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WASHINGTON GOSSIP

Washington Folk Rediscover the Potomac River

FROM one standpoint the prolonged session of the Sixty-fourth congress has only been prolific of things political, but it has also served to give Washington a place in the hearts of a large number of transient residents only to be gained during the midsummer months. The river for water sports, the fine parks and country roads for driving, country clubs and roof gardens, both private and public, and numerous delightful places for dining al fresco are all revelations to those who see the capital only in its mid-winter or early spring aspect.



Not even by the greatest stretch of the imagination could one call Washington a watering place, or even a summer resort, but since the rediscovery of the Potomac river through the beautiful drives and walks established along its banks, the capital need no longer hold terrors for those who must remain within the ten-mile limit of the District.

No less a personage than President John Quincy Adams waded through the marshes and tangled grass to the banks of the Potomac for an early morning dip, while the same interesting proceeding is recorded of President Taylor.

Today one meets high officials bent upon the same errand, and almost at the same hour of the morning—just about seven o'clock. The secretary of state and Mrs. Lansing are investigating the charms of the municipal bathing pool with covetous eyes, and Mrs. Lansing longs to try out the skill acquired during the winter months at the natatorium on Capitol Hill.

Senator and Mrs. Morris Sheppard can tell you just exactly where to find the best spot in the pool for striking out, or a dive, or just merely to take it easy and float. Often their companions in the pool are Representative and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, both of whom love the water and are expert swimmers; or Mr. and Mrs. Burton Day, son and daughter-in-law of Mr. Justice Day, or Representative William P. Borland.

What Uncle Sam's Expert on Charred Money Does

MANY thousands of dollars are saved annually for the good, but often careless, people of these United States by Mrs. Amanda E. Brown, the charred money expert of the treasury department. It is Mrs. Brown's duty to put together burned and cut money when offered for redemption. Many interesting stories are told about her work.

Some years ago, so the story goes, a farmer, while feeding his pigs, dropped a roll of bills, which was devoured by one of them. The pig was killed at once and cut open, and the pulp was found. This was sent to the treasury department, the pieces put together and the money refunded to the happy farmer. The rules of the department are to the effect that if a bill can be successfully put together so that two-fifths of it are found, half of the value is refunded; if three-fifths can be put together the whole value is refunded.

Not so long ago someone sent a large number of very small bits of a bill to the department with a statement that they represented \$224. The letter was accompanied by an affidavit to that effect. After many days of work on the part of Mrs. Brown the bits were put together, and it was found that they made a complete one-dollar bill.

The front line can be traced through the United States each autumn, treasury officials say, through this redemption work. Farmers and others have a habit of hiding money in their stoves. When they light up for the winter, the money is forgotten until it is burned, and the ashes and pieces are sent to the treasury for redemption. Beginning in the North, this same thing occurs until even the Southern farmer is turning in his burned money, when he gets cold enough to light his stove. Each year more than 2,000 such cases are sent to the department.

Senator Kern Discovers Bad Case of Ignorance

WASHINGTON.—Senator John W. Kern of Indiana had an experience the other day which he will not soon forget. He was crossing the plaza east of the capitol when he was halted by a man and woman with question marks hanging out all over them, obvious signs of sight-seers and strangers in Washington. "What building is that?" asked the man, pointing to the capitol building, which he was facing, and could see its entire length from north to south. The man spoke "United States," his language and tone, as well as his style of dress, showing him to be an educated, pretty well-set-up man.



Senator Kern looked at the man and hesitated just a second, puzzled to know whether the man was making game of him or whether he did not know it was the United States capitol. Presently he replied with a critical smile, "That is the United States capitol."

The man noted the smile and resented it at once. "Well, I do not see any sign on the building to designate what it is," Senator Kern instantly replied, "No, they take the sign down in hot weather, it warps."

Rifle Practice Becomes a Fad in the Capital

IF YOU chance to be passing near Fourteenth and E streets and are attracted by rifle shots, screams, and shouts, be not alarmed—the danger is little. Investigation will show that the rifles are being fired in the gallery of the National Rifle Association of America; the screams are from timid women just learning the use of firearms, and the shouts emanate from husky men who have just rung the bull's-eye.

Every day a line of people files into the temporary gallery to take advantage of the free use of guns and ammunition, which the organization has offered to the public. The crack of the rifles is continuous. Instructors are kept busy explaining the gun, the shoulder hold, the finger grip, and, most of all, the target. The big fat man who approaches the rail with a confident smile, and bangs unsuccessfully 20 times, and then explains what a wonderful shot he once had been, was there. The tall, thin chap, who seems to strain under the weight of the gun and complains of his bad sight, was also there. He squinted 40 times before pulling the trigger, just to prove his assertion.

And, best of all, there were pretty young girls, anxious to be instructed. The only trouble the instructors had with them, after getting them to hold the gun, was to convince them that it was impossible to hold one's hands over one's ears and fire the gun at the same time. And the little scream came every time the rifle boomed.



YOU CAN'T PLAY WITHOUT STICKS



CAN'T UNITE PARTY

Hughes Not Able to Bring Together Opposing Elements.

That the Majority of Progressives Will Vote the Republican Ticket is Merely a Dream of the Leaders of the Organization.

Colonel Roosevelt and the standpat leaders in the Republican convention thought the Progressives would come back to the old party with a rush. It was believed that the followers of the moose would fall over themselves in returning. Many of them talked that way and many of them lost no time in getting into line.

But there never was a time when the rank and file of the Progressive party was satisfied with Roosevelt's action. John M. Parker, nominated by the Progressives as Roosevelt's running mate, expressed the feeling, doubtless, of the great majority of those who bolted the Republican party in 1912. The Republican organization had become so boss-ridden that no high-spirited man who loved "social justice" and honorable dealing could remain in it.

The Progressives took themselves seriously and in quitting the Republican party most of them quit it for good. But of the 4,120,507 who voted for Roosevelt some were so loyal to the colonel that they followed him unhesitatingly into the Hughes camp. But because some of the influential Progressives swore allegiance to Hughes and bossism, Chairman Willcox was encouraged to think that nearly all of them had returned.

In New York state, where the Progressives cast 890,000 votes, there is so much dissatisfaction among them that it is doubtful if 20,000 will vote for Hughes. Many thousands will remain independent, but a large contingent is believed to have made up its mind to vote the Democratic ticket.

A reunited Republican party was only a dream. If the O. O. P. was a bad party in 1912 it is certainly no better now. It would take a stronger man than Mr. Hughes to unite the opposing elements.

Voracious and Vindictive.

President Wilson has numerous enemies, but none so voracious and vindictive as the element in Mexico to whose service the use of the army and navy has been denied. This is a combination of predatory wealth, unscrupulousness and jingoism which, taken in connection with Wall street reactionaries and the Kaiser's hyphenates, ought to warm the cockles of every Old Guard heart.

If Mr. Hughes had not in his telegram of acceptance summoned to his side all the gluttony and revenge here mentioned we could not believe that such an alliance with him was possible. —New York World.

Opportunity to Begin at Home.

I would like to investigate this government for about six months.—Mr. Hughes.

Why not begin, first, by investigating the Republican party, its leaders, its secret purposes, its business and financial alliances? That would keep Mr. Hughes busy until election day at least.

WEAKNESS IN HIS REASONING

Mr. Hughes' Talks About "Temporary Prosperity" Will Have Hollow Sound to the Voters.

Existing conditions of employment in New York resemble those reported by public employment bureaus in surrounding cities and states. The public employment bureau states that it has continuous orders for more helpers at 20 cents and laborers at 25 cents an hour than it can fill. The demand for skilled machinists greatly outruns the supply. Skilled workers practically all lines are not hunting jobs; the jobs are hunting them.

That is all right enough in its way. But what has it to do with Mr. Hughes' campaign for the presidency? He stated the employment issue in his speech of acceptance. It was that before the outbreak of the European war over 300,000 were out of work in New York city. That was in consequence of the Democratic tariff. This reversed situation is in consequence of something else. It is therefore a "temporary prosperity." The other condition must therefore have been permanent in its nature. What exists accordingly is not worth considering. What was is alone capable of proving his case.

The Turks officially do not recognize their recent great disaster near the Suez canal, but bulletin in that connection Townshend's surrender of 12,000 British at Kut-el-Amara published three or four months ago. That is Mr. Hughes' way of dealing with the great Republican disaster of "temporary prosperity."

HUGHES NOT REAL LEADER

Republican Presidential Candidate Has Shown Himself to Be Merely a Seeker After Office.

The World cannot rejoice at the exhibition that Mr. Hughes is making of himself. This country always needs wise, sagacious political leadership. It needs it in both parties. It needs a Republican who can do for the Republican party what President Wilson has done for the Democratic party. It needs men who are 100 per cent leaders of political thought and political principle, and we used to regard Mr. Hughes as such a man. To discover that he is only 100 per cent office-seeker, and that he is ready to subordinate everything else to that ambition, brings to the World a sense of keen personal loss.

We feel that something very fine and very inspiring, has gone out of the public life of the United States. We feel that the American people are poorer because a Hughes who was once 100 per cent a judge has turned his back upon his record and his traditions in order to become a Hughes who is merely 100 per cent a candidate.—New York World.

Arguments Not Convincing.

The pith of the Republican campaign this year lies in a supposition of what Mr. Hughes would have done if he had been president during the storm years which the Wilson administration has faced. "If we had been there we would have managed differently," say the Republicans; but interestingly enough they fail to specify. They have all the valor and assurance of the slacker who, sulking in the rear, berates the man who is in service at the front.—Atlantic Journal.

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Candidate Announcements.

For Sheriff, JOHN B. BAIRD, C. W. HYDE, G. C. CLEMENTS.
For Tax Assessor, JOHN L. BRYAN, Jr.
For County Commissioner, WILLIS HIGHTOWER.
For Superintendent Public Schools, J. E. KOONCE, Mrs. G. E. de NISSON.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination for the position of superintendent of county schools subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

Mrs. W. L. GUMM.

Democratic County Convention.

Carrizozo, N. M., Sept. 12, 1916. A convention of the Democrats of Lincoln county, New Mexico, is hereby called to meet at the Court House at Carrizozo, New Mexico, at 10 o'clock a. m., Thursday, Sept. 24th, for the purpose of selecting candidates for the following offices: Sheriff, Assessor, Treasurer, Clerk, Probate Judge, School Superintendent, Surveyor, Commissioners, one from the First, Second and Third Districts.

Also, to select a candidate for Representative to the House of Representatives of the New Mexico Legislature.

Precinct Primaries to be held September 20th (Wednesday)

A County Chairman and a County Secretary of the Democratic Central Committee for Lincoln County will be selected at this County Convention.

All delegates are requested to be present in person; proxy can only be exercised by a resident voter of the precinct represented.

The basis of representation is one delegate for every ten votes, or fraction thereof, cast for the Hon. H. B. Ferguson at the last general election in 1911.

Table with 3 columns: Precinct Name, Votes, District. Includes Lincoln, San Patricio, Las Palas, Picacho, Rabenton, Encinosa, Jicarilla, White Oaks, Capitan, Rendoso, Nogal, Bomto, Corona, Carrizozo, Oscuro, Ancho.

Any persons not affiliated with the Democratic party should be invited to attend the precinct primaries.

F. W. G. ENLY, Chairman.

W. O. NORMAN, Secretary.

Miss Fanny Austin Dead.

After a lingering illness of many months, Miss Fanny Dean Austin died Saturday afternoon, September 9th, at the home of her sister Mrs. J. W. Laws of Lerma. The remains, accompanied by Mrs. C. A. Stevens, a sister, were sent to Kansas City for burial. Her mother, Mrs. A. C. Austin, a brother, F. F. Austin of Chicago, Mrs. J. W. Laws of Lerma, and Mrs. W. L. Gumm are the other members of the family.

Letter from H. Wallace.

Bisbee, Arizona, Aug. 10th, 1916.—The sad news of your husband's death gave me an awful shock. I had heard he was getting along so nicely in health, and was improving every day, and then to learn of his untimely death made the sad news worse. (If such a thing is possible) as I was planning to go up to Capitan this fall for a few days to shake hands with old friends and acquaintances, Mr. Gray in particular, as I have always held him in the highest esteem and I will always cherish the memory of the many kind acts he had done for me, and remember many that he has done for others. Mr. Bigger's article in the Mountaineer expresses the sentiments of myself and Charley Kirby, (who is now with this company). He and I extend our sympathy to you and your family in this sad bereavement.

Reply Your Friend, H. S. Wallace.

Democratic Precinct Convention.

The Democratic primary convention to select delegates to the county convention, which will nominate candidates for county offices, will meet in Capitan on next Wednesday the 20th inst. Let every Democrat in the precinct turn out and participate in this convention. The Democratic party of Lincoln county should nominate a ticket composed of good, capable and strong men, and the way to do this is for the members of the party to turn out and take part in the precinct conventions and see that good delegations are selected. See county chairman's call elsewhere in this paper.

C. C. MERCHANT, Precinct No. 9.

For County Commissioner.

At the solicitation of many friends and voters, Mr. M. H. Davis has consented to let his name be presented to the Democratic precinct and county conventions as a candidate for Commissioner in this Precinct, No. 9. It was only a few days ago that Mr. Davis determined to make race for this office, and consequently will not have time to see all the voters in precinct will and have to depend on reaching them through the press and otherwise. He has had an experience that well fits him for the important office of county commissioner. He served several terms as commissioner and justice of the peace and one term as county judge in Coke county, Texas, where he lived for many years before coming here. He also served several terms as justice of the peace in Eddy county, New Mexico, before moving to Lincoln county. There are reliable citizens living in this community who knew Judge Davis in Coke county, Texas, and are familiar with his official record; they say that it was one of the very best. That he worked continually for the best interest of the people; that he worked to cut down all unnecessary expenditures, and made the people a first class commissioner in every respect. The readers of this paper are requested to give Judge Davis' candidacy the consideration it deserves.

W. W. McDonald, the Singer Sewing machine man, who lives at Lincoln, was up Monday and presented the Mountaineer family with a cabbage weighing 22 1/2 pounds—the best one we have seen for a long time, and which was very much appreciated as well as relished. Mr. McDonald also left a sack of nice apples in exchange for a subscription to the paper.

Message from Paradise Valley

Some of our people in the Valley are breaking sod for another years crop.

Paradise Valley has a post office now, and the mail carrier made his first Monday.

Crops are much better in the Valley than any one expected. The grass is fine and cattle will go into the winter fat.

Our school is progressing nicely with an enrollment of 37 scholars. We are glad to report that Grandpa Slaughter is back-home again.

Mr. Roy Stewart is home to stay. He worked at Ft. Stanton one month, but there is too much excitement in Paradise Valley for him to stay away.

We have church most every Saturday and Sunday at the school house.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart entertained several friends last Sunday and served ice cream.

Mr. Boston Wright has gone down the Honda after a load of fruit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jefferies passed thru the Valley this week with a bunch of steers. They stopped over night at Sellers' on their way home.

Dr. Walker is home again to stay—he says.

Mr. Hare and family are on their way to Oklahoma to pick cotton.

Mr. Foster is building an addition of two rooms to his house.

Mr. Will Foster is buying some good horses.

Notes from Mountain View

Bro. Richard Pryor closed an eleven days meeting here Sunday night which was a great success, there being forty conversions and quite a few sanctified. There were nine baptized in the Mocho Bros.' tank Sunday evening.

Rev. Winder writes he will be here some time this week.

Mr. E. D. Hays came up from the Micho one day last week after his wife, who has been visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Fowler.

Mr. N. B. Dearman and niece, Mrs. Ulric Dearman, came up on Friday the 25th and stayed until Wednesday the 30th, and helped Bro. Pryor with the meeting. These people live at Nogal and we were glad to have them with us, as they are certainly fine people and we don't want them to forget old Mountain View.

Mrs. R. M. Hipp is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mamie Coor, of Paradise Valley.

The Spillers Bros. attended the meeting a portion of the time the past week. Rev. Dean also attended the meeting; a good many from Meek were in attendance, and also a large delegation from Cactus Flat and Richardson were here.

Bro. Pryor begins the week meeting Saturday night Sept. 9th. Everybody invited to attend.

Mr. Paul King, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. King, aged 20, and Miss Ella Zedlitz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Zedlitz, aged 18, were united in marriage last Wednesday evening at the home of the groom's parents, Rev. L. W. Carlton, a Methodist minister from Portales, N. M., officiating. These are among the most popular young people on the north side and their friends wish them prosperity and happiness. They will make their home for awhile in Jicarilla.

Mr. Frank Schult, who has been working in Carrizozo, is back on his homestead.

William Hayes, who is working for Mr. Moss near Carrizozo, is visiting home for a few days.

Messrs. Frank Schult and A. H. Hayes made a business trip to Carrizozo Friday returning home Saturday.

Baca Canyon Ripples.

Our school house has been cleaned preparatory to the opening of school soon.

Some of our farmers are topping their corn, of which they are going to have a bumper crop in this canyon.

Several of our citizens attended the circus at Zoza last Friday, and appeared well pleased with the entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Nabours made a business trip to Carrizozo last week. Mrs. Luther Keeling visited Mrs. Gaines of the north side for several days last week, returning home on Tuesday.

Horton Spillers has moved to Capitan to attend school this winter.

Several of our folks attended the big revival meeting on the north side which was conducted by Bro. Pryor.

Mr. B. F. Nabours spent the week end at the Baca Ranger Station, returning to Capitan Tuesday.

We are informed that the saw mill has changed hands, John C. Johns selling his interest out to his partner, Mr. Jim Hutchison, who continues to operate the mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hutchison have moved close to the mill where Mr. H. works.

White Oaks Items.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruidiselle left last week for an extended visit to the east.

Messrs. Ed Queen and Will Lee and families left for Douglas, Arizona.

The Iron Mines, thirty miles west of here, closed this week.

Miss Josephine S. Cale returned to her home at White Oaks after an extended visit to her sister in Kelley, New Mexico.

Mr. Townsend and family, who have been living on a ranch near White Oaks, have moved into town in order that their children might begin school Monday.

The school begins Monday. Prof. and Mrs. Wyatt are two of the teachers.

Miss Fannie Athofer is spending a few days in the country visiting her sister, Mrs. Fitzpatrick.

Billy Coulter, Kenneth Watson, Fred Lee, and Gordon Wells spent the day in Carrizozo last Friday.

Geo. W. Hall and James J. Morris have the contract of remodeling, painting and decorating the amusement hall at this place.

Mr. Fred Lee left for Douglas, Arizona, last Monday, where his father and brother are working in the mines.

Judge Geo. Barber, of Carrizozo, was among his Capitan friends Tuesday. Judge Barber is the Democratic nominee for district attorney and was looking after his campaign interests in this part of the country. He is one of the old time residents in Lincoln county is well known to all the early settlers who are nearly all his personal friends. Judge Barber is a good lawyer and has held the office of district attorney heretofore, and would take up the duties of the office with a familiarity that would give him an advantage over one who has never had experience in that position. He will not only carry the full Democratic vote of his home county, but he has a great many strong personal friends among the Republicans.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. 026406

Department of the Interior. U. S. Land Office, Roswell, N. M., Aug. 20, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that David Shesser, of Roswell, N. M., who, on August 30, 1912, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 026406, which was amended by "C" 4-20-14 to read, Lot 1, SE1/4, Section 1, Township 8-S, Range 19-E; and Lots 4 and 5, Section 6, Township 8-S, Range 20-S, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register or Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at Roswell, N. M., on Oct. 10, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Herbert Cawley, Will H. Johnson, Harry Thorne, Jafa Miller, all of Roswell, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON, Sept. 6—Oct. 4. Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. 025154

Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office Roswell, N. M., Sept. 1, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Apollinario Montoyo, of Tinnie, New Mexico, who, on Sept. 5, 1911, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 025154, for SE1/4, W1/2, and SE1/4, Section 8, Township 11-S, Range 18-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 C. C. Merchant, United States Commissioner, in his office, at Capitan, New Mexico, on Oct. 7, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Manuel Montoyo, Frank S. Viji, these of Tinnie, N. M., Anastacio Montoyo, Antonio Baldonado, these of Picacho, New Mexico.

EMMETT PATTON, Sept. 6—Oct. 4. Register.

Mr. E. W. Hulbert of near Lincoln has entered the race for the Republican nomination for clerk of Lincoln county.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. 026893

Department of the Interior. U. S. Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, Aug. 19, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Pipp, of Encinosa, N. M., who, on Jan 27, 1913, made Additional Homestead Entry, Serial No. 026893, for NW1/4, Section 11, Township 7-S, Range 16-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. C. Merchant, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Capitan, New Mexico, on Sept. 25, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Edward Zedlitz, Otto Zedlitz, James B. Coor, John Pipp, all of Encinosa, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON, Aug. 23—Sept. 20. Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. 027361

Department of the Interior. U. S. Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, Aug. 14, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Merjildo Padilla, of Capitan, New Mexico, who, on June 9, 1913, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 027361, for W1/2, NW1/4, and NE1/4, Section 11, Township 9-S, Range 14-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before C. C. Merchant, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Capitan, New Mexico, on Sept. 25, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Jose Torres, ys. Jose Hernandez, Amable Chavez, Jose Trujillo, all of Capitan, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON, Aug. 23—Sept. 20. Register.

LOCAL AND HOME NEWS

LEGAL DOCUMENTS.

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Sanguine of Success.

Mr. Henry M. Corn, Republican candidate for the nomination of Sheriff, is in town today meeting his many friends. Mr. Corn had made a thorough canvass of the county and expresses himself as very hopeful of securing the nomination, but will continue to do a little rounding up until the conventions meet next Monday.

Mr. Corn is one of the old settlers in the county and the people know him well. No man in the county has more close personal friends than he has; and these friends will stand by him until the last ditch is crossed. His popularity is deserved because he is true and loyal to his friends and the people. If elected, he will give his entire attention to the duties of the office and do his best to make the people a first-class Sheriff, and will serve all with equal impartiality, and will have no pets or favorites.

News is sent us from Glencoe that an 8-pound baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elza Perry last Friday night. Parents and baby all doing well.

News comes from Picacho that Billy Kimbrell's name will be before the democratic county convention as a candidate for the nomination for clerk of Lincoln county. Billy is a very popular man and will make a strong race if nominated.

The Republican county convention to nominate candidates for county officers will be held in Lincoln on Tuesday the 26th day of this month. Their precinct conventions will be on Monday the 18th of this month.

R. D. Kingston is making arrangements to start east in a few days with a bunch of horses and expects to be gone about six weeks. He will probably go into the Panhandle of Texas, along the Fort Worth & Denver road where there is a good cotton crop.

J. F. Betts will thereafter furnish the town with beef. Until cooler weather he will butcher on Tuesdays and Fridays and deliver the meat at Smith & Son's shop. Later he will open up a shop and keep beef and pork continually on hand.

E. C. Scott from Crosby county, Texas, is a new addition to the Paradise Valley community, having bought a place near John Littleton's. Mr. Scott was a recent caller at the Mountaineer office and added his name to its subscription list. He is a most agreeable man and our "latch string" is on the out side to him when he comes to Capitan.

Rev. S. M. Johnson was in Capitan last Monday and paid the Mountaineer a call. He informed the editor that the Parity Dairy Co., of Roswell, propose to enter this field very soon for business; that they would buy all the cream for sale in this part of the country and come after it. That they will be in a position to sell parties who are responsible Jersey cows on time and give them a chance to pay for same with dairy products.

Dr. F. H. Johnson was here Tuesday shaking hands with his Capitan friends. He stated that he is having a good practice in Carrizozo; that the Lucas-Johnson Infirmary is now about finished and ready to receive patients. This institution is not only a great thing for Carrizozo, but it is something that has been badly needed in this section of the country for a long time. The Doctors at the head of this Infirmary are well known to the country and it will no doubt prove a great success.

A house for rent and a cook stove for sale. Apply at this office.

County School Notes.

Mrs. M. L. Blaney has consented to act as chaperone of the children winning the State Fair trip in the Boys' and Girls' Industrial Club contest this fall. Each county is allowed to send ten members and interesting plans have been made for the comfort and pleasure of those who have faithfully carried on the club projects.

The school term opened Monday at White Oaks with Prin. A. W. Wyatt, Miss Fonta Smith, and Mrs. Wyatt as teachers; at Escondido is in charge of Miss Mary Smith; at Gallo Cannon with Miss Elsie Brown teaching. At Capitan with Supt. C. Y. Belknap, Miss Alva E. Battie, Miss Muriel Baker, and Clare V. Koogler teaching the Lincoln County High School, and in the grades Mrs. G. E. de Nisson, principal, assisted by Misses Mary G. Howard and Margaret Mathes. At Capitan Gap in charge of Miss Ida Coleman.

Escondido patrons are rushing the building of a new school house; Baca Cannon expects to build a new one this fall; both districts are to be commended in giving the children better opportunities for good schooling.

County School Superintendent, Mrs. Gumm, visited the Jack's Peak and Jicarilla District the past week and found both doing very well. These schools are taught by Mr. and Mrs. Burnett. The new building at Jack's Peak is to have a cistern and a good fence if not more extensive repairs before another term. Many new settlers in this part of our county shows in the increased attendance in the schools.

The New Mexico State Record has recently issued a special edition, of 62 pages, full of half-tone cuts of public men, buildings, scenes, etc. The subject matter embraces a wide scope of historical information as well as write-ups of the state's rapid development. The mechanical execution of the paper is not only a beautiful piece of typographical art, but cannot be excelled in that respect anywhere in the whole country. The issue shows great enterprise on the part of the publishers of the State Record and will be appreciated by its subscribers and all people who are interested in the state's development.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office Roswell, New Mexico, Aug. 25, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Esequil Sandoval, of Picacho, N. M., who, on Feb. 19, 1913, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 026977, for W1/2 SE1/4; SE1/4; and SW1/4, Section 9, Township 11-S, Range 18-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register or Receiver, U. S. Land Office, Roswell, N. M., on Oct. 7, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Willie Kimbrell, Antonio Maldonado, Lutario Fresques, Bony Kimbrell, all of Picacho, N. M. EMMETT PATTON, Aug. 30-Sept. 27. Register.

FOR SALE.

140 acres of land in the forest, plenty of outside range, two room house, well, 12 acres in cultivation, 30 fruit trees, five miles from town. Price \$1600. Inquire at the Mountaineer of Picacho.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION PUBLIC LAND SALE LINCOLN COUNTY.

Office of the Commissioner of Public Lands, Santa Fe, New Mexico, August 4, 1916. Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of an Act of Congress, Approved June 20, 1910, the laws of the State of New Mexico, and the rules and regulations of the State Land Office, the Commissioner of Public Lands will offer at Public Sale, to the highest bidder at 9 o'clock, A. M. on Friday, October 20th, 1916, in the town of Carrizozo, County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, in front of the court house therein, the following described tracts of land, viz:

Sale No. 512, W1/2 Sec. 13, All of Secs. 14, 15, 21, W1/2 SW1/4, S1/2 SE1/4, N1/2 Sec. 22, NE1/4 Sec. 23, NW1/4 Sec. 24, N1/2 Sec. 27, All of Sec. 28, SE1/4, E1/2 SW1/4 Sec. 29, NE1/4, E1/2 SW1/4 Sec. 32, T. 6S., R. 16E., containing 3480 acres. There are no improvements on this land.

Sale No. 513, All of Sec. 1, Lot 1, SE1/4 NE1/4, S1/2 SW1/4 Sec. 2, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, E1/2 SE1/4, SW1/4 SE1/4 Sec. 3, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 4, E1/2 SW1/4, SW1/4 Sec. 11, All of Sec. 12, NW1/4 Sec. 14, NW1/4 Sec. 15, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, E1/2 SW1/4, E1/2 Sec. 15, E1/2 SE1/4, SW1/4 SE1/4 Sec. 22, W1/2 NW1/4, N1/2 SE1/4 Sec. 23, N1/2 SW1/4 SE1/4 Sec. 24, SW1/4 NW1/4 Sec. 25, SW1/4 NW1/4 Sec. 26, NW1/4 NW1/4 Sec. 27, SW1/4 NW1/4, SE1/4 SW1/4, NE1/4 SE1/4 Sec. 28, SE1/4 NE1/4, NW1/4 SE1/4, SE1/4 SE1/4 Sec. 31, N1/2 NW1/4 Sec. 32, NW1/4 SW1/4 Sec. 34, T. 7S., R. 10E., containing 5012.30 acres. There are improvements on this land consist of fencing, value \$120.

Sale No. 514, SW1/4 NW1/4, W1/2 SW1/4 Sec. 2, NE1/4 SW1/4 Sec. 3, NE1/4 NW1/4 Sec. 4, NE1/4 Sec. 9, N1/2 Sec. 10, NW1/4 NW1/4 Sec. 11, E1/2 SE1/4, SW1/4 Sec. 12, NE1/4 Sec. 19, T. 7S., R. 11E., containing 1560.63 acres. There are no improvements on this land.

Sale No. 515, E1/2 E1/2 SW1/4 Sec. 13, W1/2 SW1/4, SW1/4 Sec. 14, SE1/4, SW1/4, NE1/4 SE1/4 Sec. 22, NW1/4, W1/2 NE1/4 Sec. 23, NE1/4, S1/2 NW1/4 Sec. 24, T. 7S., R. 15E., containing 1500 acres. There are no improvements on this land.

Sale No. 516, Lot 4, Sec. 7, NW1/4, W1/2 NE1/4, W1/2 SW1/4 Sec. 13, SE1/4, E1/2 NE1/4, SW1/4 NW1/4 Sec. 14, NW1/4, NE1/4 Sec. 15, All of Sec. 16, NE1/4, SW1/4 NW1/4, W1/2 SW1/4 Sec. 17, W1/2 SE1/4, SW1/4 Sec. 18, NW1/4, SW1/4 NW1/4 Sec. 19, NE1/4 Sec. 8, S1/2 Sec. 10, T. 7S., R. 16E., containing 3192.29 acres. There are no improvements on this land.

Sale No. 517, All of Sec. 15, S1/2 Sec. 16, S1/2 Sec. 17, S1/2 Sec. 18, T. 7S., R. 17E., containing 1629.20 acres. There are no improvements on this land.

Sale No. 518, S1/2, SE1/4, Sec. 31, All of Sec. 32, SE1/4, N1/2 SW1/4, SE1/4 SW1/4 Sec. 33, T. 8S., R. 16E., containing 1411.30 acres. There are no improvements on this land.

Sale No. 519, SW1/4 NW1/4, NE1/4 SW1/4, SE1/4 NW1/4, NE1/4 Sec. 11, SE1/4 NW1/4, N1/2 NW1/4 Sec. 12, T. 8S., R. 11E., containing 400 acres. There are no improvements on this land.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION 024793

Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, Aug. 7, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Elias Barela, of Arabela, New Mexico, who on May 16, 1911, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 024793, for amended entry, W1/2 SE1/4; NE1/4 SE1/4; and SE1/4 NE1/4, Section 28, Township 8-S, Range 18-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 Register or Receiver U. S. Land Office, at Roswell, New Mexico on Sept. 16, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Casimiro, Barela; Santacruz Guebara, Demitro Gonzales, Isidor Chaves, all of Arabela, New Mexico. EMMETT PATTON, Aug. 16-Sept. 13 Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION 025213-029520

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, Aug. 25, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Lewis England, of Capitan, New Mexico, who on Oct. 2, 1911, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 025213, for the S1/2 SE1/4, Sec. 7; S1/2 SW1/4, Sec. 8; and on Nov. 9, 1914, made additional Homestead Entry, Serial No. 029520, for the NW1/4, Sec. 17, Township 10-S, Range 14-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to the land above described, before C. C. Merchant, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Capitan, New Mexico, on Oct. 2, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: John E. West, Marshall C. West, Monroe Howard, these of Capitan, New Mexico, William H. Evans, of Alto, New Mexico. EMMETT PATTON, Aug. 30-Sept. 27 Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION 025194

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, Aug. 18, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Eugene T. Pritchett, of Tinnie, New Mexico, who, on Sept. 20, 1911, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 025194, for SE1/4 SE1/4, Section 33, Township 11-S; N1/2 NW1/4; SW1/4 NW1/4; NW1/4 SW1/4; Section 3, NE1/4 SE1/4; Section 4, Township 12-S, Range 17-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 C. C. Merchant, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Capitan, New Mexico, on Sept. 22, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Jose Gonzales, Edward W. Nelson, H. Doyle Murray, James W. Talley, all of Tinnie, N. M. EMMETT PATTON, Aug. 23-Sept. 20 Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION 026468

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, Aug. 8, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Ernest D. Hays, of Encinosa, New Mexico, who, on Sept. 19, 1912, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 026468, for S1/2 NW1/4; and N1/2 SW1/4, Section 14, Township 7-S, Range 15-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. C. Merchant, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Capitan, New Mexico, on Sept. 16, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Charles A. Thompson, William M. Rickard, Oscar L. Patterson, James A. Hipp, all of Encinosa, New Mexico. EMMETT PATTON, Aug. 16-Sept. 13 Register.

Wants to Know

The address of Paul N. Danerck, jr., who lives in this county. Please write John Hall, Encinosa, N. M.

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High Tide of Output for War Purposes Not Yet Reached—Is Now Army for Allies—Work of the Scientists.

London.—The enormous stride made by Great Britain toward solving the problem of munitions was made clear in the course of a speech recently delivered by F. Kellaway, parliamentary secretary to Doctor Addison (parliamentary secretary to the ministry of munitions). Mr. Kellaway said the most prominent fact of the war was that the price of victory was unlimited munitions.

"The British army in early days," he said, "was so out-munitioned that the British soldier ought to have been beaten before the fighting began. But he proved that he was a better fighting man than the German. What he lacked in munitions he made up in devil, in initiative, and in endurance.

"I do not think anything that Germany has ever done equals the work this country has accomplished in the way of industrial organization during the last twelve months. Great Britain, which has throughout been the treasury of the allies, has now become their armory. There are now scattered up and down the country some 4,000 controlled firms producing munitions of war.

"The vast majority of these previous to the war never produced a gun, a shell or a cartridge; yet in ten months the industry of munitions has obtained from these firms a number of shells greater than the total production of all the government arsenals and great armament shops in existence at the commencement of the war.

Increase of Arsenal.

"Speaking in the house of commons last year Mr. Lloyd George started the country by saying that eleven new arsenals had been provided. Today, not eleven but thirty arsenals have been built or adapted. Our weekly output of .303 cartridge is greater by millions than our annual output before the war. There is a certain machine gun being produced by the hundred every week in a factory ordered, planned and built during the past twelve months. The output of guns and howitzers has increased by several hundred per cent.

"We are not yet at the full flood of our output of guns and shells. If the Germans cannot be driven home otherwise, our army will have such a supply of guns that the limbers will touch each other in a continuous line from the Somme to the sea. France, Russia and Italy have been supplied by or through Great Britain with many of the most important munitions of war. Many thousands of tons of steel have been and are being sent to France.

"Our contribution toward the equipment of the Belgian army has been continuous, and the Serbian army has been re-equipped and restored to a magnificent fighting force very largely by the workshops and workers of the United Kingdom.

"The labor situation has been to a considerable extent saved by our work-

MRS. "JACK" GERAGHTY



Mrs. Jack Geraghty, after several years out West, has returned to Newport for the summer season. Mrs. Geraghty is a niece of Mrs. Eliza French Vanderbilt. She was formerly Miss Julia French and gave society quite a shock several years ago when she eloped with "Jack" Geraghty, then a Newport chauffeur. The Geraghtys live in Manchester, and they have not been in Newport for some time. The photo was taken at the dog show of the Rhode Island Kennel club at Newport, N. I. She is shown with her dog, Cross Farm Lass.

HEIR TO AUSTRIAN THRONE AT THE FRONT



Though Von Hindenburg is in supreme command now of most of the Teutonic armies on the east front, Archduke Karl Francis Joseph, heir to the Austrian throne, still rules over his part of the line, in Galicia. He is here seen with one of his generals planning a new move.

en. There were 184,000 women engaged in war industries in 1914. Today there are 634,000. The total number of war workers in 1914 was 1,108,000. It has now increased to 3,500,000. There are 471 different munition processes upon which women are now engaged. The women of France are doing wonders in munition making, but our women munition workers beat the world.

Work of the Scientists.

Referring to glass, Mr. Kellaway said: "The problem facing the government is, first, to discover the formula of glasses, and having discovered it, to establish the industry. It is fortunate that in this crisis we have available a few scientific men who have been working for years almost without recognition, and we have also institutes such as the Imperial college at South Kensington and the National Physical laboratory at Teddington. The government went to these men and asked them to discover the formula used by the Germans in their production of optical and chemical glass.

"These British scientists, after a few weeks experiments, discovered many of the formulae, and it then became possible to begin manufacture on a

commercial scale. The result was that within a year after the outbreak of war the output of optical glass in this country was multiplied four and a half times. It has now increased to fourteen times the output previous to the war, and there is good ground for saying that by the end of the year it will have multiplied twentyfold.

"The ministry of munitions has built, or is building, housing accommodations for 60,000 persons, and canteens and mess rooms in munition works now provide decent accommodation, where 500,000 workers take their meals every day.

"For a long time our antiaircraft gunners have been crying out for an improved height finder for Zeppelins, the existing height finders being slow, clumsy and having a margin of error of hundreds of feet. You will realize how that handicapped our gunners in their attempts to bring down Zeppelins.

"Three men set to work on the problem, and in two or three months they produced a height finder which gave rapidly and exactly the height of a Zeppelin. It is an important discovery, but the problem is only one of hundreds which are continually cropping up."

RELATE STORIES OF THE BIG PUSH

Wounded British Soldiers Tell of Thrilling Moments in Charges in Picardy.

BULLETS STOPPED BY BOOK

Machine Gunner is Killed in a Tree—Artillery Work is Marvel of Exactness—Find Few Rifles in Captured Trenches.

London.—This city is now daily being thrilled by the stories of the great push on the Somme which the wounded soldiers have brought back with them. Sorely wounded as many of them are, and after a journey which all the care made barely endurable, the men still tingle with the thrill of the charge and their talk is all of the glorious rush with which they carried every obstacle.

"We went over in grand style," said a sergeant recalling the assault on Montauban, "and found the place in an awful mess. Most of the houses had been knocked head over heels—the only ones I saw standing were a couple of cafes. As we came on we saw lots of Germans running out of the back of the village, but there were plenty of them monkeying about the ruins. We divided the company up into groups of six, but as we neared the village we joined up again. My five pals and myself saw some Hun in a ground floor room, so we dropped a Mills bomb through the window and didn't wait for an answer.

"As we turned the corner we saw a German lying round the end of a wall. He'd got a machine gun and had made a little emplacement with bricks. It turned the damned thing on me and got me in the foot. It didn't stop me though, and when I was getting near to him I felt two kicks over the heart. I didn't wait to see what happened, but simply went at him and bayoneted him. I couldn't go on much further, so I sat down to see what was the damage.

Book Stopped Bullets.

"My foot was pretty bad, but when I looked at my left hand breast pocket I saw two holes in it. I opened my pocket and found that two bullets had gone through my metal shaving mirror, through my pocket case and had nosed their way into a book I was carrying. The two bullets after piercing the mirror and case had met and fused into one lump of metal.

"The Germans seemed to be all ages from sixteen to fifty I should say. Some of them came up crying out that they had had no food for five days. One of our boys did wonders with the bayonet—he was chasing three Germans—he caught them up and bayoneted two, as he swung round, he hit the third man down with the butt of his rifle.

"As we were going into Montauban we saw a German machine gunner up a tree. He'd got the neatest little platform you ever saw painted so that it was almost invisible. We shot him, but he didn't fall clear. The last we saw of him was that he was hanging by his boots from the tree.

"The spirit of our boys was splendid—they simply loved the fun. One of them got blown up by a shell. He seemed pretty dazed, but he picked himself up and came along. All he said was, 'Oh, there must be a war on after all, I suppose.'

Picked Off Two by Two.

"We had carried the first two lines and on getting into the third we saw the Germans coming up from the two exits of a deep dugout and piling off down the trench. Our platoon commander got into the trench and picked the enemy off as they came out. He had the mouth of the dugout on either side of him, say fifteen yards away. He was as cool as a cucumber; he simply turned from right to left and fired just as if he was in a snuffing gallery. It was the best bit of fancy shooting I've seen."

A sergeant major of the Middlesex speaking of the work of English artillery, said: "They were simply magnificent and as we advanced they lifted trench by trench. The battalion went over and on in fine style. It was just like a parade and the men felt confident, as they knew that large reserves were behind them."

A corporal in the Northumberland Fusiliers gave a picture of the precision with which the assault was carried out.

"Just on time," he said, "the first line went away, not hurrying a bit just taking it easy. Then came the second line. Of course there were gaps, but these were soon filled. Then went the third line and I followed up with the supports. Everything was going A1.

"The artillery was lifting from trench to trench and we were following on step by step. It was just like a field day. The carriers with bombs and ammunition kept on coming along as cheerful as anything, and then later in the day I got moved back into one of our front lines and on to the dressing station."

One man who had been at Montauban said that in the German trenches they found plenty of men, but as far as they could judge bombs were the chief weapons, not rifles. Several men spoke of the comparatively small number of rifles in the trench.

POULTRY

LISTEN FOR CACKLE OF HEN

Feed Fowls in Accordance With Demands of Nature as Propounded by Poultry Experts.

Listen for the cackle of your hen. It has a money value to you.

The winter season is approaching, when the price of eggs will advance and the cackle will become of even greater significance to you.

Plan for the cackle, feed the hens in accordance with the demands of nature as propounded by the experts who have spent their lives in the work.

If the cackle is not heard with sufficient frequency ask yourself why. Dig down and study the subject for the more you study the oftener the hen will cackle, and cackling means more eggs and a bigger bank account. It is the law of nature that a hen should lay, and cackle. She should lay often and do much cackling, for that, too, is nature's law.

But she will not lay unless she receives proper food and care, and therein lies the wisdom of the man who thinks before he acts.

Get hold of some good literature, read up on the subject of egg production, apply the knowledge you thus obtain, and in the end you will learn to experience a keen delight in every cackle of your hens.

Your hen wants to cackle—she will cackle, if you give her a chance. And there's money in the cackle of a hen.

BEST TURKEYS FOR BREEDING

Error for Farmer to Feed Stock Fowls With Those Intended for the Holiday Market.

It is a great mistake for the farmer to feed his stock turkeys with those intended for the holiday markets, yet so many of them do. It is the worst thing in the world to do. Before the turkeys are made ready for market make choice of the turkeys you expect to keep over for breeding purposes and choose your very best. Place these somewhere away from the rest, and while you keep them in fine condition by feeding corn, wheat and oats, the latter, if boiled, forming a healthy ration for turkeys, do not seek to



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lay on the fat you want on the market turkeys. This is why stock turkeys often die in the winter, simply because they were fattened until the liver broke down and became diseased because of its own fat.

BEST CHICKENS FOR CAPONS

Fowls Hatched in May and June Are Favored—Cockeries Are Valuable as Broilers.

Chickens hatched in May and June are better for capons, as the earlier cockeries are worth too much as broilers from two to four pounds to caponize and hold over until the capon market opens up, which is from about the middle of January until about the middle of March. At the age of eight or nine months a capon from larger varieties of chickens will weigh from seven to twelve pounds. For the last few years live capons have sold from 15 to 25 cents per pound and the rooster from 6 to 8 cents per pound.

Other uses may be made of the capon, for, with a little encouragement, he will mother a brood of little chicks, cluck and scratch for them as their real mother would. A rather queer sight to see. He has also been made to sit with good results by some poultrymen.

CREATION OF FERTILE EGGS

One Male to Ten or Fifteen Hens Is Average Ratio With Small Breeds, Such as Leghorns.

The following ratio of male to females may be expected to produce fertile eggs under average conditions: Small breeds, such as Leghorn, one male to 10 or 15 females; medium-size breed, such as Plymouth Rock and Rhode Island Red, one male to 8 or 10 females, and heavy breeds, like Brahma, one male to six or eight females. The activity of the individual male is, of course, a governing factor.

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