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THE SPANISH-AMERICAN

"With Malice toward None, with Charity for All, and with Firmness in the Right."

VOLUME XVII.

ROY, MORA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1920.

NUMBER 527

Fire Bug Still In Town

Another fire Monday night

The fire bug that has started the different fires in Roy seems to be still at large, for another fire broke out Monday evening about 8 P.M. when the barn and sheds of the J. L. Swaim residence were discovered in flames.

The alarm given spread rapidly over town but the building was too far gone to be saved, immediately after the fire a still closer watch was placed over town and up to the time we go to press nothing has developed to catch the guilty culprit although three or four are under suspicion and an arrest may be expected at any time.

The School Board held a very important meeting Monday evening, and considerable business was transacted. Mrs. Irvin Ogden resigned as a member of the board, and Mr. Irvin Ogden resigned as Clerk, on account that they are moving to the country.

Mr. J. D. Wade was appointed as a member of the board in Mrs. Ogden's place, and the vacancy of Mr. Ogden was left open for future consideration.

Special discounts for cash in all departments come in and look them over.

Roy Trading Company

PROMINENT REPUBLICANS IN TOWN

As we go to press, a number of prominent Republicans are in town preparatory for the big Republican meeting which takes place tonight at the Roy Theatre. Among the prominent Republicans here are the Hon. Merritt Mechem, Republican candidate for governor and the Hon. Nestor Montoya, Republican candidate for Congress. Several other speakers of note are here and will talk on the issues that are now confronting the people. A complete account of the meeting will be given in next week's Spanish-American.

Mrs. R. H. Bentley, who has been quite ill at the Plumlee hospital the past week is improving nicely.

J. Floersheim sold a number of lots in the Floersheim addition last week to Mrs. Minnie Rhyne who will build a beautiful home on them in the early spring.

Messrs. Roberts and Oliver of Amarillo, Texas, were looking after their business interests here last Saturday. They are well pleased with the business they are receiving at Roy and the S-A also acknowledges a friendly call from them. They are ardent believers in printer's ink and expect to do considerable advertising in the S-A in the future.

SPECIAL PRIZE

L. E. Deubler THE PHOTOGRAPHER

will give the following special prizes for babies winning first, second and third places in the BETTER BABIES CONTEST at the Wheat Belt Fair.

- First, One Dozen Photos worth \$9.00
- Second, One Dozen Photos worth \$6.00
- Third, One Dozen Photos worth \$3.00

To every baby entered a special discount of 10 percent on any selection of photos.

WEATHERALL BARBER SHOP MAKES IMPROVEMENTS

Chas. Weatherall, the accommodating manager of the Roy Barber Shop has added an electric clipper and electric massage to his already up-to-date shop. Charley always believes in keeping abreast of the times, and he can now boast of the most up-to-date tonorial shop in Mora County. We congratulate Charley on his enterprising ideas and his foresight in Roy's future.

Irvin Floersheim has purchased Mr. Salazar's interest in the Springs Times and the paper hereafter will be run by the Floersheim brothers. Irvin is at present in Roy with his parents and is suffering from blood poisoning caused by being burned by hot water bottles while in a hospital in San Francisco last month. The burns are very severe and are causing Mr. Floersheim much pain.

NEW MEXICO POPULATION IS 380,247

Washington, Sept. 28.—The census bureau today announced the population of the state of New Mexico as 380,247, an increase of 32,946 or 10 1-10 per cent.

New Mexico had a population of 327,301 in 1910, ranking it as 44th most populous state in the union. It showed an increase of 131,991, or 67.6 per cent over 1900, having had the largest growth numerically in its history to that time. The increase was three times as large as that of any preceding decade.

In area, New Mexico ranked as fourth largest state in the union in 1910 with a land area of 122,503 square miles, making its population average 2.7 persons per square mile.

New Mexico was organized as a territory in 1850 and admitted as a state in 1911. It appeared in the federal census reports for the first time in 1850. A rapid growth was recorded for the territory in the first decade 1850-60, the population increasing more than one-half, while in the following decade, 1860-70, the population decreased 1.8 per cent, the decrease being due to the organization of Arizona from a portion of the territory of New Mexico. From 1870 to 1910, the growth of the state was substantial, no decade showing an increase less than 20 per cent. From 1870 to 1890 the population increased 74.5 per cent and during the two decades 1890-1910, it more than doubled.

Comparison of the rates of growth for the territory with those for the United States shows that the rate for the territory was equal to or higher than the rate for the country as a whole during every decade except that from 1860 to 1870 when Arizona was partitioned off from the territory. The population of the territory in 1910 was more than five times as large as in 1850, while the population of the United States in 1910 was not quite four times that in 1850.

The record of the growth of New Mexico's population follows:

Year	Population	Increase	Per Cent
1920	380,247	32,247	10.01
1910	327,301	131,991	67.6
1900	195,310	35,028	21.9
1890	160,282	40,717	34.1
1880	119,565	27,691	30.1
1870	91,874	1,642	1.8
1860	93,516	31,939	51.9
1850	61,547	---	---

Weekly Fair Letter

Roy, New Mexico, October 7, 1920.

Everyman and Everywoman

On the Mesa.

Dear Friends:

During the Fair we shall present to you one of the biggest special novelty attractions ever staged on your Mesa.

This attraction will last three hours of each morning during each day of the Fair. It is something in which we are ALL most vitally interested; something which we should sacrifice financially to support, but which after all will not cost you a cent.

Let us tell you. For years we have been talking, preaching, urging the growth of live stock by scientific methods. We have staged competitive events for which the best wheat, the best corn, the best beans, or some other product of our soil or our knowledge of animal husbandry has been awarded a blue or red ribbon and a nice cash prize but not once have we offered anything to you, dear mothers, for producing that most wonderful of all things that God gave you, your BABIES.

When October 19th comes, be prepared to get into that big show with our corps of doctors and trained nurses who have so willingly donated their time to you and let them thoroughly examine your babies for all physical imperfections, for we are not offering you a premium for the most beautiful nor the best dressed child, but for that BETTER BABY of yours.

Remember, you are as much interested as we. Also, don't lose sight of the fact that your baby may not be the only prize winner on your farm. The premium list is not completed, but there will be a substantial prize for the best and the next best of everything you bring to our contest.

We thank you.

WHEAT BELT FAIR ASSOCIATION,
By the Secretary.

A COMMUNICATION

Springer, New Mexico, Sept. 21, 1920
The Spanish-American,
Roy, New Mexico.

Gentlemen:
I was pleased to note in your last issue the declaration of policies and principles set forth in your editorial column.

I believe the policy will meet with the hearty approval of the great majority of independent thinkers of the Mesa. The citizenship of Roy community is composed of men and women who think for themselves. This is true of all new and undeveloped sections of our country, because only such enterprising and progressive people have the requisite qualities to brave the trials and tribulations of bringing progress and improvements to undeveloped land.

The spectacle of partisan politics in our country is both laughable and serious. Serious because of the selfishness and narrowness of some of our acknowledged leaders, whose influence over their constituents is much too great for our country's good. It is such selfish and partisan tactics that have helped much to develop the radical and dissatisfied element in this country and which can only be eradicated by the independent voter.

I think we should all recognize good legislation, no matter under what party or administration it is born, and on the other hand we should fight and expose selfish motives wherever found, irrespective of what party is responsible. It is the independent and openminded thinker and voter whom the professional politicians fear, and I am sincerely glad to know that it is your avowed intention to keep clear of partisan and biased views and selfish motives. Your paper will increase its value many fold by following this course.

Roy is fortunate to have a clean cut, wideawake progressive newspaper, and as an old newspaper man I can see a splendid future for you in a field that will not be limited by narrow views and selfish motives, but should embrace the entire mesa and surrounding country.

I wish you success and courage to carry out your policies.

Yours sincerely,
AL. S. HANSON.

Fred Breford left for Alva, Okla., last Monday, where he will spend two weeks visiting relatives and friends. Fred has worked hard this summer and has surely earned a vacation.

Ernest Anderson left Sunday for La Porte, Indiana, where he expects to secure a position. He reports that his father and Lee expect to return to New Mexico in the near future.

A WEDDING RECEPTION

Monday evening a crowd of jolly young people gathered at the home of Mrs. Don Bradley at 7.39 sharp and from there they went to call on Mr. T. J. Heimann, only to find that he had motored to Clayton and brought back as his bride Miss Katherine Hammer. We were disappointed to find that they had expected us and had made their get-away before we arrived, but luckily the crowd found their hiding place and forced them over to Mrs. Don Bradley's home, where a reception had been prepared for them. About that time gay lights glistened from every direction and shouts and laughter were heard from everywhere as the crowd summoned the bride and groom to a large water tank. There they were forced to do many old-fashioned stunts which they did not wish to do.

Strings of music came softly floating through the refreshing autumn air. Mr. Moon looked down teasingly upon them while he and his bride led the gay crowd to the brightly decorated and brilliantly lighted reception room, where beautiful flowers were strewn and everything had been tastefully fixed by Mrs. Don for this special occasion. Music, games and dancing were the life of the evening. Also all were trying and wondering what could be done to make the poor bride and groom blush which they did almost continually.

A prize waltz was given at 1.30 and the bride and groom were the lucky winners. The prizes consisted of a fine weinie to the lady and a dill pickle to the gentleman. These were wrapped in fine paper and tied in very neat packages. At the midnight hour dainty refreshments were served by the hostess and her friend, Miss Ayles. Dancing was then continued until an early hour. Owing to the bride and groom's honeymoon trip on which they were to start that morning, we promised them a few hour's rest.

Hearty congratulations were heard from everyone. They departed for their homes tired but happy over the enjoyments their hostess, Mrs. Don Bradley, had so successfully planned for them.

A FRIEND.

A letter from Mrs. Laura E. Cook of Rockdale, Texas, to the S-A, encloses two dollars for another year's renewal. She reports everything dandy in that part of Texas and that cotton picking is in full blast. Mrs. Cook formerly lived at Solano and is a sister of Mr. Walter Hill of Mosquero.

Martin Deamet of Taylor Springs was a Roy visitor last Monday.

A Home Bank For Home People.

Service Is our Watchword.

BANK OF ROY
Roy, N. M.

JIM CHRISTMAN STRIKES OIL

A telegram and letter from Jim Christman at Sipe Springs, Texas, informs us that he has struck oil at a moderate depth. The well is producing from 50 to 100 barrels of oil daily and promises to go still stronger. They will immediately begin the drilling of another well on the lease and expect to drill in all eight wells before he is through with the lease. Mr. E. M. Bagwell and Hugh Mitchell are interested with Jim in the deal and all of them are wearing smiles that don't disappear. We congratulate Jim on his success and hope he makes a million, yes, several of them.

BAPTIST MEETINGS A SUCCESS

The Baptist meetings now being conducted by Rev. Dawn at this place are a success in every particular. Good crowds are in attendance and much good is anticipated from these meetings. The meeting of Monday night was cancelled on account of the burning of the Swaim barn. Everybody is invited to these meetings and they will continue through at least another week.

Sylvan Floersheim, editor of the Springer Times, visited his parents and other relatives in Roy last Sunday.

Mrs. Milton Floersheim and Mickey, Jr., left for Denver, Colo., where they will visit the next four weeks. Mrs. Floersheim's mother and father live at Denver. Mickey will play the bachelorette act while his wife is gone.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lohmeier of Optima, were visitors in Roy the first of the week.

Mrs. Henry Krabbenschmidt and Jr. left for Grand Prairie, Texas, last Sunday, where they will visit for a few weeks. Henry hated to see them go, but he is making good as a bachelor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harris of Emzy, N. M., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. "Doe" McCargo this week. Mr. Harris is well pleased with this mesa, and we wouldn't be much surprised to see him locate here.

W. L. Kelly, the bricklayer, is carrying his head in a sling this week, the result of an ulcerated tooth.

Toin Turner, formerly of Roy but of late of west of Mills, has purchased the Felton Baughman store at Mills and will handle all kinds of groceries, meats, etc. Watch the S-A for his ad in the near future.

Wm. G. Johnson and wife and baby, Avis Leora, were business visitors in Tucumcari Wednesday.

Grzelachowski-Hanson

The wedding bells again rang in Roy last Saturday, October 2nd, when A. N. Hanson, the obliging assistant manager of the Roy Trading company and Miss Ernestine Grzelachowski, each of the seventh and eighth grades of the Roy public school, hied away to Raton and were joined in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. Dick of that place.

The first news of the wedding here was a telegram received by A. S. Hanson, brother of the groom, which read "Married at eleven today". However, the many friends of both the bride and groom here have been suspecting that the happy event would become a reality this fall.

Mr. Hanson, the groom, is the assistant manager of the Roy Trading company at this place and has been connected with this prominent business house for the past two years. He is an ex-service man, having taken part in the Pershing expedition into old Mexico and also throughout the late war. He is a young man of excellent habits and worthy of the young lady he has chosen as his future helpmate.

Mrs. Hanson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Grzelachowski of Santa Rosa and comes from one of the best families of that place. She came to Roy last year as teacher in the Roy Public schools and made good and was re-employed for this year and is now in charge of the seventh and eighth grades of our schools. She is an accomplished lady and is held in the very highest of esteem by everyone who knows her.

In these young people we can see the making of a happy home, and the Spanish American, as well as their many friends, both at Roy and Santa Rosa, wish them success through life's long journey.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fessles who recently sold out to Mr. Connelly, had a sale last week and left for Carnegie, Okla., Monday, where they will make their future home.

A card from Jack Mahoney states that he is on his way to Roy in his Essex and will soon be here and will then settle down and live in Roy forevermore.

Quite a number of farmers are at the orchards this week laying in their winter supply of apples.

Special!

Saturday and Monday Only

Oct. 9 and 11

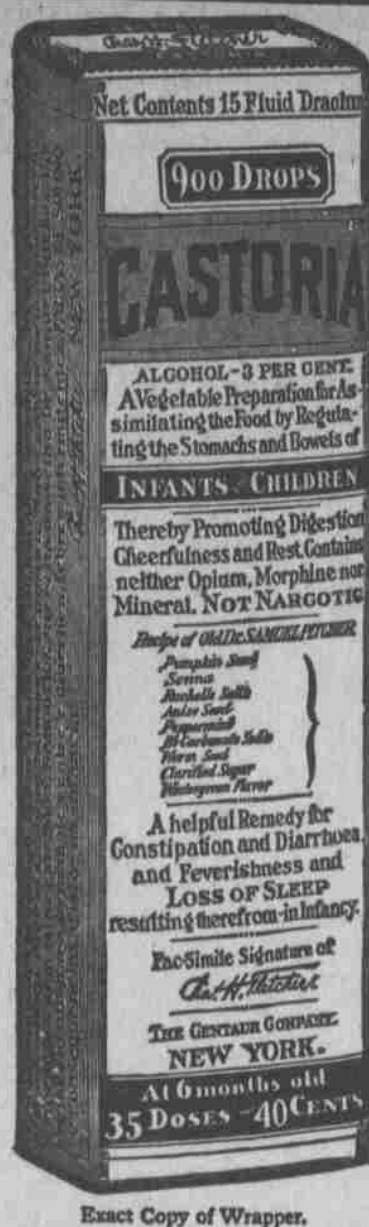
- BON BON BAKING POWDER
5 pound can Regular price 80 cents, Special 60 cents
- BON BON BAKING POWDER
3 pound can Regular price 60 cents, Special 50 "
- DEL MONTE CATSUP
Pint Bottles Regular price 35 cents, Special 25 "
- VAN CAMPS CHILI SAUCE
Regular price 35 cents, Special 25 "
- GUITTARDS COCOA
pound cans, Regular price 70 cts, Special 55
- CRISCO 6 pound cans
Special \$ 2.10
- WHITE HOUSE COFFEE
Special 57 cts. pound
- BULK COFFEE
EXTRA Special 20 " "
- WHITE LILLY PEARS 2 1-2 pound cans
Regular price 55 cents, Special 40 cents
- WHITE LILLY BLACKBERRIES 2 1-2 pnd. cans
Regular price 50 cents, Special 38 "
- VELVA COUNTRY SORGUM 1-2 gal cans,
55 "
- PEARL WHITE SOAP
Special 4 bars 25 "
- GOLDEN WASHING POWDER large Special 25 "
- VERIBEST CASTILE SOAP (TOILET) " 9 "
- Palm Olive Soap
Special 3 bars for 25 "

These prices for CASH ONLY
Make your DOLLAR do its duty

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"A Profitable Place to Trade"



CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

Mothers Know That Genuine Castoria

Always Bears the Signature of

Dr. J. C. H. Fletcher

In Use

For Over

CASTORIA

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

THAT LEGACY HELPED SOME

Of Course Newspaper Man Really Had Done Well, but Not Entirely by His Own Efforts.

"When I see a ragged man," said the chairman, virtuously, "I say to myself there goes one of life's wasters. There goes a man who has refused to make the most of his gifts. There is no excuse for poverty, gentlemen. Everyone should rise."

"Hear! Hear!" cried his hearers. "Everyone," exclaimed the chairman, "may carve out a good position for himself if he wishes."

"Perhaps you are right," interposed a member. "Only today I met a newspaper man who told me that 20 years ago he came to Chicago with exactly \$5 in his pocket. He is now worth \$40,000 and he owes this entirely to his own ability and energy, combined with good health and a high code of ethics, and to the fact that his uncle recently died and left him \$39,985."—Chicago News.

A Regular One.

He was looking for a good canine companion, and had answered an advertisement in the newspaper. The following conversation ensued: "You advertised a sensible dog for sale?"

"Yep."

"What do you mean by a sensible dog?"

"This pup has never had a ribbon around his neck and has never ridden in a limousine since the day he was born. He's a happy-hearted, bone-burying, cat-chasing, 100 per cent dog."—Houston Post.

If you go into a labyrinth take a clew with you.

Girls like compliments—also ice cream and oysters.

Whatever a man reaps some man must have planted.

Rents Hurt Ghost Industry.

In England desperate people in search of houses to rent or buy are advertising that ghosts are no drawback. Any one who happens to own a hitherto unrented house because tradition says it is haunted is assured that the seekers for a domicile will accept it at the rental asked for regardless of the haunter or hauntings. It is suspected that in England, as in several other countries, ghosts of landlords would be less objectionable than those of other folk. Whatever his losses in the past, the landlord as a rule is regarded in these days with deep suspicion as a profiteer. In many cases this attitude is probably unfair; there are some considerate landlords.—Toronto Globe.

Parr's Great Age Discredited.

It is worth while, when money is needed for legitimate objects, to answer the appeal to save from sale the cottage in which Thomas Parr lived! His claim to fame is that he lived to be 152 and that he died in penance for immortality at 100. Careful inquiry last century discredited the tradition as to the number of his years. His age was attested only by village gossip and by quacks, who sold what they falsely called "Parr's Life Pills." Brought to court in what was alleged to be his 153d year, Parr died in the course of a few months, killed by excessive diet.—London Mail.

Making Sure.

"Charley, dear," said young Mrs. Torkins, "I am glad to see you taking as much interest in politics as you formerly took in racing."

"It is the duty of every man and woman to take an interest in politics."

"Do you wish me to vote for the same candidate that you do?"

"Why shouldn't you?"

"I thought it might be a good idea for me to vote for the other one. It would be a satisfaction to feel that one or the other of us has at last succeeded in picking a winner."

GIRL SHOT BY AUTO BANDITS

THREE THUGS ATTACK KANSAS CITY PAIR IN CAR, KILLING SOCIETY GIRL.

SHOT WITHOUT WARNING

NO CAUSE HAS YET BEEN DISCOVERED FOR APPARENT COLD-BLOODED ACT.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 4.—A motor-car ride of two of Kansas City's most prominent younger society set ended fatally for one and the wounding of the other when Florence Barton, 24, daughter of Kimber I. Barton, president of the McElwain-Barton Shoe Company, died on the way to a hospital from wounds received when she and her companion, Howard R. Winters, were held up by three bandits while in the latter's coupe on Eighty-seventh street about one and one-fourth miles east of Hillcrest road.

The couple had been riding since 9:30 in the evening and had driven through Swope park and out onto Eighty-seventh street. Winters, according to his story, had stopped his car to light a cigar. Immediately after stopping the machine another motor drew alongside.

A man stepped from the other machine, a touring car, inquiring the road to Lee's summit. Two other men in the car remained in their seats. Winters said he told the inquisitor "To go straight ahead," and at the same time he saw the man hold a pistol and put up his hand to shield his face. At that instant, he said, the man without provocation started firing.

Several shots—how many Winters could not tell exactly—he felt his arm burn, he said, and his companion cry out, "My God! I am shot!"

He asked the bandit to stop firing and leave them alone. He was then commanded to "turn out the lights" on his car. When he did so the car bearing the three backed up, turned around and drove west at a high rate of speed.

Waiting a few minutes until the car had disappeared over the hill to the west, Winters drove on east to the country home of Mr. Roy B. Garvey. There he stopped his car at the drive, picking up Miss Barton in his arms, he carried her into the yard and laid her on the driveway. All this time he had been calling for help. He finally succeeded in waking Garvey, who when he saw what was the matter, drove the couple to the office of Dr. W. W. Hobbs, in Boytown.

Winters was given emergency treatment by Dr. Karl Twyman at Independence and later removed to the St. Regis hotel, where the bullet, a .38-caliber, soft-nose, was removed.

"Winters," said Dr. Twyman, "was shot just above the elbow, the bullet plunging down from the outer side of the arm. He was badly powder burned on both his hands and his face, and a large hole was burned in his left sleeve, part of the clothing being carried into the wound."

Bandits Raid Gambling House.

Philadelphia, Pa.—One detective is dead, several persons are suffering from serious gunshot wounds and four men are being held without bail here as the result of a revolver duel between four gangsters and the police following the frustration of a holdup in a house at 816 Passayunk avenue, which the police allege has been conducted for several months as a gambling house.

U. S. Reds Linked to Soviets.

Washington.—Evidence that the Communist party of America is "tightly connected" with the Russian third internationale was disclosed in a report received by the Department of Justice in the examination of Witty Shackman, arrested by the Chicago police. Search of Shackman's residence revealed a bulletin, type-written in Russian, which stated that since the election of John Reed to the executive committee of the third internationale the United Communist party "is tightly connected with this organization."

Shoe Workers to Adjust Scale.

Haverhill, Mass.—Representatives of the Shoe Workers' Protective Union and the Haverhill Shoe Manufacturers' Association have agreed to resume negotiations looking toward acceptance of a working agreement designed to prevent strikes or lockouts for two years. It also was agreed that a committee representing both should begin at once the work of classifying the factories and adjusting the wage scale.

Poles Take 42,000 Prisoners.

Warsaw.—President Pilsudski is at the northern front personally commanding the drive which it is announced has resulted in the complete defeat of sixteen Russian Bolshevik divisions. The staffs of the Third and Fourth Bolshevik armies have been captured and the staffs of four divisions and of several brigades and regiments also have been taken prisoner. Prisoners number 42,000. Guns to the number of 106 have been captured, in addition to 900 machine guns.

ANCIENT LEGEND OF JAPAN

Many Stories Told of the Evil Power and Feroocious Qualities of River-Dwelling Kappa.

Stories and legends concerning rivers abound in Japan. One reason is that the rivers are generally treacherous streams which a greater part of the year are little more than dry gravelly beds, but which sometimes suddenly overflow their banks carrying destruction to the fields and to the houses along their way. The story of the Kappa is told on the occasion of river festivals, which are held in July.

The Kappa is supposed to be a hairy creature with scaly limbs and the body of a tortoise; his head resembles that of an ape, and in the top of it is a cavity containing a mysterious fluid, said to be the source of the Kappa's power. The chief delight of the Kappa, who is fierce and quarrelsome, is to challenge human beings to combat, an invitation that cannot be refused. To defeat a Kappa is as unfortunate as to be worsted by him, as the victor begins immediately to waste away.

The Kappa always lives in rivers, and there were Kappas in some districts which demanded two victims a year. If a person began suddenly to grow pale and thin, it was said that the Kappa had claimed him.

Kappa means "Child of the River." There is a shrine in Izumo called kawako-no-miya which is said to contain a document signed by the Kappa who once lived in a neighboring stream. This goblin was exceedingly ferocious and many a villager or a villager's animal fell victim. One day the Kappa attacked a horse which had stepped into the river. In doing so, the Kappa twisted its neck but still clung to the frightened horse, which dashed out of the river and to his master's home. The villagers captured the Kappa and wanted to kill it, but the owner of the horse protested that he had a better plan.

The Kappa was tightly bound and presented with a document which promised that he would never molest the villagers or their animals again. The Kappa, in order to save his life, promised and affixed his seal to the document by dipping his hand into the ink and pressing it to the paper. He was then allowed to return to the river, and from that day to this he has never harmed the villagers.

Any Japanese today will acknowledge that he has heard of Kappa but few have seen one.—Sarah Moffatt Schenk in the Japan Advertiser, Tokyo.

Turpin's Famous Ride.

Dick Turpin, hero of many a romantic story, and one of the most outstanding figures in the history of English highwaymen, once made a ride that, for distance covered and speed maintained, has never been duplicated, as far as any record exists.

Turpin was in danger of capture, and capture meant death beyond question. He had beneath him a horse of unequalled speed and endurance, and before him an earthen path leading from London's cobble stones to York, a distance of 200 miles. Spur was touched to the mare, since famed in song and story as "Black Bess," and just as the sun was sinking to rest the highwayman and the eager mount took up the long trail.

The same sun rose 12 hours later over the housetops of York, and the early-rising citizens who peered from shuttered windows saw a great black horse, dripping with sweat, eyes starting from her head and breath coming in gasps, thundering down the main street, while a dust-covered rider swayed in the saddle and made futile efforts to whip the travel stains from his gay costume. He had completed the distance in 12 hours, and without changing mounts.

Fiber Box Saves Wood.

The fiber box is considered an important factor in forest conservation, since only about one-sixth of its raw material is new wood pulp. The rest is almost wholly waste, according to the forest bureau of the department of agriculture, which says:

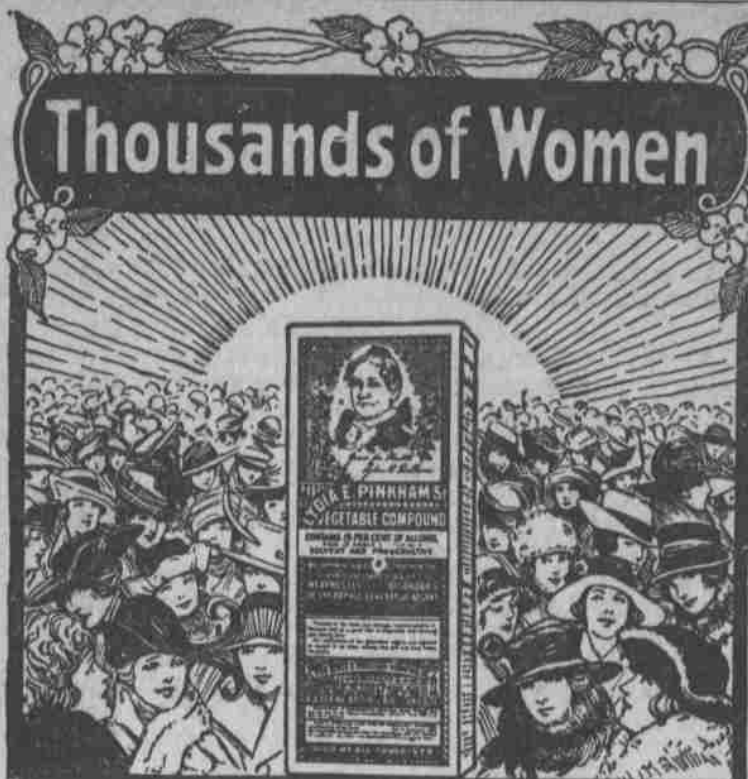
"At least half of fiber is old newspapers, screenings, wrapping paper, paper boxes and such material. But rope and bagging are no less products of the waste heap. The increased price paid for old papers since fiber board boxes stimulated the demand has resulted in drawing supplies from small towns and rural communities, where formerly no one went to the trouble of collecting such material. It has encouraged also the diligence of scavengers who search the alleys, ash cans, and public garbage dumps in cities."

France Plans World Wireless System.

A dispatch from Paris says that Under Secretary of State for the Post, Telegraph and Telephone Services Deschamps has announced that the French government plans for an elaborate wireless system whose center will be in Paris and which will cover Europe, Asia, Africa and South America. If this system, part of which is already in existence, is integrally applied as now proposed, France's wireless communications throughout the world will be able to rival Great Britain's cable communications.

On the Rhine.

Sentry—Who goes there?
Voice—Arbeter.
Sentry—Come again! You're the tenth man I've stopped with that name in 20 minutes!—Stars and Stripes.



Owe Their Health To

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—overshadowing indeed is the success of this great medicine. Compared with it, all other medicines for women's ills seem to be experiments.

Why is it so successful? Simply because of its sterling worth. For over forty years it has had no equal. Women for two generations have depended upon it with confidence.

Thousands of Their Letters are on our files, which prove these statements to be facts, not mere boasting.

Here Are Two Sample Letters:

Mother and Daughter Helped.

Middleburg, Pa.—"I am glad to state that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did me much good when I was 35 years old. I was run down with female trouble and was not able to do anything, could not walk for a year and could not work. I had treatment from a physician but did not gain. I read in the papers and books about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and decided to try it. The first few bottles gave me relief and I kept on using it until I got better and was able to do my work. The Vegetable Compound also regulated my daughter when she was 15 years old. I can recommend Vegetable Compound as the best medicine I have ever used."—Mrs. W. YERGER, R. 3, Box 21, Middleburg, Pa.

Fall River, Mass.—"Three years ago I gave birth to a little girl and after she was born I did not pick up well. I doctored for two months and my condition remained the same. One day one of your little books was left at my door and my husband suggested that I try a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I started it immediately and I felt better and could eat better after the first bottle, and I continued taking it for some time. Last year I gave birth to a baby boy and had a much easier time as I took the Vegetable Compound for four months before baby came. On getting up I had no pains like I had before, and no dizziness, and in two weeks felt about as well as ever."—Mrs. THOMAS WILKINSON, 363 Columbia Street, Fall River, Mass.

Wise Is the Woman Who Insists Upon Having

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

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Many a Pretty Face

Spoiled by Pimples

Not only are these pimples and splotches disfiguring, but they lead to serious skin diseases that spread and cause the most discomforting irritation and pain. Sometimes they foretell Eczema, boils, blisters, scaly eruptions and other annoyances that burn like flames of fire, and make you feel that your skin is ablaze.

If you are afflicted with this form of skin disease do not expect

to be cured by lotions, ointments, salves and other local remedies, as they can not possibly reach the source of the trouble, which is in the blood. Begin taking S.S.S. today, and write a complete history of your case to our chief medical adviser who will give you special instructions, without charge. Write at once to Medical Director, 152 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

Sparing Her Feelings.

"The prima donna says she won't follow the trained chimpanzee."
"We can't change the bill just to please her," said the vaudeville manager. "Tell her to stay in her dressing room until time to go on and she won't know whether she's following a trained chimpanzee or a troupe of dancing seals."

Don't Forget Cuticura Talcum

When adding to your toilet requisites. An exquisitely scented face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume, rendering other perfumes superfluous. You may rely on it because one of the Cuticura Trio (Soap, Ointment and Talcum). 25c each everywhere.—Adv.

A Short Drive.

"They tell me this moonshine stuff will drive a man crazy."
"It hasn't much drivin' to do," answered Uncle Bill Bottletop. "Any man who drinks moonshine is foolish to start with."

Nothing squeezes the water out of a man's possessions like a visit from the assessor.

Hyper-sensitive.

"Here's a mighty interesting map of the place where old Cap Kid is said to have come ashore frequently," remarked the willing worker.

"I thought you were supposed to be securing campaign funds," commented the hustler in tones of weary sarcasm.

"I am doing my best. But you can't ask any of the live ones for subscriptions without getting yourself talked about. I have about decided our only chance is to dig up some buried treasure."

"Pape's Diapepsin" for indigestion

"Pape's Diapepsin" is the quickest, surest relief for indigestion, Gas, Flatulence, Heartburn, Sourness, Fermentation or Stomach Distress caused by acidity. A few tablets give almost immediate stomach relief and shortly the stomach is corrected so you can eat favorite foods without fear. Large case costs only 60 cents at drug store. Absolutely harmless and pleasant. Millions helped annually. Best stomach corrective known.—Adv.

Next to the kindly act is the appreciation thereof.

Some men take to religion as a political afterthought.

That Wholesome Table Drink POSTUM CEREAL

gains new friends right along because of its pleasing taste healthfulness, and saving in cost

Postum Cereal is delicious when properly made: boil fully fifteen minutes after boiling begins. The more you boil Postum Cereal the better it is.

When ordering be sure to get the original POSTUM CEREAL

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Take no chances. Keep this standard remedy handy for the first sneeze.

Breaks up a cold in 24 hours—Relieves Grippe in 3 days—Excellent for Headaches

Quinine in this form does not affect the head—Cascara is best Tonic Laxative—No Opium in Hill's.

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ROY NEEDS IMMEDIATE FIRE PROTECTION

The recent fires in Roy are positive evidence that we need some form of fire protection immediately and the quicker some means of fighting fires is provided for the town the better satisfied the people will be with our Town Board. We believe Roy has as good a bunch of town officials as could be chosen from our town and they have waited for the well to materialize so that a proper method of fighting fires could be established after the pipe lines were laid. No doubt we have water and plenty of it, but it is going to take weeks and months before the water is piped over town and the hydrants installed, but in the meantime, would it not be advisable to get a chemical engine and a few thousand feet of hose that could be attached to the Floersheim tank?

To be sure this will cost a thousand or more dollars, but the Spanish-American believes it would be the best investment that the town could make at present and we know it would add much to the safety of the town.

A hose attached to the Floersheim tank, which holds twelve thousand gallons of water and is practically full of water at all times could be used very effectually in fighting fires in the business district, and with the aid of a good chemical engine, properly cared for, we would be able to stop any fire that had not gained too much headway and we would also have the advantage of holding a fire in check so that it would not spread to additional buildings.

The chemical engine is used by practically all towns that are devoid of proper fighting power and very good results have been obtained from their work, providing they are carefully looked after and kept recharged. We were proven the power of fighting fires with chemicals on last Wednesday night, when six fire extinguishers properly charged the preceding night, were turned on the burning sheds back of the schoolhouse and the fire extinguished within a few minutes.

Any way, these are matters worthy of our immediate attention, and any action taken by the Town Board will receive the hearty approval of the residents of Roy.

CLEAN UP YOUR PREMISES

The recent outbreaks of Typhoid in several towns of New Mexico is evidence that we should take all the necessary precautions to guard against the outbreak of this prevalent epidemic in Roy. Some of the necessary things to be done are the cleansing of all of the cisterns of the town and the different water barrels standing around over town in which water is placed from day to day with nothing more than an ordinary rinsing. These barrels and tanks should be thoroughly scalded at least once a week and we dare say that but mighty few have received one in the past month. All toilets and cesspools should be cleaned or thoroughly saturated with quick lime and especially those used by the public in general.

And another thing we might add that should be done at once, and that is the cleaning up of the rubbish over town. There is piled here and there over town different piles of tin cans, manure, old papers and other rubbish which should be removed at once, as there is no better breeding place for germs than in these places.

The business houses should also be required to remove the old boxes and rubbish from around their store buildings each day and hay, feed and other combustible materials near the store buildings or in the business district should be stored in fire-proof buildings as near as possible and kept under lock and key so that they are not easily accessible to the public.

Let's all clean up and keep clean.

BRADLEY NEWS

A large crowd was out to church Sunday and all are rejoicing over the new minister. We hope there will be a large crowd out every Sunday. Sunday school was organized with Mrs. Don Bradley as Superintendent, so we know it will be successful.

T. J. Heimann and bride left early Tuesday morning on their honeymoon trip for—well, we don't know where.

Miss Aytes, our "little school ma'am" reports a very good enrollment this week and she hopes they will keep coming.

Jay Bradley is raising the dust more than ever between the school house and Miss Aytes' boarding place, since he has his new Ford. We are wondering what Tell is going to do, as we see he is winking at a nice young lady also.

Lysle Hazen went to the orchard after apples this week.

Mrs. Ralph Hazen was unable to attend church on account of illness.

Mrs. Don Bradley is able to be out and around after a spell of almost typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Driskill were called to their mother's bedside who has been seriously ill some time in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hughbanks were down from Dawson Monday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Don Bradley, who had been ill. Also Mr. and Mrs. Louis Richardson came with them.

Frank Heimann motored up to Springer to visit his relatives up there.

We want everybody to come to the Mosquero Fair October 9th. Don't forget this big day. There will be a big dance that night. All the ladies as well as the men are busy preparing for this big day.

Mr. Shaw, who is living on the Day farm, met with a very serious accident last Wednesday evening. While unhitching his team the horses became frightened and ran away. Mr. Shaw received many injuries, among them several broken ribs, cuts in the face and two bad gashes in the scalp. Dr. Plumlee was called in attendance and dressed his many wounds and he is getting along nicely and will soon be up and about his duties.

Messrs. C. C. Staab, J. J. Devine, Frank Duchanois and another gentleman were down from Springer last Sunday taking applications to the Knights of Columbus lodge which will be organized in Springer about November 15th. Quite a number of applications were secured in Roy and will become charter members of the Springer lodge.

Irvin Ogden, former editor of the S-A was in from his ranch last Monday and attended the school meeting, with Mrs. Ogden, who is a member of the local board. Irvin sure looks like a real farmer and is getting that tan that will make him feel bonafide.

Mrs. Carus Plumlee who has been visiting relatives and friends in Missouri for the past six weeks is expected to arrive home Saturday.

Mrs. A. J. Thomas of Solano, N. M. who brought their little son to the Plumlee Hospital several weeks past for medical treatment, returned home today. The little boy, who was in a very serious condition when he entered the hospital, showed decided improvement and was well on the road to recovery when dismissed from the hospital.

H. C. Schell of Pea Ridge, Arkansas, who was visiting at the G. Burnett home, met with a serious accident Friday. He was helping Mr. Barnett with a well drill and his arm became entangled in the machinery and was completely crushed. He was immediately rushed to the Plumlee hospital and Doctor Plumlee is giving him the best medical attention, still hoping to save his right arm. This was an unfortunate accident, for Mr. Schell was contemplating making his home in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Nutter and young daughter, Shirley, who have been spending the past six weeks with the former's mother on the ranch, left last Thursday for Corona, New Mexico, where D. S. will again assume his position with the Chas. Ilfeld Co.

Special discounts for cash in all departments come in and look them over.

Roy Trading Company

Classified Ads

Rate 5c per line each insertion. Six ordinary words make a line.

Insure your "Calves" against black leg, by using "PURITY GERM FREE VACCINE" 20 cents per dose Mickey Floersheim Agent.

FOR SALE—One gentle mare, suitable for child. Five red, six-week-old pigs. John R. Nutter.

Watch the Roy Trading Company Saturday and Monday specials. It will pay you.

A 10-18 Case Tractor and 4-disc plow for sale. Terms. Selling because too small for my use, want a larger outfit. R. W. Boulware, Route 1.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN A 1917 Saxon Automobile, in good working condition. Self starter, new battery and ready to go. Will take part in trade. Call at Spanish-American office.

FOR SALE An Eagle Cook Stove in A-1 condition, same as new. Cost \$50.00, will take \$30.00. See it at the Spanish-American office.

FOR SALE Or will trade for Mesa property, or good notes, a fine 83 acre farm in Howard County, Arkansas, 12 mi. from railroad town, 1 1/4 miles from school, church and store, with good orchard. About 40 acres under cultivation. A fine little home for someone. Will want to reserve one half of the oil rights, however. Also have for sale on terms to suit purchaser, three teams of mares. Write or call and see me at my office in Mosquero, N. M. BENJ. F. BROWN.

A new home. Electric lights. An automobile of quality. Why not talk to Busey about them? The most beautiful spot in the world is your home. Let Busey show you how it looks with electric lights.

FOR SALE—640 acres farm nine miles northeast of Roy, nine miles southeast of Mills. Well improved, one of the wheat farms on the Mesa. Price \$35 per acre, one half cash, balance terms to suit purchaser at 6 per cent. There are 280 acres sowed to wheat, one half rent of this goes with place. S. F. Davis, Route 1, Roy, N. M. Stpd.

WANTED: You to see our Round Oak Ranges—The best that money can buy.

Roberts & Olver

FOR SALE Child's bed and mattress; coal oil stove and oven, also five dining room chairs. Cash only. Call or see Raymond Pendleton.

FOR SALE: 80 acres of deeded New Mexico land, one and three fourths miles north of Solano. Write Mrs. Frank 119 Emerick St. San Angelo, Texas. p4

FOR SALE—some pure blood Cornish Indian Game and Black Langshane Roosters \$3. each or will trade one for three pullets same age, any kind. Mrs. H. A. Gray tf

See Me For Germ-Free Blackleg Aggression Dr. J. A. Stevens, D. V. M. Graduate Veterinarian Ontario 1896

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Under new Management Charles Chapman, Proprietor

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Steam Heated, Free Baths, Hot and Cold Water in Rooms

A quiet, homelike Hotel one block from the Depot. in the

Main Business District

Tourists and Land-Seekers Will find this the right place.

REGISTRATION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Registration books for Precinct No. 22 for the election are now here and will be open for registration October 1st. Every man or woman over 21 years of age must register if you wish to vote. The books will be kept at the F. H. Foster office, and you can register any day between the 1st, and 30th, day of October F. H. Foster F. S. Brown J. J. Rodriguez Board of Registration

APPLES, APPLES, APPLES,

My Winter apples are now ready for picking. ----- 2 cents per pound for wind falls and 4 cents per pound for hand picked. Apples now ready for market at the old Kriebberg farm east of town. Write U. S. Shirley, Springer, N. M.

For Sale, good young milk Cows, See W. H. Hahn Near Solano, N. M.

FOR SALE: One McCormick binder in A, 1 condition. Write or see J.S. Horton 4 miles south of Solano.

Fabrick tires are not Strong enough for trucks.

Buy "SILVERTOWN" cords at

LIBERTY GARAGE

(best in the long run.)

Announcement

The Republican friends of B. M. Harrison, who live in the vicinity of Wagon Mound, Levy, Optimo and Nolan, announce his candidacy for nomination on the Republican ticket for County Commissioner for the third district of Mora County. (advertisement)

MORA ABSTRACT COMPANY

Mora, New Mexico Abstracts of all lands in Mora County

Prompt Service Accurate Copy of Records Philip Sanchez, Secretary

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CASH OR TERMS Write or see

J. FLOERSHEIM Roy, New Mexico.

Our Dry Goods, Clothing, and Shoes, for the whole family, are arriving daily. Come and inspect them, we will be pleased to show you and guarantee you service, Qualities and low prices. Remember, we are here to please every one. R. P. Shava Company

Teachers examination There will be a teachers examination at Roy New Mexico on Friday and Saturday October 15th and 16th. The examination will be held at the Roy School house and will began at 8 o'clock sharp. Alfredo Lucero Co.Supt.

APPLES! APPLES!

Winter Apples are now ready Very Best in Grade 75c to \$1.50 per bushel on trees

WANTED--some men until the fruit picking season is over, \$3.00 per day with board and room. COME AT ONCE.

CHASE RANCH Cimarron, N. M.

We are prepared to meet your requirements in any building line, Frame, Brick, Adobe or Concrete. Our only recommendation is our satisfied customers.

Ray B. Carr, Roy, N. M.

Phone 28-3

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Baum Bro's Roy, N.M

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No Change in Fish Hook Design.
Fish hooks have been made on exactly the same design for 2,000 years.

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Public Land Sale

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The sale will not be kept open, but will be declared closed when those present at the hour named have ceased bidding.

NOTICE TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Notice is herewith given to whom it may concern that Margarita T. Naranjo, the undersigned, was appointed on the 13th day of September, A. D. 1920, Administratrix of the Estate of Juana C. Trujillo, deceased.

MARGARITA T. NARANJO,
Administratrix.

AVISO A QUIENES CONCIERNA

Aviso es por esta dado a quienes concierne que Margarita T. Naranjo, la libaje firmada fue nombrada, este dia 13 de Septiembre, A. D. 1920, Administradora de la Estate de Juana C. Trujillo, difunta y todas personas que tengan cuentas contra la Estate de said Juana C. Trujillo, difunta, presentaran las mismas dentro del tiempo prescripto por ley.

MARGARITA T. NARANJO,
Administradora.

IN THE JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
COURT IN AND FOR PCT. NO. 22,
BEFORE F. H. POSTER, J. P.
THEREOF.

County of Mora
W. S. Morris, Plaintiff,
vs.
Virgil Haltom, Defendant.

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CO-OPERATION

About the first of November last, a few of our business men and farmers met to discuss plans for building an elevator and supply depot, but even the most optimistic of them did not believe it possible of accomplishment short of several years.

But today—less than one year from date of that first memorable meeting, there stands on the west side of the R. R. tracks and North of Third street the property of "THE MESA CO-OPERATIVE CO." as well built and completely equipped a grain elevator as can be found in New Mexico.

It was built and equipped by the White Star Co. of Topeka, Kans., specialists in elevator construction, under the supervision of C. N. Glaser. The elevator has a capacity of 10,000 bushels of grain and the bean warehouse a capacity of 5,000 bushels, the engine house is detached from the elevator. It has a full equipment of modern machinery for cleaning and grading wheat, oats, corn, beans, etc.

In loading the cars, all grain runs use the latest type, automatic self registering scales, the wagon scales are Fairbanks, set in concrete pit and are fitted with an attachment that stamps the gross weight on the customers' duplicate ticket, and when empty wagon is weighed back, this little attachment absolutely prevents mistakes in recording either gross weight in tare, no up hill pull from scales to elevator.

Trackage facilities are the best in Roy, the Company private track accommodates ten cars alongside elevator and warehouse, and these cars are moved only as loaded and unloaded and are not otherwise disturbed by switching operations in the yard. Ties and steel are laid, and ballasting will be completed by Saturday.

Coal bins and coal sheds will be so situated that unloading will be direct from car, and all merchandise will be unloaded direct from cars to warehouse, the economy in expense of handling all freight will be really efficient, and this saving will add to the dividend account.

On last Saturday the Directors authorized the construction of the warehouse, and the purchase of the grocery stock, and it is the plan to have this warehouse completed and stocked by the first of December, the main store building for the general stock will be fireproof construction, and will be erected early after the first of the year, in time to take care of

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. J. H. D. Terral, of Springfield, Colorado, organized the Methodist Church South in Roy this week. Thirty of Roy's best citizens are members.

The Baptist Church was tendered Rev. Terral and he delivered an interesting sermon Thursday night. We will give a full account of the organization next week as we received the news rather late.

Mr. W. H. Carris and Mrs. B. White of Ft. Sumner, New Mexico, father and sister of V. V. Carris are visiting here. Mr. W. H. Carris seems to like this part of our country, and may decide on locating here later. He represents The North American Accident Insurance Co. of Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. White likes Roy so well that she has decided to make Roy her future home.

Special discounts for cash in all departments come in and look them over. Roy Trading Company. W. L. Russell, J. W. Beck and Mr. McMinus were attending to business matters in Denver this week.

If you have any hauling to do call for the "CITY DRAY" phone number 12-3. Seidel and Isman prop's. Special discounts for cash in all departments come in and look them over. Roy Trading Company.

Homer Holmes was a business visitor in Tucumcari Thursday.

A. S. Hanson and wife of Springer, were attending to business matters in Roy Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Hanson reports that they had no insurance on the hay sheds which they lost in the recent fire and that the sheds and feed were a total loss.

Mrs. J. W. Woodward left for Shawnee, Okla., Sunday, where she will visit relatives for a few weeks.

FOR SALE: 480 acre farm 190 acres in cultivation, have well, good house, all fenced, good improvements all around. Will sell for \$20.00 per acre, one-half cash, terms on balance, write G. R. Randle, Mesquero, N. M.

Merritt C. Mechem Will Be Elected Governor of New Mexico

MECHEM MERITS ELECTION on his record which has earned him public confidence and which has demonstrated his capacity for public service of the highest order. As legislator, as district attorney and as judge he has done his duty efficiently, without fear or favor. His private life exemplifies the best type of courageous, conscientious citizenship.

MECHEM MERITS ELECTION because he was drafted by his party, against his desire and in the sacrifice of a more profitable and more congenial position. Thus he will become governor without a single obligation other than that which he will assume when he takes his oath of office; unhampered by a single promise of official favor or political preferment; free to follow the course which his experience, his judgment and his conscience will chart for him as being for the best interest of New Mexico.

MECHEM MERITS ELECTION because his interest in politics and the public business is impersonal and unselfish. Thus his election will express the earnest desire of the people of New Mexico that the public business have preference in the executive office over personal ambition or the up-building of a personal or partisan political machine. With Mechem as governor the interests of the state will dominate all considerations of partisan advantage. New Mexico will have a governor and not a manager of a personal or partisan political interest.

MECHEM MERITS ELECTION on his platform, which is the platform of his party; a progressive program of sound, constructive policy in administration and legislation. His recommendations for legislation will be to a legislature, a majority of whose members will be pledged to the same policies and who will act in cordial sympathy with his proposals. Team work will take the place of partisan antagonism in the state government.

MECHEM MERITS ELECTION upon his personal pledge, given herewith. The thousands of his fellow citizens who know him personally will bear witness that a pledge from Merritt C. Mechem is a bond that is held inviolate in its letter, in its spirit and to the final detail of faithful performance.

THERE'S MERIT IN MECHEM

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of October, 1920. (SEAL) Justice of the Peace.



If I am elected governor I will give my best effort toward a business administration for New Mexico. In appointive and administrative matters I will be guided by my conviction that my party is strengthened only when its representatives in office subordinate partisan interests to the public welfare. I stand squarely pledged to the policies in the Republican state platform and if elected will leave nothing undone to carry out those pledges. MERRITT C. MECHEM

RAGS!

We need clean cotton rags at this office. Must be at least 18 inches square. 8 cents a pound. Bring 'em in now. Spanish-American

Special discounts for cash in all departments come in and look them over. Roy Trading Company

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, ETC., OF THE SPANISH-AMERICAN.

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Besides our general offer of a 10 percent discount we will make an extra special of the following:

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You buy your Coal remember that the first cost is not the only thing to consider. The Quality of our grate and nut coal insures

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Lumber, Hardware and Fuel
Where your Dollar does its duty
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LADIES should know about COVELLA the National Home Remedy for ailments peculiar to women. Floersheim Merc. Co. Roy, N. M. Distributors. Send for Literature. COVELLA LABORATORIES, 6200 Easton, Blk 3, St. Louis, Mo

St. George School Notes

The following are those who stood highest in the first monthly test in the new St. George School.

Highest average in Arithmetic
Eighth grade, Missouri Gray
Seventh " Leland King
Fifth " Lena Baker

Spelling

Eighth grade Alfred Pachaco
Fifth " Helen Haines

History

Eighth grade Luella Pendleton
Seventh " Katherine Gray
Fifth " Henry Romero

Neither absent nor tardy during September

Edward Beck. Davie Branch
Missouri Gray Helen Haines
Katherine Gray Leland King
Gertrude Swayer and Henry Romero.

Spelling

Fourth grade Celesta Brashears
Geography and Arithmetic
Reta Gallegos. Arithmetic and Spelling, fourth grade Agnes Baker, Lucy Vargas, Manual Griego.

General Excellence

Celesta Brashears, Agnes Baker, Rita Gallegos, Lucy Vargas and Manual Griego.

Miss Gertrude and Master Lea Swayer from Cone, New Mex. who are attending school here at St. George, have been entertaining their brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. Beller and children from Bueyeros.

Mr. Bauler and sons, Peter Leo Thomas, Henry, Charles, Philip, Lawrence and Lena spent Sunday with their daughter Adeline who boards at the Sisters Academy, and attends St. George school.

Father Vachon has been out of town a few days at French and El Paso on business.

Mr. Richard Kilmurry was in Raton the first of the week on business while their he also took in the Fair.

John Holder who has been at Sipe Springs Texas the past two weeks returned home Wednesday he reports that their well proved a dry hole but Jim Chrisman had crackerjack oil well.

E. P. Shaya went to Santa Rosa and Tucumcari Tuesday on a business trip in the interest of the Mutual Life Insurance Co.

Harry Stewart and Tracy Mitchell left for Albuquerque, N.M. Tuesday where they will enter a business College for the winter.

Mrs. Meta Bohannon is attending to business matters in Tucumcari this week.

Ray and Homer Schell of Pea Ridge, Arkansas. Arrived in the city Tuesday, they were called here by the accident of their father H. C. Schell, they will remain here for some time, and we hope the family will decide to make New Mexico their home in the future.

Ernest Wade who has been in the U.S. Army and stationed at Fort Bliss returned home in Roy Monday he has grown during the past year till we scarcely knew him. Ernest returned with an honorable discharge in his pocket

Several from Roy have been attending the Mills Chautauqua this week.

W. H. McOrger of Mills was a pleasant caller at the S.A. Monday.

The Beck Motor Co. received a car load of Ford's last week, they have all been sold, but Mr. Beck manager of the Company states that they will get another car load next week.

Mr. Hobson, the Roy Jeweler has changed his business quarters, from the S. A. office to the Floersheim building formerly occupied by the Bank of Roy.

NOTICE TO HUNTERS

I own and control lands in Sections 3, 4, 9, 10 and 11, Township 18, Range 25 E. N. M. P. Meridian and hereby forbid anyone to hunt or trespass thereon.

I have posted notices according to law and will prosecute everyone hunting without permission upon my lands in above numbered sections.

Leandro Archuleta 3-0

COME TO ROY DURING THE FIRST WHEAT BELT FAIR OCTOBER 19, 20 and 21.

The citizens have spared no expense to give the people who come a good time.

There will be nothing but fun for three days.

While in Roy drop into the ROY TRUST & SAVINGS BANK—Our offices are at your disposal.

Make this your banking home.

THE ROY TRUST & SAVINGS BANK

Chas. Weatherall and family and Raymond Pendleton and wife are attending the Raton fair this week.

Miss Vivian Dunn is the new charming assistant bookkeeper at the Floersheim Mercantile Co's store.

Specials

We are offering to the trade while they last our entire stock of Self Sealing Mason Jars at the following prices:

1-2 gal. jars \$1.20 per dozen
1-4 gal. jars \$1.05 per dozen

We are also overstocked on Health Club Baking Powder and in order to reduce our stock we offer you these special prices:

15 oz H. C. Baking Powder 15c value 12c
25 " " " " 25c " 20c
50 " " " " 50c " 40c
80 " " " " 80c " 65c

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BIG LAND SALE

20,000 ACRES OF FINE AGRICULTURAL LAND

The Rito del Plano Ranch near French, Colfax County, New Mexico, is now being cut into tracts of 160 acres to 640 acres and offered for sale.

Some of the finest land in New Mexico. Level and easy to cultivate.

Will grow all kinds of crops including Spring and Winter wheat, oats, barley, rye corn, garden truck and other crops that are grown in the Southwest.

Running water on part of the ranch. Good well water can be had on any part of the ranch.

The land is crossed by the main lines of two big railroad systems---the Santa Fe and the El Paso & Southwestern. It adjoins the town of French and is within two or three miles of both the towns of Springer and Maxwell.

PRICE

\$25 per acre, one third cash, balance 10 equal annual payments, 6 percent interest per annum on deferred payments.

Stop and Consider

Hardly a farm in all Northeastern New Mexico but what the 1920 crop is worth \$25 per acre or more, to the owner. This land will pay back the purchase price in one year if properly farmed. SEE

DAVID B. COLE

Room 32, Roth Block, Raton, N. M.

French, N. M.

Whose House is Afire?

The fire cars clatter by in a mad race to save someone's house from burning. *Is it your house?*

Last year our national fire losses totaled \$269,000,000. Fire apparatus could not prevent it.

You will be free from worry or from loss by fire if you will build structures that WILL NOT BURN.

Build the walls and gables of concrete block. Make the floors, partitions, eaves and shingles of fireproof material.

I will be glad to help you with your building plans. You will be interested in seeing how artistic and free from maintenance concrete block houses are—and they're fireproof too.

P. T. GIBSON

Roy, New Mexico

President Woodrow Wilson has set aside October 9 as Fire Prevention Day. This advertisement is published in cooperation with the movement for fireproof homes.

MEET ME AT the FAIR



October 19, 20, 21
At Roy

I am going to be there with a working exhibit of **Western Electric POWER and LIGHT** as well as a complete line of electrical appliances to lighten the labor on the farm.

LOOK FOR MY SIGN
J. E. BUSEY
Electrical Equipment
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Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

The Ford Sedan, with electric self-starting and lighting system and demountable rims with 3 1/2-inch tires front and rear, for every day in the year has no equal as a family car. Just as popular on the farm as it is in the city. In fact, it fits the family demands in every vocation of life. Large, roomy seats, finely upholstered, plate glass windows make it an open car in pleasant weather, while in rainy and inclement weather it becomes a closed car, dust-proof and rain-proof. It is not only comfortable, but really cozy, and above all, economical in operation and maintenance, and has all the Ford merits of strength and durability.

BECK MOTOR COMPANY



MOSQUERO MENTIRAS

Beautiful weather, with just enough of a frosty feeling in the air to remind us that BVD's are now becoming out of date.

Mrs. Hite returned to her California home after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. L. Fuller and the children and her many old time friends of the Mesa who knew her in the pioneering days.

Quite a few of the young folks from Mosquero have been attending the Chantauqua at Mills and report a very nice time. The auto has made possible the enjoyment of many little neighborhood entertainments that were formerly barred by distance.

The first number of the Mosquero Lyceum course, the appearance of the Mason Jubilee Singers, was well attended and a program given that was greatly enjoyed by all. The members of this troupe are genuine artists and worthy of traveling far to hear. If the rest of the course is as good, it will be well worth the effort made by the patriotic town-people to secure this lyceum course for our little town. The next number will be given some time this month. Don't fail to attend.

The stork has been quite busy at Mosquero during the last few days. The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Kennedy was visited on the 25th of last week and a fine baby girl left in their care. Mrs. Kennedy was taken very sick soon after and Dr. Self of Roy called in consultation with Dr. McKinney, but is now happily out of danger and improving rapidly. On the 2nd of this month, the same stork, who seems to have only a supply of girls in stock at this time, left one of the newly emancipated sex at the home of Charley Pryor, where both mother and daughter are doing nicely while Charley gives promise of becoming rational again in the near future. Continuing on East, he dropped off of the Mesa and left another little girl at the house of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Montanos. Here we are sorry to say that he left sadness as well as joy in his wake, for by the time that Dr. Gamble, who had been hastily called, reached the Montano home, he found the mother dead. Interment was made Sunday at the lower Mosquero cemetery. The babe, however, is strong and healthy and doing fine.

Hon. A. H. McGlothlin, our local postmaster, who was recently nominated as a candidate for representative on the Democratic ticket, tendered his resignation, giving as his reason the fact that his age precluded his making a strenuous campaign, that he would have to resign his position as postmaster in order to qualify, and the fact that his many duties at home made it almost impossible for him to add additional burdens upon himself at this time. Shortly after submitting his resignation he was in receipt of a long telegram from all of the principal business men of prominence in Clayton requesting him to withdraw his resignation and allow his name to be placed on the ticket. We have not yet learned what decision he finally made. Mosquero needs Judge McGlothlin in the legislature and the state needs more men of his ability, education and experience in the halls of its law-making body.

Wheat is still coming into town although the fact that the price is now down is holding out vast quantities that have been stored for higher prices. It now begins to look as if a mistake had been made in this matter as with everything else coming down wheat will probably follow and quite a loss sustained by the growers who have stored wheat to be held for higher price than that offered at about threshing time. Great quantities of beans have also been harvested and bean threshing is now in full force in the vicinity. Very little of the beans that are being threshed now is being brought into town on account of the price that is being offered being less than the actual cost of growing the beans. Three and a half cents per

found for beans is an insult to the grower, and means ultimately the extinction of the bean growing industry in the state. Local merchants should use every effort to secure a market for this important crop at a fair price.

C. J. McLuré, formerly a business man of Mills, was visiting friends and attending to business matters in Roy the last of the week.

L. N. DeWeese, one of Mosquero's prominent farmers, was in Roy on business last Saturday. L. N. tells us that he has just finished planting 250 acres of wheat.

Wm. Lofton of Mosquero one of the farmers that has made good, was trading with our advertising merchants last Saturday.

Wood of Cottonwood Falls, Kans., spent a few days in Roy last week looking after his farming interests.

UNION COUNTY VALUATION ALMOST DOUBLES IN 3 YEARS

According to information received from County Assessor Alexander, the assessed valuation of Union County property has about doubled in three years. In 1917 the valuation of Union County was \$11,250,000. The valuation, according to the assessment of 1920, is \$21,342,456. There has been no raise in values during the three years, and the increase comes from the increase of taxable property.

Public Sale

I will offer to the highest bidder at my Ranch 3 1-2 miles S.W. of Mills, and 6 1-2 miles N.W. of Roy, on TUESDAY OCT. 12th

Sale to start 10 A.M. sharp. 22 head of Cattle, good milk stock 3 to 7 yr old, all to be fresh on or before March 1st.

20 PIGS, 2 Heaters, 1 Cupboard 1 Sewing machine, 1 Dining table, and other articles to numerous to mention. TERMS

All sums under \$ 10.00 cash, on sums over \$ 10.00 a credit of 13 months will be given on bankable notes or approved security. 10 per cent discount for cash, notes to draw 10 pct, from date if not paid when due.

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See me and get my terms and dates before deciding about your sale. Dates made at the Spanish-American office.

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