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# THE DEMING GRAPHIC

VOL. XV, NO. 2 DEMING, NEW MEXICO, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1918. FIVE CENTS THE COPY

## "SAVE SUGAR" IS CRY

Situation Worse Than Ever, According to State Food Administrator R. C. Ely

### Wires H. G. Bush to Ask Consumers and Dealers to Unite in Renewed Conservation

The state food administration is out with another plea to the people of New Mexico to go slower on the sugar, which is becoming scarcer and scarcer. The new plea came in the shape of a telegram from R. C. Ely, state food administrator, to his assistant, H. G. Bush, who is in Deming for a brief stay this week. Mr. Ely asks that consumers ask for, and dealers, sell, only a week's supply to each person living in the city, and a month's supply to each one in the country, based on the allowance of two pounds per month per person. This is in line with the efforts of County Administrator Fred Sherman, who sees much that is alarming in the sugar situation.

The food administration points out that in Deming the sugar allowance for September was based on the regular amount needed when Camp Cody was full of soldiers, whereas for three weeks there have been less than three thousand men there, but several local eating houses and a bakery or two have failed to take advantage of this chance to save more sugar.

Mr. Ely and Mr. Bush have just returned from a trip to Washington, where the food officials from all the states were assembled, and Mr. Bush declares that while there it was made plain to them that it is fast becoming our job to feed not only ourselves and our allies, but Russia and a large part of the neutral world as well. Africa, Asia and South America are depending on American food supplies to relieve what amounts to famine in some places, notably the west African coast. Northern Russia is literally starving.

While in Washington Mr. Bush heard an address by Floyd Gibbons, the Chicago Tribune war correspondent, who is just back from France a permanent cripple from war wounds. Gibbons declared the morale of the American soldiers is the marvel of all Europe, their only drawback from the soldiers' standpoint being an unwillingness to retreat under any circumstances. An American general, on being remonstrated with by the French command for this failing on the part of his troops, replied: "If the kaiser and his six sons can't stop them, how the hell do you expect me to?"

Mr. Bush expects a call soon into the construction branch of the service, for which he has qualified, and will probably remain in Deming until the call comes.

### Notice to Teachers

Teachers whose certificates have extensions and those who are teaching on permits are required to take examinations for certificates. All teachers affected by this ruling should notify me before the 25th of September—if you are to take examination—so that I may send in time to the department for the required number of examination questions.

The next state examination for teachers will be held in the office of the superintendent on October 4 and 5, 1918. I would urge that you do not neglect this matter.

ALICE G. SMITH, State Board of Education, Following is a copy of a letter from State Superintendent Wagner:

State Board of Education, Santa Fe, New Mexico, To the County Superintendents of Schools:— Under the laws of New Mexico all permits and extensions expire at the next regular examination. It will be necessary for all teachers to have their certificates in order to draw their salary.

The next state examination for teachers, will be held on October 4 and 5, 1918. You will kindly notify at once all teachers in your county who will need to take the examination in order that they may properly prepare themselves for the same.

At this examination all subjects must be taken, as no grades are carried over from previous examination. You will be sure and bring this to the attention of your teachers both now and at the time of examination.

Yours very truly, JONATHAN H. WAGNER, State Superintendent.

## SELF DEFENSE IS PLEA OF MRS. CASE

Former Deming Woman's Life Hangs on Claim That Husband Attempted Her Life

Santa Fe, Sept. 19.—The defense of Mrs. Maud R. Case, now on trial in district court before Judge Reed Holloman on the charge of killing her husband, will be that she shot him in a duel to which he had challenged her under threats of death, but that she shot him without any consciousness of pulling the trigger of the shot gun, so worked up had she been over his words: "Get your gun, I tell you, and protect yourself, you or—"

This defense was outlined in a 50-minute statement to the jury this morning by A. B. Renehan, of counsel for Mrs. Case. His statement was filled with sensations, and among them was his declaration that Case had challenged his wife to a duel some time before his death, and in the dead of night pulled her from her bed, handed her a pistol, took one himself, commanded her to turn her back to his back, as they stood in the center of the room, and then ordered her to pace off seven steps, whirl around and fire, so that one or the other might die.

Counsel declared that the defendant, Mrs. Case, at the last moment, refused to fight this duel, but baring her breast had challenged her husband to fire at her and end it all; that he calmed down, and left the house.

The statement to the jury was followed by testimony introduced by Paul J. Case, of Deming, brother of the dead man, who testified for the defense. He swore that Case's father had been mentally unbalanced and that he believed Case had showed symptoms of being mentally unbalanced, especially by his alleged cruel treatment of Mrs. Case.

An El Paso physician followed Paul Case and testified that he had seen R. H. Case at Deming and thought he did not behave like a normal man.

### Seventy-Five Sugar Slackers

Seventy-five violators of the sugar regulations have been spotted by County Food Administrator Fred Sherman, who is considering the issuing of sugar cards as a way of combatting the difficulty. It is surprisingly hard, he says, to make the public see that to over-buy the sugar allowance is an act of slackerism no less than is the refusal to carry a gun. Many who are very patriotic in other respects will persist in buying more sugar than they are entitled to, in some cases many times that amount.

The price-interpreting board did not meet Tuesday night, as the food administrator had important business elsewhere and there were no prices in particular need of revision. So this week's prices are the same as were published last week.

### Rescues Boy from Drowning

The Presbyterian Sunday school picknicked last Saturday at Idlewild, the Sherman home, east of Deming, and enjoyed a plunge in the big swimming pool there. This feature of the day's fun also furnished Benjamin Sherman, Fred's 9-year-old son, a chance to display his mastery of Boy Scout first aid work. A small boy got in deep water in the pool and was in danger of drowning when Benjamin went to the rescue and brought him out in proper style. This is the boy's second rescue of the kind this summer. Looks as if he is about in line for a medal of some sort.

Karl A. Snyder of Deming received word Sunday of an accident to his daughter, Miss Helen, at Los Angeles, where the Snyders are making their home. Miss Snyder was struck by a street car. Her injuries are not regarded as dangerous.

Matthew Hazeltine, a nephew of Karl A. Snyder, visited here Saturday with that gentleman on his way to Dallas, where he is an aviation student in the army.

E. R. Valandingham, publisher of the Headlight, was at Tucson yesterday attending a meeting of the directors of the A. E. railway, of which he is a member.

Rev. J. A. Ludlam of Oklahoma City arrived in Deming last week with his family, to take the Nazarene pastorate here.

## Call for Republican County Convention, Luna County

Pursuant to the direction of the Republican Central Committee of Luna County, New Mexico, a delegate convention of the Republican voters of the County of Luna, in the State of New Mexico, is hereby called to meet at the Luna county court house, at Deming, on Thursday, the 26th day of September, 1918 at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of nominating candidates for county offices; electing delegates to the Republican State, Legislative and District Conventions, and for the transaction of such other business as may be properly brought before said convention.

The apportionment for the County Convention is based on the representation of one delegate for each fifteen votes or fraction thereof in the last general election for Hon. H. O. Bursum for Congress, and upon such apportionment the several precincts are entitled to the following representations:

Precinct No.	Delegates
1. Deming	19
2. Mimbres	1
3. Cooks	1
4. Myndus	2
5. Columbus	7
6. Hermanas	1

### CALL FOR PRECINCT PRIMARY. NAME LUNA CHAIRMEN

Precinct No. 1. Luna County, New Mexico

A Precinct Primary of the Republican voters of Precinct No. 1, Luna County, New Mexico, will be held in the Court House in Deming, New Mexico, on Saturday, September 21st, 1918, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of electing delegates to the Republican County Convention which meets in Deming, New Mexico, on Thursday, September 26th, 1918 for the purpose of nominating candidates for county offices; electing delegates to the Republican State Legislative and District Conventions, and for the transaction of such other business as may be properly brought before said convention.

F. E. SAMUELS, Precinct Chairman.

### Start on Swimming Pool

Frank Samuels, contractor, began work Wednesday on the new swimming pool at the corner of Spruce and State, which the war camp community board expects to have in operation in a month. A. A. Fisk, director of the camp activities for the border district, was here Sunday from El Paso to complete arrangements for the starting of the work.

Frank Allemon, who was in charge at the armory last week, has returned to Del Rio, Texas. D. A. Macpherson, whom he relieved here, is expected to return this week from a trip to the northern part of the state.

### Changes Name of Store

After three and a half years in business at his Gold avenue stand J. P. DeCrocker has changed the name of his 5c and 10c store to the "Deming Variety Store," the new name being prominently displayed in a new sign put up this week. The Variety Store is expanding in the scope of goods handled, having added a line of women's ready-made clothing, and a line of dry goods is next on the program, according to Mr. DeCrocker. Just now the line attracting most attention is a new shipment of Japanese mechanical toys, one of the largest if not the very largest assortments that has come to Deming.

### New Photoplayer at Princess

A new photoplayer is being installed at the Princess theatre, the old player being transferred to the Isis. The old photoplayer at the Isis was turned in on the deal for the new instrument, which is expected to be in operation today.

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**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

The banks desire to call the general public attention to the fact that Liberty Bonds of the Second Issue bear only one conversion privilege; namely, to be converted into Third Liberty Bonds, and that the privilege of conversion expires November 9, after which time all Second Liberty Bonds will remain permanently Seconds. This does not apply to First Liberty Bonds converted, that is, the original issue. If any one desires to exchange his 4 per cent bonds for 4 1/2 bonds, we will be glad to attend to the conversion, but especially request that you have Bonds in our hands on or before October 15th.

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## GARAGE OWNER AT VANADIUM KILLED

J. R. Bedore Victim of Bullet Alleged to Have Been Fired by S. E. Bailey

Vanadium, a small settlement between Hanover and Santa Rita, was the scene of a fatal shooting last Thursday morning as a result of which James M. Bedore, a garage proprietor, was almost instantly killed, his alleged assailant being S. E. Bailey, former postmaster at Vanadium, and owner of mining claim in that vicinity.

There were no eye-witnesses to the shooting. The first man to reach Bedore after he had been shot was L. E. Freeland, merchant at Vanadium. According to Freeland's story he heard a loud report, but believed it was an exploding automobile tire. Almost immediately thereafter, Freeland said, Bailey walked into the store and remarked that he, Freeland, had better go out and see what was the matter with Bedore.

Freeland quickly investigated and found Bedore lying on the ground beside a car, breathing his last. He had been shot through the stomach. The officers were at once notified and when they arrived on the scene, Bailey was arrested and taken to Santa Rita.

Testimony introduced at the coroner's inquest and later at the preliminary hearing, tended to show that Bedore was renting a house from Bailey and that the latter had been endeavoring to force him to move out. This Bedore declined to do, claiming a lease. It is presumed that this dispute worked on Bailey, the alleged murderer, until in a fit of anger he sought Bedore and shot him.

Following the preliminary hearing, he'd at Santa Rita, Friday, at which District Attorney J. S. Vaughn of Deming, appeared for the state, Justice of the Peace Jesse L. Turner bound Bailey over to the county grand jury, without bond, on a charge of murder in the first degree. The prisoner was transferred to the county jail in Silver City for safe-keeping.

Bailey has lived in the Santa Rita district for a number of years. He has a son in the army and is a man about 55 years old. Bedore, the dead man, was about 32, and is survived by a widow and several small children. He formerly worked in Santa Rita, removing to Vanadium some months ago where he opened up a garage in partnership with Frank Ritzer, Silver City Independent.

### No Pershing Day Drive

The county W. S. S. committee decided at the eleventh hour to make no concentrated drive on Pershing day, because of the approaching Liberty loan campaign and the fact that Luna county had already passed its quota. So no active canvassing was done, though interest in "Pershing Day" was such that between five and six thousand dollars worth of stamps were sold on that day at the post-office and the banks.

### Catholic Priest Arrested

Father Berg, rector of the Catholic church at Lordsburg, is in jail here on a disloyalty charge, following his failure to register Sept. 12th. It is understood that he has been very free with talk bordering on the sedition, and the sentiment aroused against him crystallized in the arrest as soon as it became known he had not registered. No charge has as yet been lodged against him with the commissioner, Judge McKeyes.

### Animas to Get Agent

Hugh H. Williams, chairman of the state corporation commission, was here the first of the week on business connected with the demand at Animas, southwest of here on the E. P. & S. W., for a station agent. He was inclined to think, when here, that the demand would be granted.

### Seven Merchants Marine Recruits

Jimmie Hines, enrolling agent for the merchant marine enrolled the following applicants last Saturday: Emmett Vestal, Frank Rominger, Roy Evans, Basil Toney, Pete Folly, Roy Lindsey, Elbert Lewis. The boys are awaiting call to Mare Island, Calif.

### Liberty Loan Payments

Payments on the bonds of the 4th Liberty Loan will be as follows: Cash, 10 per cent. Nov. 21, 21 per cent. Dec. 19, 20 per cent. Jan. 1, 20 per cent. Jan. 30, 30 per cent. DEMING NATIONAL BANK.

## MARCH DENIES STORY

General Furthermore States Directly That Camp Cody Will Not be Abandoned

### Inquiry by Senator Jones Brings Final Assurance of High Standing of this Camp

General March has effectively squelched the report that he had ordered Camp Cody abandoned after the training of the 97th division, which is expected here soon. This report, which was published in an Omaha paper on Sept. 7th, was refuted last week by Senator Fall, who wired the chamber of commerce here that the report was all wrong. Since then the committee on public information, George Creel chairman, has repudiated the report, and a few days ago another conviction came in the shape of a wire from Senator A. A. Jones, to whom the chamber of commerce had addressed an inquiry. The senator's message follows:

Washington, Sept. 19. Chamber of Commerce, Deming:

General March denies that he made announcement relative to abandoning Camp Cody. Statement erroneous. States he did not make any such statement to anyone and THERE IS NO INTENTION OF ABANDONING CAMP CODY. A. A. JONES.

It will be noted that the above statement attributed to General March is not a mere denial of the report that he had issued a statement that the camp would be abandoned. It is a straight-out assurance that the department has no intention of abandoning the camp.

Little credence was put in the report here from the first in view of the fact that Camp Cody has for some time been the most healthful of Uncle Sam's camps, but a statement coming from such an organization as the United Press plainly demanded investigation, regardless of how improbable it seemed. The result of the investigation is as satisfactory as it could well be coming as it does, from the fountain head of all military information in the United States.

### Christian Church

Do not forget the regular services for Sunday, Sept. 22nd. Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Communion, 10:45 a. m. Preaching, from the subject: "Wanted a Church Conscience." Christian Endeavor, 7:30 p. m. Evening worship, 8:15 p. m. Sermon, subject: "The Church and the World War." A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

W. M. LAMB, Minister.

### Tabernacle Services

Rev. F. A. Bradshaw will preach Sunday morning at 10:45, from the subject, "A Straight Sacrifice." Miss Ida Tinnen will sing a solo. At the evening service, 8 o'clock, Rev. Geo. W. Hill will preach; subject: "The Church and War, or Keep the Home Fires Burning." Solo by Mrs. Snyder. Everybody invited.

### Methodist Tabernacle

Next Sunday Rev. J. B. Bell, the pastor, will close the work for the conference year, so far as preaching is concerned. It is hoped that all the members of the church and all others who can will be present at both 10:45 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. More than 80 members have been added to the church and something like \$9,000 collected for all purposes during the 16 months that Rev. Bell has been here.

### Nazarene Church Services

Sunday, 11 a. m.—Doctrinal. 8 p. m.—Evangelistic. Thursday, 8 p. m.—Prayer meeting.

J. A. LUDLAM, Pastor.

Major Edw. H. Williams, chairman of the board for the examination of civilian applicants for engineering service commissions examined seventy applicants here Tuesday and Wednesday. The examinations were conducted at the camp. Major Williams has a party of officers and enlisted men with him.

Miss Frances Lynette Coleman is a new arrival in the home of W. H. Coleman and wife. Mr. Coleman is foreman of the Hal Kerr ranch at Cambridge.





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### CHANCE GIVES BOSSES WAY TO BEAT WALTON

#### Democrat Leaders See Ray of Light in Spanish-American Opposition to Lucero

Santa Fe, Sept. 19.—There is such a thing as luck, according to some of the Democratic leaders, and one Granville A. Richardson may break into the lucky column with the politicians. The Democratic leaders have not been very enthusiastic over the candidacy of the Hon. W. N. Walton, of Grant county, for the United States senate, but up until a few days ago they could see no way of "heading him off," as a member of the organization counties had broken away and, so far as his candidacy was concerned, the organization leaders were slightly demoralized. The situation was just this:

The big boss of the Democrats wanted to name the man for the state land office, and as his choice was a Chavez county man, and not Davison, who has the delegation from there, it was considered desirable to give the senatorial nomination to Richardson, so as to make the knifing of Davison go through

with less protest from Chavez county and the Pecos country. Billy Walton broke into the arrangements by securing a majority of the delegates from Curry county, right in the heart of the Richardson county, the endorsement of the Mora county delegation, heretofore an organization county, and his friends in other counties got so busy that things looked bad for the gang, so bad, indeed, that a few preliminary deals were made with the Waltonites, which could be turned to good advantage if they were finally forced to accept the Grant county man. In the meantime, losing hope of being able to land Richardson, the bosses tried to induce Hanna to become a candidate, but failed.

Lucero was crowding for the congressional nomination and was assisting Walton to a "promotion," so the situation was bad for the bosses. If they turned down both Richardson and Davison trouble would start down in the Pecos country, and if they could not beat Walton they had to throw both the Chavez county men in face of the endorsement by the voters of that county, which would not be so bad but for the necessity of giving a Chavez county man the land office.

Just when things looked darkest a ray of light broke through the political clouds. Spanish-American politicians developed a strong opposition to Lucero for congress, which is the only office he can make the attempt for. The bosses were quick to accept this as a way out, and there is now a strong movement on foot to retain Walton as congressman, nominate Richardson for the senate, and put the knife through Davison's land office aspirations by nominating W. M. Atkinson, of Chavez county. If this will satisfy Walton

it will satisfy the Democratic bosses. If Richardson is unable to secure enough votes in the convention the Democrats believe they have found a man to use a pinch hitter in Putney, of Bernalillo county.

#### Asks Public Lands for State

Washington, D. C., Sept. 18.—A bill providing for the grant of all public lands in New Mexico to the state has been introduced in congress by Representative Walton.

The object of the bill is one for which the people of New Mexico have been striving for many years and its provisions are of the greatest importance to the state. In the short time remaining of the present session of congress it will be impossible to secure action on the bill by the house, but it is Mr. Walton's intention to take it up immediately upon the convening of the December session and push it for passage before adjourning in the spring.

#### Sadlers Visit Old Home

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Sadler of Alhambra, Calif., arrived in Deming Saturday for a brief visit with old friends. Mr. Sadler incidentally attending to some business matters here. The Sadlers left Deming three years ago, since which time the town has changed so greatly as almost to defy recognition, they declare. They left it a village and returned to find it a city. "Deming has improved wonderfully," said Mrs. Sadler, "but it doesn't seem like home any more. It has grown too much." The Sadlers are ranching near Alhambra.

#### Rev. Bruce Revisits Deming

Rev. H. M. Bruce, pastor of the M. E. church here from 1910 to 1914, spent Saturday in Deming on his way to Dallas to attend the annual meeting of the national board of missions of his church. Rev. Bruce is at present presiding elder of the Stockton, Calif., district and has his home at Stockton. Mrs. Bruce's health, which was the cause of his leaving the high border country, is much better since their removal to California, he reports.

#### First Blood for Pankey

Ben Pankey has at least scored first blood in the battle for the Republican nomination for governor. San Juan county was the first to hold a Republican convention, last week, and the convention instructed for "Uncle Ben" of Lamy for governor. The convention also instructed for the renomination of Senator Albert B. Fall.

#### 40th Division Arrives Abroad

The arrival overseas of the 40th division, composed of California, Utah, New Mexico and Colorado troops, has been announced by General March. The larger part of the New Mexican volunteers and those in training at Kearney for over a year. Part of the division is now in England, according to the announcement.

### COLD COMFORT FOR DEMS IN FALL'S WAR RECORD

#### New Mexico Senator Shown by Inquiry to be Original "Support-the-President" Man.

Santa Fe, Sept. 19.—The Democrats are investigating all the votes cast by Senator Albert B. Fall, the probable Republican nominee for the senate. The Democrats intend to put their ticket over by shouting "support the president," at the same time using every possible thing to discredit the opposition. The record made by Senator Fall was investigated for the purpose of finding something on which to hang a charge of his not having been the right man to support the president.

As the Democrats are not going to give out the result of that investigation is no more than right that it be given out for them, so here goes:

They followed the record of his votes back from the last bill to the breaking out of the war, and found him there with a rating of 100 per cent. As this was discouraging the investigation was carried on back, with unsatisfactory results, from the standpoint of a Democratic politician. The investigation stopped at a place where the record for August 12, 1913, was made, and right there was found the following language:

"I am here to say that, as one senator, I propose to sustain in every way possible, so far as my vote and influence and action may go, the president of the United States and the administration in dealing with this or any other foreign problem of such magnitude."

If the record back to that date was discouraging, because it gave them nothing upon which to base any charge lukewarmness in supporting the war measures of the administration, the above was much so, because it removed the one little hope they had of convincing the voters that the close support given to all war measures by Senator Fall was for political expediency. Way back there in 1913 Senator Fall laid down his policy and he has not only followed it himself but led the Republican party with him. He is undoubtedly the original "support the president" man, and was on the job when he could put his preachings into practice, and he did.

Since the beginning of the war some men have profited in food-stuffs, others have profited in rain-coats, airplanes and other things, and the New Mexico Democrats ex-

## Report of the Condition of the Deming National Bank

DEMING, NEW MEXICO

At the Close of Business, June 29, 1918

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$728,775.01
Overdrafts	5,822.60
United States Bonds	56,070.00
Furniture and Fixtures	10,000.00
Real Estate Owned	11,206.58
Bonds and Securities	16,108.93
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	2,400.00
Cash and Sight Exchange	373,751.44
	<b>\$1,204,134.56</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital	\$40,000.00
Surplus	40,000.00
Undivided Profits	1,702.14
Circulation	25,000.00
Deposits	1,097,432.42
	<b>\$1,204,134.56</b>

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Counting the War Measures.

It looks like the national administration played a joke on the state Democratic administration when it listed its war measures and graded the congressmen on the votes cast for or against them.

This counting of the war measures will prove very embarrassing to the Democrats intending to profiteer in a political way, because not only is the record made by Senator Fall 100 per cent good on all war measures, but he has been in the lead all the time, trying to point out the little 'off' even by his own political friends in Washington.

Stole Hudson Car

A Hudson automobile belonging to D. A. McClure was stolen last Saturday night while its owner was attending to business in a Silver avenue store, and has not been located, though it was twice seen after its disappearance.



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'A Hell of a Time to Strike!'

'This is a hell of a time to strike in America.' These are the words of an American soldier in France, who has just received the Croix de Guerre and a silver star for risking his life to save that of a wounded French officer.

Wake Up, Gentlemen!

Press dispatches say, 'According to latest compilation of figures the Allies will need during the coming year, a total of 430,000,000 barrels of oil, which must be furnished entirely by U. S. 315,000,000 barrels is the limit that can be produced.'

Under the so-called cloak of 'conservation' there has been a constant and continued attempt made to limit production by private individuals.

The Sentence of Haywood

Twenty years in a federal prison for Wm. D. Haywood, 'the uncrowned king of the Industrial Workers of the World,' will have one good effect. It will render unpopular the bidding of politicians high and low for the votes of all forms of Bolshevistic elements in our country.

Before and After Hanging

Arizona shows 55 murders in 18 months after abolition of capital punishment, as against 36 murders for 18 months before abolition of hanging.

Grow Winter Wheat

Our government is urging every patriotic farmer to grow more winter wheat. And we believe that Luna county farmers will respond to this call. They all know that a larger acreage of wheat is necessary to feed ourselves and our allies.

COUNTY AGRICULTURAL NEWS A Department Edited by A. C. Heyman, County Agricultural Agent, for the Farmers and Stockmen of Luna County.

R. S. Trumbull, E. P. & S. W. Agricultural Agent, Thinks Truck Can be Grown for Camp Cody El Paso, Texas, September 11, 1918. Capt. Stanley Eisenman, Conservation and Reclamation Office, Camp Cody, Deming, N. M.

I feel keenly interested in your plan to have vegetables grown in that district for supplying Camp Cody next year. As you have asked me to express my views on the matter I will be very glad to furnish a few suggestions embodying my opinion as to the most satisfactory plan to follow.

I have kept pretty closely in touch with attempts at farming in the Mimbres valley since the beginning of the year 1909. You doubtless know that during this interval several thousand acres of land have been put under cultivation. Many pump irrigation plants have been installed, with the result that much of the land has since been abandoned and many of the pumps now stand idle.

No doubt the quantity of truck crops which the camp will need could be grown on (not to exceed) 300 acres of well chosen land. Inasmuch as there is already enough help, not subject to military draft, now on these farms around Deming, to handle even a greater acreage than this, I do not think it is advisable to attempt to use war prisoners on farms in the Deming district for producing truck crops for the camp.

In order to have the plan work out successfully, it is necessary that the man in charge of each farm be directly interested in the financial returns from the crops. I do not favor any plan involving purchase of the land by the government or even the managing of the farms by government employees.

As a price interpreting committee I would suggest one man appointed from the camp, one appointed by the growers, and the county agent or somebody appointed by him. The quotations from the bureau of markets, as furnished to the public, should be accepted as the ruling prices.

I would also suggest that you or the county agricultural agent bring this matter to the attention of the director of the experiment station and the state marketing committee so as to take advantage of their advice and assistance in working out details of the plan.

Again assuring you of my interest in the matter and willingness to cooperate, I am, Yours very truly, R. S. TRUMBULL

Prices.

Table listing prices for various agricultural products: Alfalfa, Cottonseed meal, Oats, Beans, Rolled barley, Black salt, Kaffir corn, Feterita, White milo maize, Red top cane, No. 1 gas oil, No. 2 gas oil, No. 3 gas oil.

FUEL OIL.

Table listing fuel oil prices: No. 1 gas oil, No. 2 gas oil, No. 3 gas oil.

The above prices are increased 5 per cent to all non-members of the association.

Grain Sorghum Seed Should be Assured Now for Use Next Spring

Luna county farmers will appreciate the following information from the Weekly News Letter on the selection of seed of all sorghum grains. We wish to emphasize the now of this article.

'Now is the time to provide for a supply of grain sorghum seed to sow next spring, say specialists of the U. S. department of agriculture. Select enough of the best heads from the field before harvest time, they said.

IMPORTANT POINTS IN SELECTING SEED HEADS

- 1. Select heads from plants all of which are dwarf or of average height. 2. Select early maturing heads. 3. Select well-formed and well-filled heads of the same type and uniform in size. 4. Select heads that grow completely out of the boot. 5. Select compact, not sprawly, heads, with short well-loaded branches.

MAKE THE SELECTION NOW

'Go into the field where the stand is good and the plants grew under average conditions. Keep as far as possible from the other varieties in order to avoid hybrids. Select good early heads from rather low stalks of uniform height, of a variety that is adapted to local conditions and has made good in the neighborhood for several years. Make the selection as soon as the early heads are fully ripe. If this work is delayed until the whole crop is ripe, it is impossible to tell which heads ripened early.

Honey-Dews Save Sugar

Mrs. Maud D. Mandell of Mesilla Park is doing her best to win the way and has found that the honey-dew melon is a splendid source of sugar substitute. Peach, pear and apple butter that Mrs. Mandell sweetened with honey-dew were as sweet as if sugar had been used.

Retail Food Prices for Luna County

Week Beginning September 15th. (These prices are set by the board appointed by the County Food Administrator and are subject to weekly revision. The prices quoted are maximum figures. Any cases in which a higher figure is charged should be reported to Fred Sherman, County Food Administrator.)

Table of retail food prices for various commodities: Wheat flour, Barley flour, Rye flour, Corn flour, Rice flour, Cornmeal, Victory bread, Victory bread, Oatmeal or rolled oats, Rice, Sugar, Beans, Beans, Potatoes, Onions, Raisins, Prunes, Canned tomatoes, Canned corn, Canned peas, Canned salmon, Canned salmon, Evaporated milk, Evaporated milk, Butter, Eggs, Cheese, Lard substitute, Lard substitute, Breakfast bacon, Ham.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, WITHIN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LUNA.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT WHEREAS, by virtue of a certain decree rendered by the above named court on the 11th day of June, 1918, in the above entitled and numbered cause, wherein and whereby judgment was rendered in favor of the above named plaintiff and against the above named defendants for the sum of twelve hundred, sixty seven and 10/100 (\$1267.95) dollars, with interest on twelve hundred, twenty-nine and 55/100 (\$1229.55) dollars of said amount at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and on the remainder thereof in the sum of thirty-eight and 40/100 (\$38.60) dollars at the rate of six per cent per annum, the said amount of said judgment and interest thereon being by said decree declared a valid lien on the following described lands and premises, to-wit:

Lot numbered One and Two in Block 'DF' of the Deming Heights Addition, being a subdivision of the Deming Land and Water Company's addition to the Town of Deming, Luna County, New Mexico, according to the plat thereof on file in the office of the County Clerk of said Luna County, together with all and singular the lands, tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in any way appertaining, and the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits thereof.

Whereas, by said decree it was ordered that said lands and premises be sold by the undersigned as commissioner on behalf of payment of said judgment and interest thereon at any time after ninety days from the said 11th day of June, 1918, in order to satisfy said judgment and interest thereon:

New Therefore, I, A. A. Tenker, commissioner as aforesaid, do hereby give public notice that on the 20th day of October, 1918, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the court house of Luna County, in the Village of Deming, New Mexico, I will pursuant to and by virtue of said decree, offer for sale and sell to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand the above described lands and premises, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, interest thereon and expenses of sale.

A. A. TENKER, Commissioner.

A. W. FOLLARD, Attorney for Plaintiff, Sept. 20 - Oct. 11.

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### Report All Deserters

The adjutant general of the war department has requested the cooperation of the New Mexico state council of defense in the detection of deserters from the army and navy and delinquents, including technical draft deserters, that is; registrants who have failed to file questionnaires; appear for physical examination, or otherwise comply with the elective service law.

In addition to having the county and community councils carry on the work assigned by the war department the state council is asked to give publicity to the activities of the department of justice and other agencies in apprehending deserters within the state boundaries.

Deserters from the army and navy should be delivered at once to the nearest military post. All draft deserters will be reported or delivered to the local agent of the department of justice. Expenses may be recovered from the war department or the department of justice, as the case may be, and in the case of an army deserter there is an alternative of a reward of \$50.00.

Several clerical workers arrived from Albuquerque Sunday for work at Camp Cody. They are being sent out this week to various draft boards in the state to aid in the classification of the registrants of Sept. 12th.

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### Wants to Form New County

Magdalena, N. M., Sept. 10.—There is on foot a movement to have this section of Socorro county go before the session of the state legislature this winter and ask that Socorro county, perhaps the biggest in the United States, be cut in half and that a new county be formed with Magdalena as the county seat.

The Magdalena World in starting the campaign this week, said in part:

"Socorro county being the largest county in the United States, larger than three or four of our states put together, would it not be more convenient, more metropolitan, better for the masses, better for the people in every way for us to have the county divided into about two or three good big counties so we would have more representation in state affairs, have everything nearer at hand, eliminate the great expense of traveling miles to a court, have a site near enough to us to feel that we have a personal interest in it. Then why not petition for a division of the county and make Magdalena a county seat? This can be demanded and can be had for almost the asking. Why not have this legislation acted upon during the next legislature? We would suggest that the name be Fall, Jones, Walton, Columbia, Washington, Jefferson, Jackson, Mexico, Gray, (Leonard) Wood, Pershing, Wilson, Argall, McDonald, Waldo, or we could willingly submit to the name being Jones, Smith or Brown. Just to have the county authorized by the legislature and relieve the situation that now exists."

Donah McAdams of Deming has arrived in France, according to a letter received from him by his mother this week. The letter, which was dated early in August, asks his Deming friends to write him and give his address as Co. C, 120th M. G. Rm., A. P. O. 734, A. E. F.

### LEGAL ADVERTISING

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, WITHIN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LUNA.

The Deming National Bank, (a corporation) Plaintiff,

vs. J. C. Stroop, Defendant.

Civil No. 500

NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE

Notice is hereby given that a judgment was rendered on the 30th day of September, 1917, in the above entitled court and cause against the above named defendant and in favor of the above named plaintiff in a certain action upon two (2) certain promissory notes, the amount of which said judgment, including interest to date of sale is the sum of four thousand, one hundred eighty-three dollars (\$4,183.00); and that by virtue of a writ of execution issued out of and under the seal of said court on said date on the 28th day of August, 1918, to me directed and delivered, I have levied upon and seized one Ford automobile, license No. 8328; and have also levied upon the following described lands, premises and appurtenances, to-wit: The south half (81) of the southeast quarter (1/4) of section nineteen (19), and the north half (1/2) of the northeast quarter (1/4) of section thirty (30), in township twenty-four (24) north, range eight (8) east, New Mexico principal meridian, together with the appurtenances thereto appertaining.

Notice is further given that by virtue of said writ of execution the property above described will be sold by me for the satisfaction of said judgment on the 10th day of October, 1918, at the front door of the court house at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, to the highest bidder for cash; and that said Ford Automobile will be first offered for sale and that in case the proceeds of the sale thereof should be sufficient to satisfy said judgment and the costs of the sale, the above described lands, premises and appurtenances will then be sold.

Dated this 10th day of September, A. D., 1918.

W. C. SIMPSON, Sheriff of Luna County, N. M.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LUNA

Rosa Buck Plaintiff,

vs. Sylvester Buck Defendant.

NOTICE OF SUIT. No. 619

To Sylvester Buck, You are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Luna County, New Mexico, the complaint of the plaintiff, Rosa Buck, against you the defendant, Sylvester Buck.

That the general nature of said action is to obtain a divorce from you, the defendant Sylvester Buck, and to obtain the care, custody and control of the minor children of the plaintiff and defendant.

The name and address of the plaintiff's attorney is Fred Sherman, Deming, N. M. You are further notified that unless you appear therein and make defense to said action on or before the 12th day of October, 1918, judgment and decree will be entered as prayed by default.

In witness whereof I have subscribed my name this 27th day of August, 1918.

C. R. HUGHES, Clerk of the District Court of Luna County, New Mexico.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. PUBLIC LAND SALE. LUNA COUNTY.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS, SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of an Act of Congress, approved June 20th, 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 Saturday, October 19th, 1918, in the town of Deming, County of Luna, State of New Mexico, in front of the court house therein, the following described tracts of land, viz:

Sale No. 1231—NEWBY, Sec. 18, T. 21 S., R. 5 W., containing 40.00 acres selected for the Santa Fe and Grant County Railroad Bond Fund. The improvements consist of house, well, windmill, corral, tank and fencing, value \$1,400.00.

Sale No. 1232—ELEY, Sec. 21, all of Sec. 22, T. 21 S., R. 10 W., containing 800.00 acres. The improvements consist of fencing, value \$250.00.

Sale No. 1233—Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 30; T. 25 S., R. 10 W., E. 1/2 E. 1/4, Sec. 25, T. 25 S., R. 11 W., containing 119.04 acres selected for the Santa Fe and Grant County Railroad Bond Fund. There are no improvements on this tract.

Sale No. 1234—NW 1/4, Sec. 4, T. 25 S., R. 5 W., containing 163.78 acres. The improvements consist of house, corral, well, and cribbing, value \$635.00.

Sale No. 1235—NW 1/4, Sec. 22, T. 26 S., R. 9 W., containing 160.00 acres selected for the Santa Fe and Grant County Railroad Bond Fund. The improvements consist of well and clearing, value \$125.00.

Sale No. 1236—SE 1/4, Sec. 25, T. 26 S., R. 9 W., containing 160.00 acres selected for the Santa Fe and Grant County Railroad Bond Fund. The improvements consist of well, fencing and clearing, value \$300.00.

Sale No. 1237—NE 1/4, Sec. 22, T. 26 S., R. 10 W., containing 163.78 acres selected for the Santa Fe and Grant County Railroad Bond Fund. The improvements consist of house, well, fencing and clearing, value \$458.00.

Sale No. 1238—All of Section 2; T. 26 S., R. 11 W., containing 303.23 acres. There are no improvements on this tract.

Sale No. 1239—NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 8; W 1/2 E 1/4, Sec. 18; W 1/2 E 1/4, Sec. 19; T. 20 S., R. 5 W., containing 240.00 acres, selected for the Santa Fe and Grant County Railroad Bond Fund. The improvements consist of fencing, value \$175.00.

Sale No. 1240—E 1/2 SW 1/4, Sec. 22; NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 18; W 1/2 E 1/4, Sec. 22; NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 26; T. 20 S., R. 10 W., containing 1080.00 acres. There are no improvements on this tract.

Sale No. 1241—E 1/2 E 1/4, Sec. 24; SW 1/4 E 1/4, Sec. 26; T. 23 S., R. 5 W., containing 100.00 acres. There are no improvements on this tract.

Sale No. 1242—SE 1/4, S 1/2 E 1/4, Sec. 24, T. 23 S., R. 4 W., containing 320.00 acres selected for the Santa Fe and Grant County Railroad Bond Fund. The improvements consist of barn, well, pump house, fencing, corral, value \$992.00.

Sale No. 1243—NW 1/4, Sec. 12, T. 23 S., R. 9 W., containing 160.00 acres selected for the Santa Fe and Grant County Railroad Bond Fund. The improvements consist of fencing and clearing, value \$239.00.

Sale No. 1244—SW 1/4, Sec. 15, T. 25 S., R. 10 W., containing 160.00 acres selected for the Santa Fe and Grant County Railroad Bond Fund. The improvements consist of fencing and clearing, value \$250.00.

Sale No. 1245—SW 1/4, Sec. 4; T. 26 S., R. 10 W., containing 160.00 acres selected for the Santa Fe and Grant County Railroad Bond Fund. There are no improvements on this tract.

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NOTICE OF PENDING OF SUIT.

To Benjamin Roberts, the above named defendant: You are hereby notified that a suit has been instituted against you by the above named plaintiff in the District Court of the Sixth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the county of Luna, entitled Myrtle E. Roberts, Plaintiff, vs. Benjamin Roberts, Defendant. CIVIL NO. 805.

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The general object of said suit is to have the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant dissolved by this court. Plaintiff alleges as grounds for her said action that said defendant has wholly and totally deserted and abandoned plaintiff and failed to provide for her maintenance and support.

You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said court on or before the 11th day of October, A. D. 1918, judgment will be rendered against you to said suit by default.

The name and postoffice address of the attorney for plaintiff is Clara C. Fielder, Deming, New Mexico.

Given under my hand and the seal of this court at Deming, New Mexico, this 22d day of August, A. D. 1918.

(LEGAL) C. R. HUGHES, Clerk of the District Court of Luna County, New Mexico.

Aug. 20—Sept. 20.

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America, unless we repudiate civilization and abandon humanity and put a premium on savagery and brutality, can make no covenanted peace, no peace by agreement or negotiation with Germany. It would be a covenant with hell, a partnership with infamy.

Nor would such peace secure peace, except so long as it suited Germany. We can judge the future only by the past, and to Germany sacred treaties are scraps of paper only. Germany's whole history is a record of national treachery, national bad faith, national dishonor, national murder, and national infamy.

Article 56 of the Hague convention, to which Germany solemnly subscribed is: "Family honor and rights, the lives of persons and private property, as well as religious convictions and practice, must be respected. Private property can not

be confiscated."

The world knows how Germany has millions of individual witnesses to her flagrant breaches of it. Every acre of foreign soil Germany has occupied bears mute, but unimpeachable evidence of it. There is plenty of German evidence of it, too.

"The goods of different sorts seized in the enemies' territories are in such large quantities that the difficulty of knowing where to put them increases day by day. At the request of the Prussian minister of war all chambers of commerce have been asked to give all possible information with regard to storehouses, sheds, etc., which could be used temporarily to warehouse the spoil." (From the Frankfurter Zeitung, January, 1918.)

The German papers have been crowded with advertisements of sale of property taken from France and Belgium. Members of the Reichstag have boasted of, others have censured, the amount of booty brought to Germany from the occupied territory, and the destruction has been far greater than the confiscation.

Of the old men and children murdered, of the women and girls ravished, of the non-combatants taken from their homes and deported to work for their conquerors, of the merchant ships sunk and passengers and crews murdered, of the hospital ships sunk, the hospitals and unfortified cities bombed, of the mutilation and murder by crucifixion and otherwise of wounded and captured soldiers—of all this beastliness there is plenty of evidence, evidence that no one can disbelieve.

The best answer to German peace propaganda is sinking more U-boats, sending more men to France, speeding up our work along every line, and a heavy subscription to the Fourth Liberty Loan. Peace must mean the triumph of right and justice, the defeat of Germanism, not a truce with it, not a compromise with it.

Our soldiers in France are gloriously doing their part toward victory; the Liberty Loan subscription must show them that the people at home are doing theirs.

## A Prophecy by Sen. Lewis

Washington, D. C., Sept. 19.—Republican leaders here are examining a remarkable statement just issued by Senator Lewis, Democrat, of Illinois, from Paris, where he is on a government mission. Some people used to take Senator Lewis lightly, falsely concluding that his pink whiskers were the color of the man. However, as the Democratic leader in the senate, he has been steadily increasing his importance as a spokesman for the Democratic party, and on more than one occasion during the last congress he has appeared on the floor of the senate as the mouthpiece of the administration. The Republican leaders who know hisadroitness, his persistence, and his very extraordinary ability to twist facts and arguments to suit his own ends, regard his words as forces with which it is well to reckon.

Senator Lewis' predictions may be summarized as follows:

1. The tariff will disappear as a party issue.
2. The big issue of the next campaign will be the question of government ownership.
3. Another big issue between the Democrats and Republicans in the coming campaign will be over foreign policy. Dilating on what he professes will be the Democratic attitude on foreign policy, he devotes considerable time to explaining the racial origins of Americans and to suggesting that our future policy will be dictated by these origins.
4. The farmers will be heard from more than ever in the next campaign. They will tell us "that their profits have been limited and their business regulated during the war, while others have been getting rich without restraint because of the war."
5. And, lastly, he expects the war to be over before the next presidential contest, which he thinks will automatically eliminate the question of the third term.

Here is a fairly definite outline of the Democratic program for the immediate future. On two points Republican leaders would probably agree with Senator Lewis. One is that the war will be over before the next presidential campaign, for to the "Win the War Now" policy, Republicans have dedicated themselves completely. The other is that the farmers will be heard from: they ought to be heard from, and the Republicans are already framing effective measures to relieve their present distress.

The Republican party's attitude toward the tariff has been made very clear and Republican leaders here predict that if the Democrats have any idea that this issue will cease to be agitated in the next campaign, they are destined to find out how much mistaken they are.

As to unlimited government ownership, the Republicans have already declared themselves in opposition to the clouded, inefficient Democratic views. They are taking a farseeing stand. They declare: "that while there is absolutely nothing in this country which should not be taken and used for necessary war purposes, such taking shall be for war purposes only and that in such action there must be no eventual ulterior object. The Republican party, from its inception, has stood against undue federalization of industries and activities. We always have, and still shall endeavor to find the middle ground so well defined between the 'anarchy of unregulated individualism and the deadening formalism of inefficient and widespread state ownership.' That the Democrats, as Senator Lewis predicts, are going to espouse the cause of complete and permanent government ownership, there can be little doubt, although they have cautiously, if not clandestinely, concealed their policies under a cloak of what they call 'war necessity.'"

In the Republican view measures of government control adopted for war reasons, as a temporary necessity, or as in the case of the telephone and telegraph lines, as an assumed necessity, must not become permanent. Though the Democrats should favor this absolute re-making of the government, as it is quite apparent they intend to do, the Republicans shall imperatively oppose them. Senator Lewis, in his usual astutiating manner, indicates that this state socialism is to become a lasting and ever-swelling Democratic policy.

In reply, the Republican leaders here declare that the voters of America will have no doubt which party to support when they once realize the Democratic conception of a meddling, monstrous, all-awallowing state. All Americans, Republicans and Democrats alike, are willing, in these troublesome times, to put up with almost anything for the sake of wartime efficiency, whatever may be the cost or the consequences, and even though the efficiency is relative and not absolute, but once peace has been

returned again, this Democratic mirage will collapse like a Bolshevik dream.

As for Senator Lewis' equivalent suggestion of some serious and complex foreign policy that may be adopted, based upon the consideration of any single European race or group of European races, or even of Asiatic races, the Republican leaders see his issue of the future as clearly as they see the others. They declare that any American foreign policy will be based upon one consideration only: that there is no such thing as any kind of a hyphenated American, no matter what his origin, remote or near; that there is just one American, run by and for Americans.

In other words, the Republicans are determined that the United States has heard for the last time all talk of this country being a branch or continuation of any other. In their vision, this nation is and must continue to be the hub of the world wheel, and not its unrelated spokes.

To meet the just grievances now being endured by a host of farmers under the inequalities and favoritisms of the present Democratic regime the Republican policy will not be the vague and indefinite one of quasi-government control now weakly instituted by the party in power and which has resulted in the suppression of the producer and in the elevation of the profiteering middleman.

Answering this crying need of legislation affecting farm products the Republicans, in contra-distinction to the Democrats, will adopt constructive policies whose purpose shall be to enhance and reward individual effort, without enriching any set of favorites under the guise of government control.

In making plans for the future, whether these be an outline of policies or an accurate definition of legislative intent, all of the Democrats are just as happy as many of them are on their war record. While Senator Lewis has spoken more freely than have the other Democratic leaders, he does not pin himself down to accurate statements or a definite outline of issues, but only suggests with an insinuation that is both Lewisian and Democratic.

However, it is believed that this statement from Senator Lewis does sketch the principal line of action that probably will be taken by the Democrats in the near future. It can be expected that they will try to evade the tariff issue, and to "slip over" some vague, free trade formula in the general confusion of peace reconstruction.

It is to be taken for granted, as Senator Lewis indicates, that the Democrats will champion complete government ownership of all public utilities. Although expressly committing themselves, at the time of the passage of the present war laws, to the recognition of the undoubted fact that they were accepted entirely as temporary measures, and that the distinct promise was made to the people that the great carriers and industries would be returned to their several owners and managers on the conclusion of peace, it is not doubted by Republican leaders here that the Democrats have any intention of keeping faith with these promises. If the voters will permit them, they plan to develop their rowing bureaucracy into a veritable state serfdom.

Republican leaders, unlike the Democrats, do not hesitate to declare themselves unequivocally on these vital issues. They do not seek to conceal their plans from the voters at large. They are working on the theory that they have given pledges which they must keep, and that it is business to make pledges for the future which must also be scrupulously kept. For the present, their chief slogan is "Win the War Now," but they do not forget other perils which the nation faces. These are certain to increase unless Democratic doubt and dogma are cured by Republican speed and certainty.

Mrs. Lewellyn, grand matron of the O. E. S., was here Tuesday night for a meeting of the local lodge of that order.

### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—19 head cattle. A. S. Lano, box 283, Deming. 9-277

FOR SALE—Red Duroc shoats. Phone 801R12.

FOR SALE—Brass bed, box springs and mattress, also one Verma Martin bed complete, dresser, extension table, cot, Wilton rug. 11.

FOR SALE—Ford, tires are new, guaranteed to pull any sand bed in the country; just been rebuilt. Owner goes in new draft. Jeff Davis, 505 S. Silver.

Tomatoes for sale at Albert Ernst ranch, southeast of Deming, 2 1/2¢ per lb. or 3¢ delivered in Deming. 9-272

FOR SALE—Pure bred barred Rock and B. I. chicks, 3 months old, also mixed breeds, 20 hens, phone 801R12.

FOR BTNT—Nicely furnished room for gentlemen in private home. Apply .34 N. Granite St. 12

# Positive Closing Out Sale

On account of moving to the Texas Coast, where my oldest daughter has enjoyed perfect health for the past 16 months, I am going to close out my jewelry and repair business in Deming.

Prefer to sell the stock and fixtures in bulk—and will gladly show anyone interested just how well it is paying.

## Take Your Choice of the "Old Reliable" Stock at Closing Out Prices

- Solid gold emblem or logo pins ..... 75c
- 1 lot of eardrops assorted..... 75c
- Gold filled rings, all sizes, closing out ..... 75c
- Solid gold set rings..... \$1.75 and up
- Luminous dial 7 jewel wrist watches ..... \$8.00
- 17 jewel Elgin men's watches ..... \$12.00

## DIAMONDS

About 35 nice stones to close out, diamond Lavaliers, and brooches, also fine assortment of cameos.

Remember the Old Reliable for real closing out prices and where you can get fine solid gold jewelry, and the standard makes of watches.

# W. N. McCurdy

Look for the big watch sign on West Pine St.

### Notice to Voters

Notice is hereby given that on the 3rd day of October, 1918, the duly appointed board of registrars will meet for the purpose of registering qualified voters for the general election for three days from the above named date, and thereafter will meet on each Saturday up to within ten days of the date of the November election. The meeting place of the board in the Deming precinct will be at the office of C. C. Fielder, at 121 East Spruce St. Every male citizen of the United States, who is over the age of twenty-one years, and has resided in New Mexico twelve months, in the county ninety days, and in the precinct in which he offers to vote thirty days next preceding the election, except idiots, insane persons, persons convicted of a felonious or infamous crime, unless restored to political rights, and Indians of taxed, shall be qualified to register.

Special attention is hereby called to the qualified voters of Precinct No. 1, to the division of the precinct into four separate voting places which has been made since the last election. It is necessary that the home address of each registrant be placed on the registration book in order that the registration for each



### THE TIRE WE RETURN

to you will be far different than the cut or torn and useless thing it was when brought here. Our vulcanizing will remove all traces of trouble and put the tire back on the active service list for an indefinite term. Don't be in a hurry to buy new tires. Let's see what we can do to salvage old ones first.

### GILPIN RUBBER WORKS

district be properly made. It is suggested that each voter see to it personally that he is properly registered and the proper home address given on the registration book.

C. R. HUGHES,  
County Clerk.

20-27-4-1-18.

Charter No. 6974 — Reserve District No. 11.

### REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE DEMING NATIONAL BANK AT DEMING IN THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON AUGUST 31, 1918.

RESOURCES		
Loans and discounts, including rediscounts.....	\$ 723,764.34	723,764.34
U. S. BONDS (other than Liberty Bonds, but including U. S. certificates of indebtedness)	1,018.00	1,018.00
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value).....	25,000.00	25,000.00
U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness owned and unpledged.....	36,000.00	36,000.00
LIBERTY LOAN BONDS		
Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1/2, 4, and 4 1/2 per cent unpledged.....	51,850.00	51,850.00
BONDS, SECURITIES, ETC. (other than U. S.)		
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged.....	12,019.97	12,019.97
Stocks, other than Federal Reserve Bank stock.....	12,019.97	12,019.97
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscriptions).....	2,400.00	2,400.00
Furniture and fixtures.....	10,000.00	10,000.00
Real estate owned other than banking house.....	11,992.91	11,992.91
Loans on hand with Federal Reserve Bank.....	65,322.28	65,322.28
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks.....	74,472.81	74,472.81
Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies.....	12,954.41	12,954.41
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank.....	10,158.75	10,158.75
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items.....	8,481.54	8,481.54
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasury and due from U. S. Treasury.....	1,380.00	1,380.00
War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually owned.....	900.00	900.00
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$1,047,388.81</b>	<b>\$1,047,388.81</b>
LIABILITIES		
Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 40,000.00	40,000.00
Surplus fund.....	40,000.00	40,000.00
Individual profits.....	8,605.33	8,605.33
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid.....	8,055.67	8,055.67
Circulating notes outstanding.....	500.00	500.00
DEMAND DEPOSITS (OTHER THAN BANK DEPOSITORS)		
<b>SUBJECT TO REMOVAL</b> (deposits payable within 90 days)		
Individual deposits subject to check.....	7,100.00	7,100.00
Certificates of deposit due in less than 90 days (other than for money borrowed).....	288.33	288.33
Certified checks.....	20,707.50	20,707.50
Cashier's checks outstanding.....		
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to removal.....	742,817.81	742,817.81
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed).....	61,322.28	61,322.28
Total of time deposits subject to removal.....	104,059.01	104,059.01
Notes payable with Federal Reserve Bank.....	35,000.00	35,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>\$1,047,388.81</b>	<b>\$1,047,388.81</b>

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, COUNTY OF LUNA, ss:  
I, E. L. Foulke, Cashier of the above named bank solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CORRECT—AMEN:  
W. D. Murray, J. G. Cooper, F. L. Nordhaus, Directors.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Sept. 1918.  
My commission expires March 9, 1921.



### JUST AS MUCH ATTENTION

given to the child as though you came in person. Telephone orders also promptly filled and delivered. At this grocery store we have only one way of treating our customers and that is the best way we know how. If you have not put our store service to the test give us a trial order and be convinced.

Food Will Win the War. Save by Buying Here.

DEMING MERCANTILE CO.

# \$100 REWARD!

### STOLEN HUDSON CAR

The above reward will be paid for the recovery and return to the owner or to Sheriff Simpson of Deming, of 7-passenger super-six Hudson Car, 1917 model, stolen Saturday night, Sept. 7th at Deming. Car has yellow body, black hood, engine number 31899; license number 5424. Owned by D. A. McClure, Deming.

Any information as to the whereabouts of car or thief should be communicated to Mr. McClure or Sheriff Simpson.

# Eat at Bolton's

Merchants' Lunch Served  
11:30 until 2:30

40c

BEST COFFEE IN DEMING

## BOLTON'S CAFE

218 N. Silver

Near Commercial Hotel