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

## NEW MEXICO RATHER FICKLE IN POLITICS PAST RESULTS SHOW

### Both Parties Start Their Campaigns by Moving Into Territory Of Enemy. Hard To Make Forecast At This Time.

SANTA FE.—The opening of the political campaigns by the republicans last Thursday and the democrats Monday found both parties making their initial moves in the enemy's territory.

Colfax county with its seat, Raton, which was the scene of the republican opening, gave democratic majorities to all democratic candidates save one in the 1926 election. The one exception was a majority of 911 for Mary Bartolina the republican nominee from Colfax county for secretary of state.

The democrats on the other hand made their opening at Santa Rosa, the county seat of Guadalupe county, which in 1926 returned republican majorities for all candidates on the republican state ticket.

Colfax county in 1926 with its 6,800 votes in round figures gave democratic majorities averaging 574 votes while Guadalupe with its approximate 2,500 voting strength went republican on an average near 344 votes.

With the openings over and both parties making strong bids for inroads on the other's vote the tours of nominees gets underway in earnest this week. The democrats swung into their state tour immediately following the opening at Santa Rosa and three groups of republicans will start speaking tours Friday, which will carry them well into the month of October.

Early itineraries announced by both parties indicate that before November 6 arrives, New Mexico the state that has demonstrated historically that it may prove decidedly fickle to straight tickets on election days will have witnessed one of the most thorough demonstrations of political campaigning in its history.

Political conjecture based upon New Mexico's past performance places the conjecturist in a hall of mirrors where at every turn he may find himself encountering his own image.

Entering its first presidential year after it had received stathood New Mexico gave Woodrow Wilson a majority of 2,674, and the state democrats grabbed of the nice plum of the initial five year gubernatorial term for the state by electing William C. McDonald.

In 1916 its second presidential year it gave Woodrow Wilson a second majority of 2,530 votes and at the same time sent A. A. Jones to the United States senate and W. B. Walton to congress all on the democratic ticket. For its second governor is elected Governor De Baca a democrat, but at the same time elected Washington E. Lindsey a republican as lieutenant governor. Upon the death of De Baca a few months after his inauguration, Lindsey became the republican governor of a democratic administration.

The republicans then began to turn state majorities and elected O. A. Larrazola and Merritt C. Mechem as successive governors. In 1920 the state gave President Harding 10,146 majority. In 1922 it gave Governor Hinkle, a democrat a 10,000 majority and returned Senator Jones to the United States senate with 12,000 majority.

In 1924 it gave President Coolidge a 6,200 majority and Governor Hannett, a democrat, a 199 majority, and United States Senator Sam Bratton a democrat a 2,700 majority.

In 1926 it defeated Governor Hannett for reelection and gave Governor Dillon a 3,800 majority but elected three democrats to state offices.

## MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church met Wednesday afternoon in the basement of the educational building. Mrs. Harshey was leader for the afternoon. A talk on "Redeemed and Renewed by the Way of Faith" by Mrs. C. W. Curry and Mrs. J. L. Mann. The monthly bulletin was also presented by Mrs. Campbell, after the program a short business meeting was held after which the meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. J. F. Campbell on Oct. 10. The following members were present: Mrs. Harshey, McKinstry, Bell Bauslin, Swisher, Mann, Campbell, Sellers, Carter, West, Curry, Stine, Bailey, Meeks, Burrell and VanArsdol.

## OIL SURFACING OPERATIONS INCREASE

Santa Fe.—The oiling operations of New Mexico's roads are going forward with increasing efficiency. The oil work at Springer was completed the first of the week, according to word reaching the highway office here.

Charles Springer, Chairman of the Highway Commission, W. C. Davidson, State Highway Engineer and R. M. Morton, former State Highway Engineer of California made an inspection on the Springer oiling job last week. A greater part of the 18 miles of the job were complete at that time.

Messrs. W. A. Losey, Jack Sweatt, Van Sweatt and R. N. Thomas went to the mountains Saturday.

## LEONARD STROUD TO BE AT COTTON SHOW

A greater rodeo than ever before is assured at Roswell during the cotton carnival October 3, 4, 5 and 6, with the announcement that Leonard Stroud and his company would furnish the special features at the rodeo. Mr. and Mrs. Stroud are both champion riders and ropers and have with them several men who are champions in their line. They carry several trained horses and a number of bucking broncs. In one of their features Mrs. Stroud on her horse jumps over an automobile. The number of contestants in the rodeo will be large and they are coming from all over the country for this show.

Two athletic contests of deep interest to eastern New Mexico are also on the boards. Roswell high school will play Artesia high school and the New Mexico Institute will play Wayland College. Incidentally the world series baseball game will be shown play by play.

The agricultural exhibit will excel anything ever before shown at the carnival. There will be several county exhibits in addition to five community exhibits from within the county as well as the individual exhibits and a sheep and wool show.

Old timers day on October 5 is one of the outstanding events of the carnival and will be a genuine reunion for those who have been in New Mexico thirty years or longer. On Thursday evening October 4 the old fiddlers contest will entertain hundreds of the visitors. Large cash prizes are offered in this contest. The all tates parade on the second day and the opening parade on the first day will be spectacular events that will please the people too.

At the carnival grounds the Lachman Carson shows with fourteen high class clean shows and seven rides some of which are being made available to the public for the first time this year will furnish amusement from morning until night.

## LAKE ARTHUR WANTS BAN PLACED ON SALE LIQUOR TO SCHOOL BOYS

Residents of Lake Arthur want the sale of liquor to school boys stopped. Sunday afternoon, at the request of C. R. Bernard, superintendent of the Lake Arthur schools, a number of friends and patrons of the school gathered in the auditorium for the purpose of formulating an effective plan to ban the sale of bootleg whiskey to minors and school children.

Preliminary to the adoption of some plan, W. E. Blanchard justice of the peace at Lake Arthur was selected as chairman of the meeting, following a round table discussion in which all expressed a whole hearted and sympathetic cooperation toward any move which might eliminate this illegitimate practice of the bootlegger. During the discussions it was brought out that a few of the schoolboys had at various times purchased liquor; a practice which has interfered with their school work as well as the discipline of the school.

The meeting resulted in the appointment of a committee to draw up a set of resolutions and do other things necessary for the formation of an effective organization.

The committee was also requested to report back to a meeting held in the school auditorium last night, at which time a permanent organization was expected to be effected. Editors note: We could not get the results of last night's meeting in time for this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Collins visited Artesia Tuesday.

## SEVERAL INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT ON HIWAY SUNDAY NIGHT

### Collision Of Two Autos And Wagon Results In Injury To A Number Of Persons, But None Are Hurt Seriously.

By a miracle Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Paddock and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Slater escaped serious injury or death Sunday night when their car crashed into another car and a farm wagon at the same time Sunday night about 7:20 o'clock.

Coming south on the highway near the bridge north of town the Paddock car turned out to pass a wagon loaded with hay and at the same time a car driven by Frank Graham, of Roswell, headed north, also turned out to pass the wagon. Both cars were going at a lively gait, and to avoid a headon collision Mr. Paddock's car turned into the wagon, wrecking the car and wagon both; but even this did not avoid the collision with the other car, and both the cars and the wagon came together in a pile of wreckage.

Mrs. Paddock was slightly injured as also was Mrs. Slater, but the other occupants of the Paddock car escaped with only slight bruises and scratches. Some of the members of the Graham party were also injured, but we have not learned how badly, as they called a Roswell doctor to meet them in Dexter, and their car not being put out of commission by the wreck they went on their way.

Mesdames Paddock and Slater were brought to town where Dr. Dickason dressed their wounds, and they are reported to be getting along fine.

## CAR LOAD OF CHEVROLETS

The C. & C. garage has just unloaded a carload of new Chevrolet cars and have them on their floor for sale, demonstration or delivery. This is the first carload of autos ever unloaded at Hagerman, and demonstrates that our city is getting to be an important trading center.

Go down and look these new cars over, they are "keen lookers," and the boys say they run like greased lightning.

## METHODIST CHURCH

Next Sunday marks the last Sunday before the annual conference which opens next Wednesday at Gallup. Without doubt we ought to look forward to the greatest day of this year. At nine forty-five the promotion program of the Sunday school will be held. This will be a rare program, and ought to be attended by all our people. There ought to be not less than one hundred and seventy-five at this very special event. Let every father and mother take a pride in your child and come show them you are interested in their success in the work of advancement in Sunday school activities.

Surely no one will forget the old preacher. Bring an offering and help us meet our responsibility to this deserving but forgotten man. Hundreds of them never drew a reasonable salary in their lives are simply living on the most meagre circumstances we can think of. Bring your offering and give it to the pastor at the morning service. The topic for the sermon in the morning will be, "A Dead Man Alive." How can we imagine such a thing? Yet it was true. For the evening hour the subject will be, "The Iron Gate."

The crowd last Sunday was far in excess of our capacity to take care of them. We have been told there was at least seventy-five people who could not get a seat in the houses at the evening service. It was a great service. Three members were received at the evening service, one by baptism and two by transfer. Come and be with us at both of the services for Sept. 30th. The three new members received last Sunday brings our total for the year to 59. We expect to leave Monday morning for conference. May God bless the great company who have so loyally stood with us in this work of this church this year.

## GRADES HAVE MERRY WHEEL

An attractive piece of playground equipment known as the Merry Wheel is being erected this week. The Merry Wheel will accommodate about 40 small children at a time.

P. E. Kiper was in Roswell Saturday.

## SMALL SON OF P. R. WOODS IS ACCIDENTLY SHOT IN KNEE TODAY

### Accident Occurs About 9 O'clock This Morning—When A 38 Revolver Is Accidentally Discharged—Patient Resting Well.

C. J. Woods, the three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Woods, was accidentally shot through the right knee while playing with a pistol this morning about 9:30 o'clock.

The child in some way got hold of a loaded 38 calibre revolver and while playing with it dropped the weapon on the floor and caused it to discharge; the bullet striking his leg just below the right knee and ranging upward through the knee joint, inflicting a very painful wound. The little sufferer was rushed to Dr. Dickason's office where the wound was dressed; it is an ugly wound and it will be some time before the patient entirely recovers.

## FACULTY WELCOME SUCCESS

Last Thursday evening at eight o'clock in the basement of the new Methodist church building the faculty of the Hagerman high school was thoroughly and genuinely welcomed. A three course dinner was served, at the conclusion of which Mr. E. A. Paddock, for the board of stewards gave the welcoming address which was punctuated with humor and genuineness. The response was by Prof. White and was a splendid contribution to the evening. After this a contest was engaged in by two sides, which developed much laughter for the whole company. The program closed with musical selections. A close cooperation with the program of the teachers in the community for the year was the promise of the toastmaster for the more than two hundred and fifty members of the Methodist church. It was brought out that the church has always been interested in education, and from the very beginning of the existence of the church to this time it has been building schools and endowing them with millions of dollars. There were fifty plates on the two long tables and every one of them was in use. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cowan were introduced as the only charter members of the Methodist church present. The old church building was erected thirty-five years ago, and has grown from a small beginning to the present class.

## A CORRECTION

Editor Messenger: An inaccurate account of the tragedy that befell our fellow citizen, Dennis Lattion, seems to have been given the press, the daily papers stated that he, (Mr. Lattion) according to witnesses of the accident, was trying to beat the train to the crossing. To correct this error we wish to submit the following: First, there were no witnesses other than the engineer, fireman and the victim that we have heard of, and no eye witness was present at the inquest.

Second, weeds prevented the victim's seeing the approaching train. Third, the road over which Mr. Lattion was traveling was of such a nature that he could not have raced over it had he desired to do so.

Fifth, and last, Mr. Lattion was not the kind of man to take chances on beating a train to a crossing.

## A CITIZEN

Owing to sickness in the pastor's family, the services which were to have been held at the Hagerman Christian church last Sunday, which were postponed until next Sunday, which is the fifth Sunday in the month. The pastor will preach at eleven o'clock on the subject: "Casting Away Confidence." The special music will include a solo by Mrs. Helen Hill Jones "Repent Ye" by John Pingle Scott, accompanied by Mrs. Phil Helmig. You will enjoy this music. Bible school at ten o'clock. A most cordial invitation is extended to everybody to attend our services.

## MARRIED

Mr. T. T. Banks and Miss Alfa Bland, both of Dexter, were united in marriage at that place last Sunday.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Banks have a host of friends here and at Dexter who wish them much happiness. Immediately after the ceremony the newlyweds left for Wink, Texas, where they will reside in the future.

## COTTON COMING TO GINS SLOWLY THIS SEASON

Cotton is moving slowly from the fields to the gins this season as compared with other seasons. The reason for this is too much rain at the time the fruit should have been maturing.

Up to date the Farmers gin of Hagerman has ginned 51 bales; last year they had ginned 201 bales Sept. 22. The Aikin gin has ginned but 23 bales so far this season, as against 129, Sept. 22, last year. The Lake Arthur gin has only ginned 20 bales to Wednesday night, and the Dexter gin 6 up to Tuesday night.

Farmers who have begun picking say that the crop is far under that of last year, and if frost comes within the next week or two there will be only half a crop.

## REPUBLICANS PLAN A STATE WIDE CAMPAIGN

Republicans are planning a state wide campaign in four separate groups, according to an announcement made at Santa Fe, Monday by the republican state headquarters. The speakers itinerary is complete up to October 16th and covers the north and west part of the state.

Three of the four speaking parties will make a complete round of the state with the fourth party will be held in reserve to go where ever needed.

The first group consists of Austin D. Crile, Antanacio Montoya, candidate for superintendent of public schools; B. F. Pankey, candidate for reelection for land commissioner; Joe Baca, candidate for corporation commissioner; Jose Gonales, elector; Hugh Williams and Tom Burns, elector.

The second group consists of Mrs. E. A. Perrault, candidate for secretary of state; Frank W. Parker, candidate for supreme court; Victor Ulbarri, candidate for state auditor; F. C. Wilson; Mrs. Gretchen Lyons, Elector; and Isidoro Armijo.

The third group consists of W. A. Sutherland; Albert Simms, candidate for congress; Mike Otero, candidate for attorney general; and Hugh B. Woodward, candidate for lieutenant-governor.

Each group is accompanied by the candidates for district attorney and state senator in the district in which they are running for election.

The fourth group consists of Bronson Cutting, United States senator and Governor R. C. Dillon, who will form a "reserve corps" and go where called.

## MORE VOTES IN LEA COUNTY

Lea county expects to cast 500 more votes in the coming election than two years ago. The registration list has 1,674 votes and is expected to be increased to 1,700 if the voters are allowed to cast their ballot in one precinct, where no registration supplies were received.

## CONSTRUCTION CREW AT WORK ON TOLL LINES ROSWELL TO ARTESIA

A construction gang is now at work between Roswell and Artesia repairing the present toll lines of the Mountain States Telephone Co., and erecting the two new circuits. When completed the Mountain States Co., will have four circuits into Roswell, which will enable the company to give customers the same quick service on long distance calls as local subscribers now enjoy.

A surveying crew is working out of Lovington in this direction on the new direct circuit from Artesia to Lovington. Practically all of the materials for the new line has arrived and has been unloaded except a few cars of poles. It will take about 14 cars of poles and five cars of wire and other material to complete the line. The poles were shipped from Spokane, Washington and are of the lodge pine material. When erected they will be treated with a new wood preserver, known as "Anaconda," a powder form of preserver, which will be tamped around the poles as they are put into the ground.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Kiper and sons, Orville, Fielding and Finis, returned last week from a four weeks tour of Texas, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Missouri and Kansas. While gone they visited Mr. Kiper's relatives in Arkansas and Missouri, and Mrs. Kiper's relatives in Tennessee.

## LATTION KILLED AT ROAD CROSSING OF HAGERMAN

### Instant Death When Hits Truck.—The Services Held at Artesia And Burial at Artesia Cemetery.

Lattion, who lived two miles here was instantly killed at a road crossing, one mile from town Friday afternoon.

At about 9 o'clock when the truck was approaching the crossing it collided with the neighborhood passenger train. The engine struck the truck from the front of the truck's cab and threw it several feet from where it struck the truck. One of the wheels was broken twice, there were bruises on his body, his head was battered and there was a hole in his head; and it is believed he was instantly killed.

The place of the accident high on the side of the road, it is believed Mr. Lattion's train and that he had no time to get out of the way until the train was approaching until the train struck.

Cole who lives near the scene, heard the collision and the scene, but Mr. Lattion when he arrived. The train stopped and rushed back to the scene to render aid to the accident to render aid to the accident, and left the body while Mr. Cole and relatives of the deceased.

Michelet, nephew of Mr. Dickason, who was called to the scene, and the death had been almost instantaneous brought the corpse to the scene.

The sheriff was notified and Sheriff J. B. Coats and Justice Peace W. C. Winston, came out and held an inquest.

Services were held at the church at Artesia at 3:30 p.m. followed by a service at the Artesia cemetery.

Lattion was born in Switzerland in 1887; came to this country in 1894; removed from Roswell in 1900 where he lived until 1925 when he moved to Hagerman and engaged in farming.

He was married by his wife, seven children, two brothers, Frank Lattion, and one sister, Mrs. Michelet, all of this place.

Children, James Michelet, Louis Michelet, J. Lattion, Jack Cassabone and John Cassabone, acted as pall bearers.

## BAPTIST CHURCH

What would I do if I were told that I had twenty four hours to live? I would spend the next Sunday at the church. The pastor has a series of answers to questions appearing in the Christiana couple of weeks ago well known citizens of that part of the nation. Among them resident Dawes, Wm. Wriggins, George Edw. Hughes of Bishop church, George Dix, George McCorkle, Judge John Timothy Stone, and the answers are very interesting and instructive. If you want to hear them come out on Sunday evening at 7:45 o'clock. There will be no church service in the morning as the pastor will preach at the usual hours, Sunday school and at the usual hours, Sunday school and young people's meeting.

## AL AT GREENFIELD

Bob Musgraves, of Elk City, will begin a revival meeting at the Church of Christ at Greenfield next Monday night Oct. 1st. Musgraves is now holding a revival near Roswell; he is an excellent evangelist. An invitation is extended to all to hear him.

W. C. Winston and Deputy B. Coats, of Roswell, were Friday to hold an inquest into the death of Dennis Lattion, instantly killed by a passenger train.

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## "THEY"

"THEY" ought to do something about the grade crossing where the whole family was wiped out yesterday.

"THEY" ought to stop house bootleggers from selling denatured alcohol to our young folks to make them blind and crazy.

"THEY" ought to prevent corruption in high places which destroys the public confidence in a popular form of government.

"THEY" ought to do something about educating the foreign-born radicals in our country.

"THEY" ought not to leave politics in the hands of gangsters and criminals who elect only those they can control.

"THEY" ought to clean up the streets and alleys of this town.

"THEY" ought to plant trees and beautify the town.

"THEY" ought to look after the moral conditions existing in this town.

"THEY" ought to get more factories and industries located here.

"THEY" ought to be doing something toward improving living conditions in this town.

"THEY" ought to get the people to paint up their property, plant more shrubbery and beautify their places.

Do you know why "THEY" are not doing all these worth while things?

"THEY" are waiting for you to do something; waiting for YOU to use a little of YOUR time and energy; waiting for YOU to loosen the strings of YOUR pocketbook a little and aid in the civic enterprises of the community.

YOU are one of the representative men in YOUR community. What have YOU done?—Exchange.

## HAPPY STAGES OF LIFE

The passage of youth to middle age, thence to old age is commonly vied as one of life's tragedies. Why? In most cases it is assumed that youth is the happiest time of life and that the exuberance of the adolescent period can not be attained in after life. Strictly speaking this is true. But the fact that youthful exuberance is mainly physical, while that which may come in later years is of a mental nature is often lost sight of.

However, most men and women will find, if they give the matter sober thought, that they are much happier at thirty-five, forty-five or sixty than they were at fifteen, twenty or thirty five.

Reviews of their lives based on realism rather than sentimentality will convince them that all genuine happiness did not cease for them after they made their first dollars or acquired their first beaus. In truth, the happiness of youth is often more than balanced by its unhappiness.

Few persons would, if the opportunity were miraculously offered them, care to go through the trials and blunders of adolescence of young manhood or womanhood a second time. The man or woman of middle age or old age will recall that the lessons of life were not learned without major tribulations.

Why envy the young people who have yet to encounter this unpleasantness.—Exchange.

## OPEN CUT-OUTS

At this season of the year when the dust is heaviest on the highways running your car with the cut-out open is a nuisance to every other traveler with whom you come in contact. While you vanish up the road in a cloud of dust, you should think of the wayfarer you pass, who either cannot or does not travel at your speed that must choke in the dust stirred up by you.

A few years ago Texas passed a law prohibiting the running of automobiles with open cut-outs, and it would not be bad thing for the legislature of New Mexico to do.

The idea that an open cut-out gives more power to the engine is all bunk, as any first class machinist will tell you. The only thing it does is to cause the car to make more noise and stir up more dust.

One of the local preachers tells us that unless we attend his church more regularly he will order his printing from Sneeze & Rearback. Well, we know he won't do this, but if he does, we will order our religion from the same place.

We have a good school faculty, good churches with live pastors, good citizens, and all in the world we need to have a city is sufficient houses to accommodate all the people that want to live here.

Notice where a bootlegger caught in Roswell has entered a plea of insanity. Now this would be a very plausible plea for the purchaser.

## RELIGION AND POLITICS

Altho a few political preachers are doing the best they can to divide the American people politically along religious lines, there is little reason to believe they will get very far with it.

If it were possible to induce Catholics to herd together politically on one side and protestants on the other the change from the old party standards would be startling. For in the present election most of the southern states would go republican and all of the New England state along with New York, New Jersey, California, Michigan, Arizona, New Mexico, Montana, Nevada, Wisconsin and probably Minnesota and Pennsylvania would go democratic.

The last available figures published by the bureau of the census show that in the following states there are more Catholic church members than there are members of all protestant churches put together: Arizona, California, Connecticut, Louisiana, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Montana, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, Rhode Island, Vermont and Wisconsin.

In 33 states there are more members of the Catholic church than of any single protestant denomination.

In the south the church situation is entirely different, for there Baptists and Methodists are overwhelmingly predominant, with only a comparatively thin sprinkling of Catholics. For example, out of a total of 1,234,132 church members in Georgia only 18,214 are Catholics and there are 387,775 Methodists and 721,140 Baptists.

In Arkansas there are 176,906 Methodists, 237,349 Baptists and only 21,120 Catholics. In Mississippi there are 32,160 Catholics, 226,356 Methodists and 441,293 Baptists. In North Carolina the proportion of protestants is even greater still: Catholics, 4,989; Methodists, 333,989; Baptists, 535,229. The proportion is not far from that in South Carolina.

How much the nomination of Smith by the democrats influenced voters in Maine is illustrated by a big republican victory, in a state where out of 255,293 church members over a majority are Catholics. Nobody expected Smith to carry republican Maine solely for the reason that more than half of the church membership is Catholic. Nor does anyone expect Hoover to carry the solid south merely because all of the southern states except Louisiana are overwhelmingly protestant.

The truth is that protestants, Catholics and Jews vote as republicans or democrats when they go to the polls. The bigots on both sides of the religious controversy are merely froth. The citizen who votes for a candidate for no better reason than that they worship in the same church isn't any different than the one who votes against a candidate because he belongs to some other church.

Deep in the hearts of sound and sane Americans there is a vigorous opposition to any union of church and state. There are some, of course, who will be influenced one way or the other by religious prejudice into a flame where ever they can. But there is little reason to fear that they can seriously affect the same thinking and the religious tolerance of the real body of American citizens, either in the republican north or the south.

That is the message found in the Maine election.—Albuquerque Journal.

## SMITH BETTER BAFFLER

(Frank Sullivan)

Governor Smith is a better baffler than Secretary Hoover. We need a good baffler for president. Hoover never baffled anybody, but you ought to see Al Smith's baffling muscles. He has been governor of New York state for eight years and all during this time he has kept in shape by baffling the state legislature, which has been republican. Smith has worn out four state legislatures simply by out-baffling them. He just spends an hour a day with them on the baffling mat in the state capitol, following which the governor and the legislature have brisk rub-downs and the state capitol is given a thorough sand blasting.

Just think! If Smith should be elected president and there happened, by some odd quirk of fate, to be a republican congress he could wear it out by baffling. Then there would be no congress or at best an exhausted congress and, as President Coolidge always says any congress is best when exhausted.

A president also has to be able to baffle slick foreign diplomats who try to outwit our country, may she always be right or wrong! I mean the way Roosevelt baffled the Kaiser's creatures in the Venezuela crisis. Or was that Cleveland? For instance, suppose the Italian ambassador came to President Smith and suggested that Senator Heflin of Alabama be ceded to Italy so that the Italian Government might be able to keep the Pope in a continual state of alarm and incidentally, by having Tom Heflin make speeches, stir up a breeze around the Eternal City, which gets very hot when it is very hot: Now, President Smith would have to be able to baffle the Italian ambassador by getting the very best price possible for Tom. Let us say, about two dollars.

## CRIME NEWS

Crime news totals about 1.4 per cent of the newspaper space, says an editorial in the Albuquerque Journal, commenting on the results of a survey conducted by the University of Oregon. In making the survey the students of journalism covered a seventy three year period on about 100 papers.

Says the Journal: The results of the survey shows that the total space given to crime is not large, not even out of proportion in these days when thrills are demanded. No newspaper is giving the news of the day unless crime news is included in its pages. News is news whether it is good or bad and must be published if a newspaper honestly serves the public.

## MAINE NOT A POLITICAL BAROMETER

Arthur Brisbane, noted syndicate writer evidently does not put much faith in the political slogan, "As Goes Maine Goes the Nation." For he says:

Maine went republican by the biggest vote in history. Nevertheless, Wall street was betting only two and one-half to one on Hoover Tuesday. A little while ago the same street was being three and one-half to one on Hoover. Maine is naturally republican and has been dry a long time—barring hard cider, etc.

The wise republicans will not attach too much importance to Maine results.

## Tried—Tested and Tasty

# RECIPES

By Betty Barclay

### ADA'S LEMON PIE

Grated rind 1 lemon  
2 tablespoons lemon juice  
1 cup sugar  
1 egg yolk  
1 tablespoon melted butter  
2 tablespoons bread flour  
¼ cup hot water  
2 apples, pared and grated  
1 egg white

Mix grated rind of lemon, lemon juice, sugar, egg yolk, slightly beaten, melted butter, bread flour, and hot water. Then add apples which have been pared and grated. When well mixed, fold in stiffly beaten egg white. Line pie-plates with plain paste, fill with lemon mixture, cover with pastry, and bake.

### A REAL MEAL SALAD

½ cup nectar raisins  
1 cup cold cooked meat, cut in cubes  
1 tablespoon granulated gelatine  
¼ cup cold water  
1 cup boiling water  
1 tablespoon vinegar  
¼ teaspoon salt  
¼ teaspoon pepper  
Speck paprika  
1 teaspoon worchestershire sauce  
1 cup diced celery

Plump and drain raisins. Soften gelatine in cold water for 5 minutes, then dissolve in boiling water. Add vinegar, salt, pepper, paprika and worchestershire sauce. Let cool. When mixture starts to thicken stir in the plumped raisins and the meat cubes. Turn into a cold, wet, square pan. When firm cut into cubes. Arrange on lettuce. Sprinkle diced celery over top. Garnish with a spoonful of mayonnaise and a dash of paprika.

### CAMPAIGN OFFICES ARE OPENED AT ROSWELL

After being closed one week, following a split among democratic leaders, Chaves county democratic offices have been reopened under the leadership of Hiram M. Dow. The new offices are in the building over Norton's. Republicans have the whole building, beginning in front of the second floor. The democratic headquarters were formerly over Gross-Miller's where D. Greiner had charge.—Roswell Record.

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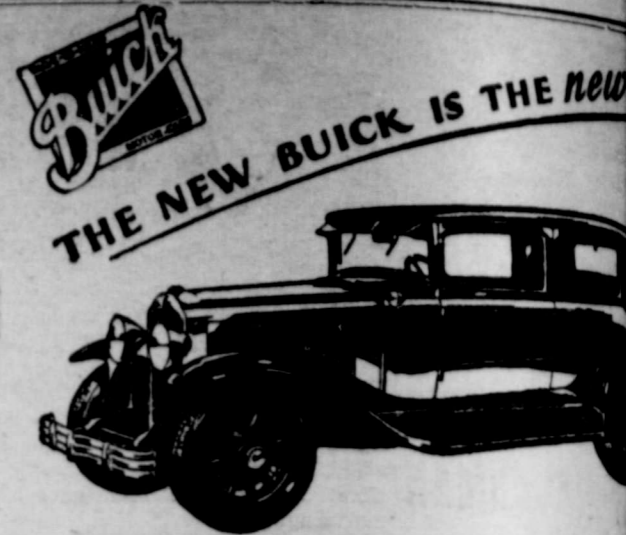
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Simmons appealed for the ... of the Democratic party ... the youth of the South ... party from the "shackles ... Hall."

Simmons said he had re- ... the 1,500 letters since ... September 1, that he ... fight the election of ... that he expected North ... Kentucky, Tennessee, Ok- ... and West Virginia ... their electoral votes for ... Mexico's Ticket

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**INSIDE INFORMATION**

Many fruits other than apples can be made into good vinegar. The United States department of agriculture has a bulletin on the subject.

Many of the windfall apples may be canned as sauce or pie apples. Cook them with as little water as possible, sweeten to taste, and pack boiling hot. Process five minutes in hot water bath.

Crisp cookies are wholesome in the school lunch box. If you haven't a recipe, send for farmers bulletin 1450-F, Home Baking. You will also find in it good recipes for doughnuts, for biscuits, muffins, popovers, and various kinds of cake, as well as directions for making yeast bread.

Choose designs for children's clothes with ironing in mind, whether you make the clothes yourself or buy them readymade. Fussy ruffles and queer-shaped parts take up the time of the laundress, and never look as well after washing and ironing as trim, smooth garments that are well-cut and made of interesting materials.

Oysters are in season again. They are extremely valuable as a source of various minerals needed by the body. Like other fresh fish, they supply iodine, and should be eaten when possible if other sea foods are hard to get. If you like fried oysters, dip them in egg and bread crumbs, and then let them stand a while to harden the coating before frying.

When pan-broiling steak be sure to have the skillet very, very hot at the start. Put the steak in the lightly greased hot skillet, turn quickly from side to side until well seared, then cook at reduced heat to the desired degree, rare, medium, or well done. Serve promptly on a hot platter, and add the seasoning of butter, salt, and a little pepper, after the meat is put on the platter. In turning the steak put the fork into the fat or edges, not into the center, or the juice will run out.

**RELICS OF INDIAN TRIBE OF SUPERIOR REFINEMENT FOUND**

New York, Sept. 22.—A race of Indians, differing in culture from any now known, lived on the American continent between 15,000 and 20,000 years ago, the International Congress of Americanists was told at its closing session Saturday by Barnum Brown, curator of fossil reptiles at the American museum of Natural history.

In fossilized and buffalo bones discovered near Folsom, N. M., several arrow heads unlike any so far known in Indian lore, were found, Brown said. The bones were the remains of a food kill and were preserved by debris as left by the Indians.

The arrowheads are fluted and of a workmanship which, the speaker said, equaled if it did not surpass anything heretofore discovered in America.

The fossils were excavated by the American museum and the Denver, Colo., museum. Experts from the latter institution have been working on the deposits for two years. Sixteen arrowheads of the lost people were discovered during the quarrying.

Mr. Brown declared that the find indicated an idea in archery different from that of the modern Indian, but approached by the Hopewell people, although with a refinement and technique superior to the latter's.—El Paso Herald.

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words about \$1.50 a bushel, Chicago. Neither the responsible officials nor I hold this view."

How easy to wrench part of the foregoing out of its setting and quote it as follows:

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This is merely a sample of the trickery being resorted to by anti-Hoover speakers and anti-Hoover whisperers. But now the anti-Hoover for Vice-President is accused of resorting to the tactics of the little fellows. It shows the Democratic candidate for Vice-President in a most unfavorable light. (Political Advertiser.)

**DEMOCRATIC SPEAKERS OPEN CAMPAIGN AT SANTA ROSA MONDAY**

SANTA ROSA.—Describing the two terms of the Wilsonian administration as "the greatest era of constructive legislation in American history with the accompanying expenditure of billions of dollars without suggestion of graft or misappropriation," Jethro S. Vaught, democratic nominee for the United States senate, formerly opened the democratic campaign in New Mexico Monday.

Speaking of a political rally which was made the occasion for an all day barbecue, Mr. Vaught, paid high tribute to the accomplishments of the democratic party during its last administration, and turning to the present republican administration charged that:

"Never since George Washington took his first oath of office as president of this country has there been a period in our national history so filled with corruption, great and dishonesty in high places in our governmental affairs as in the period from March 4, 1921 up to the present time."

Juan N. Vigil, nominee to fill the unexpired term of the late Senator A. A. Jones, Miss Jennie Fortune candidate for re-election as secretary of state, and Coe Howard, nominee for lieutenant governor also spoke on the program.

Attorney General Robert C. Dow, nominee for governor, who formally opened his campaign Wednesday at Estancia was present and made a brief talk.

James D. Hannah, democratic chairman of Guadalupe county, was the Generalissimo of the day's festivities, assisted by members of the democratic committee from over the county. Accompanying the democratic nominee were Felipe Chacon of Albuquerque and Milnor Rudolph of Mora.

YOU WILL enjoy the special music by the two artists at the Christian church next Sunday morning. Come 39-1tc

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**LOEB AND LEOPOLD MAY BE FREED**

CHICAGO.—An error in the mittimus under which Richard Loeb and Nathan Leopold Jr. were sent to Joliet penitentiary four years ago makes these two slayers of little Bobbie Franks eligible for parole in six more years, Hinton Clabaugh, chairman of the state pardons and paroles, said Tuesday.

Clabaugh spoke of Loeb and Leopold as "sons of wealth, who are pampered pets in Joliet."

These men each under life sentence for murder and 99 year sentence for kidnapping, are building up "fine records," Clabaugh said with a view to seeking parole when because of error in the mittimus they become eligible within six years.

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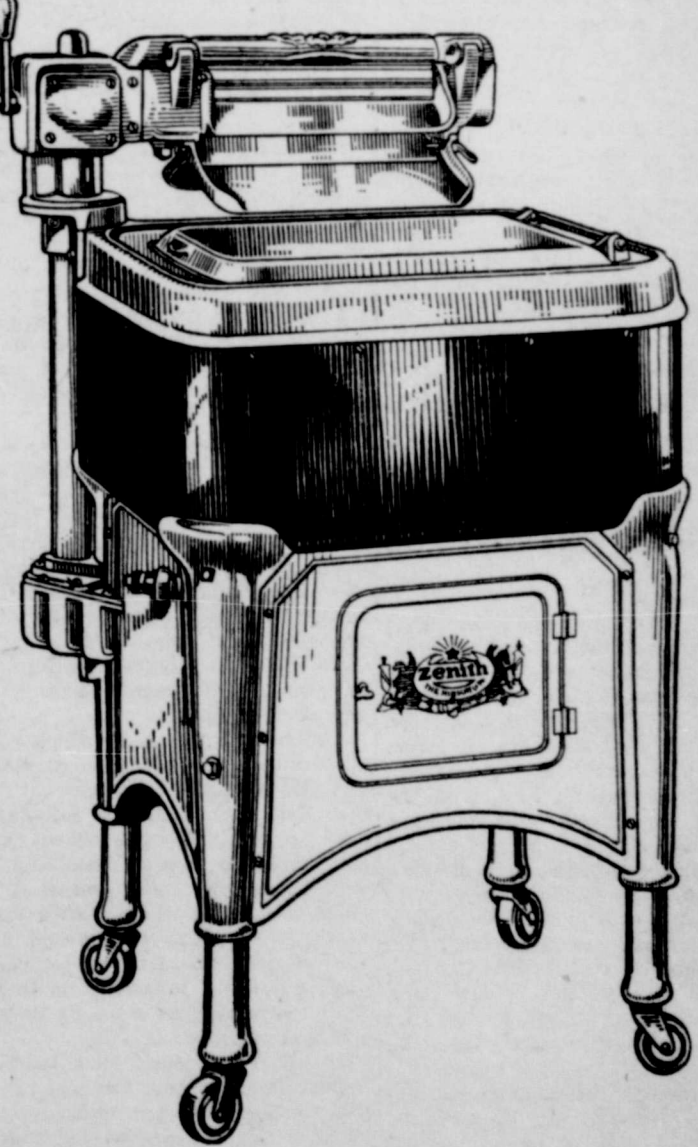
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# DEXTER NEWS

Avalee Barnes, Reporter

Henry Reinecke, of Amarillo, Texas, is visiting his parents this week.

The Church of Christ Bible study met with Mrs. John Bell Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Robert Miller and Mrs. Earl Durand spent last Tuesday in Roswell shopping.

Miss Claris Clemmons, of Roswell, spent the week end with Miss Minnie Campbell.

Mrs. John Weir, Mrs. Loman Wiley, Mrs. Dick Shaw and Mrs. Ray West were Roswell visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Claudis Twitty, of Pecos, Texas, spent Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Coffell.

Earl Wolf returned Saturday evening from California, to which place he was called by the death of his brother.

Mrs. Lawson and daughter, Theadale, of Roswell, spent Sunday afternoon with her daughter, Mrs. Willis Waldrop.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Love, of Los Angeles, California, came in Saturday for a visit with her brother, Richard Love.

The first bale of cotton of the season was ginned here last Tuesday; it was brought to town by Hal Bogle.

Mr. Charley Fuqua, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin and daughter, Mrs. Price, of Roswell, were dinner guests of Mrs. John Bell Sunday.

Raymond Durand, Flo Melhop, O. B. Berry and Hal Bogle left Sunday to attend the cotton carnivals at Las Cruces and El Paso, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Southard and little daughter, Ima Jean, of Artesia, visited her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Clark, Sunday.

E. B. McCaw, Misses Eleanor Patrick and Eva Mae O'Brien and Annie Lee Turner, of Lake Arthur, were Artesia visitors Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lee McVickers, of Houston, Texas, who has been visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. D. McVickers, for the past ten days left Thursday for a visit in California.

Chas. C. Fuqua, Minister for the Church of Christ, was unable to preach Sunday afternoon and night because of illness, and for the same reason the revival services announced to be held at night during this week have been postponed until the week beginning Oct. 7th.

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It has been found that trash removed from cotton cleaners at the gin contains a large number of insects of various species and that the pink bollworm will be very likely to show up in this trash when infested cotton is ginned. Supplementing the field scouting, inspectors examine the gin trash at all gins in territory being scouted as an added precaution in checking up on the distribution of the insect.

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## W. M. U. MEETS

The W. M. U. met Wednesday Sept. 19 at the J. E. Linn home. A short business meeting was held in which it was decided to send Mrs. W. B. Merchant who has been ill for several weeks, a basket of fruit. An interesting program was led by the president Mrs. H. W. Goodner. Delicious refreshments were served by Mesdames H. W. Goodner, Harry Halley, M. C. Snow, D. L. Newsom, Bert Buchannon and J. E. Linn.

## DEXTER P. T. A. MEETING

The Dexter P. T. A. meets Tuesday October 2nd at the school building. All parents are urged to be present. Mrs. Hamilton of Lake Arthur will discuss the Lake Arthur P. T. A. and Mrs. Reese of Roswell will speak. This is our annual pep meeting so come out and get your years supply of pep.

## MRS. CRAIN ENTERTAINS

Mrs. Frank Crain entertained on Thursday afternoon at Lake Van Club House honoring Miss Mabel Mielens, who left Friday for Omaha, Nebraska for a visit with relatives. The afternoon was spent visiting and imbrodering. At the close of the afternoon refreshments of coffee and cake were served to Mesdames A. Durand, E. J. Hubbard, W. H. Miles, L. Martin, F. L. Mehlop, Hal Bogle, C. N. Moore, Miss Mabel Mielens and hostess, Mrs. Frank Crain.

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## CARD OF THANKS

To the many kind friends and neighbors who remembered us so well in our great sorrow, we thank you from our hearts.

The Dennis Lattion Family and Relatives.

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Sgt. and Mrs. W. L. Robinson of Roswell spent Sunday with the Robertsons of Greenfield.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Carson of Las Vegas were in Dexter Wednesday visiting old friends.

H. Deck and son Richard spent Thursday with Mr. Deck's brother Mr. Tom Deck of Dunlap.

Messrs. Carl Caruthers and Robt. McNeil left Thursday morning for Las Vegas State Normal where they will enter college.

Frank Phillips and mother returned home Tuesday from a short visit with sister and daughter, Mrs. Cook of Abilene, Texas.

Mrs. E. L. Love returned Wednesday from California where she has been visiting with her mother for the past three months.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Robertson and little grandson, Harold returned Sunday from House, N. M., where they made a short visit with Mr. Robertson's brother.

## A WONDERFUL WORLD

A little more praise and a little less blame,  
A little more virtue, a little less shame,  
A little more thought of the other man's rights,  
A little less self in our chase for delights,  
A little more loving, a little less hate,  
Are all that is needed to make the world great.

A little more boosting, a little less jeering,  
A little more trusting, a little less fearing,  
A little more patients in trouble and pain,  
A little less willing at times to complain,  
A little more kindness worked into the strife,  
Are all that is needed to glorify life.

A little more honor, a little less greed,  
A little more service, a little less creed,  
A little more courage when pathways are rough,  
A little more action, a little less bluff,  
A little more kindness by you and by me,  
And, oh, what a wonderful world it would be.

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## BIG GAME REFUGE IN MOGOLLON MOUNTAINS TO BE OPEN THIS YEAR

In view of the nation-wide cry of "more game" it seems strange that there should exist anywhere on the continent a spot where game is too plentiful, but that is the case in the Mogollon Mountains, according to the State Game and Fish Commission. In certain sections of these mountains deer have become so abundant that the vegetation is threatened with extinction, and it has become imperative that the number of animals be reduced to a point commensurate with the ability of their range to support them. In short, the deer are eating themselves out of house and home.

The greatest concentration of deer occurs on and around the Black Canyon game refuge, which is located on the division line between Grant and Catron counties, and the commission has decided to open this refuge to hunting this year. No special privileges will be accorded hunters going into the refuge, and no permit other than the usual hunting license will be required. The refuge will simply take on the status of the surrounding hunting during the present season.

The Black Canyon refuge was created in 1921, and is pointed to by the game department as evidence of the ability of the refuge system to increase the game supply. No roads enter the area, but a number of ranchers in the vicinity are preparing to pack hunting parties into it, and it is expected that the number of deer will be materially reduced.

The department says that indications point to a far larger influx of non-resident hunters this year than ever before, and the office is kept busy answering letters from inquirers throughout the middle western section of the country. A good many hunters who made the trip alone last season are bringing friends along this year, one of them stating that he is this year organizing a party of sixteen for the hunt.

"Visiting sportsmen spend a great deal of money in the state, and the department considers it good business to encourage them," the game warden states, "especially in view of the fact that game is steadily increasing all over its range. The ability of the state to produce game under proper management is tremendous, and it is not outside the pale of probability that caring for the out-of-state sportsman will in time come to be one of its most important industries."

**Heroic Cure**  
"To cure an elephant of stomach ache, pin the animal down and let three or four men dance on its chest," is the newest veterinary "how to" by one who has done it.—Thomas Prime, a veterinary surgeon of Upper Norwood, England.

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  - P. & G. and Crystal White Soap, 6 bars for
  - Canovo Coffee, 1lb can
  - No. 2 Tomatoes, per can
  - White Swan Corn Flakes, 2 for
- BE SURE TO GET OUR PRICES BEFORE BUY FLOUR
- ## Dexter Cash Store
- J. W. BYNUM, Prop.
- The Price is the Thing
- TELEPHONE 24

## JOB PRINTING AT THE MESSENGER

### ROSWELL'S Popular Playhouse

## PRINCESS

Friday and Saturday, September 28-29:

ROSE MARIE  
A screen sensation from the famous musical comedy with JOAN CRAWFORD and a star cast.

COTTON CARNIVAL SPECIALS

Monday and Tuesday, October 1-2:

EMIL JANNINGS  
in  
"THE STREET OF SIN"  
with Fay Wray

Wednesday and Thursday, October 3-4:

GENE STRATTON-PORTER'S  
"FRECKLES"  
with all star cast

Friday and Saturday, October 5-6:

NORMA TALMADGE  
in here greatest picture  
"THE DOVE"

All super attractions—be sure to see them while in town

MATINEE DAILY 2:30—NIGHT SHOWS 7:30

## Timely Dry Goods Need

VERY LOW IN PRICE!

Every thrifty woman will welcome this opportunity to save on needed household articles and items of apparel:

See our Rayon LaMode Undies at

Dresses at

And other bargains in Dry Goods and Ladies' Wearing Apparel

GROCERIES

"The Most of the Best for the Least Money"

Another Car of Flour and Feed Coming—Wait for it!

## H. Deck's Store

"Where Your Money Buys More"

DEXTER, N. M.

Uniform International  
**Day School**  
**Lesson**

our winter supp  
 We also save  
 groceries. Listed b  
 prices:

for September 30

THE MISSIONARY

Christ liveth in me

TOPIC—Stories of Paul  
 TOPIC—Paul, the Brav

GRADUATE AND SENIOR TOP.  
 PEOPLE AND ADULT TOP.  
 More Abundant."

review of this quarter's les  
 opportunity is given for  
 study. The interests of the  
 lessons center in Paul,  
 Barnabas, John Mark, Luke,  
 James and Ananias. Assign  
 should be made a week in ad  
 the preparation of brief es  
 the pupils.

should be to lift out  
 contained in the lessons  
 and apply them to the  
 problems of the day. The  
 suggestions are offered:

the Ideal Education; Evi  
 Genuine Conversion; What  
 Christian? Who Should  
 Holy Spirit? Who Should  
 Be Compromised? If so,  
 How to Be Assured of  
 Faith.

the most satisfactory meth  
 to summarize the facts  
 the leading lessons. The  
 suggestions are offered:

for July 1, Paul, by birth  
 son, had much to be proud  
 ancestry and a true educa  
 to be the heritage of ev

for July 8, While Stephen  
 in the benevolence of the  
 despised of Christ and met  
 opposition. The ring  
 his opposition was Paul,  
 may be conscientious and

for July 15, Paul in unbr  
 persecuted the church,  
 setting to the death of  
 When his eyes were opened  
 appearance of Jesus Christ on  
 Damascus he was trans  
 a zealous witness for

for July 22, The sight which  
 of Christ was so real that  
 testified of His deity and

for July 29, Paul and Bar  
 sent forth by the Holy  
 the gospel to the Gen  
 were opposed by Elymas,  
 Spirit-filled men will  
 meet with opposition.

for August 5, The preaching  
 and Saul was accom  
 such wonderful signs that  
 attempted to worship them  
 The same people soon were  
 those them. Despite this  
 treatment, Barnabas and Saul  
 their work.

for August 12, The question  
 upon which Gentiles  
 received was bitterly de  
 preached that it was to  
 alone. Certain Judaizing  
 taught that faith was to  
 be by the works of the law.

for August 19, Paul was for  
 preach in Asia; then called  
 to Europe. Divine guid  
 as really shown in closed  
 doors.

for August 26, When Paul's  
 work interfered with the  
 gain of certain men at  
 and Silas were sent to  
 though their miraculous de  
 and their testimony of the  
 power of Christ, the jailer was

for September 2, Wicked  
 Paul to Thessalonica  
 They stirred up the peo  
 an extent that he had to  
 ever he went his ministry  
 opposed by supernatural  
 to convince the Gentiles.

for September 9, Paul  
 the gospel in Corinth with  
 that many were saved,  
 the power of God unto

for September 16, The  
 threatened with disrupt  
 party spirit. The right  
 of the gospel, Christian  
 persons constituting the  
 the cure sectarianism.

for September 23, The  
 should abstain from that  
 cause his brother to

One Another  
 one another whilst we  
 speak for a kind word  
 of those who are sitting  
 and making your own house  
 their deft fingers and their  
 —Joseph Parker.

Serving God  
 God just where you are,  
 you have, and nothing else,  
 nothing more; He will  
 more. It is yourself, in  
 position, wherever you are,  
 —Margaret Slattery.

Will Be Done  
 to do; to have, or not  
 to have; they only will  
 do; all my requests are  
 —Father, they will be  
 —Wesley.

## BUSINESS OF HIWAYS IN NEW MEXICO AS TOLD BY L. HAYSTEAD

The following excerpts from the "Business of Highways in New Mexico," was written by Ladd Haystead and published in the September issue of the Southern California Business:

Some 122,503 square miles of territory over which 380,000 people are scattered is a picture of New Mexico. The fourth largest state in the Union with little towns in every corner of it. Thirty per cent of this state is public land and therefore untaxable. Yet each group of people, each community, be it farming, grazing, manufacturing, must be served with some form of transportation facility with the outside world as well as with each other.

With such a large area, such a small population and so much untaxable land, New Mexico maintains and is constantly reaching out to take in more of the 10,000 miles which constitute the road-web of the state.

Two major arteries cross the state from east to west, the Santa Fe and the Southern Pacific, with a line connecting the two running from north to south down the Rio Grande valley. But the feeders of these two lines are not little branch lines as are found in the east. Rather, roads are the means by which the railroad can pick up its trade and traffic. Thus the condition of the roads, the contemplated building of roads, the type of road are major considerations in nearly every business deal.

The prosperity New Mexico is enjoying is largely due to the degree of excellence with which she has built her roads to date. The future is definitely dependent on them. She is dependent on them not only for business expansion but for her greatest need of all—people.

Last year a little over a quarter of a million foreign cars entered the state. They carried slightly over seven hundred thousand people. This number is increasing this year according to information gathered by the state highway department and camp ground proprietors. Over three of the major trunk lines of travel, highways 80, 85 and 86, seventy five per cent or more of the eastbound foreign motor cars were from California. Of the entire number which entered the state last year 17 per cent were from California.

Just as California frankly looks upon the visitors who enter the state as business assets, so does New Mexico. These people spent sixteen million dollars while they were here. Roads brought them, roads were their chief interest while here, roads were the interest of the merchants purveying to them.

Distributors thinking of serving New Mexicans may be assured of efficient transmission of goods over all the major roads of the state. Capital wishing to invest there in developing the stupendous resources of the state may do so with every surety of receiving a transportation outlet. Roads are built in New Mexico, not by the whim of a select group of citizens, but where the state as a whole may hope for the greatest return from the investment of the road.

It is possible that in years gone by, business has been lost to the state from lack of an improved highway system. It is possible that some readers of Southern California Business may have had cause to complain when traveling in this state. These complaints have themselves been turned to profit and the reasons largely eliminated. The future will witness their complete elimination as rapidly as funds will permit.

Prominent merchants in various towns have enthusiastically volunteered the information that their towns and businesses are growing with a lustiness that promises a brilliant future. Without exception they attribute the major cause of their growth to the coming of an improved highway.

### LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**

Department of the Interior  
 U. S. LAND OFFICE at Las Cruces, N. M., Sept. 12, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that Joe Newsom Barnhill, of Hagerman, N. M., who, on Feb. 21, 1924, made homestead entry, No. 028676, for E½, SW¼, sec. 25, E½, SE¼, sec. 26, T. 14-S., R. 28-E. and lots 1, 2, sec. 30, T. 14-S., R. 29-E., N. M. P. & Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Dan C. Savage, U. S. Commissioner, at Roswell, N. M., on the 27th day of October, 1928.

Claimant names as witnesses: John W. Vest, of Roswell, N. M., Dee Wheeler, Shorty Han, Robert Merrett, these of Hagerman, N. M. 41-5t. V. B. MAY, Register.

### NEW MEXICO SELLS BONDS

SANTA FE.—The state board of finance Tuesday accepted a bid with 6 per cent interest in letting \$500,000 worth of New Mexico State Highway road debentures.

The bid accepted was made jointly by the Detroit Security and Trust company; Boettcher and Company; Loughridge and company and Gray Emery and Vasconcellos of Denver, Colorado.

The firms will pay \$1,005.27 for each \$100 debenture. The letting Tuesday makes \$1,250,000 in debentures which have been let this year and completes the total of \$2,500,000 for roads authorized by the last legislature. The debentures will be redeemed from the state gasoline tax.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our friends and the good citizens of Hagerman for the many acts of kindness shown us when we lost all our household goods by fire. Your kindness will never be forgotten by us.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hardecastle  
 39-1tp

### WANT ADS PAY

### HORSE AND BUGGY STOLEN FROM MISSOURI NEGRESS

WARRENSBURG, Mo.—An entry on the police blotter here Monday recalled an earlier day in the annals of robbery. Molly Lillard, negro, reported theft of her horse and buggy, which she had left at a hitching post.

### WANT ADS PAY

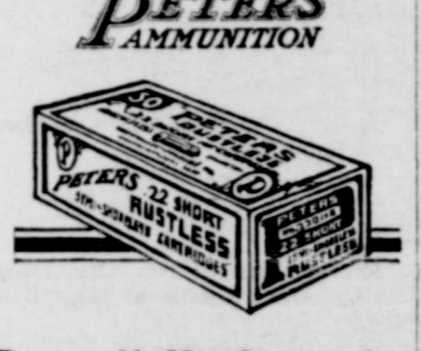
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*Rustless*  
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Make cleaning your rifle unnecessary

WITH Peters Rustless .22's you can shoot your rifle, pistol, or revolver as often as you like, never clean it, and still have it remain bright, clean, straight shooting as long as you use them exclusively.

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Roswell Hardware Co.  
 Roswell, N. M.

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IN TOWN AT THE  
**BIGGEST VALUES**

A complete and full line of Groceries—only the best of everything.

Also Full Stock of School Supplies  
**ONLY THE FRESHEST GOODS ARE SOLD HERE!**

## CARTER'S GROCERY

"Where Your Money Goes Fartherest"  
 ON THE CORNER—OPPOSITE BANK  
 Hagerman, New Mexico

## Winter is Coming

### Prepare for It

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

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

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

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

**BUILD OR REPAIR NOW!**

## Kemp Lumber Co.

All Kinds of Building Materials and Paints  
 Also Coal and Hardware  
 Hagerman, New Mexico

### JOB PRINTING AT THE MESSENGER

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FOR YOUR AUTO WINDOW OR DOOR

We Replace Auto Glass While You Wait!

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**Balance Easy**

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All Makes Repaired  
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## Typewriter & Store Equipment Co.

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### WEDDING INVITATIONS—THE MESSENGER

## Dine With Us--

When in Roswell dine with us. You'll like our food; you'll like our service—and you'll come again. We are also headquarters for delicious Candies and Ice Cream.

## NORTON'S

Roswell, New Mexico  
 ON THE CORNER—TRY OUR CURB SERVICE  
 When in Hagerman, go to Teed's Confectionery for Norton's Ice Cream

## Our Meats Are Tempting And Tasteful

We have only the best. Try us once and you will try us again. Service is our watchword—economy our standard—purity our motto. For the very best in meats at the very minimum in prices, come to our shop!

## Lawing's Market

ARTHUR LAWING, Prop.  
 LOCATED IN CARTER'S GROCERY  
 Wanted Poultry and Will Buy Good Fat Calves!

## PRINTING

When you need Printing of any kind, remember that we are headquarters for **QUALITY PRINTING**. We have the best job printing equipment in the Pecos Valley with which to serve you.

### Engraving—Lithographing

Anything you need in Engraving, Embossing, Lithographing and Offset work, can be furnished you at the right price. See our samples and get our prices before placing your order.

Our business is to supply your needs in anything in the Printing, Engraving, Embossing, Lithographing, Offset, Special or Stock Ruling, Loose Leaf Devices and Specialty Printing. Anything from a visiting card to a 500 page book can be turned out by us.

SEE OUR

## Christmas Card

SAMPLES AND PLACE YOUR ORDERS EARLY

## The Messenger

### DEMOCRATS NAME CANDIDATES FOR DISTRICT OFFICE

SANTA ROSA.—Democratic district conventions meeting here Monday during the political rally which formally inaugurated the democratic campaign in New Mexico, elected the following candidates to office.

C. M. Higgins of Las Vegas for district attorney of the fourth judicial district.

Benito Padilla of Guadalupe county for state senator from San Miguel and Guadalupe counties.

Albert Johnsen of Santa Rosa for the state house of representatives from San Miguel and Guadalupe counties.

Paul E. Metzloss of Mora for state senator from San Miguel and Mora counties.

### SOME AFFORD A DICTIONARY

Missionary (to cannibal)—What makes your chief so talkative?  
 Cannibal—Oh, he ate a couple of barbers this morning.—Pathfinder.

### Messenger Want Ads pay.

Messenger Want Ads pay.

The Modern Man Is Well Dressed



**PROPRIETARY PRIDE**  
(A WOMAN'S PREROGATIVE)

Whether Miss or Mrs. Connor, a woman who is interested in a man, is as interested in his good appearance as she is her own.  
Isn't that true Mr. Thomas?  
We're glad to have women help a man select his clothes here, because she is going to see that he gets what's right, both in style and quality. We respect her keen judgment of values, too.

Don't you think the above is a good picture of Bernice Barnett having his tie fixed?

**THE MODEL**

**SCHOOL NOTES**

Miss Snyder took charge of chapel services Tuesday morning. The program was opened by the school singing "America." Then a duet was given by Bernice Barnett and Kern Jacobs, entitled, "Get Out and Get Under the Moon." They were accompanied at the piano by Miss Snyder. The song was enjoyed by all and was so successfully rendered that the boys received an encore.

Then Mr. White gave a talk on "Why We are Having School." In the course of his talk he asked the question, "Why are We Coming to School?" He said that we are coming to school to master the fundamental processes of learning, to conquer the difficulties that arise while we are in school, and to be more useful men and women when we go out into every day life.

This land was once a barren plain, but men came here who knew how to develop it and realize something from it, and knew how to master the hardships that came to them. So must we master the trials that daily appear in our school work.

School is one place where we can fit ourselves to go out in the world and take our place there. If the school doesn't make us respect our parents, make better girls and boys of us, it is not doing what it should. The school should make better citizens of us. One element that is essential to produce real citizens, is good sportsmanship. A good sport is a good loser as well as a charitable winner.

Before we can attain the heights of our worthiest ambitions, we must overcome all obstacles that confront us in our daily work. We must understand ourselves and the world about us. We must master materials and forces of nature. We must train our hands, our heads and our hearts in order to control nature. Success in life is measured in terms of our ability ourselves and the things about us. A boy or girl who cannot control his conduct or his temper is hopeless.

YOU WILL enjoy the special music by the two artists at the Christian church next Sunday morning. Come 39-1tc

Traffic Cop:—"Don't you know you can't turn around in the middle of the block?"  
Mrs. Ormsbee: "Oh I think I can make it. Thank you so much."

**HALSEY TRIAL MAY COME TO END TODAY NEAL PROSECUTING**

The jury for the Halsey case which is being tried at Clovis was secured Monday and taking testimony was started in the afternoon. Practically a day was consumed in arguing whether or not the testimony of Zack Teal was admissible, according to Frank Seale, a witness who returned home yesterday. The defense attorneys took the position that this testimony was not admissible because the case was reversed by the state supreme court on a technicality in the Teal testimony. Judge Hatch, who is presiding at the trial ruled that the Teal testimony was admissible although read from the transcribed testimony as Teal was never located.

The case is expected to be finished today. Assistant District Attorney Neal of Carlsbad is representing the state.

—Artesia Advocate

**MRS. SLATER GIVEN SHOWER**

Mesdames A. L. VanArsdol and B. J. West were hostesses to about 50 ladies who gave a shower party for Mrs. J. H. Slater, a bride of four months, at the Methodist church last Tuesday afternoon.

Many beautiful and useful gifts were brought for Mrs. Slater, who unfortunately could not be present herself because of injuries received in a car accident Sunday night.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to these present and all compliment Mesdames VanArsdol and West highly as hostesses.

**DON'T SAY EVERYTHING**

is higher out here than back home. Interwoven Sox, Selz and W. L. Douglas Good Shoes are the Same Price here as in any town back east. Sold by Jay Duvall, back of the First National Bank, Roswell, 39-2tc.

In fattening turkeys for market an excellent plan is to begin about the first of October to feed night and morning, feeding just enough at a time so that the birds go away a little hungry, and gradually increase the quantity until they are given all they will clean up three times a day the week before marketing.

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

**New Chevrolets**  
CARLOAD JUST UNLOADED  
Come in and see the shipment of new Chevrolets received this week. They are beauties, and  
The Biggest Bargains In Motor Cars To Be Had  
If we haven't the model in stock that you want, we will get it.  
Let us demonstrate this car to you

**C. & C. GARAGE**  
Hagerman, N. M.

Messenger Want Ads pay.  
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**NATIONS BEST AUTHORS ARE FOR ALFRED SMITH**

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The nation's best authors have all gone "Al Smith." This fact became evident here Tuesday when the Democratic National committee made available the names of 147 of the best known men and women in the literary world who have banded themselves together in an authors committee and pledged themselves to write, speak and canvass personally for votes for the New York Governor. These 147 names were only a part of the men and women who have pledged to Smith, it was said. The list made public Tuesday, however, reads like a Who's Who of Authors and Playwrights.

Owen Johnson, the novelist, is chairman. The list of Smith supporters includes Ellery Sedgwick, editor of the Atlantic Monthly; Edgar Lee Masters, poet; Irvin Cobb; Prof. John Erskine; Channing Pollock; Lawrence Stallings, author of "What Price Glory;" Rupert Hughes, Sherwood Anderson and Dr. Robert Underwood Johnson.

George M. Cohen, Willard Mack, head the list of playwrights. Anita Loos, Ida M. Tarbell, Gertrude Atherton, Susan Glaspell, Sophia Irent Loeb, and Ann Nichols of "Abie's Irish Rose" fame, were among the women.

**LOCAL**

C. N. Moore is sporting a new Buick.

Rev. Wade, of Roswell, was in town Tuesday.

Jewel Davidson and Dad Gardner were in Roswell Tuesday.

S. G. Harris and J. L. Bible are both driving new Chevrolets.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Reavis and family visited friends at Hope Sunday.

Mrs. Fletcher Campbell and small son Gene, are on the sick list this week.

Mrs. D. A. Marrs, of Acalia, Texas, visited friends here over the week end.

J. T. West made a business trip to Pecos, Texas the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Daniel, of Sherman, Texas, are here looking for a location.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McKinstry have returned from a trip in Western New Mexico.

A number from this place attended the funeral of Dennis Lattion at Artesia Saturday.

Mrs. Stroud of Oklahoma City, is visiting her son, C. A. Stroud and family and daughter, Mrs. Jerry Starkey.

Rev. and Mrs. Bell went to Lovington Friday where they gave an entertainment at the high school building Friday night.

The work of remodeling the upstairs of the First National Bank is about completed and the apartments thus created are real neat.

The Young Men's class of the Presbyterian church had a supper at the Manse Tuesday night. A goodly crowd was present and all report a splendid time.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Collins are moving into apartments over the First National Bank. Mr. and Mrs. J. Vedder Brown will occupy the house vacated by them.

B. A. Martin showed us a vinegaron Wednesday that he had found in a drainage ditch near town. He was a tough looking customer, and though he was head over heels in a bottle of wood alcohol, didn't seem to mind it a bit.

In judging dairy heifers it is desirable to have in mind not only good looks based on general appearance and conformation, but also their possible development and their production when mature. The fact that animals change somewhat in many points of conformation from calf-hood to maturity makes the judging of heifers more difficult than that of cows. The outstanding points to be considered in judging heifers are length and depth of body, fullness of parrel and chest, and dairy temperament (that is, that quality which shows their tendency to convert feed into milk rather than into body fat and flesh). The development of the udder should be noted, but this point should not receive so much consideration as with cows in milk. Heifers should be large for their age and show vigor and a thrifty, growing condition, indicated by a sleek coat and a soft pliable skin.

**FILED FOR RECORD**

Warranty Deed:  
H. D. Rockwell and wife to Annie E. Titsworth \$10.00 Lots 4-5 Blk. 54 West Side Addition Roswell. Emma Olson, widow to John W. McClure \$65.00 Lot 4, Blk. 23, Riverside Heights Addition Roswell. L. B. Craig and wife to L. B. Craig, Jr. \$10.00 Lot 2, Blk. 39, South Roswell. Sherman W. Glass to Ward H. Glass \$200.00 S 1/2 31-14-25. A. C. Romero to Lionor Jurado \$25.00 pt. NE 1/4 NW 1/4 32-10-24. Lula Bivens and husband to Herman Miranda \$500.00 Lot 9, Blk. 9 Ovarids Addition Roswell. C. O. Harbert and wife to Charles L. Allison \$10.00 E. 50 feet of Lot 6 and E. 50 feet of S. 5, 39 feet of Lot 7 Blk. 3, Home Place Addition Roswell. J. R. Spence to John H. Hill \$10.00, undivided 1/4 interest in SE 1/4 NE 1/4 and NE 1/4 SE 1/4 26-15-25. William H. McCullough and wife to C. E. Read \$10.00 pt. of NE 1/4 NE 1/4 32-10-24. Mollie F. Lusk and husband to Jim C. Garrett \$10.00 Lot 3 in sec. 31-5-28. Rebecca A. Atkinson, widow to Henry Hoagland \$800.00 S 1/2 SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 3-11-24 except part deed for right of way. W. G. Cullen and wife et al to Jack Cantwell \$10.00 North 50 feet of Lot 4 Blk. 5, Riverside Addition Roswell. L. A. Jones and wife to Gerald Hunter \$10.00 pt. of N 1/2 SW 1/4 24-10-24. John R. Hadder and wife to A. P. Ruston \$10.00 pt. of Lots 3 and 4, sec. 4, twp. 12-25 40 acres. T. N. Burnett to Viola Burnett, his wife \$10.00 1/2 interest in Lot 10 Blk. 5 North Spring river. Lula M. Ferguson to T. N. and Viola Burnett \$10.00 Lots 1 and 2, except W. 80 feet in Blk. 6 Sparks Addition Roswell. C. M. Yater and wife to M. C. Martin \$10.00 Lots 9, 10, 11 and 12 Blk. 44 South Roswell. Luna C. Osburn and husband to H. A. Price \$10.00 Lot 14 Blk. 37 West Side Addition Roswell. Charles T. Davis and wife to Ellen Elizabeth Walker \$800.00 NE 1/4 and E 1/2 NW 1/4 20-12-19. Daniel B. Christy and wife to R. E. Boehms \$10.00 and exchange of land 600 acres of land in secs. 19-30-31 twp. 8-30. R. E. Boehms to P. A. Williams \$10.00 same land as last above described.

Quit Claim Deed:  
L. J. Paysinger to W. Q. Holland \$1.00 E 1/2 Lot 14 Blk. 20 Berrendo Irrigated Farms, with interest in well on Lot 32 said block. First National Bank of Roswell to H. H. Lewis and Margaret E. Lewis \$1.00 Lot 1, Blk. 1 Wildy's Addition to Roswell. Mrs. Christine Harris to B. F. Chisum \$300.00 SE 1/4 SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 10-11-24, also Lot 4 Blk. 9 Ovarids Addition Roswell.

District Court:  
Commercial Credit Co., vs. J. C. Rawlins, Suit to foreclose Chattel Mtg. Jewel W. Dungan vs. Chas. O. Dungan Divorce. Nellie M. Abbott vs. Ivan Abbott Divorce. Esther L. Chaves vs. Manuel H. Chaves Divorce. H. C. Conley vs. H. H. Davidson Suit for damages in amt \$8,500. Alice E. Wilburn, Administratrix of estate of C. P. Wilburn vs. Hugh Longwell and Will Longwell Suit on note of \$46.87. Gilliland Oil Co., vs. Hugh Burch Suit to Collect \$708.53. Fred Muller, Executor of Estate of Howard W. Moore vs. Rubie A. Moore, Petition for sale of property. State National Bank of El Paso vs. Edgar Watts Suit on judgment. Joseph Welland Wood vs. Dora Ellis Wood Divorce.

Patent:  
U. S. A. to Charles T. Davis N 1/2 Sec. 20-12-29.

**LOCAL PHYSICIAN IS ENTITLED TO PRIZE AS TO BEST POT SHOT**

Dr. E. E. Dickason, local medico, is entitled to whatever prize is given for being the best shot in this section; whether it be a cornob pipe, asbestos cigar, belt, suspenders or drinking gourd.

Week before last Doc. went hunting, fired ten shots and made ten kills, which is good marksmanship; but last Thursday he broke his own records by killing upward of 20 blackbirds at one shot—and that with a Chevrolet coupe.

Now this massacre came about in this wise: Doc was going down the highway at so many miles per hour (which is somewhat slow for a busy medico) when he ran into the birds while they were flying low, after a forced landing in a local air port where they had taken on a fresh supply of fuel. Said birds were again trying to get "altitude" in order to complete their cross continent flight when they ran ker-smack—head on into the doctors car and lost some twenty odd of their number.

Birds were scattered for a distance of 100 yards up the highway, and had Dr. Dickason stopped to pick them up he could easily have had "four and twenty blackbirds baked in a pie."

**IMMIGRATION FIGURES**

Immigration Figures.—The first month of the new fiscal year, starting July 1, 1928, saw a total of 36,658 aliens enter the United States. Only 20,682 of these were classified as immigrants, the remainder being tourists or other temporary visitors. During the same month 28,053 aliens left the United States, 20,249 being returning visitors or aliens going to some foreign country for a short stay, the other 7,804, classified as emigrants, having left to make their homes abroad again. While the admission in July were below the monthly average for the past fiscal year, the departures this month exceeded the average for that period.

**PAGE, LINE AND PARAGRAPH**

The most profitable age at which to slaughter hogs is usually between 8 and 12 months.

In preparing the seed bed for winter wheat following a cultivator crop such as soybeans or corn, there is considerable saving in labor if the ground is prepared by disking rather than plowing, specialists of the U. S. department of agriculture state.

The best quality of meat can be obtained from a hog that is in good flesh and in a thrifty condition. Overfinished hogs produce fatter hams, bacon and other cuts than the average family desires.

Control of the red-necked raspberry cane-borer, which occasionally causes injury to raspberry, blackberry, and dewberry crops in the eastern United States, can be accomplished by cutting out and burning infested canes in the fall or winter.

Fall-sown oats should follow crops that can be removed from the land in time to permit sowing in the early fall. Late seeding is one of the factors responsible for the low yield of fall-sown oats in the south, U. S. department of agriculture specialists believe.

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