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COLLEGE IS LOCATED

Rice Site on Southwest Edge of Town is Selected by the Locating Committee -- Starts With Nearly \$250,000

The committee, consisting of Rev. Cochran, the Presiding Elder, of El Paso, Rev. Wright of El Paso, and Rev. James of Albuquerque, which was appointed to locate the Methodist college, was here last Thursday looking over the sites offered and finally decided in favor of the Rice site, which lies just south of the west part of town. The committee stopped at Clovis and Portales as they came down the Valley but nowhere did they find a town and a location which pleased them as well as did Artesia. There were five locations offered, those besides the Rice place being: W. H. Morgan, J. B. Cecil, H. J. Garrard, and Dr. Rutherford.

It is expected that work will be commenced in the spring and the new institution will have plenty of money to back it so that when once started there will be no delay about finishing it. The Artesia and neighborhood donations will run close to \$50,000, in addition to which the Conference will endow the College with nearly \$200,000 making it a quarter of a million dollar institution to start with.

The effect of locating such a college as this will be already visible in the raise in prices in town lots, especially those lying near the site. The effect will be noticeable in farm values and increased population later, and we will have the satisfaction of knowing that the raise will be substantial and the new people will be of a class which is desirable in every respect, coming as they will to educate their children.

L. W. Foemster Resigns

L. W. Foemster, one of the best known well drillers in the Pecos Valley, resigned his position last week as head driller on the Mull rig. Mr. Foemster has been actively engaged in the well business for a number of years and at one time under his foremanship the boys on the Mull rig broke the Pecos Valley record for drilling a well. He has not yet made public his plans for the future, but we understand that he will remain in Artesia.

Choice No. 1 home-grown apples for winter use. Leave orders at Artesia Market. C. A. P. Land and Cattle Co. 4-1f.

C. W. B. M.

The quarterly meeting of the auxiliary to the Christian Woman's Board of Missions was held at the home of Mrs. D. L. Newkirk on Tuesday afternoon of this week. The members present were Mesdames Schwartz, White, Craven, Davis, Thomas, Mary White, Heath, Fatherree, Stout, Newkirk, Atkeson; Rev. Arthur Stout, Mrs. Kuyrkendall, Mrs. Hyllier, and Miss Vivian Newkirk were visitors.

The subject of study was Centennial Arms which as given by several of the members was very inspiring and a great impetus to larger things. Rev. Arthur Stout gave a splendid talk on, "What Does the Centennial Movement Celebrate?" The program was in charge of Mrs. White who proved a most efficient leader. After the lesson was finished delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Newkirk and Miss Vivian and a social time was passed until a late hour, all seemingly unwilling to depart, declaring it one of the most enjoyable meetings of the year. On Tuesday afternoon of next week the members of the auxiliary will meet Mrs. Ella Beck of Roswell at the home of Mrs. U. P. White.

John Hook Sells Out

John Hook announces that he has sold his dray business to McCree & McMahon who have taken charge this week. The new company is composed of two well known young men of Artesia and should get a fair share of the patronage. Mr. Hook will devote his entire time to the oil business in the future.

C. W. B. M. Day

C. W. B. M. Day will be observed at Christian Church Sunday Dec. 6.

Solo, Miss Wagner, "Somebody."

Illustrated sermons on Missions, by Pastor.

Solo, Mrs. Corbin, "Sunset in India."

Evening service will be in charge of local auxiliary.

Pres. Mrs. Cravens presiding. Duet, Miss Zook, Miss Ross, "If we send not the light."

Mrs. Beck of Roswell, Territorial Sec. will deliver an address.

Duet, Mrs. Corbin, Mrs. Atkeson, "Must I go empty handed."

All are cordially invited to be present at these services.

Mrs. Tuttle was visiting friends and shopping in Roswell yesterday.

NEW AUTO GARAGE

Schenck & McCreary Have Obtained Councils Permission to Erect a Large Building on Main St.

Murray Schenck informed a reporter of THE NEWS this morning that all of the Councilmen had given their informal consent to the erection of a large building, 50x75 feet, on the corner of Fifth and Main streets for the new auto garage and machine shop which Schenck & McCreary will put up at once. The firm will consist of Murray Schenck and J. B. McCreary.

The new shops will be built of corrugated iron and the building will add much to the appearance of east main street. On main street will be the office of the firm and just back of it will be located the garage. Back of the garage will come the machine shop, which will be refitted with a large amount of the necessary machinery for taking care of autos and the other work done by the company.

In addition to the regular line of work and materials, the company will handle auto supplies of every description, besides the famous line of Jackson cars. A shipment of these cars is now on the road from the factory and is expected to arrive in a short time.

Cup Goes to the Banks

Owing to the fact that THE NEWS was issued a day early last week, and everything was hurried, no mention was made of the Commercial Club meeting Monday night of last week. The meeting was called to discuss the proposed amendment to the Constitution, and a committee consisting of the President E. B. Kemp and two other gentlemen appointing by him are to draw up a new constitution and submit it to the Club later.

A motion was made that the Hearst trophy cup be displayed at the different business houses in Artesia in turn, but the motion was lost and was decided that it should be placed on display at the banks, two weeks at a time. The Bank of Artesia is to have the exhibit first after which it will go to the First National and then back again.

Final Proof Extension

The Department is now ready to receive application for extension of time in making final proofs on desert land entries.

The three annual proofs must have been made and an affidavit showing why entryman had not been able to make the required proof, corroborated by the affidavits of two competent witnesses, must be submitted.

D. L. NEWKIRK,

U. S. Commissioner.

Christian Church

Dec. 6, Bible school 9:45. The morning sermon will be of interest of the Woman's work. At the 7 p. m. service Mrs. Beck, of Roswell, will deliver the address. Everyone is invited to worship with us.

ARTHUR STROUT.

Pure Jersey Pigs for sale \$2 to \$30 each and 3 pair mares for \$100 to \$150 per head.

WM. E. CLARK.

6 miles north of Artesia.

Our Christmas Goods



Are on display and ready for inspection.

Our stock is complete and we ask all to COME EARLY

Pecos Valley Drug Company

Try the Mansion you will find it a first class hotel.

E. Ward left for Roswell yesterday morning.

Miss Berda Hicks, of Roswell is here this week visiting her brother, Prof. Hicks.

The snow and rain of last Saturday did great good and will no doubt result in much winter plowing being done.

Mrs. G. R. Fletcher went to Roswell yesterday morning to visit relatives.

Evidently the Artesia teachers must be some p-----, teachers, the Roswell Record devoting more space to them than to those coming from all the other sections represented. Another evidence that Artesia knows a good thing when it comes this way.

Artesia real estate is moving and preparation is being made for the construction of several residences.

Rev. Fowler was for several years a pastor in London. Hear him next Tuesday evening on the subject, "London."

J. W. Turknett returned last week from a long trip up in the mountains where he went to look after his sheep. He reports them doing well.

C. C. Burns, of the Artesia Auto Livery is carrying the mail to Hope this week in his new car. The big car of White & Haas is laid up for repairs.

Cemetery Association

The Cemetery Association will hold the regular monthly meeting Dec. 7, at which time the Constitution and By-Laws will be voted upon. All members are asked to be present.

Death of W. T. Lawson

The news reached Artesia this week that W. T. Lawson, formerly a well known Artesia man, had died at El Paso, Texas, Nov. 21. The news came through the El Paso Herald and the cause of his death was not stated. The remains were shipped to Washburn, Mo., and there interred in the family burial ground.

W. T. Lawson was the son of Wilk and Mahala Lawson and was born in Missouri, March 11, 1866.

He lived in southwest Missouri until after the death of his parents, when he moved to Texas, in 1900 with a sister, Mrs. Bettie Moore. In 1902 he came to the Pecos Valley and lived around Roswell and Ft. Sumner about a year, then moving to Hope where he lived with Z. T. Wood until 1904, in which year he came to Artesia and commenced work in the Artesia Machine Shop, then under the management of C. R. Echols. He lived here about two and one-half years and in July, 1907, was taken sick, leaving in November for El Paso, Texas. At El Paso he was some better and worked in a machine shop but he never fully regained his health.

Mr. Lawson became a member of the W. O. W. lodge about three years prior to his death and joined the M. B. A. in March of this year. He leaves two nephews at Hope, Finance and George Moore; two sisters in Missouri and one half-sister in Texas, besides many friends here and at other places who will sincerely regret his death. He was a true brother and friend always ready and willing to help those who were in distress. He was a true friend to the writer who knew him for six years. ***



Addington's Turkey Dinners

Are making a reputation for themselves here in Artesia. Everybody knows delicious taste of a fine young turkey when prepared by Addingtons cooks. Come and try it

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6th.

THE PRICE IS 25cts.

The place is Addington's



PECOS VALLEY NEWS

Entered at the Post-office Artesia, N. M. as Second Class matter, Oct. 7, 1906

D. L. NEWKIRK, Proprietor. J. F. NEWKIRK, Editor.

\$1.50 A YEAR

THE NEWS is not in favor of naming the new state "Lincoln." Not that there is anything in particular against honoring one of the greatest rulers this country has ever had, but for many years New Mexico has lived under its present name, and thrived, and the development of the country has in no way been affected because of the name.

The fertile valleys of New Mexico are known throughout the civilized world, but who would know the Pecos Valley of Lincoln? or the Rio Grande Valley of Lincoln? or any of the other famous farming regions of the Sunshine Territory? It is true that "New Mexico" has become significant of western ways and western men, and to some it means all the rosy-dreams connected with the undeveloped west, but a visit here forever dispels these ideas.

What citizen of the Bluegrass state would be in favor of changing its name simply because "Kentucky," to the uninformed, brings up visions of mountaineers and moonshine whiskey? Throughout her babyhood this Territory has been known as New Mexico, and that name has come to mean more to the homeseeker, the investor and the man seeking new life in a new country, than any other name could mean.

It means the lofty mountains, the mighty rivers, the rich, fertile valleys, the wealthy mining districts, the pure air and the blue skies of the Sunshine Territory. The very name, "New Mexico," embodies all these things, then why should we change it? If statehood is granted at the short session of Congress, let us take our place in the sisterhood under the same name which has made the Territory famous, New Mexico.

Territorial Engineer, Vernon L. Sullivan, has sent out an interesting and instructive pamphlet on "Articles on Irrigation" that should be read by every one who attempts to raise garden or farm products by that process. The work is contributions from the most advanced thinkers along this line

and the careful reading of the book will be a great help on the important subject. These articles were written in competition for the trophy which was won by Francis G. Tracy of Carlsbad. Copies of the Bulletin may be obtained by addressing the Territorial Engineer at Santa Fe.

J. A. GRAHAM, secretary of the Roswell Commercial Club, denies the statement accredited to him by the Ft. Worth papers and the generous people of Artesia have freely forgiven his part in the matter, holding him responsible only in that he was ever guilty of visiting Ft. Worth. But now, over his signature in last week's issue of the Register-Tribune appears this remarkable statement, "Roswell is the best town in the United States today." Well, Graham no doubt means well but his judgment is deplorable.

SOME one has stated that Mesilla valley votes could be purchased for two dollars per vote and the people of that vicinity are justly indignant because thereof. The Mesilla valley has kept step with the progress of other parts of the Territory and nowhere can votes be had at that low figure. The slanderer should be punished.

THE editor of this paper decided to spend Thanksgiving Day quietly in Roswell but when we arrived at the depot ready to take the train, there was the Concert band and a number of our most illustrious citizens prepared to accompany us on our trip. Such are the penalties of fame and you can't escape them.

NOVEMBER 18, 1906, occurred one of the heaviest snow storms in the history of the valley. Last year not a flake fell within the vicinity of Artesia, while this year a light fall of snow came November 28, melting soon after it reached the ground. It hardly pays to keep a cutter in the Pecos Valley.

MARY had a little lamb, And a little calf not stout; So she used the fleece of one To pad the other out. —Albuquerque Citizen.

And how did our esteemed contemporary find out all this. THE weather bureau has decided that the Clayton storm was not a tornado. What a consolation that must be to the inhabitants who escaped with their lives.

THE Lordsburg Liberal reports

that there has been trouble in the public schools of that place. No such reports are ever seen in the Artesia papers, its bad form.

It is to be hoped that Congress will not get tangled up over the name and forget to bestow upon us state rights. All honor to our Presidents, but just now the people of the Territory are entitled to consideration.

THE official count shows that Mr. Andrews won in the recent election by 338 votes. A little more hustling by Pecos Valley Democrats would have changed the result of the election.

Now if Carlsbad and Roswell will just manage to hold on to the coat tail of Artesia's progress, they will be pulled into the realm of prosperity. They are admonished to take firm grip.

GOV. A. B. CUMMINS, of Iowa, has been elected by the legislature of that state to succeed Senator William B. Allison who died a few weeks ago.

What are Your Boys and Girls Reading?

They are bound to read something. They will read trash unless you give them something better that is equally interesting. Try The Youth's Companion. There is plenty of adventure in the stories, and the heroes and heroines are of the real kind, finding in the line of duty opportunity for courage and unselfishness. More than 250 such stories will be published in the 52 issues of the new volume for 1909. There will be fully as many articles, sketches and reminiscences to impart useful information in the most agreeable way, familiarizing The Companion's readers with the best that is known and thought in the world.

Full illustrated announcement of The Companion for 1909 will be sent to any address free with sample copies of the paper.

The new subscriber who at once sends \$1.75 for 1909 (adding 50 cents for extra postage if he lives in Canada) will receive free all the remaining issues of 1908, besides the gift of The Companion's Calendar for 1909, entitled "In Grandmother's Garden," lithographed in 13 colors.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION, 14 Berkeley Street, Boston, Mass.

Public Sale

The undersigned will sell at his residence, five miles southeast of Dayton, N. M., on Wednesday, Dec. 16, 1908, the following described property:

- 1 wagon, plows, harrow, disc, good outfit of tools, work harness, hay and corn, eight head of mares, 5 milk cows, fresh in the spring, 16 head of young cattle, calves and yearlings, 7 head of hogs, one fine male, household goods and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms:—All sums under five dollars, cash. On amounts over \$5.00 a credit of six months will be given on notes with approved security. Discount of five per cent for cash.

T. G. NEW.

Closed on Sunday

On account of the cool weather we will not open our Markets on Sunday until further notice. We will keep open Saturday nights as long as trade demands.

Artesia Market, Fletcher's Market.

The finest present you can buy for a relative or friend is a Navajo Rug. For list of all grades and sizes, at reservation prices, address, Frank Staplin, wholesaler and retailer, Farmington, New Mexico.

The STONE and CLUB STABLE'S. PHONES 31 and 71. Fine Carriages, Good Driving and Saddle Horses, Reasonable Prices and Prompt Service. YOUR PATRONAGE SOLICITED. HORSES BOUGHT AND SOLD. Christopher & Crouch.

Why buy A Piano From traveling Agents? When you can buy cheaper and yourself by dealing with your home dealer. We have dealt at Roswell and here for the last FIVE YEARS. Do not buy elsewhere until you give us a chance to prove to you that We can save you money. Terms to suit our customers. Cash or instalments. Phone us at our expense or drop us a card if we should not be in Artesia, and we can see you the next day. Piano on exhibition at Ullery Furniture Co.'s store, Artesia. BERNARD POSIANO CO.

HAVE AN ARTESIAN WELL? If you are contemplating improving your land have SPERRY & LUKINS drill you a well so as to get some good oil this fall. Their prices are the lowest of any in the Valley.

The Pecos Valley Nursery & Orchard Co. Nursery at Artesia, N. M. (Office first door east of Joyce-Fruit Co. store) Offers for sale for fall of 1908 and spring of 1909, a complete line of all leading commercial sorts of apples, standard and dwarf pears, peaches, cherries, apricots, &c. Thirty years experience in producing nursery stock by our foreman, Mr. J. F. Bowman, enables us to grow and furnish trees that will give entire satisfaction to the planter of commercial orchards. Come and see us or send list of your requirements. Prices consistent with quality of stock.

Pecos Valley House M. S. LEE, PROP. UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT. ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO.

Up The Chimney is Where Half Your Fuel Money Goes. You Can Save \$100 to \$300 in The Next Three to Five Years. Cole's Original Hot Blast Stove. Ullery Furniture Company

No. 7043
Report of the Condition of
 The First National Bank at Artesia,
 in the Territory of New Mexico, at
 the close of business, Nov. 27, 1908.

RESOURCES	DOLLARS
Loans and Discounts	75,502.69
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,238.85
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	25,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	1,357.89
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	7,731.41
Due from other National Banks (not reserve agents)	41,083.61
Due from State Banks and Bankers	3,026.90
Due from approved reserve agents	5,030.99
Checks and other cash items	697.60
Notes of other National Banks	295.00
Fractional paper currency, nickles and cents	260.32
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie	4,919.50
Legal tender notes	2,259.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	1,250.00
TOTAL	169,633.76
LIABILITIES	DOLLARS
Capital stock paid in	25,000.00
Surplus fund	5,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	10,775.00
National Bank notes outstanding	25,000.00
Due to other National Banks	7,198.82
Individual deposits subject to check	68,049.77
Time certificates of deposit	1,759.17
Cashier's checks outstanding	26,851.00
TOTAL	169,633.76

Territory of New Mexico, County of Eddy, ss:
 I, A. C. Keimath, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 A. C. KEIMATH, Cashier.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of Dec., 1908.
 Edward Frazier Phillips, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
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 enjoyment can be had by a trial of this market.
 The choicest meat and poultry are offered you at prices you usually have to pay for the ordinary kind. The greater pleasure you will have in eating ours would make you very willing to pay more than we ask. Once you taste our meats and poultry you'll not care for any less choice. Want us to prove it?
 Choice cranberries and celery, too.
Artesia Market
 Phone 8.

Talk of the Town

For Dr. Dunaway phone 28.
 Kirt Muncy was in from Hope, Monday.

The shipment of Jackson Automobiles for the Artesia Machine shop, has been on the road several days and is expected to arrive here soon.

H. G. Gray won the suit at D. L. Looney's drawing, last Saturday night.

The new addition to J. C. Patrick's residence, in the south part of town is nearing completion.

Pure Jersey Pigs for sale \$2 to \$30 each and 3 pair mares for \$100 to \$150 per head.

Wm. E. Clark, 6 miles north of Artesia.

O. H. Ragsdale was in Roswell Tuesday.

Mrs. C. J. Callans is selling everything in the millinery line at 50c on the dollar.

Miss Cora Rice returned home last week after an extended visit with friends and relatives in the neighborhood of Wichita, Kansas.

Mrs. Will Watkins is in Hagerman visiting her parents while Will is over in Texas visiting relatives.

Mrs. E. E. McNatt was in Roswell last week on a visit, and to doctor up E. E. after his encounter with the goat.

Rev. Stout returned Friday night from St. Vrain bringing Mrs. Stout with him. She has been there for some time visiting her parents.

Choice No. 1 home-grown apples for winter use. Leave orders at Artesia Market. C. A. P. Land and Cattle Co. 4-1f.

The regulars in a manner wiped out the disgrace of a former defeat by beating the kids 14 to 7 Thanksgiving afternoon. The proceeds of the game was turned over to the Artesia Library.

E. B. and W. L. Kemp spent Thanksgiving day in Roswell, the guest of R. H. Kemp and family.

J. R. Blair spent most of last week at Malaga where he went to adjust some matter connected with the management of his farm at that place. He returned to Artesia Saturday.

Artesia has just installed and started an alfalfa mill. That little town of Artesia is getting over into the spot light and is not doing it by sitting still either. Those fellows are hustling.—Alamogordo News.

T. G. New was up from Dayton Friday arranging for his public sale which is to take place December 16.

John Montgomery was in town the fore part of the week.

The first number on the High School Lecture Course next Tuesday, Dec. 8. Rev. Fowler on the subject "London."

L. C. Robinson is back at his old place in the City Drug store this week.

Ed Terwilliger spent Thursday and Friday of last week in Roswell visiting friends.

Atch Kuyrkendall and Paul Whitted are in the mountains this week, in pursuit of the festive bruin. No shots have been heard from that direction since they left, so we suppose hunting is nothing extra.

W. F. Schwartz, formerly with Joyce-Fruit Company, began work in his new position with E. S. Howell Tuesday.

Some of his friends are beginning to talk of Jim Conner for Constable at the election next

Spring. There will probably be nearly as many candidates for the office this time as at the last election.

Ed Tyson spent last Thursday in Roswell.

Prof. C. M. Botts was over from Hope Saturday.

Read the ad of the Artesia Nursery in another column and then go and examine the stock before purchasing. Buy acclimated trees.

James D. Whelan spent Thanksgiving in Roswell, the guest of Will Robinson and family.

H. A. Porter visited friends in Roswell last Thursday.

Judge Pope imposed a fine of \$200, and cost and a jail sentence for three months upon W. E. Washington for carrying concealed weapons. The jail sentence was suspended. The way of the gun toter is hard when that way leads before Judge Pope.

Rev. Fowler, Pastor of the Christian Church in Roswell will give his popular lecture "London" next Tuesday evening for benefit of the High School.

J. W. Turkniet was looking after business interests in Roswell yesterday.

Prof. H. E. Wathen came up Thursday morning from Malaga to spend Thanksgiving with home folks. Mr. Wathen went on to Roswell Friday to take in the Pecos Valley Teachers Association.

The big Oldsmobile of the Artesia Auto Livery came in last week and is one of the finest cars in this section of the country.

Dr. Finis L. Anderson and family returned to the north last week. The Doctor has purchased a business in Nevada, Mo.

Mrs. W. F. Brown left Tuesday morning for Nampa, Idaho.

John Gage, Laurence Lockney, Rufus Scott and Frank Newkirk did not return with the Artesia delegation Roswell Thursday night, but stayed over to take in the big show.

Mrs. August Strauss and Miss Manley spent Thanksgiving in Roswell.

A number of our townspeople entertained friends for dinner on Thanksgiving day. Turkey and cranberry sauce were in order.

Ladies Bazar
 On the Christian church, the ladies say,
 There are goodly dollars yet to pay,
 And hoping thus to pay their share,
 Have planned to hold a two days Fair.
 A worthy cause none will deny,
 And all are asked to come and buy,
 December the 10th, the opening day,
 A chicken pie dinner will hold full sway,
 They will serve you with "trimmings" of sauce and tart
 As the surest roud to the human heart.
 On this day, and on Friday, too,
 They cordially ask you to come and view
 The booths, adorned with countless things,
 From hat-pin holders to towel-rings;
 There'll be trays, and cushions, and 'kerchiefs and covers,
 And boxes of sweets, so attractive to lovers;
 And their dainty aprons and pillows and ties
 Will lighten the pocket and gladden the eyes.
 Oh, merry your Christmas tide!
 Sweeter by far
 If you purchase your gifts from the Ladies' Bazar.

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 Leave Roswell at 1 p. m. Leave Torrance on the arrival of the El Paso train line at 2 a. m. Return time between the two points, 5 hours. Make a round at Camp Needmore free of charge. Saving passages for El Paso and Santa Fe and towns in one way part of the territory 24 to 42 hours.
 AGENTS FOR THE BUICK AUTOMOBILES. Garage and Repairing.
 Special cars by Torrance or return furnished by addressing the company two days in advance.
ROSWELL, - - NEW MEXICO

Up and Down
The Pea Vine

It was reported in Artesia that Hope had three inches of snow Saturday.

The Eddy County Drug Company, of Carlsbad, will open a branch store at Knowles, which will be in charge of Dr. Harry W. Sellers.

The Lake Arthur Basket ball team defeated the Roswell girls Thanksgiving day by a score of 27 to nothing. The same day the Agricultural College defeated the Military kids at football, and out of respect to the Artesia boys who are attending that school we refuse to give the score.

A committee is at work in Roswell getting up funds for an armory at that place.

Monday evening there arrived in Carlsbad three young men all the way from Finland in Northern Europe. They are two brothers and a cousin of Edward Kangasniemi, who has for the past two or three years been in the employ of Mrs. Percy Pyne Lewis at Hagerman Heights. Their names are Eelis and Henry Kangasniemi and Emil Wuorinen. They will be employed by the Buckeye Sheep Co. to herd sheep but look almost too intelligent for the job, being well dressed and well educated and the last of all men that a sheep man would expect to herd. They sailed from Hongo, Finland, Oct. 21 and have been on the way ever since.—Current.

Governor Curry and several other Territorial notables spent Thanksgiving day in Roswell. Friday Governor Curry left for Washington to work for statehood at the short session of Congress.

The case of the Territory vs. M. A. Otero, charged with giving liquor to students, came up in the district court at Roswell last week, and the defendant was granted a change of venue to Otero County, in the Sixth judicial district. The case will come up for trial next March.

Portales was still hoping for the college when the locating committee passed through.

Lee Turknott, of Artesia, brought his grinding machinery down Monday, and is turning out a fine lot of feed for W. F. Daugherty.—Echo.

It is reported that work on the Antelope reservoir will be recommenced soon and pushed to completion.

Some gentlemen in Roswell is advertising a ticket for sale, to northern points. Judge Pope'll get him if he don't look out.

A headline in the Malaga News announces that Malaga will be the future railroad town of the Pecos Valley. The new editor is an optimistic sort of a cuss all right.

Governor Curry has appointed E. C. Cook, of Lakewood, Notary Public.

According to the Lake Arthur Times, a Mr. Walton of that place butchered a hog last week which weighed 742 pounds. It was a shame to kill such an animal as that. He should have been kept to advertise the country.

On Thanksgiving day Mrs. Nellie G. Ullery and Miss Jimmie Ullery, mother and sister of Clarence Ullery, were driving the young filly belonging to Miss Ullery. They had been

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driving the horse ever since she was broken to drive. They had raised her she was a family pet, and had never attempted to run before, being considered perfectly safe. At the corner of Mr. Hardwicke's house, she turned sharp, and ran into the crossing, throwing the two ladies out of and under the buggy. Mrs. Ullery was rendered unconscious and is still so. Mrs. Ullery was taken into the Hardwicke home, whence she was taken home, at the corner of Kentucky and 4th St., where neighbors are rendering all needed aid. Miss Ullery was badly cut up, but was cool and collected, paying no attention to her own injuries, but trying to aid her mother. Mrs. Ullery's worst injuries are a badly sprained right arm, a bad nervous shock, and rather badly bruised up. She is not yet considered out of danger.—Roswell Democrat.

Henry Crawford is wearing a bruised face these days, the result of a runaway, which occurred Tuesday night, when he was returning with a load of men folks who had been to the dance

at W. A. Fry's "claim home," east of town. Out by the tank the horses took fright just as they were crossing a washed out gulch and the whole party was tumbled "helter skelter." The fellow of the party who has no bruise to show since the affair happened is not an eligible to recognition in 'sidewalk society.'—Kenna Record.

The marriage of George Bruce, the popular contractor and builder, and Mrs. Belle Wheat occurred last night at the Baptist parsonage, Rev. S. R. Wood officiating. They have the earnest and heartfelt best wishes of many friends for their future prosperity and happiness.—Current.

Col. H. D. Records, a wealthy man from Kiowa, Kansas, was down last week and viewed the valley. He ate plenty of juicy apples raised on the Malaga townsite and then purchased a forty acre tract paying \$35 per acre. He also purchased Malaga property and was the first man to subscribe to the News. He says the valley land will rapidly grow in price for the soil is

so rich.—Malaga News.

W. E. Washington is having two large cement reservoirs put in on his place south of Lake Arthur, also about 100 feet of cement ditches.

The fertilizer factory at Carlsbad, which is supplied from the Bat Caves west of that place, has resumed operations and is turning out ten tons of high class fertilizer a day. It is estimated that the Caves contain about 40,000 tons of guano.

Raised a Row

About ten days ago, Geo. Bryan came into the Messenger office and gave us a dollar for the Messenger for a year, and just because we did not give him a two column write up for this great generous act on his part he blows in on us and threatens to put us in dream land and throw our little old junk shop out in the street. We know that we have done George a great injustice in letting such a great event as this slip by unnoticed but then we all make mistakes sometime during our life. Every body that knows George

knows that this is the first time in his whole life that he ever donated anything toward supporting a newspaper so we will let it pass this time without saying any more about it, knowing that he perhaps will never do the like again.—Messenger.

Tracy Wins the Prize

Santa Fe, N. M., Nov. 26.—The judges in the contest organized by Territorial Engineer Sullivan have given their decision, and awarded the silver cup offered by Mr. Sullivan for the best article dealing with irrigation. Mr. Tracy won the cup over a large number of contestants, and all the articles written for the contest were so good that the judges had a hard time to decide the prize winner. The contest aroused a great deal of interest and many papers were submitted by farmers and others interested in the subject.—Citizen.

For Sale.—Almost new 1908 model coaster brake bicycle. Two miles south town. D. T. Bash.

Notice of Publication

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
Nov. 16, 1908.
Notice is hereby given that Frank Luthy, of Hope, New Mexico, who, on May 1, 1906, made Homestead, No. 7784, Serial, for S 1-2 SE 1-4, Section 34, Town 16 S., Range 21 E., New Mexico Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before D. L. Newkirk, a United States Commissioner, at his office at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 26th day of December, 1908.
Claimant names as witnesses: Leander S. Wright, James R. Cannon, Noel L. Johnson, Dee Swift, all of Hope, New Mexico.

T. C. TILLOTSON,
Register.

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Notice of Publication

Serial No. 05205.
Department of the Interior,
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
November 20, 1908.
Notice is hereby given that Arthur C. Keinath of Artesia, County of Eddy, Territory of New Mexico, has filed his application Serial No. 05205 to enter under the provisions of Section 2306-07 of the Revised Statutes of the United States Lot 5, Sec. 3 and Lot 8, Section 4, Twp. 16 S. of Range 26 E. New Mexico Principal Meridian.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the land described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason to its disposal to the applicant should file their affidavits of protest on or before Dec. 21, 1908.

T. C. TILLOTSON,
Register.

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Notice of Publication

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
November 19, 1908.
Notice is hereby given that Harry I. Bloomfield, of Artesia, N. M., who, on Jan. 12, 1906, made Homestead entry, No. 6616, serial No. 03944, for N. W. 1-4 Section 5, Township 18 S., Range 26 E. N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before D. L. Newkirk, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 6th day of January, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: William Randall, Edward M. Wingfield, J. K. Hastie, J. N. Conn, all of Artesia, N. M.

T. C. TILLOTSON,
Register.

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Notice of Publication

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
November 20, 1908.
Notice is hereby given that Clint D. Harling, of Artesia New Mexico, who on November 10, 1903, made Homestead entry, No. 4726, Serial No. 04217, for E. 1-2 NE 1-4, Sec. 1, T. 17 S., R. 25 E. and N. 1-2 NW 1-4 Section 6, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before D. L. Newkirk, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Artesia N. M., on the 7th day of January, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ralph D. Ferson, J. D. Henderson, H. J. Allison, D. D. Temple, all of Artesia, N. M.

T. C. TILLOTSON,
Register.

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Notice of Publication

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,
July 18, 1908.
Notice is hereby given that John K. Hastie, of Artesia, N. M., who, on March 5, 1903, made Homestead Entry, No. 3816, Serial No. 0929, for Lot 3, SE 1-4 NW 1-4 and E. 1-2 SW 1-4 Sec. 1, Township 18 S., Range 26 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to land above described, before D. L. Newkirk, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. M., on the 12th day of January, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ed Wingfield, Arthur B. Hastie, J. O. Gifford, Frank Weig, all of Artesia, N. M.

T. C. TILLOTSON,
Register.

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Prices Reasonable

I am now prepared to do your auctioneering. Give me a trial.
W. B. Putnam,
Artesia, N. M.

THE ELKS AT ROSWELL

Artesia Delegation Carried the Artesia Band Along and Stirred Up the Old Burg

A little band of Elks-to-be journeyed to Roswell last Thursday morning, in charge of the real Elks, J. M. Conn and F. J. Short, and when they returned home Thursday night, tired and glad from playing with the goat, they at least had the satisfaction of knowing that they were fullfledged Elks and all were anxiously feeling of their heads to see if the horns had begun to sprout.

Jo Jacobson, Ira P. Kunz, J. J. Clark, Dean Samson, O. J. Adams, G. U. McGray, E. S. Howell, A. C. Keinath, J. J. Sullivan, V. E. Fatherree, H. H. Hess and E. E. McNatt made up the crowd to be worked on, Hart Crouch and H. G. Gray not being able to get away on that date. These two gentlemen will be initiated later, when another crowd is made up from Artesia. All the candidates wore tall hats, with "Hello, Bill, I'm from Artesia" inscribed thereon, and all carried banners with inscriptions which were intended to wake staid old Roswell up. J. M. Conn, who led the procession from the train to the Elk's hall, wore a full set of antlers. The music for the occasion was furnished by the Artesia Concert Band, which also gave a concert in the park later in the day. The boys covered themselves with glory on the trip.

The work of getting so many good fellows into the lodge took until about two o'clock, after which the visitors were revived and fed at the Gilkeson hotel.

Spencer's Cattle Sold

F. M. Spencer has decided to go out of the cattle business, and last week sold all of his stock to Roswell parties. The cattle brought a good price, \$7.00 per head for calves and \$14.00 for the older stock. The Spencer ranch, northwest of town, has been leased for a term of five years.

Farmers Institute

After skipping several months during the busy season, the Farmers Institute is going to meet again on the first Saturday in December and take up the work. One of the most interesting features of the meeting will be E. J. Peemster's talk on Pecos Valley competing with the world and other discussions. All old members and new ones are cordially invited to attend.

Don't forget the date Dec. 5th at 2:30 p. m., at Commercial Club room.

W. M. Walterschied,
President.

Hear Rev. Fowler on the subject "London."

Notice of Publication

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,
July 21, 1908.
Notice is hereby given that Walter S. Baker, of Hope, N. M., who, on March 4, 1903, made Homestead Entry, No. 3803, Serial No. 01113, for Northwest Quarter, Section 18, Township 17 S., Range 23 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before D. L. Newkirk, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. M., on the 14th day of January, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Noel L. Johnson, Lucius Johnson, George Sansom, Jackson Parr, all of Hope, N. M.

T. C. TILLOTSON,
Register.

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New Mexico Realty Syndicate

The New Mexico Realty Syndicate, which has lately established a local office in Artesia, is well worthy careful consideration. It is organized under the laws of the Territory and offers rare opportunity for the accumulation of a sum of money which later on, might enable one to engage in some enterprise that would otherwise be beyond his reach.

A one thousand dollar bond requires the payment of but six dollars monthly and matures in 84 months, or seven years. After twelve payments have been made, the holder may miss six payments at a time without in anyway effecting the contract and at the end of the third year he may surrender his bond, receiving the book value of it at that time. After having paid twenty-four payments, one may borrow ninety per cent of the book value of the bond.

Investigate this matter, buy a bond and in seven years you will have a neat little lump of money and will never have missed the small payments. Unlike the life insurance business, you do not have to die to complete the contract.

D. L. NEWKIRK,
Agent.

A Thanksgiving Wedding

C. C. Gist of the Artesia Market and Miss Missouri Garret stole a march on their friends by d-iving to Carlsbad Thanksgiving day and getting married.

The wedding took place at the Baptist parsonage Thursday afternoon. The News joins their many friends in extending congratulations.

MALAGA

An emigrant car came in Tuesday for C. E. Foster.

R. A. Montgomery has had his new residence painted.

Prof. H. E. Wathen attended the Pecos Valley Teachers Association at Roswell last week returning to Malaga Monday.

The hard winds last week came near collapsing the new hotel under construction.

Edward Knowles and Miss Minnie Weaver were married on the 25th at the home of the bride near Otis, by Rev. Carpenter of this place.

The first edition of the Malaga News was printed last week.

Rev. Carpenter held fifth Sunday services here last Sunday.

Dr. Mitchell was called one day last week to see John Alden east of town, who was dangerously ill with tuberculosis. Medical treatment had but temporary effect as he was so low he succumbed to the dreaded disease on Saturday. He was sent back to his relatives in Kansas.

A good shower was received here Saturday. This was very gladly received as the roads were very dusty before.

J. I. Penny, A. A. Beeman, C. E. Little and their families, all of Carlsbad, spent Thanksgiving with C. W. Beeman.

John Moore of Carlsbad came down last week to install a phone in the Malaga News office for the Public Utilities Company. He was nursing a fractured arm caused by a fall a short time ago.

Dickens Brothers are putting the first coat of paint on the new hotel.

LORENZO.

Notice to Real Estate Men

That all land owned by N. J. Maddox and P. A. Johnson is withdrawn from the market.

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Department of the Interior,
United States Land Office,
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November 20, 1908.
Notice is hereby given that Arthur C. Keinath of Artesia, County of Eddy, Territory of New Mexico, has filed his application Serial No. 05204 to enter under the provisions of Section 2306-07 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, Lots 7 and 8, Section 3, Twp. 16 S., Range 26 E. New Mexico Principal Meridian.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the land described, or desiring to object because of the Mineral Character of the land, or for any other reason to its disposal to applicant should file their affidavits of protest on or before Dec. 21, 1908.

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Talk of the Town

New sauer kraut. Artesia Market.

J. H. Mook was a Roswell visitor Tuesday.

E. F. Hardwick was down from Roswell this week on a business trip.

Candies! Candies! Candies! Howell's. Howell's.

It is reported that the council has ordered the Fireboys money paid back to them.

Arthur Williamson and Miss Abbie Blakesley spent Thanksgiving in Roswell.

Famous Berwick Bay oysters. Artesia Market.

John R. Hodges, of Lake Arthur was down last week looking after his business interests.

As soon as dry enough after the rain, the streets were smoothed down with a drag, a commendable action on the part of the street commissioners.

Prof. Bishop, Superintendent of the Artesia schools has been elected President of the Pecos Valley Teachers Association for the ensuing year.

Found 2 doors east Father-Enfield Hardware store a small but up-to-date jewelry store. Call and be convinced.

Wm. Dooley and H. L. Muncy returned yesterday from Carlsbad, where they have been looking after some land deals.

Twenty inches of snow is reported to have fallen at Trinidad November 29. The northern part of the Territory is covered with a deep snow.

Sweet spiced pickles. Artesia Market.

Dr. Inman reports a newly arrived Republican at the home of Mr. Yaeger. The young man put in a appearance Thanksgiving day and will probably answer to the name of William Howard.

Mrs. O. J. Adams accompanied O. J. to Roswell last Thursday when he was initiated into the Elks lodge.

FOR SALE.—Good buggy or work horse, good size, in good condition. \$75 cash or time if security is O. K. Leave word with E. S. Howell or see A. M. Payne.

FOR SALE.—My residence on east Main street.—L. W. Martin. 3-ft Mayberry Bond, of Roswell, was here last Friday and Saturday on a business trip.

A new sidewalk is being put in along the vacant lot east of Linell's paint shop, connecting the walk by the Kemp Lumber Co. with Main street.

Free engraving if you buy your silverware and jewelry of W. W. Meeks.

The special which went down the Valley one day this week, carried among other noted persons, Avery Turner and James E. Hurley. Mr. Hurley is the general manager of the Santa Fe and was inspecting the branch lines. Until lately Mr. Hurley's salary has only been \$15,000 per annum and he could not take many little jaunts, but this week his pay was raised to \$18,000 and he has joined the Country Club at Topeka, Kansas.

August S. Harris, the Hope fruit man, was in Artesia yesterday on business.

Mr. Collins returned this week from a trip to northern points in the interest of Gilbert, Collins and Hayden.

Renowned sour pickles. Artesia Market.

Southeastern Kansas is experiencing one of the wettest times in its history. The rivers and creeks are out of banks and doing much damage.

Tiling is being put in at many of the street crossings which not only drains out the low places but renders the streets more level to the joy of the autoists.

If in need of spectacles or eye glasses call on Meeks the optician.

The statement of the First National Bank of Artesia, on page three of this issue, is well worthy of your attention, showing, as it does, the steady growth of Artesia and the surrounding country. Statements of National Banks are not prepared at favorable times only, but must be sent in and published whenever the comptroller calls for them.

J. O. Kuyrkendall has purchased the William Benson property taking possession several days ago.

Hardwick & Butler brought in a good well on Dr. Inman's place

north west of town Tuesday. The flow is 36 inches over a six inch casing and was struck at a depth of 768 feet.

Frying sized chickens, Artesia Market.

J. B. Enfield, E. B. Kemp and George Frisk, were Roswell visitors Tuesday, attending the big Masonic meeting at night. The Scottish rite, or 32nd degree, was communicated to Mr. Kemp and Mr. Enfield.

Fred Spencer purchased the John Price property in the southwest part of town last week and in a short time after closing the deal was offered a bonus of \$250 for his trade. Mr. Spencer refused the offer as he believes with the rest of us that property in that neighborhood will nearly double in value within the next year.

Some more of those nice fat turkeys. Artesia Market.

Mr. Shuster has commenced work on a residence on what is known as the Love lots east of the old town well.

The Club Stable has been vacated, the rolling stock being transferred to the Stone Stable several days ago. This building would make a good skating rink.

Meeks, the new jeweler, is now prepared to do plain and fancy engraving, if a doubting Thomas let him show you.

Sunday morning while hitching up his horse to a light buggy at the farm, F. J. Brooks has his left arm painfully, though not seriously, bruised. He was taking off the side curtains, when a tumble weed rolled against the horse and he started to run, dragging Mr. Brooks with him for several yards. Mr. Brooks was fortunate to escape with as few injuries as he received.

H. C. Lawyer is absent in the north looking after homeseekers for the Pecos Valley Immigration Co.

Choice No. 1 home-grown apples for winter use. Leave orders at Artesia Market. C. A. P. Land and Cattle Co. 4-td.

James McMullen and C. E. Coe and wife were down from the Cottonwood country Monday. Mr. McMullen was making proof on his claim in that vicinity.

Cranberries, two quarts for 25 cts. Artesia Market.

H. G. Hadley has moved to his lately purchased residence in the south part of town.

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