



N. M. Demos Name Ticket Leaders In A Record Time

Many Nominations Made By Acclamation; H. R. Rodgers of Eddy Gets Place on Ticket; Start Campaign After Oct. 1.

COTTONWOOD ADJUDICATION CASE

Word has been received here that Judge Harry Owen of the 7th judicial district has set for trial the Cottonwood water adjudication case No. 5194, which is pending in the Eddy county district court for October 1st.

BRIEFS OF THE DEMO PLATFORM

A brief summary of the democratic platform adopted at Albuquerque: All departments of government should operate within their respective incomes.

CUTTING, DILLON AND J. MILLER WILL LEAD THE GOP CAMPAIGN

Working far into a new day yesterday the republicans in state convention at Santa Fe completed their party's ticket headed by Senator Bronson M. Cutting for the long term senate seat, and Jaffa Miller of Roswell for governor.

HAGERMAN MEN'S CLUB HOLDS REGULAR MEETING

The Men's club met on Tuesday evening at the hall and made plans to meet on the second and fourth Tuesday nights of each month.

GENERAL NEWS BRIEFS

Ten United States bombing planes visited Carlsbad Sunday en route from Kelly Field, San Antonio, Texas, to Fort Bliss, El Paso, going by the way of Fort Sill, Oklahoma. One or two of the bombers passed over Artesia.

J. MILES RE-ELECTED STATE CHAIRMAN OF DEMOS YESTERDAY

Final arrangements for campaign tours and details of the drive to be launched next month by the democrats in effort to return to power for a third term were all that remained last night following a short conference of candidates and party chieftains at Albuquerque yesterday.

ACKERMAN DENIED MONEY ON BOND PRINCIPAL

J. D. Ackerman of Colorado Springs, Colorado, principal holder of a large number of Carlsbad paving bonds, lost the first legal tilt in his effort to obtain payments of the principal of the bonds held by him.

WELL PLUGGING AT STANDSTILL

The well plugging operations in the artesian basin are practically at a standstill. Two crews, one working south of Dexter, and the Myron Bruning crew near Lake-wood, have encountered difficulties.

EXCERPTS FROM GOP PLATFORM

Briefs from the republican platform include: Approves government control of credit thru federal reserve as proposed by Cutting. Opposes reciprocal tariff bill, which permits president to regulate tariff rates.

OLD TIMERS PARADE FEATURE OF FAIR

ROSWELL, New Mexico—Some doubt is expressed in Roswell as to whether former Governor James F. Hinkle will accept the challenge to a foot race issued to him by Phil Helmig as a part of the Old Timers day program at the Eastern New Mexico State Fair which will be held in Roswell next week—October 3, 4, 5, 6.

TRAVEL ABOUT 250 DAILY

Travel to the Carlsbad Cavalry Camp is estimated to average daily during the first two days of September. The however, is still far from the corresponding period of the year.

LOCALS

Campbell Burrell spent a few days at home from the CCC camp at El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund McKinstry of Las Vegas arrived about midnight Saturday night for a short visit with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Heitman left on Saturday morning for Portales and spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Heitman, returning home Monday.

Arthur Lusk, brother of Alvin Lusk, arrived last week for a visit with his father and brothers.

Mrs. C. G. Mason left early Sunday morning in company with Mrs. Grace MacDonald Phillips for Santa Fe to attend the republican convention as delegates.

Little Betty Smith, five months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith, passed away on Wednesday evening of last week.

The luncheon committee of the Hagerman Thursday club met on Thursday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. Willis Pardee for a little "porch" social.

Mrs. O. J. Andrus was seventy-five years old last Sunday and to celebrate the occasion Mr. and Mrs. Dub Andrus, Mesdames Lizzie Rice and Perry Andrus motored to Lovington where they were met by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Youree of Brownfield.

The many friends of Miss Clyde Pearce will be interested to know that she made her A. B. degree the past summer and that she is teaching in the Melrose school this year.

LOCALS

William Jennings (Bill) Bryan of Carlsbad, age 21, with the Bryan grocery, died in a Carlsbad hospital Saturday night as a result of complications from a second operation.

Judge H. A. Kiker of Raton, keynote at the state democratic convention in Albuquerque Monday, said the political battle in New Mexico this year would rage around the sales tax.

Death list from the typhoon, which roared across Japan Friday, was placed at more than 1,670 with three hundred million dollars in property damage.

Rona Hanna, former secretary to two governors in New Mexico, Monday was named acting NRA compliance director for New Mexico succeeding J. J. Dempsey, who resigned.

Miss Hanna was secretary to Governors Hinkle and Hannett, and has been assistant to Dempsey since the NRA office was opened in Santa Fe.

The Bankhead cotton control act will not be suspended, Chester A. Davis, AAA administrator, said Monday after a conference with Secretary Wallace and several congressmen from the cotton states at Washington.

News comes from Harold Dye he has been called as pastor of the First Baptist church in Las Cruces. He has been serving the church for several months.

RED BLUFF SIDING BUILT

The Santa Fe railroad has completed building the siding on the Red Bluff dam site and the first car of lumber has been unloaded to start construction on the dam. Construction on the bunk houses will be started this week.

GALVESTON WINS PENNANT

SAN ANTONIO, Texas—The Galveston Buccaneers won the Texas League championship Monday night by beating San Antonio in the sixth game of the play-off, 9 to 2. The Bucs will play New Orleans in the Dixie series starting Wednesday at Galveston.

Thursday, September 27, 1934. Styles in Tailoring. COATS. Just arrived! \$9.95. Impossible to resist smart new arrivals... NEYO. THE FARMER. Tell you it's all right... HAVE YOU GAS. and economy without... WE'll have a Modern... Remember this special place your... SON.

Various notices and advertisements on the right margin of the page, including mentions of "The Messenger" and other local businesses.

FAMILY NEXT DOOR



Decision Reversed

The taxpayers must foot the bill for the billions being poured out of the federal treasury for relief of the needy and to pay people may soon be on the public payroll. At the present rate of increase, fifty percent of the people may soon be on the public payroll. Do you believe the remaining fifty percent can foot the payroll? We don't and furthermore what we need less of at this particular time is these half-cooked theories of these hair-brained politicians, who are not, only trying to get on the band wagon of the new deal, but go the new deal one better.

Loose Leaf Binders, Special Ruling and Stock Forms—The Messenger

Messenger Want Ads Get Results

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SAVE Grocery

D. C. CARVER Hagerman, N. M.

Man Keeps The Queen Inhabitants In State Of Fear

Man of the Guadalupe inhabitants of the country, in the state of fear welcome to try according to a Monday by Sheriff at Albuquerque. Sheriff to try it, Lin of Lakewood been in the Guadalupe building sheds for those fellows asked for them, as wild man in there their camps, also chickens, fruit, utensils, etc. jumped him three could hold him,

and shot at him five times one night." Eddy county officers searched unsuccessfully, Neatherlin stated. A man who got near the "wild man" as he was running away described him as between 23 and 30 years old, weighing about 170 pounds, and wearing long, black hair. He has been active for two or three months. His roaming ground is so rough and brushy that bloodhounds will be necessary to track him, Neatherlin declared. He sleeps in daytime and prowls at night. Herders report finding several places where he has camped, in inaccessible places where a man can hardly get about on horseback.

OLD AGE PENSIONS

The following is a letter received from Howard Russell of Hagerman, together with a letter received by Mr. Russell relative to old age pensions: The Messenger, City.

Enclosed find a letter from our old friends, Mr. T. B. Platt. Mr. Platt was probably more highly regarded in Hagerman than any other personage. He was for years a school director, postmaster, secretary of the Alfalfa Grower's Association, elected as Justice of Peace and prominent in all religious and industrial concerns.

The Townsend Old Age Pension does not appeal to me, but when such men as T. B. Platt, Will Robinson and many of our senators and congressmen take notice of it, I am inclined to think that the scheme may possibly be practical.

Yours truly, HOWARD RUSSELL.

812 N. Edinburg Ave., Hollywood, California, September 4, 1934.

Howard Russell, Hagerman, N. M. Dear Friend Howard:

I am writing you regarding an "old age pension plan," also enclosing some literature on the same. I want you to give your undivided attention and study it thoroughly, and if you see merit in it as a means of ending the depression, and bringing back prosperity to this nation, I am going to ask you to do some work in furthering the cause. It is non-political, non-sectarian and has nothing in view except to attain the end sought.

This plan originated at Long Beach early in the year 1934, and has already gotten the endorsement of California people 90%, and is now being worked in 44 states of the union.

When such men as the governor of Utah, governor of Colorado, Judge Ben Lindsey, Dr. Holmes and Dr. Dyer of Los Angeles can endorse it, it's worth your time and effort to give it a once-over.

Most candidates for Congress in California have endorsed it and all will before the fall election, or they won't be elected. This is a national issue and will be up before Congress and the national government for passage next January. There are 110 old age pensions to be presented to Congress at their next session, any one of them which does not carry the revolving plan will break the government inside a year.

Most bankers and money lenders are opposed to this plan which speaks well for it on the start. If you can see your way clear to join us in this movement, I can send you more literature, but all this literature costs money, of which I have little. The work connected with it consists of

circulating a petition to your congressman, forms of which I will send you on request. Petitions have already been signed to the number of 3,500,000. We expect to make this 50,000,000 before January 1st. Clubs are to be formed to the number of 50,000. Pasadena has now over 30 clubs. Pomona, San Bernardino, Santa Ana, and other towns are doing as well. About three weeks ago an organizer came to this locality. He has organized 7 clubs, and 28 more in the making. There are 13 district organizers working in Los Angeles. These men draw no salary, and often pay their own expenses. Six national organizers started east last week to spread the good news. Dr. Collier, a noted Methodist preacher, delivers a lecture each day on this subject at the California state building at the Chicago exposition. We started with less than 100 members. Today, two weeks later, we are nearing the 300 mark. To become a club in the national organization you must have 100 members. Dues are 1 cent per month payable in advance. No one receives any salary except two or three stenographers at \$10 per week. Membership keeps you in touch with the head office and gives you any technical information you may wish. In studying this plan, just forget about the pension, and the pensioner, but think of the merchant, the farmer, and the laborer. What would \$20,000 or \$30,000 do, turned loose in the Hagerman community each month; not to hoard, but to spend and circulate and go back to the pension fund to be returned again the following month.

This is the first scheme to end the depression that has appealed to me as workable. What do you think about it? Yours, T. B. PLATT.

TYPEWRITERS New, second hand and factory rebuilds in portables and standards—See us before you buy. Hagerman Messenger.

HEALTH COLUMN

Speak Out Man! "I do not sign my name here because I do not care to be a witness in the case." . . . So runs a letter addressed to one of my colleagues in the State Medical Association. He asserts that a certain unlicensed healer is pretending to cure sickness and is robbing people both of their money and of their chance to get proper medical advice.

There are such people. Sometimes a public spirited district attorney will prosecute one of them. For the defense it is said that this person gives his services for the sake of humanity, that he collects no fees but sometimes has accepted a free will offering. There will be plenty of his customers who know not the difference between post hoc and propter hoc and who will swear that they have received benefit. And when the district attorney calls for witnesses from among those who know that they have been defrauded there will be very few answering voices. Too many will not care to be called as witness.

One of the conditions of successful democracy is that there shall be in the hearts of the people governed a desire for social righteousness that is greater than the desire for personal gain or personal safety.

GOOD WELL ON GOLF COURSE

A good water well has been completed on the Artesia golf course, about two and a half miles west of town. Thirty-two feet of water is standing in the hole drilled to 110 feet.

TYPEWRITERS Portables and Standards \$20.00 to \$102.50 The Messenger

THE OIL ALLOCATION MEET IS TO BE HELD HERE ON OCTOBER 5

C. J. Dexter, New Mexico chairman, said yesterday arrangements were under way to hold the monthly oil production allocation meeting at Artesia on October 5th. J. W. Steel, with the United States Geological Survey, has been invited to attend. Dr. E. H. Wells of Socorro, state geologist and Frank Vesley, land commissioner of Santa Fe, are expected to attend. Prospects are that there will be little or no change in the present state allowance.

Calling Cards, 100 for \$1.75, on best grade paneled or plain stock.—The Messenger.

MARKETS

COTTON

Table with columns for Cotton prices (Open, Close) and various market options.

Comments: The movement bids fair to be more than usual, partly because of the 12c government payment, partly because we received and are making sales of cotton pressing obligations un-

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bankhead recently made that the prices of days sag during the season. Many people believe this. Yet the facts report the statement.

B. Cox, business rector of the University says: "During the nine to 1932 inclusive, those who sold their cotton four months of September, November and got considerably higher than they would have gotten other four months of the difference in actual sale price ranged from \$4.45 a bale and to this would be added carrying such as interest, insurance of from 8 to 10 each month or \$4.00 to a bale per year." On an for these nine years exception the man who ng the four active gin- ths was ahead about sale.

g announcements, printed ed.—The Messenger

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COTTONWOOD ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Funk motored to Roswell Monday.

Forrest Ayers of El Paso, Texas, was a guest of his uncle, W. H. Rambo, Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Williamson of Hagerman was a guest at the Rambo home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Malone, who spent a fortnight visiting in Kansas City, returned home last week.

The small son of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Parker who has been ill for the past two weeks is reported improving.

The Rev. John Klassen filled his regular appointment at the Cottonwood church Sunday and was a dinner guest at the home of Tom Terry.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Brundrett and family of Espulla and the G. Everett family of Artesia motored to Elk Sunday where they enjoyed the day picnicking. Miss Helen Vera Funk expects to return from Corpus Christi, Texas, soon and will be employed in the office of the Alfalfa Growers Association here.

The Cottonwood Woman's club will hold a meeting with Mrs. J. A. Reed October 11th. The regular meeting was postponed on account of the Eastern New Mexico Fair.

ROBBERS FAIL TO CRACK THEATER SAFE AT ARTESIA

Safe crackers, evidently pressed for time, failed in their efforts to knock the knob from the office safe of the Majestic Theater sometime Saturday night or Sunday morning. The robbers succeeded in knocking the knob and the safe combination, but were probably frightened away before completing the job. Tools secured from the machine operator's booth were used in trying to open the safe. Loose change in the amount of about \$30.00 was taken from the office.

—Artesia Advocate

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And we are expecting all our friends from Hagerman and Dexter to make our store your headquarters and meeting place. We'll be glad to have you—and anything we can do to make your visit a pleasant one will be our desire!

In our Booth at the Fair Grounds we will have the Coleman and Maytag factory men so if they can be of any assistance, don't fail to see them.



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Roswell

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Satisfaction Service

ON NOT RAISING HOGS

The statistical department of a Boston bond house is in receipt of the following letter from a Longmeadow, Massachusetts, resident which brings up the fascinating subject of the big profits that can be made from not raising hogs:

"Dear sirs:

E. C. Blank at Northampton has a friend who received a government check for \$1,000 this year for not raising hogs. So Blank now proposes to get a farm and go into the business of not raising hogs; says, in fact, not raising hogs appeals to him strongly.

Of course, he will need a hired man and that is where I come in. I write you as to your opinion of the best farm not to raise hogs on, the best strain of hogs not to raise, and how best to keep an inventory of the hogs you are not raising. Also, do you think capital would be provided by issuance of a non-hog-raising gold bond?

His friends who got the thousand dollars got it for not raising 500 hogs; now we figure we might easily not raise 1,500 or even 2,000 hogs, so you see the possible profits are only limited by the number of hogs we do not raise.

P. S. His friend who received the \$1,000 check has been hog raising for 40 years, and the most he ever made was \$400 a year. Kind of pathetic to think how he wasted his life raising hogs, when not raising them would have been so much more profitable."

(Signed) R. M. F. F."

EYES DO 30% MORE WORK THAN THEY DID A GENERATION AGO

Scientists tell us that we use our eyes on an average of 30 per cent more than we did a generation ago. Evenings of reading, bridge and other diversions have added almost a third to the day's work which our eyes were formerly called upon to do.

Scientists have also found that a large portion of the energy of the average person is consumed in SEEING.

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The Print of the Hand

By SIDNEY WALDO

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THE body lay close to the rows of corn, and the sheriff was bending over it. Then he straightened up slowly and turned to Will Grainger, the older of the murdered man's two nephews.

"You and Ruth and Tom Hathaway druv to church together in the car?"

"Yes."

"You left your brother, Dan, and your uncle at home here—arguin'."

"They stayed home. Yes."

"Arguin'!" the sheriff insisted. "That can't be covered up, Will. Plenty people heard 'em, hot at it, as they went by to church. The winders was open."

"Yes, they was arguin'."

"And you three come home from church separate?"

"Yes, separate."

For the first time the sheriff looked directly at Daniel. "And how about you, Dan?"

"We—got through arguin'; and I went for a walk in the woods."

The sheriff studied the lowered stubborn face of the twenty-year-old boy. Then he made a little gesture of distressed helplessness and began to lead the way toward the open shed door.

Once inside, the sheriff crossed the uneven plank floor to a broad wood-bench which ran along one side. Over part of the rough surface of the bench, smooth gray cardboard had been tacked. Cartridge boxes, powder cans, small tools and a set of scales were neatly arranged on this clean surface.

From his pocket the sheriff drew an empty brass shell. Taking a loaded cartridge from the nearest box, he compared the two. He did not make the obvious statement that the two matched.

Instead he turned to Tom Hathaway, the tall spare elderly hired man. "I reckon you knew the old miser, Tom, jest about as well as anybody livin'."

"I reckon," the other agreed.

"I guess there ain't hardly been one cussed meanness he's put on 'em you ain't known of, and tried to help 'em hear."

"I tried to help the boys just so far as I could, sheriff," was the calm reply.

"I tried to show 'em the way of patience," Tom went on. "Especially Dan and Ruth after they'd fell in love, and was crazy to marry."

"And, this morning," the sheriff suddenly broke in, "their uncle told the boys—because of hard times—he'd have to cut down their triffin' pay. When they knew he had plenty, and more, hoarded in the bank. Money they wanted, now. Needed, now. Money, Dan had to have, now. Ain't that what his uncle and him was arguin' over?"

"That can't be denied," Tom said at last, and his expression became deeply thoughtful. "My mind was running along them same lines, too, sheriff, as I sat in church. It seemed to me Dan and Ruth ought to have that money, some way. While they could still be young and happy with it."

"Sittin' there, I took a good look back over my own life—which all lies behind me now, any way you figure it, and it come to me how different things would of been, if I'd had any kind of a start. So, all in all, I couldn't hardly blame Dan for the stand he took."

And, once more, the sheriff broke in abruptly. "That's just the point, Tom. Just what I've been leadin' to. We all know you'd like to ease things for Dan. But here's where you weren't able to help any—and can't. Certain things the law says neither man nor boy can do. About your only way to help Dan now, is counsel him to come along with me, peaceably."

But Tom Hathaway merely looked at the sheriff in feigned surprise. "How so, sheriff?" he asked. "You appear to of forgot somethin'. We all come home from church, separate. We got here, separate, Dan's gun was here, for any of us to use. We all hated the old man equal. How's the law going to tell—which of us to take along?"

"Just this way," the sheriff declared, with forced patience. "The gun's been cleaned and oiled. There'll be no finger prints on it, likely. That, I grant you. But it's a long reach, over the bench, to put it back on them pegs. A man would do it with his right hand. His left, he'd put flat on the bench—palm down—to steady his weight on. His hand would of been oily. There on the cardboard, is a clean fresh print of a man's whole hand."

The tense silence that followed this announcement was short. Dan sent a swift startled glance at his brother. Then he urged sharply: "Quick, Will! Rip that cardboard off. He can't stop us. Chuck it in the stove. Then they never can tell which of us it was."

It was Tom Hathaway, however, who moved, stepping forward to stand beside the sheriff.

"No, Dan," he said. "The sheriff's right enough. Certain things neither boy nor man can do. Not without payin'. So leave the cardboard be. The print of the hand—is mine."

IN SOCIETY

By MRS. ETHEL M. MCKINSTRY
Phone 17

(Items for either this column or the calendar must be turned in by not later than Wednesday noon)

Social Calendar

The Happy Dozen club meets on Monday, October 1st, with Mrs. Bert Bailey in the afternoon.

The Young Woman's Guild meets on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. D. Devenport, with Mesdames Will Pilley and E. S. Bible of Dexter as hostesses.

Special "Promotion Day" program at Methodist church at 11 a. m. Sunday morning, September 30th.

The P. T. A. will meet on Tuesday afternoon, October 2nd, at the school auditorium.

PRESBYTERIANS HAVE CONFERENCE IN ARTESIA

Last Thursday an interesting conference for workers among children and youth in the Pecos valley Presbyterian churches was held at Artesia in the Presbyterian church there. The conference lasted all day from 10:30 in the morning until 5:00 o'clock in the evening. At the morning session, interesting and practical talks were made on various phases of the Sunday school teacher's great calling and of workers among young people. Among those taking part were Prof. W. E. Kerr of Artesia, Mrs. R. M. Thorne of Carlsbad, Mrs. T. D. Devenport of Hagerman, Mrs. W. W. Huntly of Roswell, and the Rev. J. G. Anderson of Dexter. The ladies of the Artesia church served lunch in the church parlors. At the afternoon session, the Rev. Leroy Thompson spoke for half an hour on the "Vision of the Task." A dedication service followed under the direction of the Rev. J. A. Hedges, leader of the conference. A half hour was devoted to a self-analysis using the standard B chart of the International Council of Religious Education. Mrs. Jim Michelet gave a reading, "O Friendly Pal." The conference closed with the Communion service, the Rev. A. G. Tozer of Carlsbad presiding. Mrs. Robt. Campsten was pianist for the conference. About 25 delegates attended from Roswell, Carlsbad, Dexter and Hagerman.

PARTY FOR MRS. FRANK PHILLIPS, RECENT BRIDE

Ladies of the Presbyterian church had a surprise party for Mrs. Frank Phillips (Miss Lucy Pettigrew) on Wednesday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. J. T. West.

The home was fragrant with autumn flowers, and a festive air prevailed among the guests. Games were played; one, an old one, called "blind man's buff" in which

the honoree, when blindfolded was led to a table laden with daintily wrapped and tied packages and best wishes from a host of friends. Mrs. Phillips as Miss Pettigrew was one of the best loved teachers in the Hagerman schools and this shower was a token of their esteem.

Cookies and tea were served to about twenty-six guests.

PICNIC GARDEN PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. West, Miss Sara Beth and Robert were hosts last Saturday night to a game supper which was cooked over a furnace in the back yard and served picnic fashion.

Present to enjoy the outing were: Messrs. and Mesdames Brennon Witt, Ernest Bowen, Cliff Hearn, Junior Bowen, Misses Robertson, Growden, Montcastle, Paddock, George, Seeley and the hosts.

The hours after the picnic were spent in a variety of games, auction and contract bridge, and a number of puzzles, each guest choosing his own game.

MRS. J. W. SLADE HONOREE AT SHOWER

Friends of Mrs. J. W. Slade surprised her on Wednesday night of last week with a birthday shower. They gathered at the Methodist church, about fifty-eight, and brought all kinds of good things to eat and other nice gifts.

BAPTIST ALL-DAY MEETING

The Baptist ladies held an all-day meeting last Wednesday at the church. At the evening prayer service the Y. W. A. girls put on a play entitled, "Not Exempt."

FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

The Methodist young people will hold their fifth Sunday meeting at the Hagerman Methodist church September 30th. The program will begin at 2:30 in the afternoon under the leadership of Miss Marion Key, president of the Hagerman league. Young people from Hope, Clovis, Artesia, Roswell, Carlsbad and Lake Arthur will be present. Everyone is invited. It will be well worth your time.

MABEL E. DOLLAHON,
Secretary.

Those from Hagerman who attended the Pecos Valley Presbyterian at an all-day meeting on Thursday of last week were: the Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Hedges, Mesdames T. D. Devenport, Jim Michelet, Hugo Jacobson, Robert Campsten. Mrs. A. A. McKintosh also spent the day in Artesia.

The annual State 4-H Club encampment will be held at State College the week of October 20th. Demonstrations and other educational work will be given the members while at the encampment. Outstanding teams and club members from each county will be taken by the various county agents. It is expected that four members will attend from Eddy county. These will be chosen at the meeting the 1st of October.

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THE NEWSPAPER ADS. BIG AID TO SUCCESS OF TRI STATE FAIR

AMARILLO, Texas—"The outstanding success of the 1934 Tri-State Fair, one of the greatest from every standpoint in the fair's history, is a great tribute to the efficiency and economy of newspaper advertising and publicity," said Wilbur C. Hawk, president of the exposition, at its close here. "Sixty newspapers in the great Tri-State territory each carried newspaper advertising for several weeks on the fair with exceptionally satisfying results."

Mr. Hawk declares that this year such forms of advertising as tire covers, window cards, road signs and expensive items were eliminated from the fair budget and the entire advertising expenditure placed with the newspapers of this territory.

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