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## FORUM OF THE PEOPLE

Reserved Space for The Expressions and Opinions Of Our Readers

### ED. H. B. CHEW EXPOSTULATES

Following our regular custom of allowing our readers space for the expression of their opinions, although often reversed to our own, we are printing the following letter from Ed H. B. Chew of White Oaks.

Editor of the Carrizozo Outlook:

In a recent issue of the Outlook you mentioned the fact that Joe Ashford and myself were present at the Democratic Convention, both of us being Republicans and our reasons were that we were against the constitution as written because it did not contain any direct legislation. So far correct, but that is not all, and it would take too much space to explain all my reasons so I will give only a few. First, I am willing to affiliate with any legitimate organization that is against the constitution as written, as I believe it is not a party question but for all the people. The 13 democratic objections I endorse.

The direct election of Senators is often overlooked, for this reason, if the Legislature elect them it is demoralizing, often a corrupting business, the Legislature that has a big Senatorial contest on hand is of little use for legislation when it spends half of a session choosing a Senator, and sometimes the man with the most money is chosen.

Article IV, Sec. 1, Reads, the People reserve the power to disapprove, suspend and annul any law enacted by the Legislature, except general appropriation laws, etc. Under such a law the Legislature could vote money out of the Treasury indiscriminately, the people would have no redress, so here would be where the favored few would come in, an Initiative and real Referendum would give the people a command of their own money.

Article II, Sec. 2, Reads, All political power is vested in and derived from the People, all government of right originates with the people etc, now if this is the case, why have all the Railroads of the territory sent private cars to Santa Fe and wine and dined the delegates? No this Section should read "the people have no rights and all government should originate with the interests and bosses."

Article VIII, Sec. 8, Reads, so as to exempt corporations from taxes for six years now is it any more fair to exempt the corporation than it is the Homesteader?

Article VIII, Sec. 1, Reads, that the militia of this state shall consist of all able-bodied male citizens between the ages of 18 and 45 etc., the way this law reads the railroad employe or miner who goes on strike can be sworn in to fight his own cause.

Article XII, Sec. 2, Reads, the permanent school fund of the state shall consist of the proceeds of the sales of Sec. 2-16-32-36 instead of selling this ground, say we lease it for 5c an acre, each school district

averages 12 square miles, it means an income of \$512 each year. Minnesota when she became a state did not sell her school land, but leased it instead, she now has a surplus of \$22,000,000 and still has the land.

I know there are lots of people who believe in statehood at any price, now what have we to gain by statehood? Some say two Senators, a representative in Congress, a vote for President etc., it is all very nice but the price is too great, if you consider the extravagant salaries that are to be paid and the extra costs when the United States quit, with the present gang in control, and then if this is such a good Constitution it will not need amendment so why be afraid of the Initiative and Referendum? In conclusion, it is noticeable that about 'four-fifths' of the people who are for this constitution have an ax to grind better I say 'the Sunshine Territory' than a rotten bankrupt state.

ED. H. B. CHEW

### WHITE OAKS WHIFFS

Well, none of us here have been hurt by stray shots from the Insurrectos as yet.

Ralph Treat has returned from Mexico and we understand that he came on a 'special business trip.'

It is said that a good strike has been made on the Rita claim.

We are rejoicing over the fact that we have no Roswell corporation lawyers in this neck of the woods to help convince us to vote for the Constitution.

Grand Chancellor Williams and Supreme Representative Jno A. Haley were up this week visiting the K of P Lodge.

The ladies gave a very pleasaant dance and supper Christmas Eve, now for the bachelor dance New Years.

### OSCURO OBSERVINGS

Last Friday an entertainment was given by the children of the local school under the supervision of Miss Helen Jones, their teacher.

Dr. Miller and wife of Tularosa visited friends here Sunday and Monday and were delighted with the prospects for the future Oscuro.

Willie McCallum has left for Magdalena where he will be employed for a few months this winter.

Wm. Martin and wife have moved to their town house.

An accident happened to F. H. Harvey, driver of the Murray mail stage, last Saturday, a fire starting in the wagon and partially burning the mail sack and damaging Mr Harvey's clothes and robes.

Superintendent Haley was in the city Wednesday endeavoring to straighten out local school matters.

Christmas was spent pleasantly by all Oscuroites, several dinner parties and gatherings taking place.

Miss Elizabeth Snyder is spending the week with friends in Carrizozo.

Chas. Thornton and Dr. G. Raniger have announced their candidacy for the local justiceship and Lawrence Olson will run for constable.

## A GREAT COUNTRY THIS

Relative rank and population of the various states and Territories of U. S.

### NEW MEXICO GROWING FAST

Census Director Durand announced the total population of the United States. It is very difficult to form an adequate idea of the sum represented by so many millions, but it is certainly true that this is a great nation and New Mexico ought to be proud that it has the opportunity to enter the sisterhood of states of the Union. Although it has shown a marvelous rate of increase, it is still one of the small commonwealths as to population although one of the largest as to area. It stands eighth from the bottom among the fifty-one states, territories and possessions enumerated, the same relative rank it held 10 years ago, but it is gaining rapidly on a group of eleven states having less than a million inhabitants but more than New Mexico. The following is the relative rank and population of the states, territories and possessions as the census of 1910 gives them:

New York	9,113,279
Pennsylvania	7,665,111
Illinois	5,638,591
Ohio	4,767,121
Texas	3,896,542
Massachusetts	3,366,416
Missouri	3,293,333
Michigan	2,810,173
Indiana	2,700,876
Georgia	2,609,121
New Jersey	2,537,167
California	2,377,540
Wisconsin	2,333,860
Kentucky	2,239,905
Iowa	2,224,771
North Carolina	2,206,287
Tennessee	2,184,789
Alabama	2,138,093
Minnesota	2,075,078
Virginia	2,061,612
Mississippi	1,797,114
Kansas	1,690,949
Oklahoma	1,657,155
Louisiana	1,656,388
Arkansas	1,574,449
South Carolina	1,515,450
Maryland	1,294,450
West Virginia	1,221,119
Nebraska	1,192,214
Washington	1,141,990
Porto Rico	1,118,012
Connecticut	1,114,756
Colorado	799,024
Florida	751,139
Maine	742,371
Oregon	672,765
South Dakota	583,888
North Dakota	577,056
Rhode Island	542,674
New Hampshire	430,572
Montana	376,053
Vermont	355,756
District of Columbia	331,069
New Mexico	327,396
Idaho	325,594
Arizona	204,554
Delaware	202,322
Nevada	81,875

—Morgan Reily and Sylvain Anderson entertained a number of their boy and girl friends this week with a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Loughrey.

—Mrs Peters of Angus was a visitor here this week.

—Geo. Spence is in the East end of the county looking after mining interests.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ira O. Wetmore are here from Monterey.

—Contractor Ben Bechtel is in Clovis looking after business interests.

## TRANSCONTINENTAL WALK

F. Calbert. Arnold of the U. S. Navy who is walking from Baltimore Md. to San Francisco California on a wager of \$1000, was in the city last Friday and Saturday and it was the pleasure of the Outlook to entertain him part of his stay here. Mr. Arnold is a special representative of Everybody's magazine but not allowed to write for remuneration on the trip nor is he to work more than one week at anyone trade.

Mr. Arnold has traveled all over the world and is a through cosmopolitan. He was a writer for the navy department during the Panama revolution in 1903, correspondent for Harper's and also the navy during the San Domingo revolution. In 1903 he was in Tangiers, Morocco, when the Americanized Greek, Don Predicaris, was kidnapped by the famous bandit Raisuli, and held for a ransom. Mr Arnold was stationed there from May 30 to June 27 1904, when the coming of so many United States war ships hastened the Greek's release. He also spent a month at Cape Horn, South Africa, and went on a tramping trip up through the Transvaal.

Among his other foreign travels was three years in South America, a trip to the famous island of St. Helena, and a several months' sojourn among the natives in Samoa.

## CAPITAN CORRESPONDENCE

All kinds of weather from balmy sunshine to a blizzard this week at Capitan.

Johnson Bros are moving their garage this week and making many important improvements in their repair shop, which is already the most complete in the state.

Supervisor Kinney returned from Winfield Kansas recently where he accompanied his aged father, who came to make his son a short visit.

The Christmas exercises by the school children of Capitan, held at the school house Christmas eve, was a complete success; the large hall was packed to the utmost with people from the surrounding country and the recitations by the children under the efficient instruction of Prof. Nave, were excellent. Two large trees were beautifully decorated by a committee of Capitan ladies and many beautiful presents were distributed to the happy recipients.

The ladies of Capitan, under the leadership of Mrs. S. C. Gray, have started a movement to raise a fund to finish the large hall in the Central School Building, they will give a supper Thursday night, the proceeds of which will become a part of the fund. It takes the women folks to get out and do things.

## JUSTICE COURT

Sam Fambaugh and deputy sheriff John Dale were arrested and brought in from the Jicarillas charged with assault, while armed with deadly weapons, on Lorenzo Paraata and Dionisio Montoyo.

A hearing was had before Justice Massie Monday and both were bound over in the sum of \$300 to await the action of the grand jury.

Fambaugh was later tried before Judge Massie on a charge of assault Atty. J.E. Wharton of El Paso appearing for the defence and Atty. Geo Spence for the prosecution. He was found guilty and fined \$10 and costs.

## LARRAZOLA TELLS WHY

The Great Democratic Leader Explains Why He Is For Constitution

### EXTRACTS FROM HIS SPEECH

Hon. Octaviano A. Larrazola, twice candidate for delegate to congress and the recognized leader of the native population of the state, is doing a great work for the adoption of the constitution. He spoke the other day at a big meeting making a profound impression.

We quote a few of his epigrams: I am not abandoning my principles: I am simply changing my position. I want to be on the higher ground: be a freer and a more independent man and instead of supplicating and petitioning, as masters we will have the right to command.

While I believe in party loyalty, I do not believe that it is the duty of any citizen to surrender his conscience to any man or party.

This constitution is reasonably easy of amendment—in fact more so than that of any other state constitution with the exception of Oklahoma.

Will we pay our legislators too much in giving them \$5 a day when it is the unwritten law of every capital city, from Washington down, that not a member of the legislature shall leave the capital with a dollar in his pocket?

Is \$5,000 salary for your governor of a state too much, when he has to entertain the distinguished representatives of other states and other lands, or would you have him give them a dish of frijoles? If so, I'd like the recall to exist for just such!

Is \$4,000 too much to pay your attorney general? Ask Mr. Catron if he would give up his law practice for that sum!

If it takes too much money to become a free people, I want to petition the government to put us on a reservation like the Pueblo Indians and appoint a guardian to look after us.

Are we going to despair and challenge the honesty of humanity at large? If so, I'd appeal to the Lord to send us down an army of angels to govern us.

The corporations did have their agents in Santa Fe, to obtain special concessions in the constitution, but they most signally failed, to secure anything, or I am unable to read the English language, or I am a third rate lawyer.

Since when has the democratic party become a party of anarchists? The democratic party I know is that of free men of equal right to all.

If amendments to the constitution are needed, I believe in the loyalty, patriotism and intelligence of citizens to have these amendments written.

They say: "New Mexico is boss-ridden," but I believe that you will be controlled by bosses only so long as you desire.

This is your opportunity to adopt a constitution and secure statehood and God only knows when, if ever, it will be offered to you again.

—Justice of the peace Williams was a business visitor from Jicarilla.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN LINCOLN COUNTY

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1910

W. B. WALTON the Democratic leader and member of the Democratic central committee, continues consistently to urge the approval of the constitution, despite the thirteen reasons advanced by the rump convention of his party. In this week's issue of the Silver City Independent, of which he is the publisher and editor, he presents his views clearly, convincingly and concisely as follows:

"If there is one principle of the government that the Democratic party has consistently emphasized more than another, it is that one that declares for 'majority rule.' The two great parties fought out the campaign in this territory on September 6th, resulting in the election of 71 Republicans and 29 Democrats to the constitutional convention. For a time thereafter and in the first days of the convention, there were fears entertained that the majority would not only frame the constitution, but would be bitterly opposed to granting any concessions to the Democratic minority. Safer counsels prevailed and many of the majority rose to the occasion and consented to the embodying of many amendments, and even whole sections, prepared by the minority members of the most important committee. The constitution, therefore, plainly embodies the will of the majority of the delegates in the convention, irrespective of party, as was evidenced by the signing of the document by all the delegates with the exception of five democrats. If, indeed, the party believes in that principle of government wherein majorities rule minorities, how can it consistently vote against the constitution which is signed by a majority of its own delegates and by all the 71 Republican delegates? Which is the safer for the voter to follow: the 93 who signed the instrument, or the five who refused? Every voter who believes in 'majority rule' and in representative government should support the 93 delegates whom they elected to represent them in framing a constitution.

"It is not any longer a question as to whether or not we want statehood; that has been fully demonstrated. The people know that to vote against the constitution is to jeopardize immediate statehood, and that they cannot allow this opportunity to have self government to be defeated by a quarrel over things in the constitution which really amount to nothing."

THERE IS ONE thing favorable about President Taft's special message to Congress anent the New Mexico-Texas boundary. It indicates that the chief executive is in a big hurry to get the statehood question finally disposed of and to admit New Mexico to statehood at the earliest opportunity. As to poor Arizona, it must remain out in the cold for the fiat has gone forth at Washington, both from Republicans and Democrats, that no constitution that applies the recall to judges can hope of approval from the President or Congress. However, Arizona is young compared with New Mexico and its population is not much more than one-half of New Mexico's while its prospects of growth in the future have been stunted for the time being by the socialistic agitation of its Democratic majority.

GOVERNMENT ATTORNEYS are now roasting the beef trust, cleaning out the bathtub trust, dissolving the sugar trust, piping the oil trust, smoking out the tobacco trust, and shocking the electric companies.

NEVADA'S POPULATION increased 93 per cent. The census must have been taken July 4th when Reno was full of prize fighters and sports.

AFTER Jan. 1st The Outlook will be \$1.50 a year.

## COUNTY NEWS-NOTES

### CORONA ITEMS

P. Valdez is spending the holidays with his family in Santa Fe.

John Thompson fell at the door of his cabin and sustained a fractured hip joint.

John Cox has recovered from his recent illness and returned to work on the water service.

Mr. Bond and wife from Tularosa are the latest arrivals in town. Mr. Bond being the night operator.

J. J. Taylor of Duran was a visitor here on Thursday.

P. N. Melton returned last week from Estancia.

Mr. Hewitt, a lawyer of Brooklyn is visiting his old school friend O. C. Baker.

M. C. Porter, Mgr. Gross-Kelley Co., received a wire from El Paso on Dec 24th that there 'was a little Miss Porter' on hand to hang up her stocking.

Miss Shultemeyer is home from college for the holidays.

Alex Jenkins went to El Paso on Sunday to visit his wife who is ill there.

Mrs. McKanait has returned from El Paso and reports her husband as out of danger. He recently underwent an operation.

Mrs. Johnson has arrived from Kansas City to spend the holidays with her son, the genial bookkeeper at Holzmann's.

### POLLY PARAGRAPHS

Christmas time at Polly was attended by many good fairies, bringing good weather and kindly remembrances to the courageous few who still brave the elements in that frontier town.

Mrs. S. J. Baneroff, who has been making a visit with her nephew, Chas. F. Goddard, and family, returned to her home in Akron, Ohio, this week.

Miss Emma Peters is spending the holidays with relatives here.

F. M. Goddard arrived from El Paso Friday to spend some time on her claim, and celebrate Christmas with the home folk.

The fine rain of Monday night was highly appreciated, as well as the beautiful snow scenery higher up in the mountains.

Mr. Plant is spending the holidays with his family on his claim here.

### LINCOLN LOCALS

Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Watson entertained at dinner on Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. John M. Penfield, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Voorwerk and their respective families.

Frank Curry, U. S. Commissioner from Tularosa and a son of former Governor George Curry, came in to spend the holidays with his relatives and many friends.

Henry Corn and family have joined the "back to the farm movement" and are now again located on their ranch close to Tinnie, having left Lincoln during the past week.

George Sisneros of Carrizozo came in to spend the holidays with his relatives and friends.

C. C. Merchant and family have left town and taken up their abode on the Blevins ranch northwest of Lincoln.

Probate Clerk J. G. Riggie was confined to his bed several days last week. Dr. Deputy of Captain was in attendance.

Henry Lutz Jr., a cadet at the Military Institute at Roswell, is

spending the holidays with his relatives during the vacation.

### ANOTHER CORRESPONDENT

Capt. Williams recently bought out H. P. Halsted's interest in the Pioneer Blacksmith Shop. He is an A 1 mechanic and invites the patronage of the public.

Services and high mass were celebrated at the Catholic Church on Xmas morning, there being an unusually large attendance from town as well as from all around the county.

Juan Perea, who has been absent for over a year, and who has been in the employ of the Diamond A Cattle Co. for the past 16 years, is in town for a few days on a visit to his parents.

A Committee was appointed last Sunday by Father Girma for the purpose of raising funds to buy 50 new pews to be placed in the church as soon as possible.

Mrs. Vigil has just finished digging a 46 foot well at her home which she recently bought from Mr. Cassaus. The well now has 12 feet of fine water.

Dave Gallegos has let out a contract for the construction of a new modern adobe 4 room cottage.

### ABSTRACT OF COUNTY RECORD

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#### WARRANTY DEED

I. M. Harkey & wf to J. W. Harkey, N 1/2 blk. 44, McDonald Add. Cons. \$400.00.

#### QUIT CLAIM DEED

Mrs. E. M. Taliaferro to Chris Yaeger, N. C. Thompson and Atwood Little, 1/2 interest in Bingo Mining Claim, W. O. Dist. Cons. \$10.00.

Lillie E. Riggie to J. G. Riggie, lot 35, blk. 63, Capitan Cons. \$1.00.

#### LOCATION NOTICE

E. P. & R. I. Ry. Co., Lime Placers Nos. 1 & 2, 20 acres each in sec. 26, T3S, R12E.

#### PROOFS OF LABOR

Watson & Hoyle, Watson Mining Claim, Bingo Mining Claim, both in W. O. Dist. Assessment work 1910.

#### MARRIAGE LICENCE

Hence Cochran, age 24, and Ada Daves, age 15, both of Nogal.

Claude Parker, age 21, and Susan Irena Furnace, age 20, both of Corona.

M. L. Beard, age 21, and Elsie R. Wright, age 16, both of Richardson.

### ADVERTISED LETTERS

List of unclaimed letters remaining in Post office at Carrizozo--N.M. Dec. 24, 1910.

Balderraina, Aptonio Chavez, Felesfor Hardy, George Smith, W. A.

In calling for the above letters please mention advertised.

Wm. Reily, Postmaster,

(017080)

#### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

(Restored Coal Land)  
Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M.  
Dec. 24, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that ANNA L. SIMMS, of Three Rivers N. M., who, on March 22, 1909, made Hd. entry, serial 017080, for NW 1/4 Sec. 33, & NE 1/4 & NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 32, T10S, R10E, N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before A. H. Harvey, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Carrizozo N. M., on the 6th day of February, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses: Francis M. Goodin, Hector S. Scheffy, James O. Nabers, George A. Shule, all of Three Rivers N. M.

T. C. TILLOTSON,  
12-30-10 Register.

(014546)

#### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M.  
Dec. 24, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that FRANK F. BAIN, of Holloway N. M., who, on April 3rd, 1908, made Hd. entry serial, 014546, No. 14722, for S 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 10, & N 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec. 15 T2S, R12E, N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Benj. F. Adams, U. S. Court Commissioner, at Corona N. M., on the 6th day of February, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses: James M. Holloway, Hol. Herring, James Cox, Harvey H. Ledbetter, all of Holloway N. M.

T. C. TILLOTSON,  
12-30-10 Register.

—See the new line of Jewelry at Padens Drug Store.

## Holiday Preparations



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## CARRIZO OUTLOOK

Lee B. Chase, Editor and Publisher.

CARRIZO, NEW MEXICO

# THIRTY DIE IN CHICAGO FIRE

NELSON MORRIS & COMPANY'S PACKING PLANT BURNS WITH HEAVY LOSS.

## FIRE CHIEF PERISHES

WALLS OF BURNING BUILDINGS FALL WHEN AMMONIA EXPLODES.

Chicago.—From thirty to thirty-five firemen are believed to be dead here Thursday, ten bodies have been recovered and at least a score are seriously injured, several fatally, in a fire which destroyed the big beef storage house of Nelson Morris & Co. and for a time threatened to wipe out the whole Chicago Stockyards.

Foremost among the victims of the fire was the head of the Chicago Fire Department, Chief James Horan, who, with his second assistant, William Burroughs, and more than a score of men, was killed when a terrific explosion of ammonia tore off the roof of the burning structure, forcing out its walls and trapping the fire chief and his party under an overhanging canopy and against a line of freight cars, where they roasted to death while rescuers vainly fought the gusts of flames.

Driven back by the wall of fire, the engine companies and other organizations which, from all over the city, had answered the repeated alarms, fought desperately to save their comrades, but so hot were the flames that all efforts were fruitless until the cessation of screams and groans from the imprisoned men told that the last one was dead.

Hard fighting then subdued the conflagration sufficiently so that several bodies were taken from the ruins, but again the workers were forced back as fresh outbursts of fire came. Then the tall house of the Morris company, adjoining the beef house, caught fire and only after another hour's work was the threatened destruction of the whole Morris plant, and possibly of the whole Stockyards, averted.

No sooner were the flames got under control than the fire fighters again turned to the work of recovering the dead bodies of their comrades. Digging furiously among the still smoking ruins one after another of the bodies of the victims were brought out. An accurate list of the dead was not obtainable.

The buildings totally destroyed included the beef house of Morris & Co., with loss to building and stock of \$500,000; warehouse No. 6, loss to building and stock, \$550,000; refrigerator storage shed, \$50,000.

### Americans Fight Filipinos.

Manila.—Word has reached here of a fierce engagement in the Basaman River district, Davao, between Monobos tribesmen and a detachment of the Third United States infantry. Private Holt was killed and a corporal and private, names not stated, were wounded.

### \$10,000 Inheritance Tax.

Chicago.—Mrs. Marshall Field must pay an inheritance tax of \$10,000 upon the \$1,000,000 she received as a pre-nuptial settlement from the late Marshall Field. By a decision of the Supreme Court wealth thus given is held not to be exempt from the inheritance tax.

### Hundred Million for Christmas.

Washington.—What Dr. Wiley probably would describe as the "gift-bearing germ" inoculated into the people of the United States will cost this year about \$90,000,000 in cash, perhaps \$75,000,000 in debts, a large amount of happiness and also a large amount of economy.

### Girl Babies Valuable.

Kansas City.—Girl babies are worth more than boy babies so far as supply and demand governs their value, according to R. V. Maloney, superintendent of the Kansas City office of the Children's Home Finding Society. The society, said Maloney, has in hand twenty-three boys and six girls waiting to be adopted out.

## LITTLE NEW MEXICO ITEMS.

Minor Occurrences of More Than Ordinary Interest.

Frank L. Marshall, assistant in the United States bureau of animal industry, died in Santa Fe at the age of 82.

The territorial department of education has been notified that eighteen cases of smallpox are reported at Des Moines, Union county.

The New Mexico courts have been grinding at a swift gait the past few weeks and as a result there are many new faces at the penitentiary.

The formal opening of St. Vincent's new sanitarium was held in Roswell with a bazaar, a Spanish supper and music by the Military band.

Recently two professional burglars looted the safe in the store of the John Becker company at Belen, securing \$700 in cash, gold watches and rings.

The J. A. Mahoney store at Deming was burned to the ground and practically the entire contents destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$12,000.

One of the most disastrous fires in Albuquerque for years, caused damages of perhaps \$50,000 to the building and stock of the Whitney Hardware Company.

The T. C. ranch, which is owned by Norwood Hall, on the west side of the Rio Grande, near Las Cruces, has shipped six carloads of fine fat steers to Kansas City.

W. A. Johnson was badly if not fatally injured in the territorial good roads camp on the Santa Fe trail, between Santa Fe and Las Vegas by being kicked by a mule.

At the big mass meeting of good roads boosters in Albuquerque, plans were laid for the immediate completion of the partly finished scenic highway between that city and Santa Fe.

After being in session for two weeks and one day, the District Court at Las Vegas, with the conviction of Julian Perea for sheep stealing, has a record of twenty-six convictions and one acquittal.

For the first time in many years the books of the territorial auditor, W. G. Sargent, and the territorial treasurer, M. A. Otero, balance to the cent, each showing a surplus in the treasury of \$609,599.34.

In answer to a direct question, Senator Bailey of Texas, has telegraphed Gayle Talbot of Eddy county, that the boundary question between Texas and New Mexico will not delay statehood at this session.

Governor William J. Mills, Territorial Treasurer M. A. Otero and Territorial Auditor William G. Sargent are busy checking off the warrants paid by the territory during the year. The total amount is \$948,739.22.

Mounted Policeman A. A. Sena and two deputy sheriffs of Las Vegas made what is believed to be an important capture when they arrested Manuel Martinez, Catarino Trujillo and Antonio Ortiz, alleged cattle thieves.

Frank W. Shearon, 34 years old, clerk of the First Judicial District Court, former postmaster of Santa Fe, and a well known politician, was found dead in his room at Santa Fe, death having been caused by heart failure.

Judge John R. McFie of Santa Fe has appointed Deputy District Clerk Edward L. Safford, son of Traveling Auditor Charles V. Safford, to be clerk of the First Judicial District, succeeding the late Frank W. Shearon.

Good real estate deals are being made right along at very satisfactory figures in Farmington. New buildings are going up and still others are planned, upon which work will begin either during the last days of this year or in the early days of next.

All records for swift justice in New Mexico have been broken in the case of W. A. Gray, who was taken to Santa Fe from Albuquerque to commence serving a life sentence for the brutal murder of his young niece, May Williamson, at Lucy, one week before.

Stock conditions in the Southwest are very much out of the ordinary at the present time. In the memory of the oldest inhabitant there never has been such an entire absence of grass as this year, says A. M. Hare of Carlsbad.

Capt. Fred Fornoff of the mounted police, after attending a mass meeting at Estancia, reported to Gov. Mills that he had made a thorough investigation of the reports of starvation in the Estancia valley and found no immediate destitution, although 200 or 300 families are in direct poverty and will need free seed to enable them to put in crops next spring.

A letter from Delegate W. H. Andrews, who is in Washington, brings the news that a special inspector is to come to investigate the Roswell-Vaughn auto mail stage, which means that of Postmaster General Hitchcock is taking up the matter with dispatch. The inspector who is coming will give Roswell and the territory a square deal, Mr. Andrews states.

Every voter should see to it that his name is registered for the election on January 21st.

## The Syrian New Year



ALL the Christians of New York do not observe Christmas as a time for Santa Claus. The Syrians, for instance, who live in the lower end of Manhattan Island, in Washington street, from the Battery up to Albany street, have an old custom of giving their presents on New Year's day. Then there also is a difference in the manner of giving. The Syrian children do not hang up their stockings. Neither do the parents disguise themselves as Santa Claus. On the contrary. The Syrian child invariably knows who is going to be his Santa Claus, and consequently is treated to no extraordinary surprise. There is one thing, however, of which he remains in ignorance, and that is the nature of the present he will receive. The child picks out whosoever he thinks will treat him best in case he succeeds in meeting and greeting him at the proper time on New Year's day. Then comes a long vigil for midnight, as the custom so prescribes it that the one who offers the first greeting at the beginning of the new year shall receive a fitting reward from the one greeted. A good wish for success and prosperity in the first hour of New Year's day is held by the Syrians to augur well for the following twelve-month, and the one who first wishes good prospects is entitled to a reward. Custom prescribes that at the time of this New Year's greeting whatever the one greeted happens to hold in his hand becomes the property of the other. The one who receives the greeting is supposed to be so pleased with it that, acting upon the happy impulse of the moment, he hesitates not to requite his greeter with whatever he first can lay hold on. This latter custom originated in feudal times, when the Emir was omnipotent in his province and his followers depended for their sustenance upon his gifts and what he allowed them of the plunders of war.

Of course you can't nowadays sur-

## The Conflict of the Years

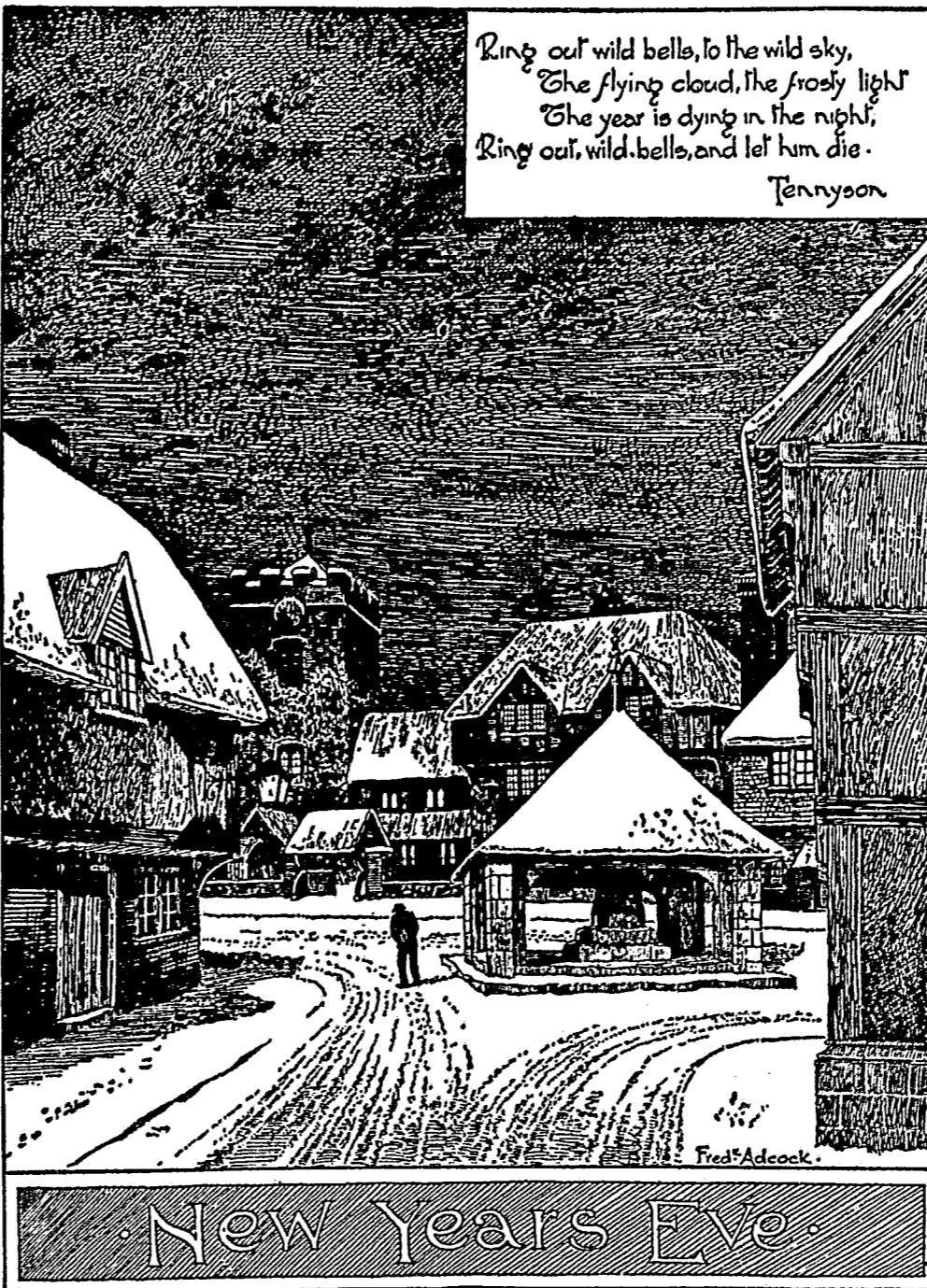
By KENNEDY SEATON

THE year is dying. The battle bravely fought is o'er at last; The aged warrior wounded to the death With Time's fell arrows, silently awaits The moment of release with laboured breath. The issued of the long-contested fight, Or victory, or defeat, or welcomed truce, The unborn years shall certainly declare, And turn each well-aimed blow to gain and use. The warrior, dying, curtailed by the night, Sees not or knows not the gain that is to be, But dies in faith that right will surely win, And o'er the world will rule eternally.

The year is dawning. The young recruit takes up the unsheathed sword His aged sire but just now laid aside; And buckling on his armour, newly bright, Essays him forth to ventures yet untried, Alluring dreams beguile his onward steps, And visions bright of victories to be won; He feels upon his brow the laurel crown, And hears afar the coveted "well done!" No thought of failure mars the blissful dream, No craven fear unmans the heart of youth; Great tasks await him, and with faith as great, He steps into the fray, and strikes for truth!

other day and the Chinese and Japanese still another, but whenever the day falls, according to their special calendar, there is always a very important celebration of it.

The Druids, who were the priests of England before the Christian religion was taken into Great Britain, also celebrated New Year's day. They were very interesting and very strange people, these Druids, and, according to what one reads about them in history, one always imagines them as wearing beautiful white robes and having tall, magnificent figures and flowing white beards and



prise any Syrian early New Year's day fooling with a costly article. He can be depended on as knowing better, for either he would have to make a gift of it to the one who first greeted him, or else he branded as a miser. Wise Syrians carry candy to hand to the children who greet them.

## New Year's Day in the Long Ago

LONG years ago the people who lived in a great many different places in the world were very much interested in New Year's day, just as we are, and they did many things in honor of the day, exactly as we do. They feasted and decorated their houses and churches, and at 12 o'clock they were very particular to show in some way that they were rejoicing that another year had begun.

Not all of these people celebrated New Year's on the same day. The ancient Romans used to have their New Year's day in March; then they changed to January, and a large part of the rest of the world followed them. The Jewish people have an-

hair. At any rate, they always wore white robes on New Year's day, for that was the day when they cut down the sacred mistletoe.

For the Druids didn't think that mistletoe was only a pretty green vine. They believed it to be a miraculous growth which would prevent people from being harmed by poisonous food or drink.

On that day a particularly large, handsome Druid, with glistening white beard and hair and rather cold gray eyes—Druids always had cold gray eyes—we believe—and clothed most beautifully in white, would climb the oak tree on which the mistletoe grew and cut it down with a golden sickle. He wouldn't take it in his hand, because they didn't consider that respectful enough to the sacred mistletoe, which could do such wonderful things. Instead he would catch it in a pure white cloth and climb carefully down the tree with it. After this an altar would be erected and white bulls sacrificed and prayers offered. Then the Druidical community felt that for the following year they would have all the good luck possible.

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Kept Umbrella Thirty Years.

A faithful old umbrella which has shielded the family of Dr. James A. Mulligan of Greenwood avenue from the storms of 30 years, was stolen on Sunday. During the rain on that day the physician lent the umbrella to E. A. Seck, and while the latter was in a store some one stole it.

"The umbrella belonged to my father and has been in the family for more than thirty years," said Doctor Mulligan the other night. "It has been covered several times."

"To persons who are unable to keep the same umbrella for more than thirty days this may seem incredible, but it is true," concluded Doctor Mulligan with a smile.—Chicago Tribune.

## IN SCIENTIFIC DAYS

Marjorie—Why are we stopping here, Harold?  
Harold—Ah, the anchor's caught on a wireless.

## WONDERED WHY.

Found the Answer Was "Coffee."

Many pale, sickly persons wonder for years why they have to suffer so, and eventually discover that the drug—caffeine—in coffee is the main cause of the trouble.

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Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

## COUNTY NEWS-NOTES

### NOGAL NOTES

The dance in Nogal the night of the 23rd was greatly enjoyed by all who participated it lasted until three o'clock.

Dr. E. B. Walker of Carrizozo was called here Christmas to attend the little son of C. H. Byfield who is suffering with pneumonia.

Lin Branum wife and family are visiting Grandpa Henley this week.

The new strike of gold ore in this camp was discovered by Col. J. C. Bender.

Hence Cochran and Miss Ada Daves were married December 23rd by Justice Pfingston.

The Bonito Postoffice has been discontinued.

Married at the home of the bride's parents last Friday afternoon, Mr. Hence Cochran and Miss Ada Davis. Judge Ed. Pfingston performed the nuptial ceremony that made this happy pair one. The bride has been one of Nogal's social leaders and the groom is one of our most estimable and worthy young men. The entire community joins in wishing them all the good things in this life, that they so richly deserve. A dance given Friday evening at the town hall in their honor was largely attended and proved a most brilliant affair.

Mrs. Doc. Roberts of Carrizozo is visiting her sister, Mrs. Davis of the Nogal Hotel this week.

Martin May was in from his Tortolita Canon ranch Monday. He was accompanied by Mr. Clem.

Mr. Graham of the Eagle Mining Co. was in Nogal last week. He was

on his way to spend Christmas with his family.

A. T. Anderson of the Eagle Mining Co. returned to Parsons last week after an extended absence.

G. E. DeNission visited at the home of Ira Robinson Saturday and was delighted with the Bonito scenery.

Mr. Owens received a telegram last week stating his son's illness and he left immediately for his home in Oklahoma.

George Ulrich of Carrizozo was on our streets last week.

### RUIDOSA RIPPLES

Miss Ula Gilmore has been appointed Postmistress at Glencoe.

G. W. Hall and Geo. Coe went to Alto Saturday.

G. H. Herbert came up from Roswell Saturday to receive a bunch of cows which he purchased from Mr. Coe and Mr. Tully.

Mrs. Geo. W. Hall is reported on the sick list this week.

Mrs. J. J. Hollem of Alto has been visiting friends on the Ruidosa the past week.

P. G. Hale is over from Nogal visiting friends this week.

The Ruidosa Sunday School is progressing very nicely under the supervision of Geo. W. Hall.

Miss Zeta Minter has returned home from a week visit with Mr. and Mrs. Allison of Glencoe.

Rev. R. P. Pope is expected to preach at Glencoe Tuesday night.

Geo. Barrett is able to be out again after a weeks illness.

—See the new line of Jewelry at Padens Drug Store.

### ALTO ITEMS

We are glad to welcome J. W. Stewart and family among us again. They moved from Tularosa here and have bought a home.

Messrs. Will and Horace Slack left for their home at Holloway last week to spend Xmas with their folk.

The entertainment given by the White Mountain Literary Society last Saturday evening certainly was a credit to the community. The Negro play managed by Will Slack was 'immense' and kept the audience in an uproar from beginning to end.

The Debate Resolved: that the constitution of New Mexico as now framed should be accepted," with C. B. Lane, as champion of the affirmative and A. J. Gilmore as champion Negative with their corps of able assistants was ably discussed, the Judges decided in favor of the negative.

Mrs. Bettie Jones was in Capitan shopping Saturday.

There was an Xmas tree and entertainment at the Alto School house beginning at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

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Both male and female applicants will be admitted. As a result of this examination it is expected to create lists of eligibles for appointment to vacancies in the position of stenographer and typewriter in all branches of the federal service in the Twelfth Civil Service District. Male applicants may also be examined for the Departmental, Isthmian Canal and Philippine services.

Application blanks and further information may be obtained from the District Secretary, Postoffice Building, San Francisco, or from the Secretary of the local board of Examiners at any of the other places of examination above indicated. Applications should be filed with the Civil Service Commission at Washington, D. C. at least ten days before the date of the examination.

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"The finest you ever saw."  
"Be a little more specific. A comb which was once the finest I ever saw had a lot of long teeth. Does that apply to the girl?"

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"Then why don't you stop butting in?"

## FOR OTHERS' SAKE.

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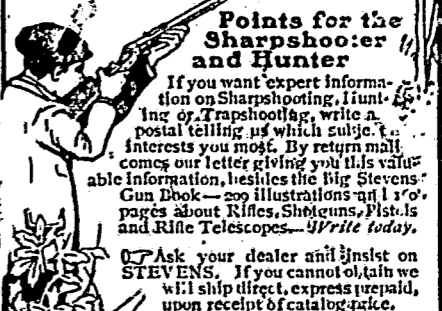
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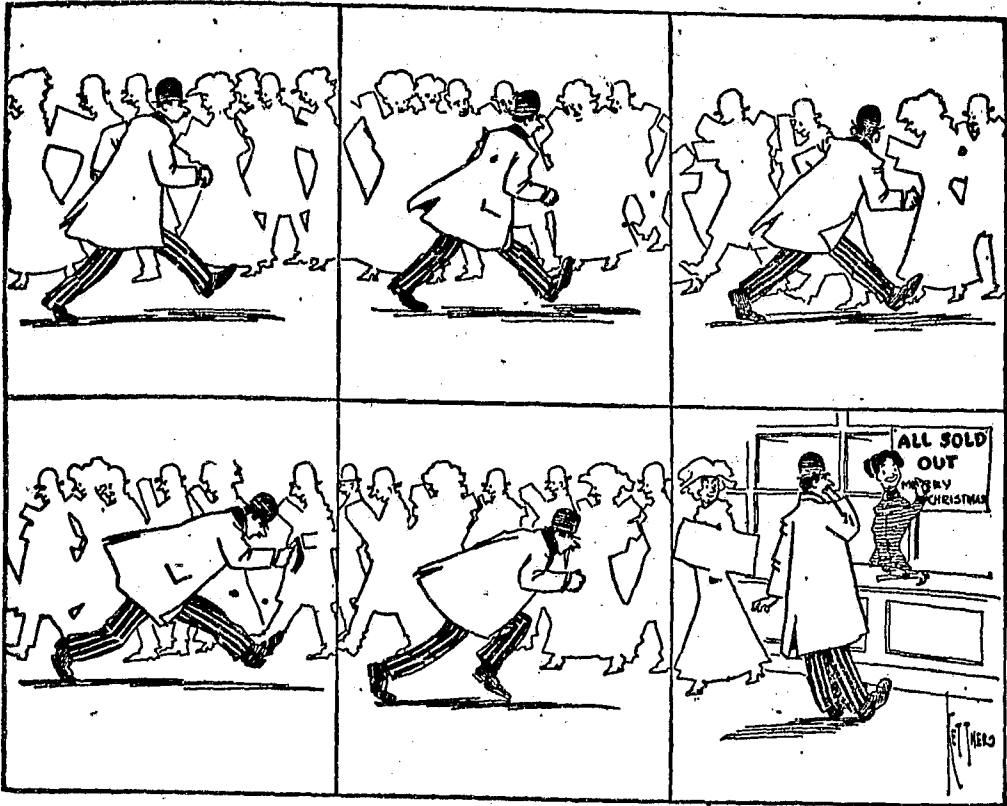
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DURING THE PAST WEEK

RECORD OF IMPORTANT EVENTS  
CONDENSED FOR BUSY  
PEOPLE.

### WESTERN.

Andrew Russell, a wealthy stock raiser and farmer residing two miles south of Guthrie, Okla., was shot and killed at his home.

Hookworm has been discovered among Chinese, Hindoo and other immigrants from the Far East arriving on the Pacific coast.

I. S. Hasselbrook, 77 years old, fell dead on the sidewalk in Wichita, Kan., just after giving his daughter \$500 as a Christmas gift.

H. R. Williams, proprietor of the Ivywild kennels in East Manitou, Colo., is the proud possessor of three Airdale terrier puppies which were born with bob tails.

William Green, reform mayor of Topeka, must pay \$5,500 for promising to marry Miss Selina Dalrymple, his niece, and then refusing to keep his contract. That is the verdict reached by the jury which heard the case.

Justus L. Broderick, formerly a banker of Indianapolis, can eat his Christmas dinner at home, having been released from the federal prison at Leavenworth after serving a sentence of ten years for violation of the national banking laws.

William Howard Sheeks, whose proudest boast was that he had never told a lie or quarreled with his wife, and who had celebrated more wedding anniversaries than any man in Missouri, died at his home near Kirksville, at the age of 89.

### GENERAL.

John B. Moissant went to a height of 9,364 feet, if his barometer read true, at Memphis, Tenn. In the United States Armstrong Drexel and Ralph Johnstone alone eclipsed this distance, which is within 1,135 feet of the present world's record.

More than a score of lives were snuffed out as the result of a fire which destroyed a leather goods factory in Philadelphia and as many more were injured, many of them fatally. While the firemen were fighting the flames from the roofs of adjoining dwellings the south wall of the factory collapsed, burying nearly two score of firemen. As soon as the extent of the calamity became known, policemen were hurried to the scene in an effort to save those who were still alive in the debris, by tearing down the north wall, which was tottering. This wall collapsed, killing eleven policemen.

Attorney General O'Malley of the State of New York, received a communication from Milton Bucky of New York City, a lawyer, asking him to begin suit to cancel the certificate of the Knights of Pythias' conduct of life insurance business in that state and appointing a receiver for property in the state. Bucky is acting for Thomas Baber, of Brooklyn, who alleges the information furnished by the Supreme Lodge of the order shows the present carrying of insurance of the fourth class amounting to \$20,667,500, with only cash on hand of \$615,568. The attorney general has taken the matter under advisement.

### FOREIGN.

Helene Dutrien, Frenchwoman, leads the woman aviators of the world. Record, 103 miles in two hours.

In spite of what is considered a practically prohibitive poll tax there is a constantly increasing stream of Chinese coming to Canada. In a little over half of the fiscal year more than 3,000 Chinamen have arrived.

Two hundred and fifty coal miners are missing after an explosion and fire that wrecked the Pretoria mine of the Hulton Company near Leigh, twenty-five miles northeast of Liverpool. The cause of the explosion is unknown. Approximately 300 men were in the mine when the explosion occurred and were entombed.

News of another engagement between federal troops and revolutionists in Mexico was given in a telegram from Enrique Creel, Mexican minister of foreign relations, received by Senor de la Barra, the Mexican ambassador in Washington. "General Navarro's troops," reads the telegram, "have defeated the revolutionists in the district of Guerrero at a point called Padernales. What remains of the rebels are being steadily pursued. All the rest of the republic is in a complete state of peace."

### SPORT.

Carl Morris of Sapulpa, Okla., heralded as the "white man's hope," knocked out Marvin Hart of Kentucky, former heavy weight champion of the world, in the third round in Sapulpa.

Fighting the last seven rounds of a twelve-round bout with a broken hand, Hugo Kelly made a whirlwind finish in Chicago and secured the decision over Frank Klaus of Pittsburg.

Out-generated and out-fought, but not out-gamed, Young Erlenborn of Denver made a gallant fight against Kid Ross of New York before the Cheyenne, Wyo., Athletic club before he was counted out in the eleventh round, just as his seconds jumped into the ring to save him.

### WASHINGTON.

Senator Chauncey M. Depew of New York is ill in Washington.

American troops are in readiness to be rushed to Cuba to maintain peace and protect American and other foreign interests.

The circuit judgeship made vacant by the promotion of Judge Van Devanter of Wyoming to the Supreme Court of the United States will be filled, it is said, by the promotion of one of the district judges of the Eighth circuit.

Postmaster General Hitchcock says everything will be in readiness for the postal savings banks to receive deposits January 3rd, the first working day of the new year. The task of drawing up regulations, forms and instructions has progressed so far as to assure the beginning of operations. One experimental office will be opened in each state and territory to make the first test of the service as thorough as possible under the limited appropriation. The offices designated are all of the second class and in localities where conditions are exceptionally favorable for the development of a postal savings business.

Dr. Charles P. Grandfield, first assistant postmaster general, in his annual report shows that the number of postoffices in operation June 30, 1910, was 59,580. The gross revenue of the postal service during the fiscal year was \$224,128,657.62, an increase of \$20,566,247.55. The expenditure aggregated \$229,977,224.50, an increase of \$8,973,121.01. The deficit was \$5,848,566.88, as compared with \$17,441,719.82 for the preceding year. Although the business of the postal service increased during the year more than 10 per cent, the expenditures decreased show an average of 8.06 per cent for each of the ten years preceding to 4.06 per cent in 1910.

## POLICY



Calvin—The doctor forbids me to drink champagne.

Ruth—Forbids you to drink champagne?

Calvin—Well, until after his bill is paid.

### When It Was Rougher.

Paul Withington, the Harvard coach, was praising the milder football of 1910.

"Football in the '90s was a terrible game," said Mr. Withington. "Bourget, you know, devoted a whole chapter of 'Oltre Mer' to its horrors. Some of the stories of the football of '90 or '91 are, in fact, almost incredible.

"A Philadelphia sporting editor returned one November Saturday from West Philadelphia with a pale, frightened face.

"Many accidents at the game?" a police reporter asked him.

"One frightful accident," replied the sporting editor. "A powerful mule from a neighboring coal dealer's entered the field, blundered into one of the hottest scrimmages and got killed."

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It is being said of an elderly man in business in Atchison: "He can't stand punishment as he formerly could." And there is punishment to be endured in making a living; don't forget it. Look over your own experience, and you will detect punishment every hour of the day. If it isn't at home, it is on the street car or on the road. How many ways there are to punish a man who tries his best to get along and behave himself. And after a man gets old it is more evident every year that the poor fellow can't stand punishment as he could when he was younger.—Atchison Globe.

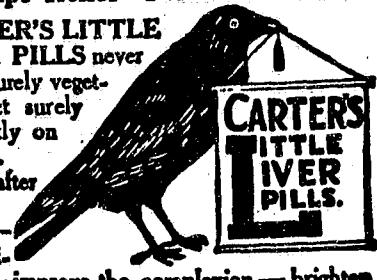
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**ZIEGLER BROTHERS**

—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rolland spent the past week in El Paso.

—Miss Sallie Hilderbrandt has been on the sick list the past week.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hill are in El Paso for a few days.

—J. O. Nabours of Three Rivers was in the city Tuesday.

—Miss Mildred Peters has been spending the week at Capitan.

—P. O. Inspector A. J. Aldons of Albuquerque stopped here last week.

—Kilgore Collier and wife spent Christmas with his mother here.

—Mrs. O. Perea was a recent visitor here from Lincoln.

—Mrs. W. L. Gumm and son Deane spent the Holidays at Lincoln with her sister Mrs. J. W. Laws.

—Effie Joseph of Tucumcari is visiting the Whittingham family this week.

—Fater Gierma will hold Mass at the local Catholic Church next Sunday.

—Ed. H. B. Chew was in the city Tuesday attending the Masonic installation.

—School has not been in session the past week but will resume on Monday.

—People Brothers are packing their fixtures this week preparatory to moving to Nevada.

—A very pleasant dance was participated in last Friday evening and another dance was given Monday and enjoyed by all present.

—Fred R. Dickens who has been working for the railroad here for several weeks left Sunday for El Paso.

—After spending several weeks at Holdenville Okla. Ernest Burrell passed thru Sunday enroute to his home in Capitan.

—The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Chant died Sunday of Bronchitis, and was buried Tuesday at Evergreen Cometary.

—Subscription or renewals mailed to us before January 1st will be accepted at the dollar rate, after that the price will be \$1.50.

—Dr. Ranniger of Osceuro, Dr. T. W. Watson, and Wm. Gierke of Lincoln and Jas. Blair of Corona were among the Masons attending the installation Tuesday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Mart Goodin left Monday for Pikeville Mo where they will remain permanently, Mr. Goodin having purchased a farm there.

—The mercantile business during holiday season just passed is reported by all the local merchants as having been beyond their expectations in volume.

—Jas. Espy of Capitan was in the city Tuesday Mr. Espy has recently opened up an Eating House at Capitan and is receiving a liberal patronage

—Miss Grace De Nission left for St. Louis Tuesday after having filed on a homestead seven miles east of town. She will return in a fortnight with her mother to reside permanently.

—The lodge No. 41 of A. F. and A. M. held their installation of Officers on St. Johns Day, December 27th and after the ceremony the invited guests and members enjoyed delightful refreshments.

—H. A. Morgan of Alamogordo stopped off Wednesday for a few hours to visit friends here He is enroute for Dalhart, Texas and from there will go to Colorado, to demonstrate the Perfection Sanitary Steam Washer.

Christmas has come and gone for the year 1910 and we must say it was a very pleasant Xmas in this place. The Bachelors gave a dinner at Geo. Thompkins and they had a jolly good time.

Jas. Cooper and wife took in the tree and dance at White Oaks Christmas eve.

There are quite a number of newcomers to camp most of them are occupied with placering.

A. H. Hayes of Texas is spending the winter in camp with his family.

Joe Ross has been a visitor to camp from the Estancia valley looking over his claims

The statehood question is beginning to loom up here to a great extent; the voters here seems to think that one reason is enough to vote against the instrument, viz. "they sent delegates to Santa Fe instructed for the Initiative and Referendum and the delegates failed utterly to keep that pledge so they think that the delegates had better go back and see if they can keep that much of their pledge, leaving, if necessary the other twelve objections to the future amendment by the people at large. It is very true one cannot suit everyone but the majority can be suited or as in the county seat case the Minority can tie up the majority if they cannot have their say.

A. H. Norton and wife, E. E. Willson and wife spent Xmas eve in White Oaks.

John Dale and family spent Christmas at Ancho with the family of S. Frambough.

Ted Reasoner and Al Watkins are spending Christmas week in camp resting up for the New Year.

**ALTO ITEMS**

The little ones enjoyed the Christmas tree at the Alto School house last Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Murphy of Capitan spent Xmas with their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips entertained a few friends with Christmas dinner last Sunday.

Mrs. J. J. Hollem entertained the following guests Christmas day: Mrs. W. D. Peebles and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Porter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Lane and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stuart and family, Mrs. W. H. Lane, Mrs. Bertie Jones and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lane and family, and Mrs. Will Brooke and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lane spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox and family, J. N. Reeder and Ted Reiter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coleman Christmas.

Misses Ethel Stuart, Annie Lon Brooke, M. Brooke, Nellie Phillips, Mary Lane and Messers Albert Lane, Wallace Stuart, Waldo Lane, Knox Phillips and Clarence Hollem were entertained by Lolo Phillips and Maria Lane Monday.

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

I announce myself as a candidate for Constable of Precinct No. Fourteen (Carrizozo) subject to the will of the people at the polls, Tuesday January 9th, 1911.

WALTER C. MILLER.

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