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ANNOUNCEMENTS.
We are authorized to announce
LUIGI DELLA
as a candidate for Justice of the Peace for Precinct No. 1, subject to the will of the voters as expressed at the polls.

In all probability Dayton will be the first town in New Mexico to be lighted with home-grown gas.

It now develops that the United States government is going to put up for Teddy's African trip.

There are more automobiles in the city of Roswell than in any other city of its size in the United States.

Congress has adjourned until January 4th, for the Christmas holidays. That leaves but two short months to get busy on that statehood bill.

"The Roswell Route." Sounds nice, doesn't it, and it was a happy suggestion of Judge Richardson. Soon may we ride over the "Roswell Route."

Teddy said Congress was afraid of being invested by the secret service, and now Congress wants the authority for that charge, for a serious charge it is.

And even Turkey, the "Sick man of Europe," has awakened from her centuries-long sleep and now has a real up-to-date parliament for the use of the talkers and politicians.

Governor Kibbey, of Arizona, says statehood at this session of Congress is not likely, the proposition not being favorably regarded by many of the members of both houses.

There is talk in Wall Street of sending a trained lion to Africa next spring in the hope that said lion may accomplish more than the bears and bulls of Wall Street have been able to do.

An article in the last number of

McClure's Magazine gives some of the effects of alcohol on the brain, and a terrible arraignment it is of the excessive use of alcoholic liquors. It is well worth reading and studying.

Work has at last begun out of Roswell for another railroad, and it will be a glad day for not only this city, but for the vast expanse of country to our northeast; a country capable of supporting many thriving towns.

The Louisville Post considers that New Mexico and Arizona may be admitted to statehood to keep the two territories quiet and give peace to the souls of Congressmen. Results and not the reasons for or against it, are what the people of New Mexico and Arizona want.

Senator Foraker is not out of the running by any means, but can be counted upon to put up a real fight for the senatorship from Ohio. The odds against him are heavy, including one president and another to be, and all of the federal officeholders in the state, but then the senator is something of a fighter and will put up a hard battle before he is downed.

According to Willis J. Abbott, the President is gathering facts regarding the connections of Congressmen and Senators with the large corporations to be turned over to Congress in reply to their demand for the authority on which he based his statement regarding the fear of Congress that the secret service would be used to investigate its members. It is evident the President proposes to give a practical illustration of the use he has been making of the government's detective force.

THE POPULAR VOTE FOR THE CANDIDATES
After so long a time the figures on the popular vote in the recent election have been compiled and made public. The number of votes cast for Taft

ran up to 7,659,983, as compared with 7,823,486 for Roosevelt in 1904. Bryan got 6,450,690 votes as against Parker's 5,977,971 four years ago. Thus the Nebraska ran behind his vote of 1896 and 1900, for in his first race he received 6,502,925, and four years later 6,368,133. Inasmuch as Oklahoma voted for the first time this year, if we count out its 122,406 votes, it will be seen that Bryan really ran behind his vote in the other two races in the other states. However, Bryan's race was not a bad one, as the Washington Post points out: "If he had received 108,500 more votes in eight states where he had a good fighting chance, he would have been elected president. In three of these states Democratic governors were elected, and one of them, Missouri, was conceded by Chairman Hitchcock before election to be a Democratic state. There are 483 votes in the electoral college. Bryan receives 157, leaving him 85 less than a majority. A change of 108,500 votes from Taft to Bryan would have given Bryan 85 additional electoral votes, sufficient to elect him."

The reported Socialist vote appears less than in 1904, the aggregate being 401,506, as against 402,288 four years ago. The Prohibitionists also received smaller support, as Chaffin got but 228,014 votes last fall, as compared with the 258,536 cast for Swallow in 1904.

The Socialist Labor party polled 11,903 votes, no votes being reported from 34 states. The People's party came out with 29,362 ballots to its credit, 31 states not reporting any votes for that party. In Georgia, the home of the candidate, Mr. Watson, nearly 17,000 People's Party votes were cast, while in no other state were there as many as 2,000; some even dropped below the 300 mark.

The Independence Party candidates secured \$2,330 votes, the bulk of these coming from New York and Massachusetts. Six states failed to report votes for the Independents.

RAILROAD PROMOTERS LEAVE FOR AMARILLO

Edward Kennedy, president and Col. Stimson, chief engineer, of the Altus, Roswell & El Paso railroad, left Sunday morning for Amarillo, having completed their work of arranging for the start on the grading of the right-of-way east from this point. They go to Amarillo to meet a delegation of citizens from Lockney, Tex., who are coming to offer a bonus to have the road pass through their town. W. V. Kennedy, son of the president, left for his home in Houston to spend Christmas. They were joined at Elida by E. J. Paslick, auditor of the road.

T. H. Zimmerman returned to Boaz Sunday morning after a visit of several days.

GILBERT AND WILSON

NOMINATED FOR JUSTICE AND CONSTABLE BY CONVENTION SATURDAY NIGHT.

A. J. WELTER WALKED OUT

Said He Did Not Consider It a Representative Democratic Body and Did Not Want His Name to Come Before It—Will Be a Candidate Before the People.—The Meeting Was Harmonious.

In response to the call of John T. Stone and R. D. Bell, Democratic Committeemen of Precincts Nos. 1 and 2, a convention was held at the court house at 7:30 Saturday night for the purpose of nominating a Democratic ticket for the precinct election January 11. The house was packed, and the larger part of the packing consisted of the friends of Mr. Bell and the candidates he wanted to see nominated.

When the crowd had assembled, A. J. Welter, present justice of the peace who was seeking a re-nomination, arose and asked to make a few remarks. He said in substance:

"Inasmuch as this meeting was called in a very short time and placed on Saturday night, just before Christmas when all business men, clerks and such tradesmen as barbers, etc., and all old or decrepit voters could not attend, and for the reason that this meeting was not called in a spirit of Democracy, I do not consider it a representative gathering of the Democrats of Roswell or a true Democratic convention. Therefore, I do not want my name to come before the convention and want nothing to do with it. However, I desire to thank Mr. Bell for his honesty and frankness in publishing the statement that his reason for calling the meeting as he did was to get my scalp."

And with that Mr. Welter withdrew from the room. Today he stated to a reporter that he would have the formal announcement of his candidacy before the people ready for publication in the Record in a day or two.

After Mr. Welter withdrew, the convention proceeded without the slightest

interruption. Every motion went through without opposition amid the cheers of the crowd, and it was undoubtedly a well greased gathering. Mr. Bell called to order and was elected chairman. R. L. Geaves was secretary. Charles Gilbert was nominated for justice of the peace. Fear Wilson was nominated for constable and the roster was selected as the party emblem.

W. W. Gatewood left this morning for Portales to attend to business in probate court. From there he goes to Farwell to attend the Williams brothers' habeas corpus hearing Tuesday or Wednesday.

Gravel, Gravel, Gravel.
Having purchased the Haynes & Bonney gravel pit southwest of town and put in machinery for screening, I am now prepared to furnish the public with gravel of any quality, delivered or sold at pit.—Dr. C. B. Hutchison. Phone 273. 523

Dr. Alexander Here Next Week.
Dr. W. C. Alexander writes that he will remain with his wife and son at Colorado Springs until after Christmas and return to Roswell the first of next week to resume his work as pastor of the Presbyterian church in this city. He was given a leave of absence on account of the bereavement in his family, caused by the death of his daughter in Cedar Rapids, Ia.

Twins Back from Portales.
The Hollingsworth Twins and Casino Stock Company returned Sunday night from Portales, where they played a successful week's engagement. They will now resume work at the Majestic theatre. Good plays are announced for all this week.

GO TO ATTEND THE FUNERAL OF F. CALFEE

Milo Pierce, jr., half brother, and Mrs. E. L. Bedell, cousin of the late Frank Calfee, left this morning for El Paso, Texas, accompanied by the two little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Calfee. They are going to meet Edgar Calfee, who went there Saturday morning, and Mrs. Frank Calfee, who is bringing the body from Mexico City and will arrive in the Pass City tomorrow night. The funeral will occur Wednesday.

Burial is being made at El Paso on account of the fact that the Goodin family burying ground has been established there. El Paso being centrally located and easily reached from all directions, the family decided to locate their burying ground in that city and the bodies of all the members of the family who have passed away in the Southwest in recent years will be moved to that place for final interment.

GIGANTIC RAIL ROAD

PLANNED BY J. J. HILL
Chicago, Dec. 21.—The Tribune today says: "The acquisition of the Colorado & Southern by James J. Hill is simply another step in the long protracted contest between Harriman and Hill for the supremacy in the traffic control of the West." Continuing, the paper says: "By securing the 2250 miles of the Colorado & Southern, Hill has not only swelled the total of mileage controlled by him to nearly 24,000 miles, but by securing the long desired outlet to the Gulf of Mexico, and thus completing the route from the far northwest to Galveston, he has invaded his rival's territory, just as Harriman strengthened his own position by pushing out new lines to the Southwest."

CARVING SETS—ENTERPRISE HARDWARE CO.

Jim Owens Weds Texas Girl.
Word has come of the marriage of Jim Owens, son of Mrs. S. B. Owens, of this city. He was married Sunday a week ago at Alan Reed, Tex., to a Texas girl whose name was not learned. They are living in Texas. This wedding brings another daughter into the family of Mrs. Owens, who now has fourteen children.

Miss Jewell Bayless left Sunday morning on a visiting trip to Elida and Portales and from there will go to Clovis to take up work with the telephone company of which her father is a director and to make her home.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Slaughter and children left Sunday morning for Dallas, to attend the annual Christmas re-union of the Col. C. C. Slaughter family and to visit at Mineral Wells. They will be gone about a month.

Misses Ina Hogan and Mittie Sandy, who have been at Dexter for the past two years, left this morning for their home in Norborne, Mo. They have been making their home with relatives near Dexter and have spent part of their time in Roswell.

T. L. Carothers and W. E. Winston left this morning for Shreveport and New Orleans, La., on a trip of several weeks. They are going to investigate the oil fields of Louisiana and will be located at Leigh, Tx., part of the time. Some wonderful discoveries in oil are reported from that section recently.

TURKEY ROASTERS—ENTERPRISE HARDWARE CO.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Akin, of Manitou, Colo., who have been here a week visiting the former's brother, Joe N. Ak-

in and family, left Sunday night for Odessa, Tex., for a visit with Mr. Akin's father. They will return in twenty days to make their home in Roswell. Mr. Akin will go in business here, but will announce the nature of his venture later.

W. F. Hale was here from Hagerman yesterday.

Nordica Concert.
The box office for the Nordica Concert will be open tomorrow, Tuesday, Dec. 22, at 9 o'clock a. m., at the F. V. Drug Store. Office hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., in charge of Capt. Murray. It

Albert Hanny, assistant cashier of the First National Bank, returned Saturday night from a business trip of several days to Amarillo and points north, going through to Artesia and bringing home from that point Sunday morning Mrs. Hanny and the baby who have been visiting at the latter place during his absence.

J. B. Atkeson was up from Artesia Saturday.

EXPRESS WAGONS—ENTERPRISE HARDWARE CO.

Ralph Smith is Married.
Word has come from Mrs. H. F. Smith, of Amarillo, that her son, Ralph, is married. Further particulars are lacking, but the supposition is that he married an Amarillo girl. Many old friends in Roswell will extend congratulations.

F. C. Herbert, of Texico, was here Saturday visiting friends.

Too much credit cannot be given the members of the Baptist congregation in offering their magnificent church free for the Nordica concert. This shows the pure and patriotic spirit which should animate all lovers of music and the advancement of the same in our city. It.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. C. C. Martin, Tuesday at 3 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Owens, of Corona, arrived Saturday on a few days' visit.

M. W. Williams and E. B. Marchman of Clovis, came down last night on business.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Theresa Losch was held this morning from St. Peter's Catholic church, burial being made in the South Side cemetery.

C. J. Franks returned Saturday night from Missouri, bringing a carload of fine mares and Missouri mules.

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