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UNION REVIVAL

Will Close Sunday Night. Great Interest Awakened. Evangelists Brown and Curry Stirring the Entire City.

The union evangelistic campaign which is now in progress in Artesia is stirring the entire city. The large tent, seating 1200 people was taxed to its utmost capacity Sunday night last and many, unable to get seats inside the tent, stood on the outside. Large crowds are in attendance every night, and the services at 9 o'clock in the morning are well attended. Evangelist Brown by his plain, practical and straight-forward preaching is making a deep impression, while Evangelist Curry, with his beautiful gospel hymns, is charming all hearts. The churches of the city are nobly re-enforcing the able efforts of these two men and much good is being done. Tuesday night the meeting reached a climax when in response to the invitation of the evangelist over 50 people crowded to the front of the tent, some to take their stand for Christ and others, already members of the church, to renew their obligations to God. The churches are working together as one man, and the effect of their united efforts is seen in the goodly number of conversions which are taking place. The methods of the evangelists are sane and wholesome. No sensational, clap-trap tactics are employed to get men to accept Christ. The appeal is made to men to do their duty without undue urging or over-persuasion. A large chorus of 150 voices is rendering valuable service. The meeting will close Sunday night. This morning at 10 o'clock there was a special service for the children. In addition to the two regular services Sunday, there will be a special service at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time Evangelist Brown will deliver a special sermon.

Woodwell Tuesday night.

The Nimitz Playhouse.

Henry Nimitz, who is well known in the Pecos Valley, having been connected with the Joyce-Pruit Company at Artesia for a number of years has started up a new vaudeville and picture show here and has furnished a nice place for his shows. He put on the first stunt last night and played to a large house. He had the band out for the grand opening and they played until almost 2:00 o'clock. The show last night consisted of light vaudeville by Pearson and Allman, who were introduced as the Peerless Harmony singers and dancers. Mr. Nimitz has a circuit of five towns up and down the valley and the plays put on here will be transferred to his other play houses.—Register-Tribune.

Fifty Teachers Here.

The Eddy County Normal which is in session here shows a very large attendance for this county especially as many of the teachers have attended summer schools elsewhere and therefore are not in attendance here.

The Normal is being held in the commodious high school building here and is being conducted by Prof. W. B. McFarland of Silver City assisted by Supt. W. L. Bishop of Artesia.

Prof. Bishop in speaking of the personnel of the attendance says he has rarely seen as high an average of intelligence and scholarship in a county normal as is shown by those teachers now here.

The commissioners decided the question of the Cottonwood school district Thursday and that community will remain a part of the Artesia district and will receive the same consideration from the school board and Supt. Bishop as does the Artesia schools.

Stolen—From tent meeting Tornado blanket 34x66 inches dark brown, all wool, pea green and white border. Liberal reward will be given.

E. F. Milms.

Grennan Studio for the latest style in photos.

Roswell Plays Ball Here Next Week

Roswell comes to Artesia for three games Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, August 16, 17 and 18. These games decide the championship of the Pecos Valley. The local going north will be held each day till after the game. This will insure a big crowd of rooters from Roswell as they can come down on the morning local and return the same evening. The biggest crowd in the history of the game in Artesia is expected. Arrangements are being made to handle the increased attendance.

Do You Know Ragsdale?

Well Bill, me and Hig was down to Spring Lake to take in the scrap an' a bully good scrap it was, that little fellow was game but the big tall fellow was too much for him; bye the way Bill I'll tell you some more 'bout those shirts; Ragsdale an' me an' Jim took a run over Chicago way, Ragsdale said as to how we might take a stroll, we walked down to Tom Murrays store an' Bill I am the biggest liar on earth if I didn't see o' lot o' the same brand o' shirts an' the same number as was marked from \$1.50 reduced to \$1.05 a very special bargain; Bill think o' it, payin' \$1.05 for a shirt that costs when you know how to buy 'em \$6.75 o' dozen an' it marked special reduced from \$1.50, Bill 'mos o' these so called special bargains is special on the card only. Says I to Ragsdale says I, Ragsdale what are you going to sell these shirts for? Ragsdale says same as every thing else 25 per cent profit an' countin' freight you can buy one for about six bits, an' think Bill, you get the same shirts as you get in Chicago for \$1.05. Bill I got lots to tell you later on 'bout Ragsdale an' his way o' doing business; Bill you take my word for it, you do all your tradin' at the Big Racket Department Store, buyin' goods from Ragsdale is like put' in' money in your pocket.

To be continued

Carlsbad to Have Primary

As will be seen elsewhere in this paper, in a card issued by Wm. H. Mullane editor of the Current, the Democrats of Carlsbad in pursuance of a call made by the precinct chairman D. G. Granthum, will hold a primary Tuesday, August 16 to select a candidate from that town for delegate to the constitutional convention.

Plenty of apple, pear, plum and prunes next week, at Muncey & Highsmith orchard, Hope. If you expect to go out for fruit better get busy at once for most of this will go next week.

Lewis has a way of sending them out northeast that makes the other fellows think that they have a through ticket to Quebec.

Notice to Land Owners.

Having been connected with the firm of Talbot, Requa & Brown for the past year, and making the land business a study, I feel that I am fairly well acquainted with the condition of things in the Valley and having severed my connections with the above named firm, I have decided to open an office. I would be glad to have listings on anything that you have for sale or exchange. It is my intention to call on every farmer in the next thirty days, but should I fail to see you, call at my office when in town and give me your list.

Until I can secure a permanent location I will be in the office of Dr. U. P. White.

I will give my most careful attention to the selling and renting of city property. The regular commission rate will be charged on all business done.

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Yours most respectfully,

W. C. HANEY.

To Put in Pumping Plant.

M. F. Loomis, president of Union Construction Co and Judge G. A. Richardson of Roswell were here Thursday and Friday of this week with a proposition to put in pumping plants that will pump water from surface wells to the depth of fifty feet, using a fuel that will cost one third less than gasoline. At a meeting held at the Commercial Club rooms Friday afternoon E. C. Higgins as chairman appointed J. T. Collins, T. R. Smith and E. S. Porter as a committee to investigate thoroughly the proposition and confer with Mr. Loomis concerning it.

Pumping plants at small cost would mean the reclamation of all lands outside the Artesian belt as surface water can be obtained at a very shallow depth.

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W. C. T. U.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union was organized in the tent Monday afternoon by representatives from the different churches of our town, several of whom will act in the capacities of, President, Mrs. J. M. Millhuff; vice presidents from the churches Christian, Mrs. L. G. Hadley; Baptist, Mrs. C. E. Millhuff; Methodist, Mrs. A. B. Gerrels; Catholic, Mrs. M. P. Skeen; Presbyterian, Mrs. S. W. Gilbert. Treasurer Mrs. E. B. Martin. Recording secretary Mrs. D. M. Elder. Corresponding secretary Mrs. E. B. Kemp. Supt. Medal Contest Work Mrs. I. N. Corrington.

This movement means every thing for Artesia. We have work especially for all our recently converted women. We will look for you at the home of Mrs. I. N. Corrington on Friday afternoon August 19th at 3:30.

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This paper has been entered in the postoffice at Artesia, New Mexico, as second-class mail matter.

In Artesia this spring, in order to avoid a partisan campaign, the Democrats offered to give Republicans representation far in excess of their voting proportion of the population. They rejected the offer. In the territory, we offered to give them their proportion which meant a small majority for them; they rejected this and now demand that we let them have all Republican counties without division and divide Democratic counties with them.

Religious Liberty Growing.

The modification of the king's oath by act of the British parliament is a step in the direction of religious liberty. The change not only eliminates the words objectionable to Catholics, but the words objectionable to non-conformists. And while Great Britain, a Protestant country, is making a concession to Catholics, Spain, a Catholic country is making concessions to Protestants. Thus does toleration grow. It is gratifying to see the doctrine of brotherhood growing—the more gratifying to see concessions made on both sides.—Bryan's Commoner.

About Press Bureaus.

The Democratic newspapers of New Mexico are all edited by press bulletins sent out from the Democratic central committee at Albuquerque. We would inform the Hon. Mr. Walton, railroad attorney and chairman of the Democratic organization, that we are not Mexicans over here, consequently can do our own thinking and writing, Democrats as well as Republicans.—Texico Trumpet

The audacity of the above is somewhat superb for even friend Loomis. The territorial committee of the Democratic party has been sending out some mighty good stuff for reference. This is a common practice with all parties. It is usually understood that the recipient is at liberty to use such matter as original. Very few have exercised this right.

The Advocate has never taken advantage of this privilege nor has there been a single line written for its editorial columns which was even remotely inspired by what came from the press bureau. Two years ago a similar department was maintained by the Democratic committee but the Advocate never used a line of what it sent out.

Two years ago the Republican press bureau was "a thing of beauty and a joy forever" to the Republican editors. The principal editorials were written in Santa Fe, differently written editorials on the same

subject being furnished each Republican paper each week and set up at home, so that to all but critics of style it would read like an original on the part of the editor. We venture to say that a similar system is now in operation.

When Independents Should Rise Up.

"The attitude of the Republicans and the Democrats toward constitution making in New Mexico is not the product of a mere chance, not of one party being against what the other advocates, but it is the historical, the logical outcome of well defined tendencies in both parties. The same tendencies fought for supremacy in the constitutional convention of the United States; they have battled ever since with varying fortune through every national administration and in every state. Senator Cummins of Iowa, in his address to the Iowa Republican convention defined that attitude as follows:

"The voters of the county know that there is infinitely more hope of making the Republican party effectually progressive than there is of efficient and comprehensive legislation from the Democrats.

"There are many Democrats who are distinguished for their wise and broad views upon public affairs, but the large majority of the leaders of the Democratic party are incapable of making or administering laws for a country like ours, for they invariably find in the constitution an insuperable obstacle in the way of doing the things which are imperatively demanded, and which if done at all must be done by the general government.

"I have been accused oftentimes by some of my blind and passionate opponents of having Democratic leanings, and I have many warm personal friends in that organization, but there never was a time in my whole life when I would have been willing to commit the destiny of the county to the Democratic party, and there is no reason now for doing so than ever before.

"So long as I look upon the constitution as a command to look after the welfare of the people, rather than a mere injunction against invading the rights of the states, there will be an impassable gulf between the Democratic party and myself.

"The character of the problems which now hold the first place in the American mind makes the Republican view of the constitution vital to the common good. I admit that the differences between Republicans are many and that they are important; but any Republican who, by reason of these differences, votes for a Democratic candidate, will find that he has jumped from the frying pan into the fire."—New Mexican.

The distinction exists. A constitution drawn by able, honest and patriotic Democrats would differ much from a constitution drawn by able, honest and patriotic Republicans. A constitution drawn by a mixed convention would differ from both. Now,

as this is a territory so closely divided politically that there were only a couple of hundred votes difference between the two parties in the result of the election two years ago, the nearer that a constitutional convention would come to being evenly divided politically, the nearer would the constitution produced reflect the opinion of the people as a whole. Hence, when the Democratic territorial committee suggested a non-partisan division it suggested what if honestly carried out, would have proven the fairest solution of the question. But the Republicans of the territory rejected such division, leaving it to the counties, which promptly followed the lead taken by the Republicans of Bernalillo county and proceeded to nominate partisan tickets in all Republican counties. The Republican territorial committee desired this result. It is now proposed that the Democrats divide up with them in the Democratic counties. So that after having made sure of a safe majority by clinching their hold in all Republican divisions, they would cut down the Democratic minority to such a small fraction that it would have no voice whatever in the making of the constitution. In other words the opinions of practically one half of the people of New Mexico, possessing its full share of the intelligence, progress and patriotism of the commonwealth, would be ruled out without a hearing.

According to the Las Vegas Optic, the Republicans will have a safe majority of twenty-two. Assuming that this is correct, there will be thirty-nine Democrats in the convention. Now thirty-nine active and intelligent Democrats can do a good deal. They can force the Republican majority to adopt a number of modified Democratic principles. Thirty-nine, by taking advantage of legitimate parliamentary practices, by intelligent discussion and by appeals to the people, can make themselves felt and can make the sixty-one take notice at all times, and yield something often.

But suppose that we divide up with the Republicans just to show that we are good? Then instead of thirty-nine we will have either nineteen or twenty. Nineteen or twenty out of one hundred would not have one half the effect, not one tenth of the effect, that thirty-nine would have. Instead of practically two fifth of the convention, they would constitute about one fifth of the convention. Their protests would be ignored and they would be lost in the mob. While Democrats of Chaves county, following the lead of Republicans of Bernalillo county resolved against a non partisan convention prior to the meeting of the territorial committee, it must be remembered that it acted in this manner only after the Bernalillo Republicans had acted. Even then the Democratic committee tried to divide and would have done so had not the Republicans refused. Had a fair division taken place we would have had forty-nine while the Republicans would have had fifty

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one, and the constitution, while Republican rather than Democratic, would have had enough of the leaven of Democracy to have made it truly representative of the whole people. This of course, would have only been the case, had the Democrats been truly Democratic, which they might not have been. But the Republicans would not take the risk. They rejected all overtures and adopted a policy which insured Republicans from Republican counties. Now, their efforts to have the Democrats divide in the Democratic counties while not discreditable to them, is an insult to the intelligence of all Democrats in the Democratic divisions. It is also an insult to all true independents, for to divide would mean that the constitution would be written by the Republican "plunderbund" without opposition.

The New Mexican is right. The difference between Democratic and Republican is fundamental. But neither party monopolizes all that the good that there is in American politics. So that in New Mexico all true independents ought to be with the Democrats in order to balance the parties as far as possible in the convention, and in



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order to make that constitution truly representative of all the people and not representative of one party alone.

Moreover, the Democratic platform in this territory is more nearly in accord with the Republican platforms of Kansas, Iowa and Oregon than the Republican platform is; so that while the difference between progressive Republicans and Democrats is fundamental, the difference between truly progressive Republicans and the Plunderbund of New Mexico is still more vital. So admitting that it is a choice of evils, from their point of view, the Republicans of progressive inclinations ought to line up with the Democracy of New Mexico as being less far from their ideals.

Both Candidates Write.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found articles by C. R. Brice and W. H. Woodwell setting forth their views on what should be incorporated into a constitution. Our readers can form their own judgment in regard to the merits of the men's views as set forth in their own articles in their own way.

Other things equal the Advocate believes that whoever is nominated at a primary in Carlsbad should receive the entire Democratic vote of Artesia provided that such primary is properly called and sufficiently advertised, so as to prevent snap action.

There seems to be a general feeling on the part of the people of Carlsbad that we are entitled to one man, and in view of the absence of other candidates we feel that they should select their own man if we should select ours. Moreover since they did not set any date for us within which we should hold our primary we fail to see that we have any right to insist that we should set any date for them. The charge that either Carlsbad candidate has tried to do anything against Artesias candidate is an unproven and we believe an unfounded assertion. Because both of them have exercised the right which our candidate has also exercised and have pushed their individual candidacies, it has been asserted that they have been fixing up deals against us. There is neither reason given nor proof furnished for such charge.

It is true, that Artesia has had occasion to complain of broken promises in the past, but for the last couple of years, there has been a tendency on the part of the county seat to tote fair. The last bridge election was a proof of this. At the first bridge election the Carlsbad voters didn't deliver the goods, but at the last they did do so. The Artesia bonds carried in Carlsbad by more than three to one and the Carlsbad bonds carried in Artesia by more than two and one half to one. What took place then can take place again. There is no need of

raking up old scores at a time like this when the interest of the new state is so vitally concerned. We believe that both candidates are acting in good faith toward Artesia and we only wait for some definite expression of opinion by the Democratic voters of Carlsbad in order to determine whom we shall support.

The Best Hour of Life

is when you do some great deed or discover some wonderful fact. This hour came to J. R. Pitt of Rocky Mt. N. C. when he was suffering intensely, as he says "from the worst cold I ever had, I then proved to my great satisfaction what a wonderful cough and cold cure Dr. Kings New Discovery is; for after taking one bottle, I was entirely cured. You can't say anything too good of a medicine like that." Its the surest and best remedy for diseased lungs, hemorrhages, la grippe asthma, hay fever any throat or lung trouble. 50c. \$1.00 Trial bottle free. Gurranteed by all druggists.

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Happy Hour Club

The ladies of the happy hour club were entertained by Mrs. William and Mrs. Geo. Parks at the home of Mrs. William Parks on Wednesday August 3rd. The afternoon was spent in social talk. They were favored by some fine readings by Miss Evelyn Welsh, also a little recitation by Miss Ruth Russel, after which dainty refreshments were served. They all departed for their respective homes feeling that it was good to be there. We were sorry that our president could not be with us but we hope that she can be present when we meet with Mrs. D. G. De Geer on August 17th 1910.

Those present were Mesdames W. E. Russell and children, S. I. Whiteside, J. G. Busch and baby Josephine, J. S. Sharp and son Meril, D. G. De Geer, N. C. Doering and little Mildred, Lora Welsh and daughter Evelyn and little Herma, Lee Brownlee and babies Ferne and Dale, N. G. Mead and baby Eleanor, S. E. Fleming and baby Margaret, E. Sny-G. L. Horall, William Parks and children. Misses Mabel Mead, Edna Horrall, Mabel Parks, Pearl Whiteside, Marie Sharp, Eva Brownlee and Mary Ellen Horrall. Also Mrs. S. E. Fleming.

Reporter.

Mary Ellen Horrall.

Sunday Hours: Home Bakery.

The Home Bakery will hereafter be open on the following hours on Sunday: from six o'clock until eight o'clock a. m., from eleven o'clock until noon and from four o'clock until seven o'clock p. m.

If your light don't work call J. K. Gibson phone 128.

PORTALES WATER CARNIVAL

Three Days Celebration of Opening Of Irrigation Project

Portales is going to celebrate the opening of her ten thousand acre irrigation project in a three days' Water Carnival, to be held on August 18, 19, 20. A special invitation is extended to visitors to be there on those dates to see their irrigation wells being pumped, throwing twelve to fourteen hundred gallons per minute, and see their big power plant running. This power plant has two seven hundred and fifty horsepower producer gas engines, direct connected electric generators, three gas producers and electricity is carried over seventy two miles of transmission lines. An important feature of the celebration will be the auction sale of one thousand and ten acres of land under this project, in tracts of ten acres and up, on liberal terms. As an extra inducement to buyers, a town lot will be given to the first twenty-five purchasers of irrigated tracts, and also provision for refunding railroad fare to purchasers. This auction sale takes place on Saturday August the 20th at 9:30 A. M. Free Automobile transportation will be furnished visitors from a distance to see the wells.

Other features of the celebration are: Speaking by prominent orators of the territory, barbeque and basket dinner on the nineteenth, games and sports. One and a third fare has been granted on the Pecos Valley lines between Pecos and Amarillo.

Democratic Club Reorganized.

The Artesia Democratic Club met and reorganized at the Odd Fellows Hall, Monday night.

There was a good attendance. The new officers are, G. R. Brainard, president; E. C. Higgins, vice president; James D. Whelan, secretary; Dr. J. J. Clark, treasurer. The above officers with Gayle Talbot constitute the executive committee of the club. A membership committee consisting of E. C. Higgins, W. E. Ragsdale and C. V. Brainard was appointed.

The club then listened to an able address on the coming constitutional convention by Dr. M. P. Skeen, Artesia's candidate for Democratic nomination.

The pledge of members presented and adopted reads as follows:

We, the undersigned, hereby associate ourselves with the Artesia Democratic Club and pledge our support to the principles of the Democratic party. In this campaign we pledge ourselves to do all in our power to further the nomination and election of Dr. M. P. Skeen and to use our influence to secure the election of the nominees of the Democratic primary, August 20 1910.

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One, 8 inch well two and one-half miles east of Artesia for R. W. Bruce, Artesia, 24 inch flow.

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Base Ball Artesia vs Albuquerque.

The series of games between Artesia and Albuquerque which were scheduled to begin Saturday were postponed until Monday on account of playing off a tie with Roswell.

FIRST GAME.

Monday was an ideal day for the game. A large audience was present to lend zest to the players. The fans were present to cheer the good and hoot the poor players. Altogether it was one of the most appreciative crowds ever assembled on the Artesia grounds. The players were in fine trim for the game and were on the queue from start to finish. It was a clean and hard fought battle from every point. Erb, the umpire, seemed in his happy strain and gave his decisions without fear or favor, which met the approval of both players and on-lookers. Thus free from wrangling the game was lively and full of snap.

The lineup was: Artesia, Bigler 2, R. Brainard lf, Big Reed c, Aumiller rf, Baker 1, Linell cf, F. Brainard 3, Clayton s, Bratton p.

Albuquerque. Chaves c, Gonzales 3, Donovan 1, Weeks s, Hidalgo rf, De Blasi lf, Luna cf, Burns 2, Newmeyer p.

The features of the game.

Bratton did some fine pitching for Artesia. Amy Clayton distinguished himself at short-stop. Fred Brainard drove the ball over the north fence in fourth inning scoring two runs Dr. Baker being on the base at the time. This in connection with the fine bunting of Artesia team gave them a total of scores. Albert Linells stellar catch in left field and Aumiller's catch of a line drive to right field as well as Carl's catch of a Texas leaguer back of third base and his peg to first completing a double at a critical period set the fans in an unroar and made that smile-that-won't-wear-off appear on the faces of the home team. Altogether this was a game long to be remembered in Artesia.

The sensational feature of the game was the way in which the Artesia team batted Newmeyer out of the box in the fifth inning, causing the Albuquerqueans to put up Weeks their crack-pitcher to keep the Artesians from putting them to utter rout. As it was the final score stood 5 to 3 in favor of Artesia.

Artesia score 5.

Albuquerque score 3.

SECOND GAME.

The second game was rather tame from the grand-stand point of view. There were no brilliant plays on either side. The line-up, which was as follows was maintained with the exception that Big Reed, who got his hand smashed in the eighth inning, was relieved by Fred Brainard, Carl taking 3rd base:

Artesia: Bigler 2, R. Brainard lf, Big Reed c, Dick Lewis p, Aumiller rf, Dr. Baker 1, F. Brainard 3, Linell cf, Clayton s.

Albuquerque: Chaves c, Gonzales s, Donovan 2, McCaslin 1, Weeks p, Hidalgo rf, De Blase lf, Luna cf, Burns 3.

Artesia score 1.

Albuquerque score 2.

THIRD GAME

The third game was played

under favorable very circumstances; the rain of the early morning put everybody in a good humor and the grounds in fine condition. This being the deciding game of the series, glaying off the tie, much interest was centered in the game. The second half of the second inning was the starting point of interest, when Fred Brainard repeated his home run stunt of the first day, making the score 2 to 0. He drove the ball a clear 400 feet by actual measurement. Lewis scored 1 for Artesia in the 4th, making the score 3 to 0. De Blase scored 1 for Albuquerque in the 5th and a 2-base hit by Hidalgo added to 2 more to Albuquerque's score tying the game. But a 3-bagger by Lewis in the 8th, when the bases were filled, added 2 scores to Artesia's count. Dr. Graham being forced out at home plate. A 2-base hit by Wake scored Lewis and practically closed the game.

Wake was at his best and passed the ball to Linell so swiftly and deftly that he had the Albuquerqueans guessing all through the game and Linell was like a basket in not letting the ball get by him.

One of the prettiest plays was the double from Burns on 2nd to Donovan on 1st. Lewis's 3-base drive was the longest ever made inside the Artesia grounds. So hard was the contest that Albuquerque was forced to change Hildago for Baca in the fifth, and Chaves for Bernalde in the 6th.

Artesia: Reed Brainard lf, Aumillea rf, Graham 2nd, Lewis cf, Wake p, Fred Brainard 3rd, Baker 1, Clayton ss, Linell c.

Albuquerque: Chaves c, Gonzales 3rd, Donovan 1, Wake ss, DeBlase lf, Luna cf, Hidalgo rf, Burns 2nd, Baca p.

Artesia score 6.

Albuquerque score 3.

Rev. E. P. Aldredge of Portales who conducted a meeting here last October and therefore has many friends and admirers in Artesia, was in town Thursday night and Friday attending the revival meeting here and incidentally mentioning some of the good things they have at Portales where they hold a big celebration on August 18, 19, 20. Mr. Aldredge is editor of the Herald in his town and is interested in all things that make for progress in his town and county.

We are now displaying by far the largest, newest and best assorted stock of house furnishing supplies ever shown in fair Artesia. But we must move them regardless of profit next week only. The Artesia Furn Co.

E. F. Cooper and family, Miss Lora Williams, John McIlhany and Rex Williams returned Wednesday from a three weeks outing at Cloudcroft and other points in the hills. They report a gloriously good time and all look as though they had been playing a part of that kind.

Trade has been quiet. Our fall goods are beginning to come in. We need money to pay freight and are going to move the goods next week if cutting the price will move them. The Artesia Furn Co.

In The District Court Of Eddy County, Territory of New Mexico.

The Bank of Dayton, a corporation, Plaintiff.

Charles S. Davis, Josephine D. Davis, Benjamin F. Dewey, John W. Price, Byrd Walter and W. A. Jones Defendants.

No 1228. Notice Of Suit.

The defendants, Charles S. Davis, Josephine D. Davis, Benjamin F. Dewey, John W. Price, Byrd Walter and W. A. Jones are hereby notified that there is a suit pending upon the complaint of the Bank of Dayton, a corporation, in the District Court of the County of Eddy and Territory of New Mexico, asking for judgement against Charles S. Davis and Josephine D. Davis, upon their certain promisory note, executed February 18, 1908 in favor of the Bank of Dayton, for the sum of \$1044.05, bearing interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from date until paid and 10 per cent additional as attorney's fee, said note having become due Thirty days after date of same; and for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage deed executed by the said Charles S. Davis and Josephine D. Davis, in favor of the Bank of Dayton, plaintiff, against the following described real estate, situate lying and being, in the County of Eddy and Territory of New Mexico, to-wit:

The Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section 8, in Township 17 South of Range 26 E, N. M. P. M., together with an undivided 1/4 interest in and to a certain Artesian well, situated on the the Northwest corner of the Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section 7 in Township 17, South of Range 26 East, N. M. P. M.: It appearing that Benjamin F. Dewey, John W. Price and Byrd Walter have or claim to have, some interest in said real estate and premises, or some part thereof as mortgagees or otherwise, and the said defendant, W. A. Jones, has, or claims to have, some interest or claim upon said premises or some part thereof as purchaser, which interest or claim is subsequent to and subject to the lien of plaintiffs mortgage; And you and each of you are hereby notified that unless you enter your appearance in said case in said District Court at Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the 4th day of October 1910, judgement will be rendered against you by default and final action upon said petition will be taken by the Court and such order as required by law and provided for in said complaint will be entered and the relief demanded in said complaint will be granted to wit:

A judgement against the said Charles S. Davis and Josephine D. Davis and an order for the foreclosure of said mortgage on said real estate as described in the complaint of the plaintiff, the Bank of Dayton, and such other and further orders in the premises will be entered as may by law be required.

G. U. McCrary, Esq., is the attorney for the plaintiffs and his business address is Artesia,

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New Mexico.

Witness My Hand And The Seal Of The Said Court this 10th day of August, A. D. 1910.

S. I. Roberts

Clerk of the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the Territory of New Mexico, in and for the County of Eddy.

In the District Court of Eddy County, Territory of New Mexico.

Gayle Talbot and Edward N. Requa, Plaintiffs.

Robert E. Harris, Linda C. Harris, Gainer J. Lindsey, Annie M. Lindsey and S. A. Tannyhill, Defendants.

No. 1229. Notice of Suit.

The defendants, Robert E. Harris, Linda C. Harris, Gainer J. Lindsey, Annie M. Lindsey and S. A. Tannyhill are hereby notified that there is a suit pending upon the complaint of Gayle Talbot and Edward N. Requa, in the District Court of the County of Eddy and Territory of New Mexico, asking for judgement against the said Robert E. Harris, Linda C. Harris, Gainer J. Lindsey and Annie M. Lindsey, on their certain promisory note in favor of the above named plaintiffs, executed February 23, 1909 for the sum of \$2,000 with interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from date until paid, said note having become due 12 months from date thereof; and for the foreclosure of their certain mortgage deed executed by the said Robert E. Harris, Linda C. Harris, Gainer J. Lindsey and Annie M. Lindsey on the 23rd day of February 1909, against the following described real estate, situate lying and being in the County of Eddy and Territory of New Mexico, to wit:

The Southeast quarter of Section 30 in Township 16, South of Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., containing 160 acres; The said S. A. Tannyhill appearing to purchase said land subject to said mortgage deed and now being the owner of said land, and you, and each of you are hereby notified that unless you enter your appearance in said case in said District Court at Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the 4th day of October 1910, judgement will be rendered against you by default and final action upon said complaint will be taken by the Court and such order as required by law and as provided for in said complaint will be entered and the relief demanded in said complaint will be granted, to wit: A judgement will be rendered against Robert E. Harris, Linda C. Harris, Gainer J. Lindsey and Annie M. Lindsey, upon the promisory note, and a foreclosure of the mortgage deed described and sued upon in said complaint and such other and further orders in the premises will be entered as may by law be required.

G. U. McCrary, Esq., is the attorney for the plaintiffs and his business address is Artesia, New Mexico.

Witness My Hand And The Seal Of The Said Court this



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10th day of August A. D. 1910.

S. I. Roberts,

Clerk of the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the Territory of New Mexico in and for the County of Eddy.

The Ice Factory has a new filter and from now on the condensed water will be doubly filtered which should guarantee pure ice.

See T. F. Blackmore, for Abstracts of Title. Rear First National Bank.

First Communion Tomorrow.

First Holy Communion will be given to the First Communion Class at the Catholic church at nine o'clock tomorrow morning.

Just Here.

New white dresses for ladies at the Grand Leader, from \$1.75 to \$2.75.

Why pay high rent when you can buy a nice home with a small payment? W. C. Haney has it.

F. T. A.

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I have several merchandise stocks to trade for good farms in the Artesia county. W. C. Haney.

Prunes, Prunes, Prunes, by the basket or in loads at Rileys, Hope N. M.

That Party Pledge.

Saturday afternoon a local Republican who wouldn't vote for a Democrat against a Republican anyhow, discovered that the county committee of the Democratic party had made the test of right to participate in the county primaries as follows "I am a Democrat and agree to support the nominee of this election". He also discovered that the motion was made by Beeman of Malaga and seconded by McCrary of Artesia. In some way this was construed as an insult to Republicans and the inference was that it differed essentially from all similar pledges made in the past.

Four years ago and two years ago the pledge read, "Each qualified voter to entitle him to vote in the primary election, must be a Democrat. Any man who has not heretofore been a Democrat may be such a Democrat as named above if he has in fact severed all party connections with all other political parties and does in good faith expect to associate and affiliate permanently with the Democratic party; and each voter must pledge himself on his honor to support the Democratic ticket as nominated."

So you see that a man had to pledge a great deal more two years ago and four years ago than he has to pledge now in order to participate in the Democratic primaries, and nobody inferred that any one had occasion to become insulted. We do not think that the Republicans generally feel now that they have occasion to be offended.

We do not hold any special brief for the precinct committeeman. He exercised his right as a Democrat and an American citizen a couple of weeks ago, in opposing the candidacy of the editor of this paper. We reserve the right to "ball him out" whenever we think his conduct deserves it, and we shall not fail to exercise it if need be, but we fail to see any occasion for starting "a rough house" inside Democratic circles about a pledge which received the unanimous vote of the representatives of every precinct in the county and which is far more moderate than the one it superceded.

Recognizing that they constitute only one-fifth of the voting strength of Eddy county many Republicans are taking the position occupied by many Democrats in the North Central States, and assisting in the election of the best members of the majority party. They did this two years ago, and, as citizens, all Democrats hope that they will do that this year.

The majority of the Republicans have not been inclined to fuss at the Democrats during this campaign, but a few, who wouldn't vote for a Democrat anyhow, have been rather critical.

When Whelan was in the field, it was stated in some quarters that he had made a deal with Carlsbad and that he was Carlsbad's candidate. It was said that other Artesians specifically named were not Carlsbad candidates and that they had made no deal. At the same time it was said by the same parties that if Whe-

lan (Carlsbad's alleged candidate) ran, Carlsbad would put a Republican candidate in the field against him; but if someone else were named (from among those who had made no deal at all with the county seat) Carlsbad Republicans would not run any man against the Democratic nominee. In other words Carlsbad would fight a person supposed to be extra friendly to its interests but would not fight a man who was not pledged to its interests. Fine logic to say the least and intended to "ketch 'em a comin' an' a-goin'."

It was also said that if neither Whelan nor Talbot were nominated, and if someone from a certain list specifically named, were nominated, there would be no Republican ticket. Talbot declined and Whelan withdrew for reasons in no way connected with the attitude of these Republicans.

Nothing was said by these Republicans at that time about a change in the pledge, but when a man who was o. k.'d as satisfactory was nominated over another man who had also been o. k.'d as satisfactory some excuse was necessary in order to get out of supporting him, so the party pledge which didn't hurt in an allopathic form two years ago and four years ago, was found to be so noxious that even in its modified form it could not be taken homeopathically.

As far as pledging to support the nominee is concerned every man is normally under moral obligations to support a man nominated by a primary in which he takes part. Suppose that he were not, what would be the effect? A number of Democrats intent only on party success might invade a Republican primary and nominate a weak man. To balance up, a lot of Republicans intent on party success or on "playing even" with the Democrats might then invade the Republican primary and nominate as incompetent; with the result that both parties might have weaker candidates than if party pledges were enforced and observed, and public service might suffer; in the long run under such system it would suffer.

The fact is, that in this state, while the division has not fully taken place, the difference between progressive Republicans and stand-pat Republicans is manifest. The standpatters are right in line with the territorial Republican committee, and all the prominent organs of the Republican territorial committee are in full sympathy with the standpat element of the party in other states.

These men are the ones who rejected the proposition of the Democratic territorial committee for an equitable bi-partisan division of delegates. They want the Democrats to give them all the delegates in Republican counties and one half of the delegates in Democratic counties and insist on telling Democrats who they shall nominate and how they shall nominate them. They will make demands on the Democratic organization and if those demands are satisfied they will make other and impossible demands. They get all they can and yield nothing.

The progressives, while still Republicans, are not inclined to be unreasonable, and they generally place state patriotism above party interest. They constitute the majority of the Republicans of New Mexico, but are not organized here as they are in the older states. Hence, the standpatters, while numerically weaker, can make more noise and by reason of effective organization can carry Republican mass conventions.

Every impossible demand on the Democrats can be traced to standpat, machine Republican sources.

A number of good Artesia Democrats were troubled by these criticisms originating with standpat and incorrigible Republicans, and some of them were led to think that something unusual or wrong had been done. Whether the language used was the most happy or not, it involved no departure from the timehonored custom, anybody who could conscientiously participate two years ago or four years ago, can still do so, and those who raised the objection belong to the element of the Republican party which would not participate in Democratic primaries in any event.

The Care of Children's Eyes.

Parents let me ask your attention to one of the most important things concerning your children, namely, their sight. In this age of rush and hurry he holds but little chance of success who is in some way handicapped. The greatest drawback your child can know is DEFECTIVE VISION.

They have to fight an unequal battle. They try and try to study their lessons to keep pace with their school mates and to make a record to be proud of, but all in vain. That dull aching of the head, that blurring of vision persists, until the child, unable to bear it any longer, loses heart and courage, and sees his class leaving him far behind. He feels it of no use trying and reconciles himself to the fact that he is at the bottom and must stay there, at the same time there is a nameless something which inspires his hope, if an also nameless obstacle could be removed.

Parents that nameless obstacle as we have said before is Defective Vision and right here we want to ask you to watch your children closely for the next few weeks. Do they hold their books too close? Do they avoid reading or study? What was their record the past year? Did they stand well in their class? Did they come home after school complaining of headaches or burning sensations in the eyes? These require your consideration.

Remember a child's education is the armour with which he must fight life's battles and in proportion to his education so will his success in life be. His ability to stand shoulder to shoulder with his fellow men and hold his own depends entirely on the education he gets now. If there is any indication of a defect or if you wish to know whether there is or not do not hesitate to consult us. It will cost you nothing for consultation, we can and will

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tell you frankly whether your child's eyes are perfect or not. We are equipping our optical room with instruments specially adapted to sight testing and our knowledge of the eye, of lenses, of the fitting of one to the other places us in a position to be of the greatest service to you. If you yourself feel the need of glasses we can supply that need.

Yours for Optical work,
Edward Stone.

Is Roswell Jealous.

The Advocate fails to see why the newspapers in the "Queen City" should have a grudge against us to such an extent that they quote criticisms from everybody who cares to utter them, in regard to alleged wrong perpetrated in matters concerning base ball. Someone in the Alva team roars and forthwith it is heralded broadcast that Artesia has done some deep and damning crime. A little squabble comes up with Albuquerque and we get another shot from another quarter, though neither editor was on the ground either time or knows anything about the matter. Moreover, both teams played out their series and went their way as nearly rejoicing as folks get who hold the light end of the purse. If we were to repeat all the things said about Roswell they wouldn't look well either. But we haven't heard Roswell's side of it and have no intention of mixing in their fracas if we do hear it.

Dr. Wm Hubbard, Osteopath
Knowles Will Celebrate August 26, 27, 1910.

Knowles, the Queen City of the Plains, will celebrate in fitting style on the 26th and 27th. The Knowles celebrations have always been of the worth while sort heretofore, but she proposes to fairly surpass every other effort this year. Watch for the complete program in the News next week.

Don't fail to attend.—
Knowles News.

A Card.

Owing to the fact that there has been various and diverse reports as to my position as regards the Constitutional delegate, I will state that the Democrats of Carlsbad have decided to hold a primary next Tuesday to register their choice for a candidate from here. This is in accord with the precedent established by Artesia and is truly Democratic and a plan I have always urged and hereby pledge my vote to the two who are thus chosen one from Carlsbad, the other from Artesia, believing this the best plan to settle a very difficult question.

Wm. H. Mullane.

Cemetery Association.

The Cemetery Association met at the home of Mrs. J. B. Atkeson on the afternoon of August 1, 1910, with the president in the chair.

Ten members responded to roll call, after which the minutes of last meeting were read and accepted.

The treasurer being absent the secretary presented the report on finances as follows: Paid on July 12 to J. H. Floyd sexton, \$40; also to J. S. Highsmith on same date \$6.00 for trees.

On account of a lack of funds the Brainard-Corbin Hardware bill of \$67.05 is yet unpaid. There is a balance in the bank on August 1, of \$31.26.

The sexton's salary for this month and the unpaid bill was ordered paid so far as funds will allow.

Mrs. C. W. Williams reported \$25.45 the proceeds of the picture show and the Pecos Valley Drug Co donation.

Mrs. Atkeson for the lot committee reported \$3.00 from J. M. Davis, balance on single grave.

The proceeds of the afternoon were \$28.45.

A motion was made and carried that the west half of block 2 be set aside for the Odd Fellows, to be paid as the graves are needed.

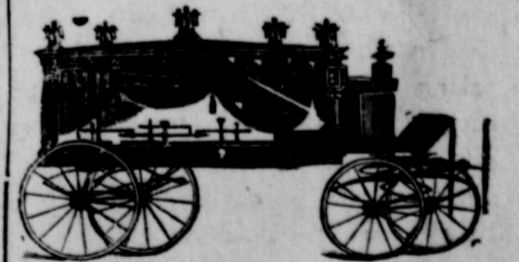
A motion was made and carried that the ladies serve ice cream and lemonade at the ball park during the series of ball games next week.

Mrs. E. E. Maddox will have charge of this work with Mesdames Atkeson, C. V. Brainard and S. W. Gilbert as assistants.

There being no further business the association adjourned and immediately afterwards the directors met and approved the minutes as recorded by the secretary.

Josephine Fatherree, Sec.

Roswell property to trade for Artesia property. See W. C. Haney.



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Brice on Constitution.

August 3, 1910,

Editor Advocate,
Artesia, N. Mex.

Dear Sir:—

Replying to your request of my views on what should be incorporated in the constitution of the new State of New Mexico, I will endeavor to comply.

I usually have decided views on every public question and do not hesitate to express them. It is useless to mention the provisions for the three branches of the government. With reference to the courts I am not prepared at this time to express my views, as they are not entirely formulated. However, I am in favor of an elective judiciary and am in favor of such election being held at sometime other than at the regular election, so that it may be as much removed from politics as is possible.

Next to the provisions for the three branches of government I favor the following provisions and place them in the order of their importance as I see it:—

1. A prohibition against incurring indebtedness by the state or any political division or municipality thereof for any purpose excepting permanent improvements, and then only by the issuance of bonds to be voted upon by the electors interested and such power to issue bonds to be properly limited.

I place this first because of the example we have of the condition of Santa Fe and Grant counties and of the condition of all the counties of New Mexico prior to the passage of the Bateman Act. Indeed I doubt seriously if any state government should be formed without this safeguard.

2. A limitation upon the power of the state, counties, cities, towns and school districts to tax the people.

While this provision is not as important as the other, nor is the taxing power so liable to be abused and the power to abuse should be taken away.

3. The incorporation of the initiative and referendum.

If we have the initiative and referendum we shall be able to get just such laws as the people want. They may be good laws or they may be bad, but whatever we do have will be the voice of the people, and if we get bad laws it will be because we are not entitled to good ones. I am not sure that the initiative and referendum will work well in all cases; but certainly the will of the people, if the people are left to act according to their own dictates, would control.

4. For the establishment of a railway or corporation commission along the lines of that State of Texas.

I am in favor of this because I doubt seriously if we would ever get a railway commission unless it is incorporated in the constitution. Ordinarily I would be in favor of leaving it to the legislature, but having been a member of the last legislature and having assisted in passing a railway commission bill through the House only to see it killed in the Council, I know how exceedingly hard it would be to have such a law

enacted by the legislature.

5. A local option provision applying to counties and precinct subdivisions thereof, permitting the liquor question to be settled by the people locally interested, provided the special submission of Statewide prohibition, which I favor, should fail.

While a member of the last legislature I had under my supervision a local option law written by Judges William H. Pope and John R. McFie and succeeded in passing it through the House of Representatives only to see it killed in Committee in the Council by vote of nine Republicans to three Democrats. I know it will be exceedingly hard to pass such a bill through the legislature and as it is Democratic to permit the people affected to control, from the state as a whole to any subdivision thereof, and as I believe it will not be a law for sometime unless made so by the constitution, I am strongly in favor of it.

6. For the establishment of a system of elections that will secure to the people a free vote and an honest count.

It is unnecessary to comment on this provision. It is the hope of the honest people of Territory of New Mexico and should by all means be provided for.

7. A provision prohibiting special legislation.

This provision is more important than one would think. The granting of special franchises and privileges to the corporations and individuals is a danger that can be avoided by a few words in the constitution. Congress will not take any exceptions to this provision, as it is now contained in our organic act and was a piece of wise legislation.

8. For the establishment of a uniform system of primary elections for the nomination of the elective officers, also United States Senators who are elected by the state legislatures.

Being a Democrat I very naturally approve of a provi-

sion as herein contained.

9. Specifically refusing to permit the state to assume the indebtedness of the counties.

It is unfair to the several counties having small indebtedness to impose upon them the burdens of the debts of the other counties of the Territory. The provision in the enabling act to the effect that the state should assume the debts of the counties was intended to secure the bonds of Grant and Santa Fe counties in case the one million acres of land failed to satisfy them. The interest on these bonds has never been paid and the amount at this time is unknown. It must be something enormous. In case the land should fail to pay off these bonds, then the new states would have them to pay. It is needless to say that Eddy County did not make the bonds, nor should she be required to pay any part of them.

There are other provisions which I would favor, but I do not think it wise for the Democrats to propose too much and do nothing. In case a constitution is formulated that is radically opposed to these principles, my view is that it will be rejected by the people of the Territory.

Respectfully,
C. R. Brice.

Some day you will wish you had bought a nice lot in the Tyler Addition. Let me show you. W. C. Haney.

Your ice will get to you promptly if you say of the ice factory it may come in the ice wagon, in a buggy or on a burro but it will get there just the same if you call the Ice Factory. Phone 260.

Woodwell August 16.

W. H. Woodwell will address the people of Artesia in regard to his candidacy next Tuesday night.

C. R. Brice.

We are authorized to announce that C. R. Brice is a candidate for the office of delegate to the Constitutional Convention subject to the action of the Democratic primaries August 20.

Dr. M. P. Skeen.

We are authorized to announce that Dr. M. P. Skeen is a candidate for the office of delegate to the Constitutional Convention subject to the action of the Democratic primaries August 20.

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W. H. Woodwell Discusses the Constitution.

The question what shall go into the Convention is more important to the welfare of New Mexico than any question the people have ever had to decide. It is impossible in a brief sketch to take up every public question and I have therefore confined myself to the five which I consider most important at this time.

I am not antagonistic to corporations simply because they are corporations. It requires a great combination of capital to carry on a great enterprise, and so long as corporations conduct their own business in a legitimate manner they should be encouraged and protected. But when any great corporation attempts to dictate the appointment of judges; to buy and influence legislatures, and control elections by campaign funds, it becomes a menace to the nation and ought to be antagonized.

The railroad interests have had a controlling hand in New Mexico affairs for many years. They will make a desperate struggle to continue their hold after statehood, and unless the people, and the people's representatives are alert, they will succeed.

I look at the matter this way; A corporation owes its existence to the state; it is a creature of the law, and it derives its charter and franchises from the people, who also protect its property. Why is there not a corresponding obligation on the part of the corporation to treat the people fairly and justly? Why shouldn't the people elect a commission to investigate its methods, and after giving both sides a hearing, to say what is fair and reasonable?

I therefore favor a corporation commission modelled after those of Texas and Oklahoma.

The initiative and referendum is the one feature upon which the Democracy throughout the length and breadth of New Mexico has taken a firm and united stand. Under our form of government the power is conferred upon the legislature to make laws not in conflict with the constitution. That is right and proper. All the people cannot make all the statutes.

But under the initiative and referendum clause the people reserve to themselves a higher power than that which they give legislators. If the legislature fails or refuses to pass a law demanded by the people, then the people take the matter into their own hands, and even the veto of a governor cannot prevent its becoming a law. On the other hand if the legislature is faithless to its trust and passes an abominable law, the people may, by their own votes, declare it no law.

It may never be necessary to exercise the right of initiating or referring laws; the simple

fact that we have that right may be a sufficient safe-guard. Let us have the right to prevent the possibility of another infamous Hawkins Railway Bill.

Substantially the same arguments apply to the recall and the direct election of all officers, including United States Senators. The fundamental idea in my mind is this; TO LET THE PEOPLE, NOT THE BOSSES, RULE. We want it understood in New Mexico that a public office is a public trust.

With the rights of the people protected, and with proper checks and balances, I favor a short constitution rather than a long and rambling one.

I would like to see a guarantee in the constitution that assessment of property for taxation shall be just and equal. Taxes are often a burden at the best, and we want to feel that the men on the other side of the State are bearing their just share. The Pecos Valley now pays more than its share.

Another thing I stand for is a good public school system. The very best is none too good. Sectarian and political influences should be kept out of the schools. I had a good common school education, and I want my boy to have as much. If some of you didn't have that advantage in life, you will be even more anxious than I that your children shall have it.

There will be millions of acres, worth millions of dollars, for a school fund. It ought to be fixed now so that the children of New Mexico will get the benefit of that fund, and not the grafters and politicians.

In my opinion petty politics and local fights should be kept out of this contest. Representation is by counties, and it ought to be the honest endeavor of the voters of each county to send men to the constitutional convention who are especially fitted for that work.

Upon the above platform, and on my record as a conscientious Democrat, I am making this campaign.

I thank The Advocate for its courtesy in offering the use of its columns for the purpose of outlining my views.

William H. Woodwell.

Notice

There will be a mass meeting of the Socialists of Eddy county at the Court House at Carlsbad, Saturday, August 20th, for the purpose of nominating two delegates to the Constitutional Convention, and for the perfecting of a County Socialist organization.

Dr. Wm Hubbard, Osteopath

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Notice of Transfer

We the undersigned have mutually agreed and transferred all interests in the Penasco Steam Laundry to H. I. Lanham, and he hereby agrees to assume all indebtedness of said firm and is to collect all dues of the same.

G. E. Jones.
Guy H. Herbert.
H. I. Lanham.

Be sure and take a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with you on your trip this summer. It cannot be obtained on board of trains or steamers. Changes of heat or climate often cause sudden attacks of diarrhoea and it is best to be prepared. Sold by C. E. Mann Drug Company.

To Exchange

Stock of hardware and building for land, sheep or cattle. Talbot, Requa and Brown.

For Rent.

New Cottage 3 rooms Cheap if taken now. Farmers Land League.

Constitutional Delegate.

I hereby announce my candidacy for delegate from Eddy county to the constitutional convention, subject to the will of the democrats at the primaries August 20th.

WILLIAM H. WOODWELL.

In proportion to its timekeeping so is the value of a watch. Let us fix yours and make it valuable. Edward Stone.

460 acres, 220 in cultivation in one of the best counties of Texas to trade for improved farm in the Valley. W. C. Haney.

For Sale.

Two miles of Barbed Wire Fence. Good Posts and New Wire.

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Notice.

Department of Territorial Engineer Number of Application 469. Santa Fe, New Mexico, July 15th, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of June, 1910 in accordance with Section 26, Irrigation Law of 1907, James H. Beckham, Jr., of Artesia, County of Eddy, Territory of New Mexico, made an application to the Territorial Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate from the Public waters of the Territory of New Mexico.

Such appropriation is to be made from Bogs at a point NW 1/4 Sec. 12. Township 18, S. R. 26 E., by means of Diversion and 1-5-7 cu. ft. per sec. feet is to be conveyed to Sec. 19, T. 18, S. R. 27 E. by means of Ditches, and there used for Irrigation of 120 acres.

The Territorial Engineer will take this application up for consideration on the 13th day of October, 1910, and all persons who may oppose the granting of the above application must file their objection substantiated with affidavits (properly backed with application number,) with the Territorial Engineer on or before that date. Vernon L. Sullivan. Territorial Engineer.

Friday is everybody's day at Spring Lake. Regular Picnic day, Fare fifty cents for round trip on Butler's Big Car.

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Never before have you had the opportunity to buy boys suits at such low prices. These suits, sold at such ridiculously low prices are extra good quality and worth 200 cents for every 100 cents we ask for them.

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Men's Two-Piece Suits, all new this season, as in the past, we intend to do so in the future, clean up all merchandise from season to season. Now is your chance to get a nobby suit at bottom price. Read and then come in and see for yourself.

1 lot men's Suits, worth \$10.00 to \$15.00, slightly soiled, must be sold. Our price \$5.00.
\$17.50 to \$20.00 Suits will go for \$11.00.
\$15.00 to \$16.50 Suits will be sold for \$10.00.
\$12.00 Suits will be sold for \$8.00.
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Ladies' now is your opportunity to buy your fall Lace and Embroidery.

1 Lot Lace and Embroidery 5 cents.
1 Lot Lace and Embroidery 10 cents.
1 Lot Lace and Embroidery 15 cents.

Not a one in this lot that is not worth from 40 to 60 per cent more than we are asking.

All Summer Dresses. Wool and Linen Suits at 1-2 price. Ladies' and Misses Skirts in Wool and Wash Material 33 1-3 to 50 per cent off.

Boy's Tennis Shoes in White and Black, sizes from 2 to 5 1-2, to be closed at 50 cents per pair.
25 and 30 cent Lawns to be closed out at 15 cents.
40 pairs Boy's Wash Pants, straight cut, to be closed at half price.

Men's Straw Hats ONE-HALF Price.

JOYCE-PRUIT COMPANY,

Artesia's Greatest Store.

LOCALS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTRY.

Dr. Wm Hubbard Osteopath J. A. Bruce was in Roswell Monday.

Furnished room to rent Phone 133.

Let Haney sell or rent your city property.

Grennan Studio for the latest style in photos.

J. H. Farrar was in Lake Arthur Tuesday.

Will Benson spent Thursday in Lake Arthur.

R. H. Morrow of Hope was in Elida Thursday.

P. Q. Harrison was in Hagerman Thursday.

Mrs. J. T. Patrick spent Thursday in Dexter.

Electric lens fitting by Dr. F. M. Smith is accurate.

Some choice lots on Rose Lawn. W. C. Haney.

List your property with Farmers Land League.

If your light don't work call J. K. Gibson phone 128.

Mrs. T. F. Blackmore visited in Roswell Thursday.

H. A. Porter went to Amarillo on business Thursday.

Money to loan and city warrants bought. E. W. Requa.

A good work team for rent. E. S. Porter.

A. B. Gerrels spent a couple of days in Amarillo this week.

Money to loan and notes bought. Cora J. Callans, Phone 34.

Nobody has to walk to the Lake. Take S. A. Butler's Big Car.

For Sale:—In payments, nice close in home. Ask W. C. Haney.

The Roswell boys will put up the game of the season and if we do not "look a leedle out" we shall get left.

Electric lens fitting by Dr. F. M. Smith is accurate.

If your light don't work call J. K. Gibson phone 128.

Abstracts of Title at reduced prices. Rear First National Bank.

New six room house with bath for rent. Dr. E. T. Dunaway.

Dr. Graham can operate on the spere. Watch him plap Roswell.

A few choice milch cows for sale. See R. L. Speck or Artesia Dairy.

Mrs. Emery Hobson returned to Roswell Thursday after brief visit.

Miss Ruth Russell left yesterday for Bovina for a two weeks visit.

Mrs. Harden and children left Wednesday to visit in Childress, Texas.

T. F. Blackmore, Notary Public! Always In! Rear First National Bank.

Prunes, Prunes, Prunes, by the basket or in loads at Rileys Hope N. M

Miss Velma White left Tuesday for a visit of several months in Acme.

Prunes, Prunes, Prunes, by the basket or in loads at Rileys Hope N. M.

Bigler has a way of drifting that will make Roswell think he is hard to catch.

Miss Lucile Trailer left Wednesday for a short visit in Trinidad, Colorado.

When you want ice call the ice factory, Phone 260 and you will get it promptly.

If you want to get up an excursion take the car to Spring Lake Call on S. A. Butler.

One of the best farms in the Valley to trade for city property. Ask W. C. Haney.

W. F. Mitchell of Higgins Texas, who has been visiting his sister Mrs. J. M. Addington for some time left for his home Tuesday.

Ladies skirts and coat suits cleaned and pressed at Bishops Shop.

Mrs. Stoldt, the ladies tailor still stays at Harper's shop, old Harpold Stand.

Do you care who sells your farm if it is for sale? If not, let Haney sell it.

Prunes, Prunes, Prunes, by the basket or in loads at Rileys, Hope, N. M.

Messrs. Swisher and Rohrbach brothers are in the mountains this week.

Both Brainards know how to make "safes." He will be in the Roswell game.

Ladies call at the Grand Leader and see the new white dresses for \$1.75 to \$2.75.

J. E. Hawkins of Columbia Missouri was here looking over the valley last week.

Some nice, 5 acre tracts close in, improved and unimproved. Cheap. See W. C. Haney.

For 30 days only, I can sell you one of the prettiest homes in the city. W. C. Haney.

Money to loan on farm and city property.

Farmers Land League.

"Big John" Wake will make Roswell's batters mash the ozone into a pulp next week.

A two room house near the ice plant.

Mrs. E. T. Dunaway.

WANTED:—Choice milch cow and family driving horse and phaeton. See Artesia Land Co.

Prof. V. L. Griffen superintendent of Carlsbad schools up Tuesday to visit the institute.

Aumiller doesn't expect to miss anything that comes his way when Roswell throws the ball.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hodges and family are here this week from Lake Arthur visiting friends.

A rare opportunity at the special cash cost sale at the Artesia Furn Co next week only. Nothing reserved.

The big car runs any time on Wednesday. Half price to Spring Lake. Call on S. A. Butler.

Baker holds the first and will stop the "Queen City" boys whenever they find the sphere.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ray are visiting their son Rev. George Ray and his family in this city this week.

Mrs. Joe Gilsdorf left Thursday for Lawrence Nebraska to spend a couple of months with her parents.

"Big" Reed will have his thumb in shape to stop 'em by the time the "Queen City-ites" cross bats.

Lost—Pair of frame glasses in common opeu end case. Leave at Dr. Graham's office and receive \$1.00 reward.

Roswell had better bring a ladder and a fireman to get quick action on Brainard's "Anteover" balls.

Mrs. S. Totzek left for her home in Roswell Tuesday after a visit with her daughter Mrs. E. E. McNatt.

Miss Jean Henry left for her home in Russellville Arkansas Tuesday after spending the summer in Artesia.

James D. Christopher, Jr. and Miss Virginia May went to Roswell Tuesday to visit with their grandparents.

Money to loan for "Building Association" on monthly payment plan.

Farmers Land League.

The greatest sacrifice of profits in the history of Artesia will occur next week only for cash at The Artesia Furn Co.

Wanted—To prepare your land for alfalfa, will break and level it with an ox team.

Thompson & Davis.

Phone the Smokehouse and have Bishop get your old clothes and make them new.

Bishop the Tailor.

Big shipment of rugs just received, all sizes, bran new designs to be sacrificed next week at The Artesia Furn Co.

J. A. Bruce left Wednesday for Viola, Illinois where he

will join Mrs. Bruce and visit relatives for a couple of months.

For Sale: Span four years old mules, weight about 1150 pounds each, well matched and broken. Inquire at Home Bakery.

Roswell has a splendid team and they are every one players. Get to the grounds early for you cannot afford to miss the fun.

Do not forget the Roswell games next week. The "Queen City" aggregation isn't as slow as it looks and is decidedly dangerous.

Miss Josie Smith who has been visiting the Knight and Bates families for several weeks left for her home Sunday morning.

Ed Tyson and D. W. Runyan were in the "Queen City" Tuesday, interested spectators of the Chaves county Democratic primaries.

P. G. Hall left this week for Chicago and New York to buy goods for his firm, which has grown steadily since it was established last spring.

George Frisk our efficient water superintendent came up from Lakewood Tuesday after performing his duties there in regard to Artesian wells.

Eggs for hatching from my pure bred Buff Rocks. 75c per setting rest of season.

O. E. Nickey West end Main street, Artesia.

Cash talks next week from Monday until Saturday night at The Big Furn Store of the old reliable Artesia Furn Co next door to the State Natl. Bank.

You will regret it if you fail to get one of the new white dresses just received at the Grand Leader. The price is scarcely worth mentioning, any where from \$1.75 to \$2.75.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Kuyrkendall, Mrs. J. W. Reed, Revs. R. C. Medaris and E. Ward went from Artesia and Hope Thursday to attend the Baptist conference in Lake Arthur.

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