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PRIDE, PROGRESS, PROSPERITY

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LOVINGTON, NEW MEXICO, FRIDAY, JUNE 2, 1916.

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THE WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS

A BRIEF RECORD OF PASSING EVENTS IN THIS AND FOREIGN COUNTRIES.

IN LATE DISPATCHES

DOINGS AND HAPPENINGS THAT MARK THE PROGRESS OF THE AGE.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

ABOUT THE WAR

Heavy bombardment and infantry actions take place on Saloniki front. Turkey reports Russian advance northeast of Bagdad has been checked.

Southeast of Trent, Italians report they have thrown back Austrians in disorder.

Russians by counter attack dislodge Germans from advanced trench. Teutons had captured west of Dallen island.

A force of Russian cavalry broke through Turkish lines and joined the British on Tigris river in Mesopotamia.

Fort Douaumont, one of the main defenses of Verdun was retaken by the Germans after a series of violent attacks and heavy casualties. The French recaptured trenches near Cumières.

The Austrian offensive appears to be maintaining its power despite Rome's claim that the drive has slackened. Italians in haste flight across border destroy cannon to keep them out of Austrians' hands.

The Italian troops were forced across their own border for the first time by Austrian offensive in retreat from Borgo, according to the Austrian war office report. Vienna says the drive is successful at all points.

Germans occupy section of French trenches west of Fort Douaumont and are keeping up unprecedented bombardments and vicious infantry attacks northeast and northwest of Verdun. Withering fire by French machine-guns at almost every point.

Gen. Gabriel Gavira, newly constituted commander of the Mexican military zone of the border, announced in Juarez he intended to ask Gen. J. J. Pershing, commander of the American expeditionary force, for a conference at which would be settled details of co-operation for chasing down the bandits of Chihuahua.

The battle of Verdun raged Tuesday with a fiercer intensity than has characterized the struggle at any stage of its three months' duration. Occupation by the French of the major portion of Fort Douaumont is regarded as an advantage of great moral and strategic value. The Germans are launching desperate infantry attacks, preceded by heavy bombardments, in the effort to dislodge the enemy.

WESTERN

Organization of the first motorcycle company in the United States army was begun at Fort Bliss, Tex.

A tornado swept through Geddes, So. Dak., leveling buildings and doing much damage to crops and livestock.

Paul Verhojce, alias Armstrong, a 19-year-old boy, was arrested on a charge of murdering Gwendolyn Holden, 15-year-old daughter of Mrs. Anna Holden-Collins, a rooming-house keeper at Aurora, Ill.

The slaughter of more than 250 head of elk in the Cedar Creek basin, east and north of Gardner, Mont., within the last sixty days was reported by State Game Warden De Hart and forest rangers.

Fred and Paul Woolfolk, home-stealers, 22 and 24, both single, were killed, fifty miles southeast of Raton, N. M., by C. E. Briles, 27, a married man and veterinary surgeon who has a homestead adjoining the Woolfolks.

William H. Hoffman, 26, was crushed and dangerously injured at Cheyenne, Wyo., when an automobile which he was driving overturned on a curve of the four-mile track near town. Miss Dorothy Brown and Miss Lola Wylie were also injured.

WASHINGTON

American patriotism is handicapped because Germany cannot ship United States flags to this country.

The Senate confirmed the nomination of James Wesley Thompson of Honolulu as judge of the Circuit Court of Hawaii.

Returns from the income tax on the incoming fiscal year are estimated at approximately \$120,000,000 in revised figures compiled by the Treasury Department.

Secretary Baker has not decided what action shall be taken regarding the 116 Texas guardsmen who declined to enroll in the federal service.

The Carranza government has ordered 30,000 troops into the region south of the border to exterminate bandits, according to information received at the State Department.

The federal reserve board voted unanimously to defer till July 15 the inauguration of the new country-wide clearing and collection system which it had planned to put into effect June 1.

FOREIGN

At Athens, Greece, a severe earthquake shock was felt Monday.

Lloyd's announces that the Italian steamer Birmania, a vessel of 2,215 tons, has been sunk.

The Most Rev. Jeremiah J. Hart, archbishop of Manila, has been appointed bishop of Omaha.

William Graves Sharp, the American ambassador, is convalescing in Paris from an attack of pneumonia.

Lloyd's shipping agency Tuesday reported the sinking of three ships, a Greek and a British steamer and an Italian sailing vessel.

Sir Edward Gray reiterated in the House of Commons that peace talks in premature and that Great Britain's pledges to its allies must be fulfilled.

The peace stories emanating from the United States have vied with the news from Tyrol for the most favorable position in the Austrian newspapers.

The Department of the Interior announced at Mexico City that Gen. Carranza within a few days would issue a decree calling for municipal elections throughout the republic.

A strike of employes on the National Railway of Mexico has resulted in the suspension of service between Manzanillo and Mexico City. Conditions in Manzanillo and vicinity are quiet.

Sir Roger Casement and Daniel Bailey, his soldier confederate, were indicted for high treason by a grand jury, after a brief consideration of the evidence in the preliminary hearing.

Through the fortunes of war, one of the chiefs most appreciated by Emperor William and the crown prince in recent years, fed the delegates to the conference of the allies recently held in Paris.

The death in Christiania of Dr. Henrik Greve Blessing, who was physician and botanist with the Nansen polar expedition, 1893-96, is announced in a Central News dispatch from Copenhagen.

Francis Dyke Acland, financial secretary of the Treasury, speaking in the House of Commons on the agricultural situation, said it was imperative that farmers drop their prejudice against the employment of female labor.

A London report that Prince von Buelow has been chosen to succeed von Bernstorff as German ambassador to the United States is accompanied by the assertion that this move is in pursuance of the kaiser's effort to conclude an early peace.

SPORTING NEWS

Standing of Western League Clubs.

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Lincoln	18	9	.667
Des Moines	16	11	.593
Wichita	16	12	.571
Topeka	15	13	.538
Omaha	14	12	.538
Sioux City	12	15	.442
St. Joseph	9	17	.346
Denver	9	18	.333

Detroit's first baseball fatality of the year was recorded with George White, 22-year-old factory employe, as the victim.

Charlie White of Chicago knocked out Milburn Saylor of Indianapolis in the first round of their scheduled ten-round bout at Cincinnati, Ohio.

The far West again demonstrated its prowess at tennis at Chicago, when Leland Stanford University defeated the University of Chicago in singles and doubles.

Jimmy Hanlon of Denver lost to Bobby Anderson of Duquoin, Ill., in eight rounds at St. Louis. Referee Sharpe's decision displeased the Hanlon fans and a police guard escorted the referee from the ring.

A bill to prohibit transmission between the states or into the United States from a foreign country of race track or other gambling bets, odds, results or advertising for use in connection with pool selling, bookmaking or other gambling was favorably reported by the House interstate commerce committee.

GENERAL

Evelyn Nesbit Thaw and Jack Clifford, her dancing partner, with whom she quarreled violently in Colorado Springs, Colo., last February, announced that they were married in Baltimore.

Dr. C. A. Barbour, president of the Rochester Theological seminary, Rochester, N. Y., was elected president of the Northern Baptist convention without opposition at the annual meeting in Minneapolis.

Angered when his father threatened to chastise him for impudence, William O'Brien, Jr., 18 years old, went to his bedroom in his home in Philadelphia, procured a revolver, returned to the kitchen and, according to the police, shot his parent in the back of the head.

At a meeting of the Progressive national executive committee in New York, Raymond Robbins of Chicago was selected as temporary chairman of the national convention; O. K. Davis of New York, temporary secretary, and F. P. Carrick of Nebraska, sergeant-at-arms.

Col. Louis Morin, charged with planning a Mexican uprising in Texas, and Victoriano Ponce, charged with participating in the wrecking of a train near Brownsville, Tex., last October, were shot to death when they attempted to escape from Texas rangers.

Bread dough saved the lives of three bakers at Anderson, Ind., when a steam boiler exploded in the oven room of a bakery. A great mass of dough plastered over the three men, protecting them from scalding by the steam.

COLORADO STATE NEWS

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

DATES FOR COMING EVENTS.
June 11—National Convention of Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, at Denver.
June 14-18—Semi-Annual Epworth League Convention at Colo. Springs.
June 17—Nineteenth annual Strawberry Festival and Carnival at Glenwood Springs.
June 22-23—Colo. Christian Endeavor Convention at Greeley.
Aug. 1—Celebration Colorado's Fortieth Anniversary of Statehood, at Denver.
Aug. 2—National Convention of Representatives of Negro Race at Denver.
Aug. 8—Democratic State Assembly at Denver.
Aug. 18-19—Pickle Day and Fair at Plattville.
Aug. 22-25—Annual Convention, Grand Lodge K. of P., at Greeley.
Sept. 3-8—Frontier Days' celebration at Fort Morgan.

Mrs. Ansel Watrous, 83, died at Fort Collins.

An \$80,000 milk condensery is being planned at Greeley.

Grover and vicinity is in the midst of a tungsten mining boom.

Wm. D. Frey dropped dead in his office at the Denver stock yards.

A number of real estate deals, involving large sums, are being made at Greeley.

Girl students at the University of Denver have captured the scholarship honors for the past year.

Some rich ore has been taken from the old Limes mining property near Sawfit, in the Ouray district.

A grand total of 278 members was rolled up by the workers in the Y. M. C. A. campaign, according to a compilation of reports.

Through a confession made by Edward Ives, 32, Denver police found nearly \$1,000 in loot in rooms of three bandit suspects.

It is stated that a rich tungsten vein containing pieces of ore as large as a teapot has been discovered twelve miles south of Victor.

F. D. Rice, who conducts the Bennett ranch east of Glenwood, is charged with furnishing a weapon to a convict in a complaint made by the district attorney.

Greeley refunding bonds to the amount of \$299,000 were exchanged in Denver. The Denver bond house purchased the bonds for par, accrued interest, and \$5,050 premium.

Charles A. Lammers will be deputy city clerk and recorder under the administration of Mayor Speer of Denver. The appointment was made to become effective June 1.

Denver Typographical Union, No. 49, held its annual election of officers. Robert F. Jones and Frank J. Pulver were selected as delegates to the convention at Baltimore in August.

Col. James C. Bulger, soldier of fortune, sentenced to hang for the slaying of Lloyd F. Nicodemus, one of the proprietors of the Savoy hotel in Denver, was granted a reprieve until June 20.

After declaring to the Denver police that a purse snatcher had taken \$5 and a check for \$2,000 from her, Miss Minnie Briggs reported she found the check done up in her hair that night after she had reached her home.

Colorado is piling up wealth every day in her banks. The abstract just completed by the State Bank Commissioners Department from the call sent out May 1 shows an increase in the total resources since March 7, of \$2,393,831.89.

Work is now under way on the construction of the \$50,000 tungsten mill of the Tungsten Metals Corporation at the Red Sign property in Boulder Cañon. Work was begun on the foundation and the plant will probably be finished by July 1.

C. M. Pulliam of Loveland, who is operating a lease on the Spradley estate one mile west of Camp Loveland, in the Boulder tungsten fields, has uncovered a vein of tungsten ore that is six inches wide and tests show values of 50 per cent and better.

Bishop Francis McConnell of the Methodist church will remain in Colorado. The efforts of Massachusetts church people to obtain his transfer proved unavailing, according to word from Saratoga, N. Y., where the general conference was held.

The annual report of the Tonopah Placers Company, operating the Swan River placers at Breckenridge, covers the year ending Feb. 29, 1916. The property is valued at \$1,174,891, which other assets increase to \$1,623,318. The capital stock is \$1,000,000. Gross value of bullion shipped during the year, \$179,018, and total cost of operation \$267,325, leaving \$211,693 as profit. This is over 21 per cent on the face value of the capital, Jan. 1, 1916, a 5 per cent dividend (\$50,000) was sent out.

With Pao Ting Fu, China, as their objective, the Rev. Richard E. Jenness and his bride, formerly Miss Lillian Keyes of Los Angeles, will leave Denver in the near future to devote their lives to missionary work among the inhabitants of the yellow empire. Their first station in the Far East will be 150 miles from Peking.

J. D. McCurdy, 60, of Windsor, was taken to Greeley and placed in the county jail, charged with non-support and desertion. This is Beamer's second offense of that kind within less than a year.

DICKENS FOUND GUILTY

BANKER'S SON FACES PEN TERM AS FATHER'S SLAYER.

Attorneys Given 45 Days to Make Application for New Trial—Case May Go to Supreme Court.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

Boulder, Colo., May 21.—Rienzi C. Dickens was found guilty of the second degree murder of his father, William H. Dickens, wealthy Longmont banker and pioneer builder. The verdict carries with it a sentence of from ten years to life imprisonment in the penitentiary. The jury retired late Monday night and began balloting on Rienzi's fate. Attorneys for Rienzi Dickens were granted 45 days in which to file a motion for a new trial, and if this is denied are expected to appeal to the Supreme Court in the bitter fight to free Rienzi.

When the verdict was read, the defendant's wife, who had been at his side constantly during the trial, shrieked and went into hysterics. Within fifteen minutes after the verdict, Mrs. Dickens collapsed completely and was carried to her hotel.

Foremost in the efforts to stop the cries of the little woman was Rienzi Dickens himself. He received the verdict with utter calm—almost apparent indifference. Then, without flinching, he arose and began to comfort his wife. Mrs. William H. Dickens, wife of the murdered man and active in her son's defense, was not in the room when the verdict was read. Mrs. Walter C. Conahan, sister of the defendant, and Mrs. Jack Dickens, sister-in-law, broke down as did his wife.

The defendant will retain his liberty on a new \$40,000 bond until the motion for a new trial is decided.

The Story of the Murder.

The murder of William H. Dickens occurred the night of Nov. 30, last. He sat resting, alternately dozing and reading, in the library of his luxurious home in Longmont. It was about 8 o'clock. His wife, who came west with him thirty years ago and fought the fight with him from poverty to wealth, had just entered the room and taken a seat across from him at the reading table when a bullet came crashing through the window. It plowed its way through the aged banker's body, and curled itself in the wall. A fragment strayed from the copper jacket and cut open the cheek of Mrs. Dickens. Mr. Dickens fell to the floor unconscious and died in his wife's arms four minutes later.

There were many theories advanced and many clues followed in the succeeding days. Officers racing to Longmont in an automobile from Colorado Springs with bloodhounds eight hours after the murder passed a man driving an exhausted horse toward Denver and he was traced by the officers until they became convinced that he could not have been the assassin.

Gang Theory Advanced.

A number of the men who, through business association with the banker, had become his enemies, were investigated. A theory was offered that one of a gang known as the Bill DuBois gang in the early days of Longmont, practically wiped out by a vigilance committee commanded by William H. Dickens, had killed the banker in keeping with an oath of vengeance made at that time.

All northern Colorado was aroused. Rewards were offered by the Dickens family. William H. Dickens, scornful of formalities, rough in speech and dress, was one of the most prominent citizens of the section, and the business and social ramifications of the Dickens family extended to every part of Boulder county.

Learn of Rienzi's Purchase.

The day of Dec. 2, two days after the murder, Patrolman McKinnon in Denver learned by accident that Rienzi Dickens had purchased a high power rifle and a box of shells from the Tritch Hardware Company Nov. 2. He ordered a Maxim silencer, which the store did not have in stock. It came to him in Longmont Nov. 15. The next day he was out at Empson's hill, five miles from his home, shooting at a target.

The officers called Rienzi to the home of B. O. Smith, deputy sheriff the night of Dec. 2 and questioned him. Denials of the purchase of the rifle and of his automobile having been taken from his garage the night of the murder led to the investigation that uncovered the chain of circumstances on which a charge of murder was based. He was arrested the following morning and after being allowed to attend his father's funeral was taken to jail at Boulder. He was a prisoner thirty days and then was released on bonds of \$37,500 furnished by his mother.

His arrest split Boulder county in two factions—those who arrayed themselves with the Dickens family in declaring Rienzi Dickens incapable of the crime of patricide and those who refused to declare a faith in his innocence. The Dickens clan pledged its fortune of more than \$500,000 to his cause. Detectives were hired to search out evidence that would clear him and point to some other as the guilty person. The detectives caused the arrest of Jack Endsley, ranger rider and roamer, and he was held in jail a week by Sheriff Buster

LATE MARKET QUOTATIONS

Western Newspaper Union News Service. DENVER MARKETS.

Cattle.	
Steers, good to choice	8.00@8.50
Steers, fair to good	7.25@8.00
Steers, hay fed	7.25@8.00
Heifers, prime	7.00@7.50
Cows, good to choice	6.50@7.25
Cows, fair to good	6.50@6.50
Cows, common to fair	5.00@5.75
Breeding heifers	5.00@7.50
Veal calves	8.00@11.00
Hull calves	5.00@6.50
Feeders and stockers, good to choice	7.00@7.50
Feeders and stockers, fair to good	6.25@7.00
Feeders and stockers, common to fair	5.75@6.25

Good hogs

Sheep.	
Lambs	10.50@11.75
Ewes	8.00@8.75
Wethers	9.00@9.50
Yearlings	10.25@11.00

HAY AND GRAIN MARKET.

F. O. B. Denver, (Load Price).

Buying Prices.	
Colorado upland, per ton	\$12.00@13.50
Nebraska upland, per ton	11.00@12.00
Second bottom Colorado and Nebraska, per ton	10.50@11.00
Timothy, per ton	17.00@17.50
Alfalfa, per ton	10.00@11.00
South Park, choice, per ton	16.50@17.00
San Luis Valley, per ton	13.00@14.00
Gunnison Valley, per ton	14.00@15.00
Straw, per ton	4.50

Grain.

Wheat, ch. mill, 100 lbs., buying	1.42
Rye, Colo., bulk, 100 lbs., buying	1.20
Idaho oats, bulk, buying	1.50
Colorado oats, bulk, buying	1.35
Corn chop, sack, selling	1.48
Corn in sack, selling	1.45
Bran, Colo., per 100 lbs., selling	1.20

Flour.

Standard Colorado, net	\$2.60
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Dressed Poultry.

Less 10 Per Cent Commission	
Turkeys, fancy D. P.	22 @ 24
Turkeys, old toms	22 @ 24
Turkeys, choice	12 @ 13
Hens, fancy	17 @ 18
Broilers, lb.	36
Ducks, young	17 @ 18
Geese	14 @ 15
Roosters	08

Live Poultry.

The following prices on live poultry are net F. O. B. Denver:	
Hens, fancy	15 @ 16
Broilers, lb.	33
Roosters, lb.	27
Turkeys, 10 lbs. or over	20 @ 23
Ducks, young	15 @ 16
Geese	12 @ 13

Eggs.

Eggs, graded, No. 1 net, F. O. B. Denver	22
Eggs, graded, No. 2 net, F. O. B. Denver	15
Eggs, case count, new cases, less commission	6.10
Eggs, case count, misc. cases, less commission	6.00

Butter.

Creameries, ex. 1st grade, lb.	20
Creameries, 2d grade, lb.	17
Process	26
Packing stock	21

Fruit.

Apples, Colo., fancy box	\$1.25@1.20
Apples, Colo., choice, box	.60@1.25

Vegetables.

Asparagus, home-grown, lb.	10 @ 12
Carrot, cut	1.50
Carrot, doz. bunches	4.00 @ 5.00
Cabbage, new, cwt.	2.00 @ 2.50
Cucumbers, dozen	1.00 @ 1.50
Potatoes	1.75 @ 2.25

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

Metal Market Prices.

Lead, New York	\$7.50
Silver, 71 1/2¢	
Spelter, St. Louis	\$14.27 1/2
Copper, casting	\$28.62 1/2
Boulder, Colo.—Timber, 60 per cent, nominal at \$50.	

Cotton Market.

New York—Cotton—July	12.87
October	12.83
December	12.99
January	13.02
March	13.17

Kansas City Produce.

Kansas City—Butter	Creamery, 25¢; firsts, 27¢; seconds, 25¢; packing, 23¢.
Eggs—Firsts	21 1/2¢.
Poultry—Hens	15¢; turkeys, 20¢; springs, 25¢.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Chicago—Butter	Creamery, 25 1/2¢.
Eggs—Firsts	21 1/2¢ @ 21 1/2¢; ordinary firsts, 20 1/2¢ @ 21 1/2¢; at mark, cases included, 20 1/2¢ @ 21 1/2¢.
Potatoes—Florida barreled rose	\$6.00 @ 6.25; Texas, Louisiana and Alabama sacked triumphs, \$1.65 @ 1.75.
Poultry—Fowls	19¢.

Chicago Grain and Provision Prices.

Chicago—Wheat	No. 2 red, \$1.10 1/2 @ 1.11 1/2; No. 3 red, \$1.02; No. 2 hard, \$1.00 1/2 @ 1.11 1/2; No. 3 hard, \$1.07 1/2 @ 1.09 1/2.
Corn	No. 2 yellow, 71 1/2 @ 73 1/2¢; No. 4 yellow, 70 @ 72¢.
Oats	No. 3 white, 39 1/2 @ 40¢; standard, 42 @ 43¢.
Rye	No. 2 and No. 3 nominal; No. 4, 92¢.
Barley	—62 @ 78¢.
Timothy	—\$6.00 @ 8.00.
Clover	—\$7.50 @ 15.00.
Pork	—\$22.75 @ 23.50.
Lard	—\$12.62.

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Seminole Plays Lovington

Last Saturday about the noon hour the Seminole base-ball nine arrived for the game with the Lovington team in the afternoon.

They were welcomed by our boys who escorted them to the hotel for dinner. It was an ideal day for ball playing so those who are vested in such matters tell us, as it was clear and quiet with the thermometer registering about 92 degrees in the shade. Autos seemingly from everywhere began to arrive early and before noon the streets were lined with them while most of the occupants walked about taking in the sights of our little city of which we ourselves are quite proud. And when the appointed time came for the departure to the ball grounds it reminded us of a small fourth of July celebration, the number of autos being averaged at one hundred or more and the attendance in all of about one thousand persons.

The game was enjoyed very much by all. Seminole at first taking the lead with a four score to nothing in their favor for the first inning, but the Lovington team then commenced to play in earnest and soon were in the lead and kept gaining until the eighth inning, whereupon Seminole laid down their bats with a score of 15 to 23 in Lovington's favor. Tens of cheers went up for the winning team and all was over until they grab bats again at some future date. We learn that while there was a great deal of jesting, as is always the case, both teams were gentlemanly and ended in good fellowship, and our team will be glad to accept a challenge for another game with them when they are ready.

Senator Bostic passed through Lovington Wednesday from Arizoa on his way home to Seminole

Some of the teachers who have accepted the position in our school for the coming term are Prof. R. R. James, Miss Effie Anderson, Miss Delia Vawter and Julia Dunaway. These are all teachers that have been re-elected and accepted but still there will be the selection of three more, as seven teachers are to be employed for the literary work and while the music teacher will not be employed by the school board she will form the eighth teacher in the school building.

Mr. C. D. Read of El Paso is a business visitor to our city this week.

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J. W. Knorr

Visit Club for The Plains
 J. W. Knorr of Carlsbad accompanied by Mr. W. T. Conway of the State College of Agriculture were here last week to meet and give instructions to the boys and girls agricultural and poultry clubs at this place. Several of the girls and a few of the boys were in attendance and received valuable instructions from them. The poultry club being more in favor however, the gentlemen took the children in their autos and they proceeded from house to house to look at the chickens each had succeeded in raising. Among whom Jeanie Lou Shepard had the greatest number and largest so far, twelve little beauties of the "Spangle Lace Wyandott" variety, not having lost one of her original number. Aline Price was next best and Ruth Graham third. These clubs are beneficial to the children as in keeping up with the expenditures and profits of their undertaking, it teaches them to calculate in a practical business way, and put in practice what they have learned in school. Mr. Knorr seems very much interested in the out come of the clubs he has organized and is doing his best to help them all he can.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

John W. Jahn
 Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. May 24, 1916.
 Notice is hereby given that John W. Jahn of Plainview, N. M., who on March 5, 1915 made H. E. Serial No. 030684 for E. S. Sec. 26 Twp. 14-S. R. 35-E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before N. L. Hibbs E. S. Commissioner in his office at Plainview, N. M. July 3, 1916.
 Claimant names as witnesses: George S. Seely, Jacob A. Cooper, Hugh Haley Alford B. Wallace, all of Plainview, N. M.
 Emmett Patton Register, June 2--June 30.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Cleve H. Arnold 026800-027932
 Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. May 24, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Cleve H. Arnold of Knowles, N. M. who on Aug. 2, 1912 made H. E. Serial No. 026300 for SE. Sec. 20 and on Oct. 24, 1913 made Add'l H. E. Serial No. 027932 NW. 1-4 NW. 1-4 Sec. 28; and NE. 1-4; SE. 1-4 NW. 1-4 Sec. 29 Twp. 17-S. R. 38-E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before D. H. Colman U. S. Commissioner in his office at Knowles, N. M. July 3, 1916.
 Claimant names as witnesses: Vernon A. Clardy, Crede Tarop, James A. Mosley, John T. Hawkins, all of Knowles, N. M.
 Emmett Patton, Register, June 2--June 30.

NOTICE OF CONTEST

024757 026299
 Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, N. M., May 1, 1916.
 To Henry M. Mabley of Knowles, N. M. Contestee:
 You are hereby notified that Robert M. Smith, who gives a Knowles, Eddy County, N. M., as his post-office address, did on Apr. 20, 1916, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your Homestead Entry Serial No. 024757 026299 made May 10, 1911, for E. S. Sec. 33 Twp. 16-S. R. 38-E. N. M. P. M., and as on grounds for his contest he alleges that since he filed on said land he has not resided on the same in the manner required by law, never having resided thereon in any year for seven months; that for eight months last past and especially for six months last past he has not resided or been on said land; that he has not habitually his house and has not had one on said land; that he has not had and has not now furniture in the makeshift shack maintained by him on said premises.

You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken by this office as having been confessed by you, and your said entry will be canceled thereunder without your further right to be heard thereon, either before this office or on appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the FOURTH publication of this notice, as shown below, your answer, under oath, specifically meeting and responding to these allegations of contest, or if you fail within that time to file in this office due proof that you have served a copy of your answer on the said contestant either in person or by registered mail. If this service is made by the delivery of a copy of your answer to the contestant in person, proof of such service must be either the said contestant's written acknowledgment of his receipt of the copy, showing the date of its receipt, or the affidavit of the person by whom the delivery was made, when and where the copy was delivered; if made by registered mail, proof of such service must consist of the affidavit of the person by whom the copy was mailed stating when and the post-office to which it was mailed, and this affidavit must be accompanied by the postmaster's receipt for the letter.

You should state in your answer the name of the post-office to which you desire future notices to be sent to you.
 W. G. Cowan--Receiver.
 Date of publications:
 First May 26, 1916
 Second June 2, 1916
 Third June 9, 1916
 Fourth June 16, 1916.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

James A. Smith 026042
 Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. May 3, 1916.
 Notice is hereby given that James A. Smith of Lovington, N. M., who on May 3, 1912 made H. E. Serial No. 026042 for SW. 1-4, Sec. 14; and SE. 1-4, Sec. 15, Twp. 16-S. R. 37-E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Asa B. Morton, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Lovington, N. M. June 13, 1916.
 Claimant names as witnesses: Elmer H. Knecht, William J. Eller, John W. Leazer, Jeff J. Harper, all of Lovington, N. M.
 Emmett Patton Register, May 12--June 9.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Lawrence Crockett 025971
 Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. May 3, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Lawrence Crockett of Pearl, N. M., who, on Apr. 12, 1912, made H. E. Serial No. 025971 for W. 1-2 NW. 1-4; W. 1-2 SW. 1-4, Sec. 19 Twp. 19-S. R. 35-E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Asa B. Morton, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Lovington, N. M. June 14, 1916.
 Claimant names as witnesses: Samuel Posey, David Jackson, John P. Shaw, Thomas Curtis, all of Pearl, N. M.
 Emmett Patton Register, May 12--June 9.

STATE LAND SELECTIONS

Republication by order of the General Land Office.
 Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, Roswell, N. M., November 30, 1915.
 Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, by virtue of Acts of Congress approved June 21, 1898 and June 20, 1910, and acts supplementary and amendatory thereto, has filed in this office a selection list for the following described lands; List No. 6745, Serial No. 033244 NW. 1/4 SE. 1/4, S. 1, Lot 1, SE. 1/4 NE. 1/4, SE. 1/4 Sec. 3; NE. 1/4 NW. 1/4, S. 11, Twp. 20-S. R. 37-E. N. M. P. Mer. 480.79 acres.
 Protests or contests against any or all of such selections may be filed in this office during the period of publication hereof, or at any time thereafter before final proof and certification.
 Emmett Patton Register, May 12, June 9.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

ISOLATED TRACT PUBLIC LAND SALE
 Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. May 20, 1916.
 Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Sec. 2455, R. S., pursuant to the application of Teddie D. Boyd Serial No. 033260 we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$2.00 per acre, at 10 o'clock A. M., on the 1st day of July 1916, next at this office, the following tract of land: NW. 1/4 SW. 1-4 Sec. 23 Twp. 14-S. R. 38-E. N. M. P. M.
 The sale will not be kept open, but will be declared closed when those present at the hour named have ceased bidding. The person making the highest bid will be required to immediately pay to the Receiver the amount thereof.
 Any persons claiming adversely the above described land are advised to file their claims, or objections, on or before the time designated for sale.
 Emmett Patton--Register, May 26,--June 23.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Artie N. Marchman 025941
 Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. May 3, 1916.
 Notice is hereby given that Artie N. Marchman of Lovington, N. M., who on April 4, 1912 made Desert Land Entry Serial No. 025941 for S. 1/4 SW. 1-4, Sec. 35; Twp. 15-S. R. 36-E. and Lots 4 and 5, Sec. 5 Twp. 16-S. R. 37-E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Asa B. Morton U. S. Commissioner in his office at Lovington, N. M. June 14, 1916.
 Claimant names as witnesses: Andrew J. Scaff, Louis O. Cunningham, James N. Roden, William Summers, all of Lovington, N. M.
 Emmett Patton Register, May 12,--June 9.

Mr. Martin, old time veterinary surgeon of Seminole was in town this week.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

United States Land Office
 Roswell, N. M. April 29th, 1916.
 Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, under the provisions of the Acts of Congress approved June 21, 1898 and June 20, 1910 and acts supplementary and amendatory thereto, has filed in this office selection lists for the following described lands:
 List No. 6488, Serial No. 032730, Lots 3, 4, E. 1/4 SW. 1-4 Sec. 31 Twp. 20-S. R. 25-E. N. M. P. Mer. 160.06 acres.
 List No. 7159, Serial No. 034599, Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, S. 1/4 Sec. 3 Twp. 16-S. R. 33-E. N. M. P. Mer. 640 acres.
 List No. 7158, Serial No. 034600, Lots 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 Sec. 3 Twp. 16-S. R. 33-E. N. M. P. Mer. 208.24 acres.
 List No. 7157, Serial No. 034601, Lots 1, 2, 3, Sec. 3 Twp. 16-S. R. 33-E. N. M. P. Mer. 143.92 acres.
 Protests or contests against any or all such selections may be filed in this office during the period of publication hereof, or at any time before final certification.
 Emmett Patton Register, May 19, June 16.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Oliver A. Crane, 027165
 Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. May 3, 1916.
 Notice is hereby given that Oliver A. Crane, of Lovington, N. M., who, on Apr. 11, 1913, made H. E. Serial No. 027165 for N. 1-2 Sec. 28, Twp. 15-S. R. 37-E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Asa B. Morton U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Lovington, N. M. June 13, 1916.
 Claimant names as witnesses: Almer G. Loper, Ben Sutton, James E. Chappell, David L. Haywood, all of Lovington, N. M.
 Emmett Patton--Register, May 12,--June 9.

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Lee Haywood	\$1.00
W. McCallister	.25
J. H. Kelley	.25
R. H. Wright	.25
Inez Harrington	.25
E. Long	.25
Dad Steele	.25
W. E. Whitfield	.25
Jimmie Keenum	.25
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J. I. Harper	.25
Tom Green	.25
Dr. Dearduff	.25
Dr. McDaniel	.25
Seth Alston	.25
E. G. Shepard	.25
Asa B. Moton	.25
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Every Local News

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Swank had little daughter come home recently.

We learn that Mr. Travis Moore has lately married, also that his father and mother from Texas are visiting him.

Miss Vawter and Miss Anderson left last Thursday by way of Elida for Potosi, N. M., the home of Miss Anderson, where Miss Vawter will visit a short time then go on to Las Vegas to attend the Normal at that place. Miss Anderson intentions were to spend the summer at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Warren accompanied by Miss Ruby Forbes were down from their ranch near Jenkins, N. E. last Thursday the guests of Mrs. Oscar Thompson while here. They returned Friday.

B. Hardin returned last Wednesday from Lamesa where he went to meet his mother from Post City, Texas. She will also visit her sons Rube Hardin at Ranger Lake and Earl Hardin at Monument and a daughter Mrs. Henry Elkins of Monument while here. She is well pleased with our country.

Mrs. M. J. Burrows has been moving her cattle and horses to Jenkins, N. M. where she has leased grass for them. She states that grass is fine up there and where once was thought to be an arid dry belt plenty of water is being found at a depth of from 135 to 165 feet. That five wells were drilled during the three weeks she was there and all struck an abundant supply of fresh soft water, much the same as it is here.

Mr. Macky of the Kemp Lumber Co. of Elida, N. M. in company with Messrs. Carter and Carrell were in our city the latter part of last week. Mr. Macky remaining over a few days looking about.

Mrs. Emma Mewer, Grand Patron of the Eastern Star and Mr. Williams H. Newcomb, Grand Patron of the same order were in our town from Silver City, N. M. last Friday attending lodge that night.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Thompson accompanied by their niece, little Miss Estell Montgomery and Robt Love attended the closing exercises of the New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell last week at which school their son Denver was attending. They report the closing exercises excellent indeed showing training, intellect and beauty combined.

Spencer and George Graham who have been attending the New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell the past session returned last Thursday after the exercises Wednesday.

We learn that Mrs. May of Brady, Texas, sister of Mrs. Shields of this place is here on a visit.

The nice story and a half addition that Mr. E. H. Price is having built on the north side of his already three room house will prove quite an addition in beauty as well as comfort.

Mr. and Mrs. James moved last week to the Blackman residence on east side of town which they have rented for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shepard returned from Midland where they went to meet a sister of Mrs. Geo. Shepards.

Mr. Ed Love and family returned from Okla. where Mrs. Love and children have been visiting for several weeks. Mr. Love reports it very dry there and states that small grain is suffering for want of moisture. Still there is hopes for other crops.

Miss Newma Shepard and little sister Jennie Lou spent last week at Tatum visiting their sister Mrs. Mood Smith.

A. B. Love states that he purchased the V. G. Ditmore place last Friday, which is a nice 320 with orchard etc. to make it home like.

Mr. James of Tatum father of R. R. James of this place was a visitor to our town Tuesday of this week.

Emmett George returned last Saturday from the home of his parents at Rotan, Texas, and where he was taken some months ago when thought to be dangerously ill from typhoid fever. But he recovered, and is now looking as though he never had seen a sick day.

Miss Mae Price and mother visited friends at Plains, Texas this week. Also made a trip to Lubbock from there.

Don't forget the Old Confederates call meeting at 2:30 o'clock Saturday evening June 3rd, or the Cemetery Association soon after at 8:30 P. M. at the Leader office. Everyone be on hand and bring some one with you.

The People's Store is having a well drilled this week on the lots back of where they intend building their new store, this looks as though things were going to happen on that side of the street too.

Prof. R. R. James and family left Thursday for Ledbetter, Texas where Mrs. James will spend the summer visiting her parents. Mr. James returning to Austin where he will attend the State University. We are glad to see a teacher who keeps in touch with the newest ideas and latest teaching to place before his pupils.

Men are busy this week making seats for the tabernacle. The Baptist being first to start their meeting next Sunday.

Off For California

Mrs. J. S. Eaves and family accompanied by her sister-in-law Miss Mary Eaves who has recently returned from Albuquerque State University left this week for a two months pleasure trip to Long Beach, Cal. Mr. Eaves taking them as far as Roswell in his car. Mr. Eaves will call on Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ausley old time residents of Lovington, and also A. R. and Mrs. Jim Wright, they having lived here also. The Leader wishes them much pleasure on their trip and a safe return.

Go see Dad. He sells all kind of Nuts and Pop-corn.

Read all the ads this week. Some new ones, some renewed, and the same old ones to remind you they are always on the map of trade with a generous supply of goods to sell you.

Young Pigs For Sale; 4 weeks old the 25th. At the Dakota Farm 7 miles north of town.

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FOR SALE;—ulls, Full Blooded Herefords, three years old this spring, by A. C. Weyman, Lovington, N. M.

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Car Load of Feeds, arrived today, (Friday).—Wesley McCallister Agt.

Weir Bros. To Go North

We learn that the Weir boys Messrs. Bert, Chas. and George, who have ranches near Monument N. M. are to leave Thursday June 1st to compete for the roping contest purses at the following points, the purses ranging at these different points from \$500 to \$5,000.

First place will be—Pittsburg, Okla. June 9 to 10, Cedar Falls, Iowa, 13, 14 and 15, Sioux City, Iowa, July 3, 4, 5 and 6 Billings, Mon July 13, 14, and 15 Garden City, Kan. 17 to 21 Cheyenne, Wyoming, 26, 27, 28 and 29. New York City, N. Y. Aug 5 to 12 The Weir Bros. are noted ropers and no doubt will prove their talents in that line by winning some of the first prize purses. Mr. Bert Weir having at one time won the world championship.

Lumbermen To Build Homes For Rural School Teachers

The biggest, most universal scheme for social service in the history of America, one affecting every hamlet in the land, has been instituted by the National Lumber Manufacturers' association, in the proposal to build a home for every rural school teacher in America.

New Mexico will be one of the first states where the plan will be carried into effect, and thorough investigation of the conditions in that state preceded the announcement of the social service plans of the lumber manufacturers. The association has not as yet formulated its plans for pushing this new department of public service by actually assisting the schools of the nation to build homes for teachers, but work on this philanthropic enterprise is already under way and the association plans to have its plans ready for announcement in a few weeks.

The plan to spread the gospel of homes for school teachers over the land was first broached only a few weeks ago at a conference of the directors of the association. It proved instantly popular.

The idea was taken up by the United States Bureau of Education, and the first result of this cooperation between the lumbermen of the nation and the government itself is the issuance of a brochure entitled "Teachers Cottage," by R. S. Kellogg of Chicago, secretary of the National Lumber Manufacturers' association, in cooperation with the United States Bureau of Education, and which is being sent to every county superintendent of schools in America.

The Rockefeller foundation has already approved of the plan and is giving \$25,000 to foster this work with more money to come.

The proposal to build these teachers' cottages all over the land follows out the idea that has already been carried into extensive success by the state of Washington.

The national association has taken up this social service work in the belief that the education of the nation will be immensely advanced if the teachers of the nation's young are properly housed. The theory is that if teachers are provided with proper homes, the country districts will be able to secure better teachers, avoid the constant changes by which the schools are always in a torn-up condition. As Secretary Kellogg phrases it in his work, which constitutes a survey of the movement and its possibilities.

"Under present circumstances, the teaching of a country school often becomes a temporary expedient for the teacher the first term after getting a certificate, and ambitious teachers who are anxious to grow in their profession, and make something of themselves, go to the city schools just as soon as possible, where living conditions are better. The country schools are always left with the largest proportion of young, inexperienced, poorly trained teachers."

Mr. Kellogg also urges that the teachers' cottages, or as he calls them, teacherages, should be models of sanitation, artistic, though inexpensive, and so constructed that they may be not only homes, but real social centers for the rural neighborhoods. In order to further this plan of properly caring for the teachers, the lumberman's organization is ready to prepare plans to assist rural communities in providing their teachers with the kinds of homes which have proved satisfactory in Washington, and in the other more settled localities where they have been built. New Mexico is selected as one of the first states for the general introduction of this new idea of a teacher's cottage for every rural school, because of the special needs of that state for rural education. One place is trying

the teacher's cottage plan this year. It is a serious problem in this State in many districts, says the U. S. Bureau of Education report.

Mr. Millard Eidson of Ft. Stockton arrived in our little city Wednesday afternoon after making the drive of 125 miles from Midland by way of Seminole, and spoke of going on out to Ebb Levy's who is a brother-in-law of his and who recently purchased the old D. Jones ranch northwest of town.

THE EASTERN Star

Lovington Chapter No. 35 Meets the 2nd and 4th, Friday night in each month at the Masonic Hall

Mrs. Mamie Graham, W. M. Ham Bishop, W. P. Mr. E. M. Candill, Secy

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION Alice M. Burch 027266 Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. May 11, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION Alice M. Burch of Standro, N. M. who on May 12, 1915 made H4. E. Serial No. 027266 for the NW1/4 NE1/4 SW1/4 SW1/4 NW1/4 NE1/4 Sec. 14 Twp. 14-S R. 37-E N. M. P. M., has filed notice to make final three year proof, to establish claim to land above described before N. L. Hibbets U. S. Commissioner in his office at Plainview, N. M. June 20, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION Orville C. Stanbro 025721 Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. May 17, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION Orville C. Stanbro, of Stanbro, N. M. who on Feb. 16, 1912 made H4. E. Serial No. 025721 for S4 Sec. 24 Twp. 14-S R. 37-E N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before N. L. Hibbets U. S. Commissioner in his office at Plainview, N. M. June 27, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION William T. Littlefield, of Plainview, N. M., James W. Friston, Ben Sutton, those of Stanbro, N. M., Luther C. Crutchfield, of Plainview, N. M., Emmett Patton—Register, May 26, June 23.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. PUBLIC LAND SALE. Office of the Commissioner of Public Lands, State of New Mexico. Santa Fe, New Mexico, March 19, 1916. Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of an Act of Congress approved June 5, 1909, the laws of the State of New Mexico, and the rules and regulations of the United States Land Office, the Commissioner of Public Lands will offer at Public Sale to the highest bidder, the following described tract of land, to-wit: Tuesday, June 20, 1916, in the County of Roswell, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, in trust of the court house therein the following described tract of land, to-wit: All of Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, containing 2760 acres. The improvements on this land consist of three wells and windmill, tanks, dipping carts, troughs and fence, value \$1500. No bid will be accepted for less than five dollars (\$5.00) per acre. The above sale of lands will be subject to the following conditions, viz: The successful bidder must pay to the Commissioner of Public Lands, or his agent holding such sale, one-tenth of the price offered for the land; 4 per cent interest in advance for the balance of such purchase price; the fees for advertising and appraisal and all costs incidental to the sale herein, and each and all of said amounts, must be deposited in cash or certified exchange at the time of sale, and all of said amounts, and all of them are subject to forfeiture to the State of New Mexico if the successful bidder does not execute a contract within thirty days after he has been made to them by the State Land Office, said contract to provide for the payment of the balance of the purchase price, and land in three equal annual installments, with interest on all deferred payments at the rate of four per cent per annum, in advance, payments and interest due on October 1st of each year, and such other conditions, obligations, regulations and terms as may be required by law. The Commissioner of Public Lands of New Mexico, or his agent holding such sale, reserves the right to reject any and all bids offered at said sale. Possession under contracts of sale for the above described tract of land may be given on or before October 1, 1916. Witness my hand and the official seal of the State Land Office this 18th day of March, A. D. 1916. ROBT. F. ERVIN, Commissioner of Public Lands, State of New Mexico. First Publication March 17, 1916. Last Publication May 26, 1916.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
ISOLATED TRACT
PUBLIC LAND SALE
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. May 19, 1916.
Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Sec. 2455, R. S., pursuant to the application of James W. Friston Serial No. 032198, we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$1.75 per acre, at 10 o'clock A. M. on the 1st, day of July 1916, next at this office, the following tract of land: NE1/4 NE1/4 Sec. 34 and NW1/4 NW1/4 Sec. 35 Twp. 14-S R. 37-E N. M. P. M.

The sale will not be kept open, but will be declared closed when those present at the hour named have ceased bidding. The person making the highest bid will be required to immediately pay to the Receiver the amount thereof. Any persons claiming adversely the above described land are advised to file their claims, or objections, on or before the time designated for sale.
Emmett Patton Register
May 26, June 16.

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