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European Plan Newly Furnished
Centrally Located.
HOTEL AD
J. M. ADDINGTON, Prop.
Everything Neat and Clean Best of Everything to Eat
One door east of First National Bank.
Artesia, New Mexico

A Letter from Santa Fe

More horse play than legislation was indulged in by New Mexico's first legislature last week, although the session will last but two weeks after this. One matter which took no little time was a resolution appropriating \$27000 for the relief of New Mexico Democracy, \$1000 to go to each county chairman, and \$1000 to be sent to Clovis immediately where the Democratic state convention was in session. This money it was pointed out was for immediate use in supplying a Red Cross corps doctors, nurses etc. When the resolution reached the senate, Hinkle wanted to

amend it so that it would apply to the Republicans of New Mexico after the next election. Another bit of tomfoolery was brought in Saturday when the committee on Privileges and elections which either could not, would not, at least did not report on the Romero contest case, brought in a report unseating Senator Walton and seating M. D. Murray. The matter was referred to the committee on revision of which Walton is chairman.

There was some excuse for this lack of more important business because the first part of the week, a few of the Democrats and a very few, consisting of Mabry and Barth in the Senate and Carter in the house attended the Democratic convention at Clovis, and during the last half of the week, a number of the members were being initiated into the higher degrees of Masonry, so there was nothing much to do in the legislature but to mark time. That is if one is to admit that Mabry and Barth in the senate and Carter in the house are so important that it was impossible to proceed without them.

The Governor this past week signed the Panama Exposition resolution providing for a commission of five who shall visit both San Francisco and San Diego. This was the only bill to become a law during the week. The next nearest approach to making a law came when the senate passed the house bill allowing employes two hours in which to vote. If the house agrees to certain amendments made in the senate this too may become a law before the end of the session.

The Republicans in the legislature have not entirely forgotten what they are there for (as they see it) for last week a resolution was introduced making the Governor, the auditor and the land commissioner, custodian of the capital building and grounds. This would place the appointment and supervision of the state's buildings in the hands of two republicans and a Democrat, and do away with the existing agreement whereby the Governor appoints three members of the capital custodian board, one of whom must be the land commissioner. This also carries with it the placing of the insurance on the capitol building, governor's mansion, etc.

Another partisan move made this week by the Republicans was the tabling of all Democratic measures reported from committees. Barth's bills to exempt widows and orphans, and churches, charitable institutions, etc., from taxation were tabled. Also Mabry's bill providing for the appointment of students to the various institutions and Walton's free text book bill. Also the free library bill, and the bill which would provide that no teachers license shall be granted to persons addicted to the drink habit. The committee on constitutional amendments killed

every bill before it except the language restriction amendment, and among the slain are number the prohibition amendments, the direct election of senators, direct primary bills and others. Karl Greene, Santa Fe.

Another Big Well.

The drillers who are making another well on the Pecos River Irrigated Land Company's big ranch on the east side of the Pecos River northeast of Artesia have set 1000 feet of eight inch casing and are now ready to go on down. The big flow will probably be found at about 1100 or 1200 feet judging from the other wells on the tract.

The farm has been known as the Smith and Hanger ranch but in future will be known as "Piney Valley," and the company are issuing an attractive folder descriptive of this beautiful body of land and will sell several hundred acres in small tracts. The ranch consists of more than two thousand acres. There is no better soil anywhere for fruit and all products and the wells are among the largest in the valley. The land offered will find a ready sale.

Big Land Deal.

Mr. J. H. Jackson returned last Friday from a trip to Crowell, Texas, where he had been for several days closing a large land trade. W. C. Williams and J. H. Jackson traded two hundred acres of the old Runyan tract of land southeast of Artesia for 960 acres at Crowell Texas, the consideration being about \$30,000.

The owners of the Texas property are V. T. Johnson and Thomas Johnson. They are farmers and will move here soon and take charge of the land, which is situated four miles southeast of Artesia and was recently known as the Wetig place. There are a number of big wells in that vicinity and large wells on the tract.

There is 500 acres of the Texas tract in cultivation.

Young People's Rally.

On Sunday May 26, 1912 the Young People's Union will have a rally at the Baptist Church at 3 p. m.

Short addresses will be made and music furnished by the large chorus that has been preparing music for the coming convention, also the Junior's will take a part in this service. Juniors please come at 2:30 p. m. Everybody invited.

Overland Trip.

Dr. A. L. Allison, George R. Ray and D. S. Donnell, with their families will leave in June for an overland auto trip to southern California. They are out for a good time, and no doubt will enjoy the trip very much.

Money to Loan

On Farms and City Property.

Fire Insurance

A. C. KEINATH,
Artesia, N. M.

Rear room First National Bank.

May Party.

The first of a series of social events in honor of Miss Eva Dawson was the May Party given by Miss Addie Coll on Thursday evening May 16th the members of the Young Ladies Mission Circle of the Christian Church, and a few others being the guests. The young ladies met at the home of Mrs. E. B. Kemp, and from there, were taken on a hay wagon, to the suburban home of Mr. C. A. Coll.

The invitations were in the shape of a May basket; so the first thing on the program was to get partners and each couple was furnished with a box, colored paper, flowers, etc., and required to make a May Basket. There were some remarkable creations, the prize being won by Miss Eva Dawson and Mrs. Roscoe Scott. This was followed by a May Puzzle, the prize being won by Ruth Dawson.

Mrs. Kemp, with the guests of honor, then led the way to the dining room, being followed by Miss Coll with Miss Texa Acord, and the other guests. The tables were beautiful, the center pieces being a bed of pink and white roses supporting a pink and white striped May Pole with green ribbons twined with honey suckle vines extending to the corners of the tables. Covers were laid for sixteen, and the places were made with cards on which a pink and white striped stick of candy was tied with green ribbon. The guests also found at their places a beautiful rose bud, all being pink except the ones for Miss Dawson and Miss Acord, which were white. A delicious course luncheon was then served, and between the courses, the hostess drew from beneath the center piece, a heart upon which Cupid had written. The others followed the example of the hostess, the last being Mrs. Kemp, who read the names of Mr. Alfred Coll and Miss Eva Dawson, with the date of their marriage June 26th.

She also announced the engagement of Miss Texa Acord and Mr. Coridon King, the marriage to take place the 12th of June.

The color scheme used in all the decorations was green and white, being the colors of the Young Ladies Circle, of which Miss Coll is a member. Their flower is the pink rose.

The members of the Circle in attendance were Misses Eva and Ruth Dawson, Helen Fritts, Nadine Allen, Texa Acord, Clea Parker, Mollie White, Coll and Mrs. Kemp. The other guests were Misses Mollie Whiteside, Margaret Mathes, Meta Horner, Mrs. Roscoe Scott, Mrs. Williamson, Mrs. Dawson and Mrs. Hadley.

At a late hour the guests were brought back to town, all agreeing that Miss Coll is a charming hostess, and delighted with the novel way in which the engagement of Mr. Coll and Miss Dawson was announced.

Beautify the Church Property.

The grounds surrounding the churches of Artesia are not as attractive as they should be. At slight expense these front yards can be made green and beautiful by setting shrubbery and grasses, and it should be done. There is too great contrast between the appearance of the church grounds and that of the beautiful home grounds adjoining.

Attention Booklovers

FOR ten cents each you may select any book in our stock, take it home with you and keep it a week. Every day after one week will cost you five cents.

There is no limit to the number of books you may take.

This is your opportunity to read good books for a little money.

This offer is made you by the store where something is doing every day.

McNatt's Drug Store

Linen Shower.

The ladies of the Christian Church gave Miss Eva Dawson a linen shower at her home Saturday afternoon. About 3 o'clock the ladies began to arrive each bearing a package, this continued until the library and parlor were well filled with ladies, and the table covered with packages. For entertainment there was a guessing game, followed by readings by Mrs. W. B. Robinson and Miss Ruby Brown. Mrs. M. M. Robertson then made a little talk and presented the packages to Miss Eva who opened each showing the contents to be linens of various kinds, such as towels, table linens, bed linens and dresses, certainly a sight to make the heart of any young girl glad. The ladies then repaired to the dining room where they were served with delicious punch and cakes, from a table decorated with roses. The guests departed feeling they had spent a pleasant hour, and happy in the thought that they had brought happiness to Miss Eva.



Wedding Bells

and "belles just wedded" go together. With them are joined in holy wedlock the

Wedding Ring, Gifts of Jewelry

like hearts of gold set with diamonds, necklaces, chains, bracelets, etc. Before you buy any of these articles see our handsome stock. It's "money in" to

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The Big Racket Department Store

Artesia Steam Laundry
Cleaning and Pressing



We Sew on Buttons.
Distilled Water for table use
Delivered at 10c per gallon.
Phone 203

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Local News.

Carl, Ray and Bruce are this week issuing a large illustrated four page paper descriptive of the Pecos Valley. Mr. Ray will leave in a few days for a campaign in the east.

You will find groceries from Acord's will please you.

The large paper dealers of the county are notifying the printers of a universal advance on all paper stock of from ten to twenty per cent. This means that the price of the finished product to the consumer will be advanced to cover the advance on paper stock.

Attention: Something new, living pictures given May 28, by the cemetery Ladies at Majestic Theatre.

Take it to Echols

PLANTS PLANTS

Cabbage, Tomato, Pepper and Sweet Potato plants. Ask for prices.

Roswell Seed Co. Roswell, N. M.



From Logs to Lumber

that is well seasoned and clear is the kind you will get if we receive your order. We have plenty of

Lumber for all Purposes

either hard or soft, in quantities large enough for all builders' requirements; or small enough to complete some odd job. Our prices you will find right.

P. V. PARDON
Lumber Co.

The new residence of A. C. Keinath will soon be completed. It will be a commodious and attractive home and is situated in a desirable portion of the city. The city park which is just north of this place is to be beautified in the near future.

FOR SALE—My Buick Automobile, guaranteed in first class running order. Sole reason must have large car for my family. Frank. A. Linell.

Farm seeds all kinds. Artesia Feed & Fuel Co.

J. S. Carl has just completed a very pretty cottage on his ranch place southwest of town. The new building is just north of the residence built some years ago by J. Mack Smith.

Don't forget those "Old Sweet Hearts of Mine" and living pictures from famous artists, at the Majestic Theatre May 28, given by the cemetery Ladies.

At present prices of grain it would seem that the farmers of the Pecos Valley would do well to grow more corn, kaffir and maize.

For Sale.

McCormick mower and rake, emerson double or single disk plow, New Departure cultivator, double row lister cultivator riding and walking plows, heavy covered spring wagon, also one three year old Jack subject to registry.

Ira Morgan, Dayton, N. M.

C. B. Cronkright and L. T. Smith have just finished the erection of a neat cottage on north of main street next door to E. W. Wright, for Mr. Drake of Artesia.

Best field seeds at Artesia Feed & Fuel Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Morgan spent Monday in Artesia from their home at Dayton.

The Library Board will serve an elegant dinner for 35 cents May 30, at the old "Smoke House" building.

KEEPING IN TOUCH

With the growth of communities and increased activities of our population, the personal touch of friends is apt to be lost. You meet congenial people, form pleasant acquaintanceships, make friends that become dear to you. But the restless spirit of the age causes separations, and meetings become less frequent. You grow away from those to whom your inclination is to hold fast.

However, with our modern telephone facilities, "out of sight, out of mind," should not be true. The use of the long distance telephone keeps the fires of friendship burning brightly. Distance doesn't prevent a social call—a friendly chat—extending congratulations—expressing words of sympathy—in fact, saying to a friend just what you would say if you called in person at his home. Letters are apt to be more or less formal, while the telephone preserves that intimate touch of friendship so likely to be lost otherwise.

There is not the slightest necessity for letting friendships grow cold through neglect while you have the long distance telephone. By the way, are you getting out of your telephone all the comfort and convenience there is in it?

THE MOUNTAIN STATES TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

For Sale

Piano, Furniture, Bedding, Rugs, Curtains, Shades, Tent, Bicycles, Milch Cows etc. H. L. Alison, two blocks south of Baptist Church.

Farm Machinery For Sale.

- 1 two-row Planter
- 1 Riding Cultivator
- 1 Disk Harrow
- 2 Drag Harrows
- 1 Wagon
- 1 grain drill
- 1 Eagle Hay Press

The above will be sold at bargain prices. Bullock Bros.

For Sale—Twenty head of heifer calves and yearlings, from the best milk stock in the Valley. W. E. Mithell, one mile east of Artesia.

Bring your watch and jewelry repairing to me at the City Drug Store.

R. R. GISSLER,

Watchmaker,
Jeweler
and Engraver.

Notice of Special Master's Sale.

In The District Court, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Blue Springs State Bank, a Corporation, Plaintiff,
Joyce-Pruit Company, a Corporation, Assignee,
vs. No. 1312:
E. R. Gesler and Elida W. Gesler, Defendants.

WHEREAS, by virtue of a final decree entered in suit No. 1312: District Court, Eddy County, New Mexico, which case was styled Blue Springs State Bank, a Corporation, Plaintiff, vs. E. R. Gesler and Elida W. Gesler, Defendants, on the 18th day of April, 1911, the defendants were found to be indebted to the Blue Springs State Bank, a Corporation, Plaintiff, in the sum of \$1988.17, with 8 per cent interest thereon from date of decree, and costs of suit, which costs were \$13.35, and the further costs of executing this decree; and

WHEREAS, a mortgage securing said indebtedness upon the premises hereafter described was foreclosed, and said premises ordered sold to satisfy said indebtedness; and

WHEREAS, T. R. Smith was appointed in said order by the said Court, Special Master to sell said premises and to make the purchaser thereof a conveyance of the same and report the proceedings back to the Clerk of this Court for approval; and

WHEREAS, an order was issued on the 13th day of May, 1912, substituting the undersigned as Special Master, clothed with the same authority as was the said T. R. Smith; and

WHEREAS, said judgment has been assigned to the Joyce-Pruit Company, a Corporation and an order of the Court issued on the 13th day of May, 1912, that they be recognized as assignees on said judgment.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John B. Enfield, Special Master as aforesaid, hereby give public notice that on the 8th day of July, 1912, at the hour of 2 o'clock, p. m., I will proceed to sell at public auction in front of the Post Office at Artesia, New Mexico, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described premises, to-wit:

NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and N $\frac{1}{2}$ of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 27, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay and discharge the full amount of said judgment, costs and interest as hereinbefore recited, to-wit:—\$1988.17 with 8 per cent interest thereon from date of decree and costs of suit, which costs were \$13.35 and the further cost of these proceedings, the total amount of which principal, interest and costs, not including the costs of executing this decree on the date of sale will be \$2197.20.

WITNESS my hand at Artesia, New Mexico, this 14th day of May, 1912.
John B. Enfield, Special Master.

Election Proclamation

Whereas, on the 3rd day of April A. D. 1912, the Board of County Commissioners of Eddy County, New Mexico, created a voting precinct to be known as the Cottonwood Voting Precinct No. 16, to embrace the following territory to-wit:

Beginning at the N.W. corner of Sec. 6, Twp. 16 S., R. 24 E., running thence South 6 miles to the S.W. corner of Sec. 31, Twp. 16 S. R. 24 E., thence due East to the S.E. corner of Sec.

The Market continues to advance on flour and feed stuff but we are still in position to make low prices on Best Flour

Wolf's Victory

Highest Patent Job Lots a Specialty

Fancy Nut Coal Is What You Want

SEE US ABOUT YOUR

Maize, Kaffir, Indian Corn and Alfalfa Seed.

Agents for Farmers Supply Co., Roswell, for all kinds of Seeds and Plants.

BULLOCK BROTHERS,

Phone 86

36, Twp. 16 S. R. 24 E., thence North 1 mile to the N.E. corner of Sec. 36, Twp. 16 S. R. 24, thence due East 7 miles to the S.E. corner of Sec. 30 Twp. 16 S. R. 26, thence North 1 mile to the N.E. corner of Sec. 30, Twp. 16 S. R. 26, thence due East 5 miles to the southeast corner of section 24, Township 16, S R 26, thence north 4 miles to the N.E. corner of Sec. 1 Twp. 16 S. R. 26, thence West 18 miles to the place of beginning.

And whereas, an election is hereby called for the purpose of electing a Constable and Justice of the Peace for said Precinct No. 16, to be held at the Cottonwood School House on Saturday the 25th day of May and the following named persons were appointed as judges of said election: J. A. Perkins, R. L. Smith and M. C. O'Brien.

C. W. BEEMAN, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners,
Eddy County, New Mex.
A. R. QUINN, Clerk.

**The Pacific Mutual
LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
of California.**

December 31, 1911,
Assets and Liabilities.....\$23,363,286.91
F. B. SCHWENKER, General Agent,
Albuquerque, N. M.

W. A. Kauffman, Local Agent.

Lest you forget: Library Benefit Dinner May 30, Decoration Day.

Go to the . . .

Home Eating House

For Good Cooking and Popular Prices

Home Bakery Building.

Mrs. Stallcup,

Proprietress.

Walter M. Daugherty, Fire Insurance. Losses paid to date \$13,000.00.

FOR SALE—Eight stands bees and supplies, hives, supers, wax, etc. Mrs. Lena Thompson, Artesia.

For Sale Cheap.

Five acres in City limits of Artesia, N. Mex., with water, in fruit and alfalfa must sell before June 1st. Also 80 acres relinquishment in artesian water belt for trade or sale cheap for cash. J. B. Flynn, Owner, Box 473 Artesia, N. M.

For Sale—A fine three year old Jack, broke and subject to registry. Write Ira Morgan, Dayton, N. M.

Furnished rooms at Mansion.

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Gasoline and oil stoves are the best.

See my line before you buy.

My prices are just

right quality

considered

Yours for business

H. W. MOORE

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Big Jo Lumber Co

Rubber Dollars

If your dollars were made of rubber and you could stretch them each into **one dollar and a quarter** without violating the law, would you turn them loose at face value or would you **use a stretcher.**

Here Is a Chance

to stretch your dollars into one dollar and a quarter, **or more.** Will you grasp the opportunity while it is yours, or will you pass it by?

Read Over Our List of Special Bargains

NOTE carefully the money saving values that we offer, then bring in your hard earned dollars and make em stretch

Ladies Ready to Wear

SKIRTS. We are showing a large line of all the new things that are in vogue this season. They are **made right**, will fit you right and are **priced right.** All Skirts for 10 days at a reduction of

25 per cent

Ladies Suits. Just a few left. They are stylish and classy, but **must go right now**

1-3 Off

Ladies Dresses and Shirt Waists. Some that have **just come in**, on these we will allow you 20 per cent., on others 25 and some will be reduced

1-3

Silk and Kid Gloves

Full length 16 button silk gloves in black, white and tan. Every pair sold with a guarantee. The best \$1.25 silk glove in the valley. For 10 days, or as long as they last, choice..... **98c**
All \$1.25 kid gloves..... **98c**

Laces and Embroideries

A great big line of classy merchandise, all grades from cheapest up.

1-4 Off

on every yard.

A SNAP-GET YOURS

Choice of the very best 10c Percale in this town for only

7c

Good assortment of blues, reds and white ground effects. If you want best styles.

Come Early

Figured Lawns, Batiste and Tissue

Never have we shown such a big variety of desirable patterns and never have we (at this time of the year) offered such splendid inducements to cash buyers. It will **CERTAINLY PAY** every woman that is planning a dress to look through our line and get our 10 day special sale prices

1-4 Off

or More---None Less

Green Tag Prices

On all Children's Dresses

Cheaper Than You Can Buy the Cloth and make em. Don't forget to look these over when you come.

Stretching Six Bits Into \$1.00

That's what you can do in every corner of our mammoth clothing department. Owing to the backward season and somewhat scarcity of money, we find that our clothing stock is **entirely too big and must be reduced.**

Men's Suits
Youth's Suits
Boy's Suits
Men's Pants
Youths Pants
Boy's Pants

They all go during
This Sale for
1-4 Off
Regular Price

Men's Dress Shirts

Ever look through our line this season? It is truly a line of beauties, in a class by itself. All kinds, all Colors

65c to \$2.00

FOR 10 DAYS ONLY, 20 PER CENT OFF

Shoes For Everybody

In fact we have more Shoes than we can use **AND MUST UNLOAD.** EVERY SHOE IN THE HOUSE AT A REDUCTION. Some only 15 per cent. Some 25 per cent. Some 1-3 Off and some cut in half.

Remember

Every Shoe in the house at reduced prices for 10 days.

We Mean Business

We Want Your Business. Don't ask for it on the strength of our good looks or because we are next door to the postoffice, or for any other reason, except that we will give you more for your dollar than any other store in Artesia. We can't stretch money that won't jingle so don't ask us to charge it.

Sale Begins Thursday Morning May 23rd
Sale Ends Saturday Night June 1st.

GRAND LEADER

Report

The Woodbine Cemetery Association met at the home of Mrs. J. B. Atkeson Monday afternoon at three o'clock, with the President in the chair. Eight members responded to roll call. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer's report was as follows:

Balance on hand April 1st	\$101.22
Received from Lot Com.	20.00
Donations	1.00
Total	122.22
Paid Pecos Valley Drug Co.	\$ 1.75
Paid Reed & Cramer, mdse	1.67
Paid J. H. Floyd, sexton	36.00
Balance on hand	82.80

The following bills were allowed and warrants ordered drawn on treasurer for same.

Brainard Corbin Hdw. Co.	\$29.10
Joyce-Fruit Co.	.25

Cash received at this meeting:

Dues	\$4.00
Care of Lots	5.00
Digging part grave	2.50

The Association being badly in need of funds a motion was made and carried to have an entertainment in the near future and committees were appointed to see that arrangements are made at once.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Rosa T. Lowry, Sec'y.

Help the Ladies.

The ladies who have in charge the building of a park near the depot, have arranged for the removal of the junk that now covers the ground to another part of the city and it will be cleared about June 1st. Every one should lend all possible assistance to aid them in their efforts. Nothing will add more to the attractiveness of Artesia, to all visitors, than a beautiful park at the depot.

Summer Music Normal.

Attention is called to the announcement of Prof. James R. Webster, who will conduct a Summer Music Normal at Western College. He is a very able instructor and will no doubt have a good class this season.

There is going to be a big convention of all the sick watches in the Pecos Valley at Ed Stone's next week. Send yours.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

J. H. JACKSON,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,
AND NOTARY PUBLIC.
Office upstairs Sipple building.
Phone 184.

S. E. FERREE Attorney at Law Notary Public.

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OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN
Calls promptly attended day or night
Office Gilbert & Collins Building
Office phone 75 Res. phone 134

I. V. WHITESIDE

AUCTIONEER
Sales conducted on farm property, stock, implements and household goods. Dates arranged on short notice. 3 miles north of Artesia. Phone

Davis & Robinson

Attorneys-at-Law
Notary in office. In Reed Bldg
Artesia, New Mexico.

DR. J. J. CLARKE DENTIST

Gilbert & Collins Building.
Phones: Res. 81. Office 118.

Christian Church

Memorial sermon at the Church Sunday morning. "A Nation's Heroes." Special music suitable for the occasion. Come, let us together do honor to the dead.
Evening service at 8 p. m.
W. A. Dawson, Minister.

Notice to Alfalfa Growers

We will continue to buy hay in Artesia and will use the same office and scales at Askews warehouse. S. E. Ray will buy for us at the Red School house spur. We have the management of same. We will appreciate a continued patronage from our friends.
BEASLEY & HALE.

LOST—Riding bridle near Artesia or in west part of town Return to R. A. Eaton.

The prices are right at Acord's grocery.

The Red Building,

West of the State National Bank, you will find

J. M. MILLHUFF

with a full line of Furniture, New and Second Hand, cheaper than the cheapest.

Embroidery Sale Saturday, Only

44 inch Good Quality Flouncing at
45, 50 and 60 cents yard

Corset Cover Embroidery, 200 yards
15, 20 and 25 Cents yard

27 Inch Flouncing, Good Quality, at
25, 35 and 50 cents yard

12 Inch Flouncing, Good Quality, at
15, 20 and 25 cents yard

2 to 10 Inch Embroidery, Good Quality
5, 10 and 15 Cents Yard

200 pair boys' shoes, size 10 1-2 to 5, really worth
\$1.75 to \$3 per pair, as long as they last, pair \$1.25

Joyce-Pruit Co.

Artesia's Greatest Store

Local News.

Don't forget the Libray bene fit dinner May 30th.

Saturday specials on Cereals at Reed & Cramer.

Mr. P. V. Pardon left several days ago to attend the Southern Baptist Convention in session at Oklahoma City. He was accompanied by Mrs. Pardon and two children. They go to Kentucky from Oklahoma, where they will visit. Mr. Pardon will return next week but Mrs. Pardon and children will remain for the summer.

For horse feed cow feed and chicken feed, also flour, meal and coal phone 86 Bullock Bros
For your vacation you will need lace pins, collar pins, bar pins, tie clasps, etc. See Ed Stone's selection.

Reed and Cramer unloaded a car of flour and feed this week. Saturday specials on Cereals at Resd & Cramer.

There is great need for more power for pumping in the vicinity of Artesia west of the town and up and down the valley outside of the Artesian belt. Several hundred horse power could be used if available.

The Modern Pharmacy, up to times, or a little ahead. Pecos Valley Drug Co.

Dependable Drugs at Pecos Valley Drug Co.

Miss Hewitt's class of boys had their regular monthly social meeting at the home of Albert Bradshaw at their home one mile west. The boys pronounced Albert and his mother choice entertainers.

Order your coal from Artesia Feed & Fuel Co. They have the well known Rockvale Nut at \$8.00 per ton.

The store that has it. Pecos Valley Drug Co.

Drop your work and come, have an evening of fun with "Those Old Sweet Hearts of Mine" and living pictures, May 28, at Majestic Theatre.

Mrs. I. N. Corrington is taking pupils in elocution this summer. She has room for just a few more pupils and those desiring to take should see her at once.

Our prescription business shows a gain of 15 per cent last month. Why? Pecos Valley Drug Co.

There will be a Library Benefit Dinner served March 30 at the old smoke house building. An excellent dinner for 35 cents.

For Sale—Four young mares from four to seven years old, for cash or good notes, Jim Marris, two half east of Artesia.

We double check all prescriptions to insure accuracy. Pecos Valley Drug Co.

The McWhorter Candy Co., one of Artesias most progressive firms are having some changes made in their store arrangement and expect to be better prepared in future to take care of the trade.

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Have seven varieties of which will sell all or part. Each pen contains six or seven hens and one rooster. Will sell cheap.

Also Eggs for hatching and young Chicks for sale.

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Bring the same in right time. Please remember business open 7 a. m., close 6 p. m. 10 hours is plenty to work daily and waiting on you and on trade, but if I am put in that much time, do not expect some more time daily from me. We need the business and the money what come and go with it but we can not afford to work over 10 hours daily.