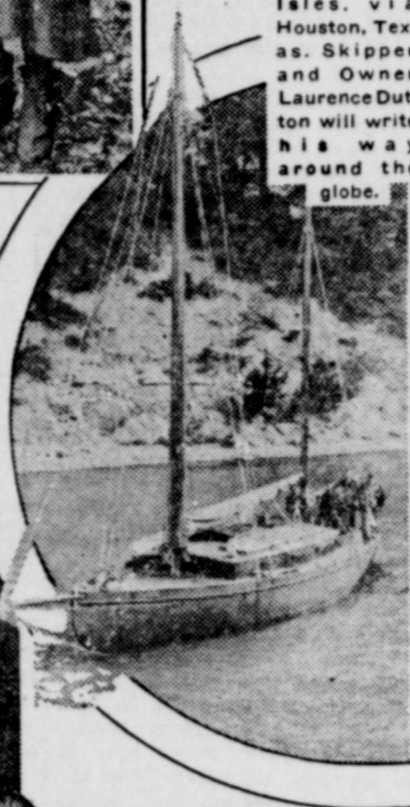
# In The WEEK'S NEWS

**RA SALAD**—In Miami, Fla., newspaper contest, Miss Ann Macdonnell won first prize with her RA salad, served in a basket. The recipe calls for 3 avocados, 1 stalk celery, 4 carrots, 2 sweet apples, 1 head lettuce, and 12 red cherries blended in plenty of mayonnaise.



**NEVER TOO OLD!**—She's 73, but Grandma Margaret McKenna, of Saranac Lake, N. Y., still goes hunting deer with the same rifle she has used for the past twenty years. She has seven deer to her credit.

**OFF FOR SOUTH SEAS.** The 46-foot ketch "Surprise," en route with a crew of four from Cleveland to the South Sea Isles, via Houston, Texas. Skipper and Owner Laurence Dutton will write his way around the globe.



**SOVIET RECOGNITION**—Maxim Litvinov, Soviet choice to discuss with President Roosevelt the restoration of diplomatic relations between Moscow and Washington.



**U.S. IN GOLD MARKET**—President Roosevelt announced the next moves in his economic program as the establishment of a government market for newly-mined gold, and a controlled currency. Photo shows the President addressing the nation.



**DISTILLERS FOR TEMPERANCE**—Seton Porter, president of National Distillers Corporation promised his company to a policy of decent use of beverages and strict observance of all future laws in the first post repeal pronouncement by a large distiller. The company will produce many of the old favorites after repeal.

## LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

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**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, October 26, 1933.

Notice is hereby given that Maxie C. Howell, deserted wife of Van S. Howell, of Roswell, New Mexico, who, on October 23, 1929, made Homestead Entry, No. 040-802, for All of Section 12, Township 12S, Range 26E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Dan C. Savage, United States Commissioner, at Roswell, New Mexico, on the 9th day of December, 1933.

Claimant names as witnesses: C. Fordyce Geyer, of Roswell, N. M.; Jasper H. Hedgcock, of Roswell, N. M.; Edra G. Hudson, of Dexter, N. M.; Buck R. Brinkley, of Dexter, N. M.

The entryman Van S. Howell is notified that by the submission of said proof, his wife, Maxie C. Howell, seeks to obtain patent for the land in her own name.  
V. B. MAY,  
44-5t Register.

## THE COTTON GRADE SHOWS IMPROVEMENT

Cotton grade and staple report for week ending October 26, is as follows:

Cotton classed this week from Arizona, New Mexico, California and Texas, district 1, showed an increase in the proportion of extra white good middling and better, and from Arizona and California a decrease in spotted cotton.

Staple lengths declined slightly the past week, especially in lengths of 1-1/8 inches and longer, the predominating lengths being 1-1/16 and 1-3/32 inches.

New Mexico shows an increase in extra white good middling and better from 29 percent last week to 38 percent this week, a decrease in strict middling from 58 percent to 45 percent, and an increase in spotted cotton from 10 percent to 15 percent. Of the staple lengths 1-1/16 and 1-3/32 inches, an increase from 40 percent last week to 60 percent this week is reported. Very little change was noted in the 1 inch and 1-1/32 inches group. The proportion of cotton classed as 1-1/8 inches decreased. To date 83 percent of the cotton has been classed as extra white strict middling and better, and 76 percent 1-1/16 inches and longer.

## A TRIBUTE TO THE DOG

"Gentlemen of the Jury: The best friend a man has in this world may turn against him and become his enemy. His son or daughter that he has reared with loving care may prove ungrateful. Those who are nearest and dearest to us, those whom we trust with our happiness and our good name, may become traitors to their faith. The money that a man has, he may lose. It flies away from him, perhaps when he needs it the most. A man's reputation may be sacrificed in a moment of ill-considered action. The people who are prone to fall on their knees to do us honor when success is with us may be the first to throw the stone of malice when failure settles its cloud upon our heads. The one absolutely unselfish friend that a man can have in this selfish world, the one that never deserts him and the one that never proves ungrateful or treacherous, is his dog.

"Gentlemen of the jury, a man's dog stands by him in prosperity and poverty, in health and sickness. He will sleep on the cold ground, where the wintry winds blow and the snow drives fiercely, if only he may be near his master's side. He will kiss the hand that has no food to offer, he will lick the wounds and sores that come in encounters with the roughness of the world. He guards the sleep of his pauper master as if he were a prince. When all other friends desert he remains. When riches take wings and reputation falls to pieces, he is as constant in his love as the sun in its journey through the heavens. If fortune drives the master forth an outcast in the world, friendless and homeless, the faithful dog asks no higher privilege than that of accompanying him to guard against danger, to fight against his enemies, and when the last scene of all comes, and death takes the master in its embrace and his body is laid away in the cold ground, no matter if all other friends pursue their way, there by his graveside will the noble dog be found, his head between his paws, his eyes sad but open in alert watchfulness, faithful and true even to death."

## PASS SPURIOUS CHECKS

Two spurious cashier's checks, one for \$24.00 and one for \$50.00 were passed to Carlsbad merchants last Thursday it was learned here. The woman was accompanied by a man and the pair left Carlsbad immediately after the checks were cashed.

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## LIABILITY CLAUSE WAIVED

**SANTA FE**—The liability clause in the state banking law of 1923 was waived Monday by a gubernatorial proclamation.

Acting under authority in him vested by the 1933 legislature, Gov. A. W. Hockenbush proclaimed suspension of the law to permit banks to issue new preferred stock without the liability clause so it could be sold to the reconstruction finance corporation in Washington if the banks so desired and had to.

Recommendation for the proclamation was contained in a letter from State Bank Examiner John Bingham who said that for the banks of the state to "properly benefit by the provisions of the several acts of the last congress, looking to extension of government aid to banking institutions, it is necessary."

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## Coiffure That Won First Prize



Katherine Heitzman exhibiting the coiffure which was awarded first prize at the official hairdressers' show and convention held in the grand ballroom of the Hotel Astor, New York. Leading hair stylists of the nation attended the gathering which featured instruction classes in the latest hairdressing developments. The prize winning coiffure is the creation of George Millius.

## LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter

Lee Williams is reported seriously ill at this time.

Mrs. A. M. Hedges of Hagerman is spending this week with her son and family Ned Hedges.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Slade of Hagerman have moved into our community and will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nihart.

Miss Emmarie Perce left Tuesday morning for Albuquerque to attend the teachers meeting and to visit with her parents and relatives. Miss Perce is the home economics teacher here.

Mrs. I. R. Funk and little daughter who have been spending the past two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bradley and family returned to their home in Carlsbad Friday.

Captain and Mrs. W. R. Anderson who have been stationed at Gallup with Troop I, stopped over Friday for a short visit with her aunt, Mrs. W. L. Bradley on their way back to their home at Carlsbad.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hendrix and children Nobia Lee and son W. O. Jr., of Littlefield, Texas, were visiting for several days with Mrs. Hendrix' sister Mrs. John Jones. They returned to their home at Littlefield Monday.

Friday night Miss Emmarie Perce, teacher in the Junior Epworth league was hostess at a delightful Halloween party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Flowers. The Halloween motif was carried out in the games and in the decorations. Miss Mozelle Pate was awarded the prize for the best costume.

Members of the senior Epworth league were entertained with a delightful Halloween party at the home of Miss Ella Ohlenbusch Saturday evening. Miss Gertrude Bradley and George Nihart were awarded a prize each for the best dressed costumes. At a late hour the guests were served with refreshments appropriate to the Halloween season.

A marriage of interest to this section occurred Thursday when Miss Ruby Myers of Artesia became the bride of Curtis Williams of Lake Arthur. The ceremony was performed by Justice Frank Richards of Carlsbad. Mr. and Mrs. Garland Duncan were the only attendants. A wedding supper was served to the newlyweds after the ceremony at the home of Mr. Williams' brother, Mr. and Mrs. Alvy Williams. The young couple will make their home in Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Ohlenbusch and Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Shultz of Artesia were joint hostesses at a delightful mutton barbecue Sunday. Among those who enjoyed this occasion were: Supt. C. R. Bernard and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Don Riddle and son Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dohner and son, L. E. Jr., and Howard Hadlock, Miss Gertrude Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Shultz and sons Max Jr. and Perry, Mr. and Mrs. D. Ohlenbusch and Ella and son Carl, and Mrs. T. E. Schwarz and son Henry.

The Epworth League enjoyed a Halloween party in the undercroft of the Methodist church Tuesday night. Twenty-one young people attended. Games were in charge of Mrs. Slade and Margaret.

## FORD V-8 WINS A GRUELING SWISS RACE

"Six Ford V-8 cars piloted by Dutch drivers triumphed conclusively over five European and two other American entrants in the fifth annual running of the grueling 5-day International Alpine Trail over 1,165 miles of Swiss, Italian and French mountain roads, according to official reports of the race received.

Three of the winning Fords driven by a Dutch team captained by Dr. J. J. Spenger van Eyck captured the coveted Coupe des Alpes, while the three other Fords won the first three places in the individual competition for the Coupe des Glaciers. The first two tied for first place with the best score of any of the dozens of contestants in the five classes competing.

The annual Alpine contest is probably the most severe test of motor car endurance and performance conducted in Europe. It is open only to stock cars as sold to the public. Its route from Merano, via St. Moritz, Turin and Grenoble to Nice, includes the ascent and descent of 12 major passes, with steep winding roads, scores of dangerous "hair-pin" turns and a never-ending variety of road surfaces, which test alike the stamina of the cars and the skill of the drivers.

Most difficult of all the passes is the Stelvio, in the Ortler Alps between Italy and Switzerland. It rises to 9,150 feet above sea level. In the course of the 11-mile climb from the valley, the drivers were forced to negotiate 52 "hair-pin" bends before reaching the snow-capped top of the mountain.

The Ford cars and other competitors in the principal class were required to make the ascent of this difficult pass at an average of 23 miles an hour. Many were forced to stop along the way to replenish the water in their violently steaming radiators but the Ford cars came up the pass in formation without a halt and continued their journey without adding water.

At the final inspection of the competing cars at the finish in Nice where penalties were imposed for faults in condition, the Ford cars were passed without penalty and the drivers complimented by the judges upon the condition of the cars, both mechanically and in appearance."

## ASKS \$150,000 TO AID STATE RELIEF

**SANTA FE**—New Mexico has made an application to the federal government for \$150,000 of relief money, not necessary to be matched by state funds, which will carry the state through to at least January, according to Miss Margaret Reeves, director of child welfare.

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## MORE COTTON CHECKS

Three more cotton checks, in payment of cotton retired in Eddy county this year, were received by County Agent Wunsch Friday. These checks were for \$744.00 and were distributed at once.

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**MARKETS**

**N. Y. COTTON**  
 (December Option)

	Open	Close
Oct. 26	9.70	9.65
Oct. 27	9.55	9.66
Oct. 28	9.68	9.57
Oct. 30	9.71	9.54
Oct. 31	9.57	9.54
Nov. 1	9.53	9.58
Nov. 2	9.55	9.57

Locally the basis is unchanged to slightly better, all cotton thus far ginned in this section being of such high grade and staple that buyers are willingly taking it at from forty-five to fifty "on" in December. The price for the week under review has moved within a range of about 35 points, influenced largely by the hopes or fears regarding the new gold policy of the administration.

We are to have a compensated dollar. One redeemable in gold but the weight of the gold for which the dollar would exchange will vary with the average of all commodity prices.

This is a rubber dollar but dollars are all rubber either as to weight or as to value. A dollar cannot have a fixed weight and also a fixed value. The administration's proposal for a managed currency is destined to raise commodity prices and then keep them there.

We have faith in this being done. It will take time; and patience should be exercised, but President Roosevelt says "it will be done."

Locally we cannot recommend the 10c loan feature to many farmers. It will not fit into the southwest irrigated sections as well as the old south because of acreage reduction features, yet there are quite a number of farmers who can cooperate without seriously interfering with their crop rotation plans.

**The Loan Plan Briefly**  
 Loans can be made only to actual producers, landlords or tenants, on the identical cotton produced this year.

The cotton may be stored in any approved warehouse, either locally or at port, but legal ownership must not have passed from the producer.

Loans will be made through cotton dealers, brokers, merchants, banks, warehousemen, cooperatives, or other lending agencies.

Notes will be made to mature July 31, 1934, and will draw 4% interest. No difference in value will be allowed because of the location of the cotton; and no allowance will be made to the owner for freight. Warehouses advancing freight will hold a first lien on the cotton freight and storage charges will take precedence over the government loans when the cotton is finally sold and these charges plus accrued interest and insurance will be deducted from the sale value of the cotton.

The grower to obtain the loan must commit himself to the 1934 acreage reduction campaign. Cotton production control associations of producers will have charge of the acreage control campaign in every county and will see that the plan is made effective, upon those cooperating.

Those signing up will receive from \$3.00 to \$11.00 an acre for the acreage thus held out of cotton must be in accordance with the government's plan.

**CHAPEL PROGRAM**

A Hallowe'en program was featured in Chapel Monday afternoon, with the children in the second, third and fourth grades taking a leading part.

The first number was a playlet by the second grade—"Hallowe'en Magic." Children with orange pumpkin faces represented the pumpkins in a field making a scene that was complete even to the owl, black cats, witches and two farm children enjoying the fun.

Patsy Farkus, a violin student of only two months training, a pupil of Mrs. Welborne, played a solo on her violin. This was followed by a broom drill by the fourth grade. The children had brooms dressed to represent Hallowe'en figures, and danced these spooks in front of themselves.

Juil Lee Hicks sang a cute little number, "The Goblin," and Geraldine Smith gave a violin solo.

The third grade girls were dressed in sheets with hoods, portraying ghosts, and as they flashed pumpkins with the letters, "Hallowe'en," sang a song by that title.

The last number was a trumpet duet by Kenneth Stine and Miss Paddock.

**DESTROYING FIELDS**

Many thousands of sand hill cranes on which there is no open season and ducks protected until November 1st, have been destroying grain fields in the panhandle of Texas bordering New Mexico according to reports. While ducks and cranes have made their appearance here, they have not molested the grain crops locally as much as usual.

**DexterNews**

Mrs. L. Martin who has been quite sick for several days is improving nicely.

Fenn Mitchell who has been ill for the past ten days with flu is very much improved.

Mrs. Russell Smith and little son of Roswell were the guests of Mrs. C. L. McMains Wednesday.

Fred Mielenz left Monday morning for Omaha, Nebraska, following a two months visit with the Pollock family.

Lee Alred was in from his ranch west of Dexter Saturday, visiting friends and attending to business matters.

Herman Kunkel of Plainview, Texas, was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Merchant and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kunkel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Caffell and family of Hobbs are spending a few days in Dexter as the guests of the T. J. Caffells and Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Clark.

S. P. Butler was a business caller in Dexter Tuesday. Mr. Butler says it is rather dry on the Diamond A ranch west and north of Dexter.

C. N. Moore, Vail Stewart and E. O. Moore spent Tuesday in the mountains receiving sheep which will be placed in the feed pens immediately.

Mr. Parker left Tuesday for Albuquerque where he will spend the week attending the teachers state convention. School was dismissed at noon Wednesday and the school faculty left for the convention.

Mrs. R. C. Reid left Sunday for Chicago, where she will visit the Century of Progress. From Chicago Mrs. Reid will go to Indianapolis where she expects to spend most of the winter visiting her sister.

F. L. Mehlopp and John Mehlopp are home from the big hunt with plenty of deer. My, what interesting hunting stories are told and the old boys who have not been to the hills are getting the fever in a big way.

Mrs. George Wilcox, state president, Parent-Teachers association, went to Albuquerque Monday where she will preside over the state convention of Parent-Teachers. Albuquerque seems to be long on conventions this week.

Mrs. Ruth Andrews and children Gerald and Jessie Ruth will leave Friday for Arkansas where they will spend the winter as the guest of Mrs. Andrews' mother.

Mrs. Andrews, who is supervisor of the home economics department of the Dexter school, has a leave of absence until next September.

Jack-o-lanterns, black cats and witches made a delightful setting for the delightful dinner party given Tuesday evening at six by Miss Audre Latimer at her home in the west part of town.

At a beautiful, candle-lit table, centered with yellow mums, a delicious three course dinner was served to the guests.

Mrs. A. Durand was the pleasing hostess at a delightful seven o'clock dinner bridge Saturday evening at her home east of Dexter. Attractive Hallowe'en decorations, place cards and favors reflected the season's greetings.

At quartet tables lighted with yellow candles in black holders a delicious three course dinner was served to the guests.

A very enjoyable meeting of the Sew-So club was held Thursday afternoon from two to six with Mrs. J. H. Southard as hostess. The happy hours were spent in quilting, followed by the serving of a delicious refreshment plate by the hostess to seventeen guests. Black and gold were the effective house decorations, reflecting the season's greetings.

George Wilcox, George Thompson and Bob Reid came home Friday with a deer each, W. E. Kerr, Earl Love, Jr., and Mr. Bryan were not so fortunate. But in the Stone-Garrison party were six hunters, they brought in twelve deer. M. Y. Monical also bagged his game and many others from the Dexter vicinity came in with broad smiles and lots of game.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY HONORING LITTLE MISS STERRETT**  
 Mrs. George Sterrett entertained with a delightful Hallowe'en party Saturday afternoon from two to five honoring her daughters' second and fourth birth anniversaries.

Hallowe'en decorations, place cards and favors were used. Games of the season were played which brought much hilarity and fun for the young guests. A beautiful white cake centered the attractive long table from which delicious sweet course was served to the guests.

**DELIGHTFUL HALLOWE'EN DANCE AT LAKE VAN**  
 The Hallowe'en season was brought to a fitting close Tuesday night with a very enjoyable dance at Lake Van with Mrs. Breb Hurst, Mrs. John Bible, Mrs. Walter Anderson and Warner Wilkes, host and hostesses for the evening. The dance hall

**HEALTH COLUMN**

Conducted by Dr. J. R. Earp, Director, New Mexico Bureau of Public Health.

**Fall Typhoid**

Typhoid fever which is always too prevalent in New Mexico has been unusually prevalent this fall. Many of the cases have occurred too late in the season for us to suspect flies. An investigation in Mora county indicates that a more probable medium of infection there is water. Of 217 families investigated in that county 112 were found to be drawing water from wells, 76 from river or ditch and 29 from springs. Many of the "wells" are simply holes in the ground which are filled with water carried from the ditches in barrels.

Supposing that some of this water has been contaminated it must have been contaminated by the stools or urine of a person who had typhoid fever at the time or had had it in the past. One third of the patients with typhoid fever discharge bacilli in their stools for three weeks from the beginning of the illness. Eleven per cent of patients discharge bacilli for from eight to ten weeks; these are called convalescent carriers. About three per cent of patients discharge bacilli for years after they have had the disease; these are called chronic or permanent carriers. Women carriers are four times more numerous than men carriers.

It is important for the safety of the public health that these carriers should be known so that they may be prevented from handling food and may be taught to take great care in the disposal of their excreta. New Mexico health authorities know how to find carriers but they lack the necessary personnel and equipment.

Individuals who are obliged to drink water from ditches, rivers or shallow wells may protect themselves (1) by making sure that all water is boiled before it is drunk and (2) by inoculation with typhoid vaccine.

**L. C. CLUB**

L. C. Club met with Mrs. E. D. Menoud on Thursday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. Gehman, in the chair. At the devotional meeting Mrs. Menoud read the fifth chapter of First Thessalonians. At the business meeting, plans were made for the annual Thanksgiving dinner to be held at Mrs. M. D. Menoud's on November twenty-eighth. Mrs. McNamara was in charge of the games, one being an apple-paring contest. The rooms were decorated with Hallowe'en emblems. Delicious pumpkin pie with nuts and whipped cream and coffee were served to Mesdames Boyce, Evans, Gehman, Holloway, Heitman, M. D. Menoud, Jacobs, McNamara, Sanders, Utterback, Spurgeon Sanders, Hedges, George, Henrichson and the hostess. Club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Sanders on November ninth.

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
 "Church Appreciation Day" will be observed in the local Church of the Nazarene Sunday, Rev. C. W. Gardner has announced. This is the fourth Silver Jubilee Anniversary celebration.

Sunday school is at 9:45. Morning worship 11:00. N. Y. P. S. 6:45. Evening service 8:00 p. m. REV. C. W. GARDNER, Pastor.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our sincere thanks for the thoughtful kindness extended us by our friends and relatives during the illness and death of our loved one. Edmund R. McKinstry, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Barnes and Avatee, Mr. and Mrs. Tom McKinstry and family. 44-1tc

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was effectively decorated with giant grass, jack-o-lanterns and ferns. The guests were met at the entrance of the reception by Mrs. Hurst and Mrs. Bible who issued passes and passed the guests to Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and Mr. Wilkes who escorted them through several dark passage ways before entering the dance hall.

At twelve, ginger-bread, doughnuts, coffee, cocoa and coca cola was served. Out-of-town guests for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. George B. Owens, Miss Ethel Weaver, Grady Southworth and Salem Curtis of Roswell and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Hearn of Hagerman.

Mrs. Oscar Kunkel, Mr. Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. Hearn assisted the hosts in serving the midnight lunch.

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**SECONDARY ROAD WORK SPEEDED UP**

SANTA FE—Swift action to speed up highway construction work in New Mexico, especially approval of secondary road projects by the bureau of public roads, has been obtained by the democratic administration, through Senator Carl Hatch, Congressman Dennis Chavez and Mauldin, highway commissioner, who personally called on the commissioner of public roads in Washington.

Governor A. W. Hockenhuil has been in constant touch with the democratic representatives in congress assisting in securing speedy approval of these projects in order to get the work under way before winter sets in.

As result of the conference with the bureau chief, instructions have been issued for the field inspector to wire in his recommendations after each project has been inspected, and immediate approval by the bureau will follow.

The bureau, Governor Hockenhuil was advised, favors immediate approval of highway projects in the drought stricken eastern counties.

**STATE CONTEST IN SESSION AT COLLEGE**

The sixteenth annual 4-H encampment is being held at State College from November 1 to 4. Thirty-five demonstration teams and half a dozen livestock judging teams from eighteen counties in New Mexico are to compete for honors. These demonstration and judging teams represent more than 3,000 4-H club members from twenty counties of the state.

**CLARENCE E. TROTTER GETS WAR CITATION**

Clarence E. Trotter, 4528 Cedar avenue, captain of the Field Artillery reserve, United States Army, waited 15 years to get recognition for his services in the Champagne-Marne sector in the World war, but he had it last week, according to a dispatch from Washington.

He received a silver star citation from the war department, according to the dispatch, for "gallantry in action July 15, 1918."

The announcement said Trotter, then a captain in Battery A, 150th Field Artillery, Forty-second division, restored a battery observation post which was destroyed by enemy shells and in "utter disregard for his own danger" continued to direct fire of his battery and report progress of the attack. —Minneapolis Journal.

**FORECLOSURES PREVENTED**

WASHINGTON—A large percentage of the 2,589 foreclosures averted by the home owners' loan corporation during the week ending October 20 were in western states.

A breakdown by states of the corporation's activities Sunday gave the following on New Mexico:

Sixteen foreclosures were averted in New Mexico, while 26 loans were approved, two with reductions. Sixteen applications were rejected before appraisal and one after appraisal. Eight loans were closed by exchange of bonds.

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**State and National—**

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demonstration when two planes collided after a spectacular collision in diving after paper streamers. The dead are Pilot Ezra Wiggins of Hooker, and Bill Tulles of Woodward, Oklahoma, and Frank Clay of Morrill, Nebraska. Art Stude, another flier, suffered a fracture of one leg and one arm in a fall through the roof of an Amarillo laundry.

**Pickets Wounded in Gallup Mine Strike**

GALLUP, N. M.—In the first bloodshed of the two-months-old National Miners strike, two house-to-house picketers were wounded at Gallup Monday.

Lucio Ruiz, 32, and Victorio Correa, 30, were treated for shotgun wounds after an unidentified man fired upon them as they were beginning a door-to-door effort to keep miners from the coal mines. Ruiz was in a serious condition. Correa was released after treatment.

**Start Audit of N. M. Highway Department**

SANTA FE—An audit was started of the state highway department. The audit is being handled by the New York firm of Haskins and Sells, employed by the state board of finance.

**Attack Roosevelt**

WASHINGTON—The republican national committee has opened an attack upon President Roosevelt's administration charging in a pamphlet, entitled "Let's Look at the Record," that the president has violated many campaign platform pledges.

The pamphlet mentions the inflation bill as breaking his promise for sound currency, and that promises of reduction in govern-

The R. T. C. girls met at the home of Thelma Robinson yesterday afternoon and discussed plans for the holidays.

Mrs. Alfred Johnson was taken to St. Mary's hospital at two o'clock this morning for an emergency appendicitis operation. Her condition has not been learned as we go to press.

ment expenses have been violated.

**Transient Service**

SANTA FE—Riley E. Mapes, case supervisor for the clearing house for transient men of Chicago, has been appointed state supervisor for transient service in New Mexico. Miss Margaret Reeves, director of federal relief for this state, announced Tuesday.

**Indians Want Oil Leases Cancelled**

TUBA CITY, Arizona—Balked in its expressed desire for immediate cancellation of reservation oil leases, the Navajo Indian council, seeking possible means for eventual tribal control of petroleum resources, withdrew Tuesday from the United States secretary of the interior the power of attorney that official has held for many years.

Protesting they are "not getting a square deal" from the lessees, the Navajo headmen sought to terminate the leases outright, as previously they summarily had terminated reservation timber contracts.

John Collier, commissioner of Indian affairs, advised the chief-tains that in his opinion the oil leases, although negotiated originally without formal tribal consent, and renewed indefinitely in 1924 on the same basis, cannot be broken unless the council is able to establish a breach of contract on the part of the lessees.

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