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Trieb Returns to Artesia.

Ernest C. Trieb, wife and baby, returned to Artesia last week from Kansas City, where Trieb has been running a picture show. He did some abstract work for Blackmore at Carlsbad for a while and Mrs. Trieb and will spend a few weeks at Mrs. Highsmith on the mesa.

olly Party.

Robertson chaperoned a school class, "The Followers", on couple of the first of the month at the nice large ranch on the mesa.

At the party were Mrs. Gibbs, Nettie Veniece Jackson, and Dorothy De-McCreary and

Mayme Keith. They all agreed that Mrs. Robertson was one of the best hostesses that could be found anywhere and that camp-life would be fine if it were not for the "mosquitoes."

Encampment at Deming

The Artesia boys joined the special train carrying the state guard troops to the encampment at Deming, which arrived here early last Saturday.

Lovington Will Celebrate.

Lovington is arranging for a big celebration for August 12, 13 and 14th. It is to be the biggest event in the history of the plains town.

Auto owners are invited to decorate their cars and take part in the parade.

HUERTA RESIGNS THE PRESIDENCY

Will Make his Get Away with Some Foreign Country as his destination.

Carbajal Seated as Provisional President.

An Early Termination of the Bloody Struggle Seems Certain.

Gen. Victoriana Huerta has resigned the provisional presidency of the Mexican republic, and his resignation has been accepted and the selection of Francisco Carbajal to succeed him has been approved by the senate and chamber of deputies.

Huerta and Blanquet have left the city of Mexico and it is believed their destination is Europe.

Villa is disappointed that he will not get to handle Huerta.

Huerta's resignation marks the culmination of more than a year's active effort on the part of the United States government to force his retirement.

With Huerta's retirement the Constitutionalists feel that their revolution has virtually triumphed. They turned against him the moment he overthrew Madero, and have waged their war with unrelenting vigor ever since.

American forces will not be withdrawn from Vera Cruz until a stable government has been established in Mexico city and recognition has been accorded the new government. The feeling is general however, that if Carranza gives guarantees to political offenders as well as the people generally, recognition will be promptly extended by the United States and other nations of Central and South America, as well as Europe.

They Got Stuck.

A very interesting trial was held in Judge Douglas court last week. It was a case from Dayton, in which the school board of that district sought to recover the sum of one dollar each from two well known and popular bachelor gentlemen of that town.

The school board was determined to make test case of it and took a lively interest in the suit. The board was represented by J. D. Atwood and the

defendants by G. U. McCrary and J. G. Osburn. It was a very interesting legal scrap, but after the plaintiffs had made their case the defendants or one of them declined to testify in his own behalf, being yet a young man of not more than three score years, he did not care to claim old age or disability.

The decision of the court was for the plaintiff.

Other districts should appreciate the fact that the test has been made by the Dayton district, and now go after the fellows who have neglected or refused to make this small payment which goes to swell the school fund, and which is of so great value to the children of the state.

The Grand Leader Closing Out.

The Grand Leader is this week beginning their farewell, quitting business sale. It is a genuine closing out sale, and the firm will retire from business at this place. The attention of our readers is called to their prices the last page of this issue. It is the greatest sacrifice ever made in reliable merchandise in Artesia, and at the prices offered the stock will be reduced greatly in a very short time. An efficient force of sales people have been engaged to wait upon the customers with promptness and dispatch.

Another Hay Barn.

Lumber and material is being hauled to the Kissinger land southeast of Atoka to build a hay barn 40x100. The barn will be used to store alfalfa and is being erected by the managers for the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance people who bought the land from P. L. Kissinger last year.

The contractor is from Dexter and states that he has been building about one barn each week for some time past.

Children's Fair in September

The Woman's Club is planning a Children's Fair in September. Prizes will be given for the best gardens and garden products; also for sewing and cooking done by children.

The prize list will be published next week.

WANTED!

Two Thousand Feeder Hogs for the Kansas Feed Yards.

Manager Crile, of the State Live Stock and Products Exposition, has an inquiry for the above number of hogs. They should weigh from seventy-five to one hundred twenty-five pounds and be in fit condition to take on flesh. Any persons having any number of hogs of this description to sell should write to A. D. Crile, Manager, Roswell, New Mexico, and arrangements will be made, if a sufficient number can be secured, to send the buyers to the various farms for the purchase of the hogs.

Our valley should soon be in a position to furnish thousands of feeders for the corn-belt; and it is very important that that this first order should be speedily filled.

Money to Loan

On Farms and City Property.

Fire Insurance

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

Rear room First National Bank.

Registered Jersey Bull.

The demonstration farm of the Pecos Valley Gas and Electric Co. who are developing a tract a land southwest of town, received a short time ago, a very fine thoroughbred Jersey bull. He is a very beautiful animal and was shipped from Pennsylvania, the express rate amounting to \$125.

The company also recently received a registered boar from Oklahoma, which is a fine specimen. The farmers and people generally cannot fail to appreciate the leading interest which is being taken by Mr. John C. Keys, as the head of this company, in the development of Artesia. With him it is the best that is obtainable in everything.

The drilling for oil near Farmington, New Mexico by the Juan Basin Oil Co. has been discontinued.

To the Democratic Voters of Eddy County, New Mexico:

I hereby announce myself to be a Candidate for the State Legislature, subject to the will of the Democratic Voters of Eddy County, to be expressed by them at a primary election to be held on the 8th day of August, 1914.

If nominated and elected I promise to do everything in my power to faithfully serve the people of Eddy County to the best of my ability.

I am a firm believer in the policy and administration of President Wilson.

I am a firm believer, in, and will use the utmost efforts to support and carry out the principles and reforms advocated by Governor William C. McDonald.

I am a firm believer in, and an advocate of clean Democratic politics. I believe the time has come when New Mexico, and every part thereof, should free itself from the fetters of what is known as machine rule.

I believe one of the first, if not the first, law to be enacted by the first session of the next legislature should be a county salary bill, I am not in favor of paying county officers exorbitant salaries, simply because they are county officials; and because they are being paid with the people's money. I believe the salary should be on a strict business basis, based upon what a reliable and competent business man would do the work and perform the duties incident to the office.

I am a tax payer and a firm believer in an adequate and proper tax law. One that will assure each and every individual a square deal. One that will impose such a penalty that it will be an inducement to make a proper rendition of all property.

I believe in a thorough and efficient educational system; the education of our children is our first duty. I will support any law that will assure to our children better opportunities to acquire an education.

I am also a firm believer and advocate of good roads. I believe there is nothing adds to a community that will do it more good than a well kept system of good roads. I will use my best efforts to obtain such legislation as will assure to the people of Eddy County an equal distribution of all taxes paid by them, for road purposes, with the rest of the State.

In conclusion I desire to state that if elected I will stand by my party and the people of Eddy County.

If the above principles as outlined meet with your approval, I will appreciate your support.

Very respectfully,
GUY A. REED.

Santa Fe will Assist Eddy County Board.

A Santa Fe Division Engineer will be sent to Artesia to advise with the County Commissioners on what may be the best policy to pursue with the future of the Pecos river bridge east of town.

Professional Cards

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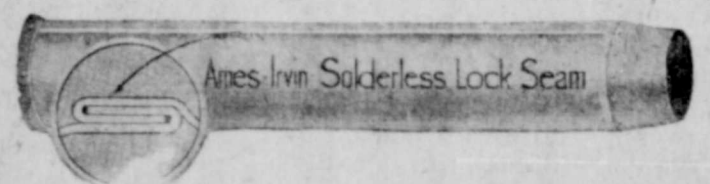
The Carlsbad Current is well known all over this county as a large eight page six column paper that gives the news of Eddy County, both official and otherwise, and a continued story is always running in its columns. It is a great family paper and saves the reader from the expense of taking a state paper for the news of the legislature is to be given in full the coming winter as well as the other state news of interest. If you are going to live in New Mexico you need your local paper and also a general county and state paper.

We have, therefore, made arrangements with the Current to club giving both papers at the price of the ordinary county seat paper.

The rate of two dollars per year is based on the proposition that payment must be in advance; old subscribers in arrears will be expected to pay up and pay at least one year in advance to get the benefit of the combined rate.

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Friday, July 17, 1914

LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Bertha Schenck and Miss Adaline Walker, of Ludington, Michigan, are visiting at the home of J. H. McCreary for the summer.

Mr. Maloney, the efficient manager for the dry goods department of the Joyce-Fruit Company store is out camping this week.

The Pecos Valley Gas & Electric Co. are building a power line along the east side of the railroad to the southern limits of the town.

Miss Mary Green and Mr. Jake Harris who were married last week will make their home in Oregon after a visit to Oklahoma.

Dr. C. W. Williams expects to soon engage in the cattle business and will fence a good size pasture under lease from the state.

Rains have been sufficient in the hills west of here to cause a good head of water to flow down the Pecos to the Pecos for the past ten days.

Dr. Clarke returned Sunday from a trip to Tucumcari.

Mrs. J. B. Atkeson and son returned from a few weeks visit at Dallas, Texas, last week.

Mrs. McIlvain is making mineral filings on a large lot of government lands on Seven Rivers for some New York people.

D. L. Martin loaded and shipped from Artesia to the Kansas City market on Wednesday, this week, one car of fat cattle, consisting mostly of cows.

Robert C. Dow.

Attorney Robert C. Dow is a candidate for representative, and spent Saturday in Artesia, getting acquainted with our people. He is a young lawyer and has been located at Carlsbad for some time, where he is practicing his profession. He has issued a declaration of his principles or policies upon which he bases his claim for election. The declaration of principles and his announcement appear in this issue of the Advocate.

Dr. Clarke Honored.

Dr. J. J. Clarke as a member of the New Mexico Board of Dental Examiners, attended a session of the board at Tucumcari last week.

The State Dental Society also held a three days session at the same time and place. The Artesia member, Dr. Clarke, delivered an address to the society, and at the election of its officers for the ensuing term was chosen Secretary and Treasurer.

Call for Democratic Primary and Convention.

SPECIAL 4 Days Only
Get the Dates, July 17, 18, 24, and 25.

To introduce the Pecos Valley Butter and to boost the DAIRY interests for Artesia and vicinity, the Home Creamery Co., of Roswell, has authorized us to sell on the above dates their choice PASTEURIZED Butter at 25c Per Pound.

The Creamery has paid to its patrons at Artesia, from Oct. 1, -13 to July 1, 1914, \$1,900.00. Use their butter and show your appreciation for an industry that is of greatest value to the Pecos Valley.

Artesia Cream Depot,
E. C. Shouse, Mgr.
Place of business,
J. E. Acord's Store.

OIL DEVELOPMENT.

Carlsbad, N. M., July 11.—It is remarkable how much work is being done to test the Pecos valley oil field at the present time. What is more, all the companies now actually at work, are well equipped for the work of making a thorough test, being all well financed and managed by experienced oil men. The Carlsbad Oil & Gas Co. is a New Mexico company drilling on leases in section 4, township 22, south, range 28 east, about eight miles due east from Carlsbad. M. F. Stillwell, of Bartlesville, Okla., is in direct charge of the operations. The geological formation in this location is cretaceous. One of the most remarkable salt deposits ever found, according to geologists, was struck at 470 feet. This deposit is nearly 700 feet thick and extends for many miles having been struck in a deep well drilled on the Vineyard stock farm ten miles west. At 1,200 feet lime stone was struck and the drill is still in this rock at 2,440 feet. At one time a thin layer of sand was found that showed oil. The geologists claim that this location was at one time an arm of the ocean and that the oil is deep. This company started out with the idea of drilling at least 3,000 feet and therefore invested in a large standard California rig. Later a 3,500-foot steel cable was purchased. No water has been struck in this hole after the surface water was cased off at about 200 feet.

The Southwestern Petroleum company, also a New Mexico company, is drilling a few miles west of Carlsbad. Here limestone was struck near the surface and no material change in formation has occurred so far, the drill being now down to 950 feet. This district shows strong indications of oil and the geologists think the oil will be struck comparatively shallow. This location is near the west anti-clinal wall while the Carlsbad company is near the east anti-cline.

Pecos Valley Oil Field.
At Oil City, northwest from Carlsbad, the Seven Rivers Oil & Gas Co. is drilling, being about 1,300 feet. At about 800 feet this company found oil-bearing sand, but drilling continued. Later shale was encountered and has just been pierced. Water caused some trouble at this point, but the hole is now cased and the water cut out. At present the drill is in sand with good indications of oil. This is also in the shallow field. At Dayton the Brown well continues to produce about fifty barrels of oil a day. Preparations are under way for further testing around Dayton.

The Dayton district drains into the Carlsbad field. It is supposed that the oil flows from the northwest and is found at a comparatively shallow depth on the west side. The Carlsbad company is drilling at a point where the strata dips downward and where the oil is collecting. Salt water is associated with oil and can be found along the east anti-clinal wall, coming to the surface at Salt Lake some distance south of where the Carlsbad company is at work.

About forty miles north of Toyah another company is at work drilling. There are strong indications of oil in this locality. It is thought that the oil flows along the west anti-cline, along the range of hills that start below Carlsbad and run to the Guadalupe peak, about sixty-five miles from Carlsbad.

There are in all four reputable companies at work in the Pecos valley oil field at the present time. They are financed for business and are all managed by capable men. Experienced drillers are employed at every rig. What is more, every one now in the field is ready to try again should the first hole prove a "duster."

Mr. Q. Harveson and wife and Mr. A. E. Rawlins, wife and son of Ennis, Texas, are here for a month recuperating and looking after their interests in the Seven Rivers Oil and Gas Company in which company they are each interested and Mr. Harveson a director.

Notice of Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a judgment of foreclosure and order of sale rendered on the 28th day of April, 1914, in the District court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the county of Eddy in a cause therein pending numbered 1918 on the Civil Docket of said court, wherein David W. Runyan is plaintiff and Francis Wetig, First National Bank of Artesia, a corporation, E. A. Cahoon, Sperry & Lukins, a co-partnership, and Roswell Hardware Company, a corporation, are defendants, to which judgment reference is hereby made for the particulars thereof, I, J. E. Robertson, having been duly appointed as Special Master by said District Court, shall expose for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the First National Bank of Artesia in the Town of Artesia in said county and state on the 1st day of August 1914 at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendants, Francis Wetig, First National Bank of Artesia, E. A. Cahoon, Sperry & Lukins and Roswell Hardware Company, of, in and to the following described real estate and artesian well lying and being in Eddy county, New Mexico and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: The Northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of Section three (3) Township Eighteen (18) South, and Range Twenty-six (26) East, N. M. P. M., and also the Artesian well located on the North half of the Northwest quarter of said Section, Township and Range, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, said real estate to be sold as the property of Francis Wetig under said judgment of foreclosure and order of sale in said cause, said judgment being for the following amounts: \$2489.07 being principal and interest due on date of judgment and interest on said amount at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 28th day of April, 1914, until paid and \$544.90 as attorney's fees and interest on said amount from the 28th day of April 1914 at the rate of 6 per cent per annum until paid and cost of suit.

Dated at Artesia, New Mexico, June 30, 1914.

J. E. ROBERTSON,
Special Master.

Notice of Special Master's Sale.
In the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico.
No. 1845.
The Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company of California, a corporation, Plaintiff,
vs.
James O. Gifford, and Pearl H. Gifford, The Giant Oil & Gas Company, a corporation, Defendants.

Whereas, by virtue of a Judgment and Final Decree rendered in the District Court of Eddy county, New Mexico, in the above entitled cause on the 30th day of January, 1914, it was adjudged and decreed that the above named defendants, James O. Gifford and Pearl H. Gifford, were justly indebted to the plaintiff The Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company of California, a corporation, in the sum of \$5,000.00, with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum, from and after December 2nd, 1912, paid, payable for the first months on July 2nd, 1913, and annually thereafter; installment so paid to be added to the principal and thereafter bear like interest principal, and for the sum of attorneys fees, with six per cent interest thereon from the date of said Decree, and for all costs of said suit together with the costs of said final execution of and decree; and Whereas, said Decree was prior existing, valid and enforceable and above all other incumbrances on the described real property, to-wit: The Northeast Quarter Southeast (NE 1/4 SE 1/4) Twenty (20), Township (17) South, Range Two East, N. M. P. M., and west Quarter of the Quarter (SW 1/4 SW 1/4) Two (2), Township Eight South, Range Twenty N. M. P. M., all situated being in Eddy County, New Mexico, including all improvements thereon together with all and singular, the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances, water and water rights, pipes, flumes and ditches thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits thereof; and

Whereas, by virtue of an order of the Court entered of record in said cause, the undersigned was appointed Special Master for the purpose of making a sale of the above described premises under Decree of Foreclosure for the further purpose of executing and delivering unto the purchaser purchasers at said sale, a proper conveyance therefor;

Now, Therefore, I, Walter M. Daugherty, Special Master as aforesaid, by give public notice that on Wednesday, the

22nd day of July, A. D., 1914,

at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the Post Office in Artesia, Eddy county, New Mexico, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the above described real property.

The name of plaintiff's attorney, Osburn & Robinson and their business address is Artesia, New Mexico.

Witness my hand at Artesia, New Mexico, this 15th day of June, 1914.

WALTER M. DAUGHERTY,
Special Master.

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Sheriff Wires Bank.
The sheriff of Beeleville, Kansas, has wired the First State Bank of the city asking if Chas. A. Dinsmore's hair was sandy before it turned grey. He thinks he has him located up there.

Railroad Not Sold.

There were no bidders for the purchase of the New Mexico Central Railroad when offered for sale by the special master on July 3rd, and the date of sale was continued to September 10th.

The Pittsburgh Trust Company had made a certificate of deposit of \$200,000 as a bidder on the property, and a certificate of \$25,000 cash was necessary, also, in order to enter the bidding arena.

To the Democratic Voters of Eddy County:

I hereby announce as a candidate for the State Legislature, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries to be held on the 8th day of August, 1914.

If elected I shall use my best efforts to serve the people of Eddy County, upon the following declaration of principles:

1st. To the reduction of taxes, which I conceive can be accomplished by providing for the full and equal return and assessment of all property subject to taxation, and by an efficient and economical administration of the Government, State and County.

2nd. I favor adequate salaries for all County Officers, commensurate with the work to be done and the responsibility imposed by the duties of such office, and I favor a classification of the Counties as to salaries upon this basis.

3rd. I shall favor everything that looks to the upbuilding of the State in its natural and material resources, and will support measures looking to this end; and as a means for the furtherance thereof, I believe in the construction of good roads throughout the State and County.

4th. I conceive that the education of the children of the State is one of its highest duties, and shall favor the Laws looking to the advancement of Education, so that all the children throughout the State may receive equal advantages in this respect.

5th. I believe in united Party action and in the upbuilding of the Democratic Party and the upholding of Democratic officers, and if elected shall act with my Party upon all matters affecting its interests in the State.

Respectfully,
ROBT. C. DOW.

TEMPERANCE NOTES

(Conducted by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

ONE WOMAN'S EXPERIENCE.

I have lived in Kansas since early childhood, and have watched a typical Kansas town of 1,000 people multiply itself ten times and more. I played about the foundations of the brewery which invaded our peaceful neighborhood. I have more than once been crowded from the sidewalk by a phalanx of toppers on their way to the completed and flourishing institution, and have shuddered to hear their ribald songs as they reluctantly sought their homes in the waning hours. I have seen 15 saloons running in a town of 1,500, and it was not a "tough" town, either. It was settled by a God-fearing people, who raised the lintels of a church almost as soon as their own hearthstones were laid. Allowing for the mellowing of age, conditions were no worse than in the ordinary town of today in a saloon state. Then, regulation was all that the people could apply to the liquor traffic. Today they use elimination.

The brewery which was the bogy of my childhood days, melted away many years ago, and within a stone's throw of that spot stands a magnificent high school, with the newest and most approved equipment and methods. Here hundreds of children go in and out, learning the secrets of the ages. Except when travel has taken them from the state they have never seen a saloon. There are no disgusting sights and sounds and odors to undermine the morals of the boys who come to this place, as there were three decades ago. Instead, there are wide, airy rooms, where the active boy may develop his constructive faculties, training hand and eye at the same time as he works with lathe or chisel, or recites in the class room. Kansas people prefer the school-house of today, rather than the brewery of 30 years ago.—May Belleville Brown, Salina, Kan.

UNSEEN DANGER OF SOCIAL GLASS.

I once asked a young man who has a large circle of friends in the leading society of this city, and who is an abstainer, how often he was asked to take wine, and was "jollied" over the refusal. He said several times a week, and told me of some hostesses who were guilty of rudeness. I wish they could all hear the quiet tones of the physician who told me of a man he knew who died insane from alcoholism. The several sons of this man came to this physician to learn their chance of escaping the disease. He told them that if they kept absolutely away from alcohol their chance was good, but if they took alcohol at all he would not answer for them. All but one of these sons have kept away from the drug, alcohol, but one while at college felt strong in his power to take it "moderately." He has no power now. That youth might have been the guest "jollied" by a charming hostess. If these young women knew a real nature of alcohol, they would require a doctor's certificate in knowledge of the habits of abstention and on those of his ancestors they urged the "social" —Alice L. Higgins, General Secretary, Associated Charities, Boston.

BILLION DOLLARS WASTED.

A total amount received from all imports, is less than \$350. Against this should be placed the cost of public care for the consumption of the traffic; the loss in capacity, and degenerate manhood in public asylums, hospitals, prisons, and in prosecuting that share of crime justly chargeable to the saloon—a total immeasurably greater than any possible income from license and taxation. Careful and conservative investigation, made by expert statisticians, reveal the amazing fact that the annual waste due to the drink traffic in the United States at the present time approximates more than \$5,000,000,000 in loss of products, mortality and cost in crime and pauperism.

WARNS AGAINST THEIR OWN BUSINESS.

Chicago has a new and unique temperance society—the Bartenders' union. This is the circular its secretary sends out to the bartenders of the city:

"Dear Pal:—Join the Bartenders' Temperance club. The boss won't like it if you drink on the job. A guy can't tend bar and hit the booze and make good. It gets him just as quick as the guy in front, who pays for it. If any man wants to drink let the man on the other side of the bar do it. Send me your name if you want to join the club."

EX-SALOONKEEPER ON BEER.

I claim that beer has developed and caused more drunks than whisky, and I can prove it beyond a shadow of a doubt. If you want to see what our young men are polluting themselves with, just step into any saloon and watch the drinkers. You will discover that there are fifty glasses of beer sold to every one of whisky. The people get just as drunk drinking beer, as they do drinking whisky, and it costs them the same in the end. Beer is the first intoxicant our young men get drunk on.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Representative in the State Legislature.

The Artesia Advocate is authorized to announce the following candidates for the Democratic nomination for the office of Representative of Eddy County in the next State Legislature, at a primary election to be held on August 8th, 1914. Two to be elected from Eddy county:

DR. M. P. SKEEN, of Artesia
GUY A. REED, of Carlsbad
ROBT. C. DOW, of Carlsbad

Union Evening Services.

The following churches will unite in open air evening services during July and August: Baptist, Christian, Methodist and Presbyterian. The services will be held on the Presbyterian church lawn and will begin promptly at eight o'clock and will not exceed an hour in length.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

In the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico.
No. 1919.

G. U. McCrary, Plaintiff,
vs.
Sadie M. Esteb, formerly Sadie M. Dooley, Defendant.

Whereas, in the above entitled cause, a judgment and decree was duly rendered by Hon. Granville A. Richardson, Judge of the Fifth Judicial District within and for the county of Eddy, state of New Mexico, on the 13th day of June, 1914; said judgment and decree being of record in the office of the County Clerk of said county; said judgment and decree being in favor of G. U. McCrary, plaintiff, and against Sadie M. Esteb, formerly Sadie M. Dooley, defendant, for the sum of Ninety and 44-100 Dollars, together with six per cent interest thereon from said 10th day of June, 1914, and for cost of suit, and for the foreclosure of plaintiff's attachment lien acquired by him on the date of his filing his Lis Pendens in this suit, upon all the right, title and interest of the above named defendant in and to the following described lands and premises, together with the appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate, lying and being in the county of Eddy, state of New Mexico, to wit:

The Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section 21, in Township 23 South of Range 28 East, N. M. P. M., together with the water rights thereto belonging.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock a. m. on said date, at the front door of the Court House in Carlsbad, Eddy county, New Mexico, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, all the estate, right title and interest which the above named defendant owned on the date Lis Pendens was filed in this suit, as aforesaid, or at any time thereafter, in and to the above described property, to satisfy said judgment and decree, and cost of making this sale, in accordance with the statutes in such cases made and provided.

Signed and dated at Carlsbad, New Mexico, this 16th day of July, 1914.

M. C. STEWART,
Sheriff of Eddy County, New Mexico.
7-17-8-7

GENERAL.

Purchase for half a million dollars was made by Walter Douglas of the properties of the Tombstone Consolidated Mines Company at Tombstone, Ariz.

The Progressive party's campaign throughout the entire nation will be conducted largely, this summer, from the porch of Sagamore Hill at Oyster Bay, N. Y.

As a result of a hunger strike started fifteen days ago. L. B. Matthews, under sentence of ten years in the penitentiary, died in his cell at the county jail at Holly Springs, Miss.

A man believed to be D. B. Kenehan, a retired farmer, whose home is in Denver, jumped or fell overboard from the steamer Helen Blair at Daventry, Ia., and was drowned.

"Spooning" is a crime against womanhood, John J. Alexander, a director, told 500 young women attending the older girls' conference of the International Sunday school convention at Chicago.

A cloudburst at Lanesboro, Minn., made the village of 1,000 people a lake six feet deep. Railway service was abandoned. Lanesboro could not be reached by telephone and rescuers were obliged to go about in boats.

"There are 20,000,000 school children in this country and 1,000,000 of them have tuberculosis," was the statement of Dr. Mary E. Lamham of Highlands, N. C., in her plea for a periodic examination of young students, delivered before the section of preventive medicine and public health of the American Medical Association at Atlantic City, N. J.

Police and sheriff's officials are convinced that gunmen from Butte are in Helena for the purpose of assassinating Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, who fled from Butte during the rioting in that city.

A donation of \$2,550,000 from John D. Rockefeller to the Rockefeller Institute of medical research was announced by Henry James, manager of the institute in New York. This gift brings the sum total of Rockefeller's contributions to the institute up to \$12,550,000.

CLASSIFIED COLUMN

Lost

One mud chain. Size 30 by 3 and a half. Lost near the Highsmith place just north of town. Finder return to Dr. Greenlaw and receive reward.

Salt grass pasture for horses and cattle, one and one half miles northeast of Artesia. 50c month. J. M. Jackson.

Wanted to trade for auto—One of the best building sites in Artesia. Located just two blocks from Main street on Roselawn ave. Address box 592 Artesia.

Wanted to trade for team—Buick auto in good shape. Artesia Box 257

Have those nifty tailors clean and press your clothes. Welton and Neff

A Bargain

A 6 and a 12 room apartment house renting for \$1300 and \$2880 per year, respectively. Want to trade for land. Box 473 Artesia N. M.

Holstein Bull

I have at my place on Rose Lawn, and will make the season, one thoroughbred Holstein bull, subject to registry. Service \$3.00 cash.

N. A. Palmer

For Sale.

Forty acres good land on Cottonwood. Running water on same. 20 acres broke and in crop. Adobe house, dug well 10 feet to plenty water; 4 wire fence; 125 stands Bees all in good condition, full outfit for both comb and extracted honey. Fine location for bees, not crowded. All clear, no debt. Price right. Call on or write, M. C. O'Brien, owner, Lake Arthur, N. M.

FOR SALE

Horse, buggy and harness. Horse is absolutely gentle and safe for women and children to drive. Bargain.

R. L. Morley.

PASTURE—Prairie grass pasture one-half mile west of Artesia, 75c a head per month.

H. J. Allison.

Call For Democratic Convention

A general convention of the Democratic party of the State of New Mexico is hereby called to meet at Albuquerque, N. M. on the 17th day of August, 1914, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for member of the house of representatives of the United States for the state of New Mexico, and of nominating a candidate for member of the state Corporation commission and of transacting such other business as may come before the convention. Delegates from the several counties to such convention, apportioned on the basis of one delegate for each 100 votes cast for the Hon. H. B. Ferguson in the election of 1912, shall be entitled to sit in such convention as follows:

Bernalillo county, 16 dele

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Artesia, N. M.

We want to list your property for sale or exchange. A specialty made in exchanges. We cooperate with men in New Mexico Colorado, Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, and Illinois. Let us know what you want and we will try and please you.

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Many of the Best

specimens are not within the confines of the zoo. The richest contribution made to the zoological work in many a year is the NEW woman, with the NEW dress. Neither Colonel Roosevelt nor the Smithsonian Institute has ever seen anything to be compared unto her. I saw two of these Zoological wonders just this day; for, be it known, the new skirt, unlike the Kingdom of heaven, cometh with observation. Believe me, it was SOME dress! Yes,—some. There was a waist, but none to waste. Nothing could be compared to it. But it might well be compared to NOTHING. Like Sir John Falstaff's head, it was conspicuous not so much for what it contained as for what it did not contain. And oh, you skirt! Carrot-shaped, with a drawstring at the bottom to regulate the step, and a slit in the side to advertise the rep. And not least, shop hair galore, held in place by the big tango pins, the psyche knot, and the split curl like a ram's horn above each ear. I say unto you, even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these.

All honor to the poetic seer who, out of the depths of his heart, has cried:
"Backward, turn backward, oh Time in thy flight, give us a girl whose skirts are not tight; give us a girl whose charms many or few, are not exposed by too much peekaboo; give us a girl, no matter what age, who wont use the street for a vaudeville stage; give us a girl not too shapely in view; dress her in skirts that the sun can't shine through."

Walter M. Daugherty, Fire Insurance. Losses paid to date \$16,200.00. adv

gates; Chaves, 14; Colfax, 12; Curry, 7; Dona Ana, 10; Eddy, 10; Grant, 12; Guadalupe, 8; Lincoln, 5; Luna, 5; McKinley, 3; Mora, 11; Quay, 10; Rio Arriba, 10; Roosevelt, 7; Sandoval, 1; San Juan, 5; San Miguel, 17; Santa Fe, 10; Socorro, 11; Sierra, 4; Taos, 7; Torrance, 5; Union, 11.

The rule of the last state convention that a proxy could be exercised only by a resident voter of the county represented should be kept in mind in giving of proxies.

Done at Santa Fe, N. M.

this 1st day of June 1914.

J. H. Paxton

Chairman Democratic State Central Committee

Notice of Pendency of Suit.

No. 1996.

Joe Anderson, Plaintiff,

vs.

C. D. Miars and Eugene F. Hardwick, Defendants.

To the above named defendant C. D. Miars: You are hereby notified that in that certain suit now pending in the District court of Eddy county, New Mexico, No. 1996 on the Civil Docket of said court and wherein Joe Anderson is plaintiff and C. D. Miars and Eugene F. Hardwick are defendants, suit has been instituted by said plaintiff against you, the said defendants.

The objects of said suit are to recover a judgment against you the said defendants in the sum of \$553.33, together with 12 per cent interest thereon from the 5th day of June, 1914 until paid, for the further sum of \$55.33, attorney's fees, together with 6 per cent interest thereon from the said 5th day of June, 1914 until paid, which sums are represented by a certain promissory note dated February 1st, 1911, executed by said C. D. Miars and delivered to the defendant Eugene F. Hardwick; and to foreclose that certain mortgage deed, dated the 1st day of February, 1911, executed by said C. D. Miars and delivered to the said Eugene F. Hardwick for the purpose of securing the payment of the above mentioned note that said note and mortgage have been duly assigned and endorsed unto the said Joe Anderson, that said mortgage conveys the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the county of Eddy and state of New Mexico, to-wit:—The Southeast quarter of the Northwest quarter, the Southwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section Nine in Township Sixteen South, Range Twenty-six East, N. M. P. M., except the right of way of the Eastern Railway of New Mexico.

And you the said C. D. Miars are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer in said cause on or before the 26th day of August, 1914, judgment will be rendered against you by default, as prayed for in plaintiff's complaint filed herein, and you will be barred and forever foreclosed of all right, title or claim in and to the above described real estate.

You are further notified that the attorney for plaintiff is G. U. McCrary and that his business address is Artesia, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and the seal of said District court this 30th day of June, 1914.

A. R. O'QUINN,
Clerk of the District Court,
Eddy county, New Mexico.
seal. 7-3 7-24

First State Bank

of Artesia.

Capital Stock \$15,000.00

All employees of this bank are bonded.

We solicit the accounts of the Merchants, Farmers and Stockmen.

We carry Everything in the Drug Line.

Prescriptions Carefully and correctly filled.

Now is the time to use those Nyal preparations that keep your complexion clear and free from freckles and blemishes.

Mann Drug Co.

The Nyal Store

Red Star Flour

You have used this flour and know what it is. Every sack guaranteed.

Cash Grocery

Phone 18
Our motto: "Quality and Service"

SEED

CORN - - -
BEET - - -
MAIZE - - -
CANE - - -
499 Other Kinds

PLANTS

Red Star Flour

E. B. Bullock

FLOUR AND GRAIN MERCHANT

ALFALFA SEED AND HAY. PUBLIC SCALES

During July and August it isn't very pleasant to face the task of stove heated irons. As a matter of fact they are annoying. As soon as you begin to use an Electric Iron the real hardship of ironing day disappears.

Hot Point Electric Irons

become hot without heating the air. They save you the usual steps from ironing board to stove. You iron straight ahead with the same iron until your work is done. The iron is ready for use a few minutes after you turn the switch and will not cool off until its task is finished.

Pecos Valley Gas & Electric Company.

Last Call!

OUR BIG FAREWELL SALE!

We have tried our LEVEL BEST to sell out here, and move away, but owing to circumstances, we are still here and have on hand about \$10,000.00 worth of Goods

That Must be Sold.

This time we ARE DETERMINED that our goods shall go AT SOME PRICE, that they must be TURNED INTO CASH as quickly as possible, and with the very least of expense.

WE WILL MAKE THIS SALE GO DOWN IN HISTORY

As the GREATEST BARGAIN CARNIVAL ever put on by any firm in the entire Pecos Valley. We are going to make you prices that will not only talk, but FAIRLY SHOUT. We are going to sell you merchandise for less money than you ever bought them before in your WHOLE LIFE. You may expect--and will receive more goods for that hard earned dollar than you ever purchased before, or ever expect to the rest of your natural life. Some broad assertion isn't it? Well, don't take our word for it just

Gaze on these Prices--Read Them:

They may look too good to be true, but don't worry, they will be sold as advertised.

Woolen Dress Goods.

All woolen dress goods MUST BE CLEANED UP during this sale.

All \$1.00 per yard goods now 60c
All 75c per yard goods now 40c
All 65c per yard goods now 35c
All Poplins, Suiting, Etc. at **HALF PRICE**

Clothing at Half Price

Yes, indeed Mr. Man, you can buy any suit of clothes in this store for

Exactly Half Price

and we can show you quite a bunch to pick from.

BOYS SUITS.....**ONE-HALF PRICE**
YOUTHS SUITS.....**" " " "**

Any and every Suit in the house at Half Price.

Mens Hats

We have big line of hats and can give you most anything you want in the hat line:

All \$1.50 hats.....now .85c
" 2.00 ".....now 1.10
" 2.50 ".....now 1.35
" 3.00 ".....now 1.75
Straw Hats one-half price, some less.

Mens Dress Shirts.

We have the very best line of Mens dress shirts in town, all new styles and the best of makes:

All 75c dress shirts choice.....40c
" \$1.00 dress shirts choice.....65c
" 1.25 dress shirts now.....75c
" 1.50 dress shirts now.....95c
" 2.00 dress shirts now.....1.25

When you can buy Monarch and Cluett shirts at these prices, you're going some.

Mens Pants.

A good line. A big line. Light, Dark and Medium colors. All sizes from 30 waist to 44.

\$2.00 dress pants now\$1.15
2.50 dress pants now 1.40
3.00 dress pants now 1.75
3.50 dress pants now 2.00
4.00 dress pants now 2.25
5.00 dress pants now 2.95
6.00 dress pants now 3.50

Mens Low Shoes.

We have on hand a BIG LINE of Mens Low Shoes, and every pair MUST BE SOLD, in fact the prices listed here are actually less than what they cost and the goods brand new:

\$6.00 Walk-Over Shoes now.....\$3.75
5.00 Walk-Over Shoes now.....3.15
All 4.00 Low Shoes, your pick.....2.45
All 3.50 Low Shoes,.....2.25
All 3.00 Low Shoes.....1.90

High Shoes One-Third to One-Half Off.

Corsets, Corsets, Corsets!

Plenty of them, and all are the famous American Beauty brand,

Your Unrestricted Choice of any Corset in our store for One-Half Price.

Ladies Petticoats, Brocaded Silk,

Worth \$1.75 now......95c
All Popular Shades.

Childrens Straw Hats.

25 to 50c Values.....**CHOICE 15c.**

Ladies, Misses and Childrens Low Cut Shoes,

in plain leathers, patents and tans from the very cheapest to the very best. Your Choice of our Entire Line for

One Half Price--Only One-Half

Not a pair taken out or reserved, they must all go.

Union Suits, only 15c

Boys and girls union suits that were formerly 30 to 40c, ALL IN ONE PILE

YOUR CHOICE.....15c.

Sizes 6-8-10-12-14 and 16 for girls.
Sizes 4-6 and 8 only for boys.

Standard Gingham now 7 1-2c

We have on hand about 250 yards of Amoske and Red-Seal gingham. While they last **Pick 'em out for 7 1-2c. First come, first served.**

Curtain Goods and Curtains.

Your choice of every yard of curtain goods and every pair of curtains in the house.....
at One-Half Price--Just One-Half

Laces, Embroideries, Flouncings, Trimmings, etc.

Everything in this Line at Just HALF PRICE.
WHITE GOODS--Half Price.
FIGURED LAWNS--Half Price.
Everything at a Bargain.

In addition to the above bargains we will have a GREAT MANY MORE, in fact you will be agreeably surprised if you attend this sale, for every article in the house will bear a genuine closing out reduction that will be worth your while. This is your last chance, positively the last call.

WINTER GOODS WILL ALSO BE ON SALE.

Sale Begins Thursday Morning, July 16th. Doors open at 9 o'clock.

No Goods Taken Back.

No Money Refunded.

No goods sent out on approval.

We are Closing Out.

MONEY TALKS

GRAND LEADER

Our Store Will Be Closed

All Day Wednesday.

We will be Marking Down

For The

BIG SALE