

LOCAL NEWS.

L. N. Hoag tarried Sunday night enroute from Amarillo, where his teams are at work, to his home in Malaga where he visited a few days.

Burl Chaney who visited with his aunt, Mrs. J. J. Draper, while attending school during the past term departed for his home in San Antonio, Texas, last Wednesday.

Cuno Scheel of the Vineyard Stock Farm leaves in a few days for Chicago where he will purchase a large number of big mares. Mr. Scheel intends raising mules on his farm.

The ladies of St. Edwards Catholic church will hold a Market Saturday May 30th.

A. R. O'Quinn the popular candidate for probate clerk and recorder started north Monday morning by team and hack taking his bed so as to be certain to live with the people of Hope for a time.

Mrs. E. S. Mays of Tucson, Arizona, who visited her sister Mrs. L. E. Merchant the past month, departed Monday morning for El Paso, where she was joined by her sister Mrs. Chas. Mitchell, going from there to Mexico City.

The Farmers Land League of Artesia and Florence has made a contract with Messrs. McLanthen and Tracy whereby they secure the exclusive of the lands around Florence belonging to these gentlemen. The contract is made for five months.

Lena Dunn, who was caught in the tool box under the south bound way car last Wednesday was captured and tried for stealing a suit case owned by Holly Ray and sentenced by Judge Cunningham to sixty days in jail which sentence he commenced serving last Saturday.

C. H. McLanthen departed Monday morning for Brooklyn, New York where, on May 26, he will be joined in wedlock to Miss Marie Rayroux. Both Mr. McLanthen and Miss Rayroux have a host of friends in Carlsbad who will wish them much joy and a pleasant wedding trip.

Acrey Bros. Shipped out 1,500 head of fat ewes yesterday to Kansas City, R. Ohnemus going in charge of same. While in Kansas City Mr. Ohnemus will purchase the largest stock of blacksmith goods ever brought to Eddy county being confident of a good business this coming summer and fall.

A ball game occurred in Carlsbad Sunday between a nine picked up among the railway employees and the Carlsbad nine. The railroaders showed up well and in the first five innings made nine runs to only one for the town team. But when the game closed the town boys had eleven, to twelve for the railroaders. Considerable interest was manifest in the game which proved that a good club can be gotten up in Carlsbad.

Government Engineers G. D. Kirkpatrick and F. J. Ivie came in Monday and left Tuesday for the Guadalupe and Dog canon, to inspect four townships surveyed last season by Deputy U. S. Surveyor B. A. Nymeyer. Three townships near Orange in Otero county and one township near Queen in this county. The Star stable furnished the outfit and George Bennett (colored) accompanied as driver, guide and scout.

Jacob Merle of Attica, Wyoming county, New York, who came here eight weeks ago to take treatment at the Carlsbad Inter-vein Sanitarium for tuberculosis of the glands of the neck left Wednesday morning after taking eight treatments, about four quarts of the liquid being injected into the veins of his arm coming in direct contact with the blood. He stated before leaving that he felt much better and believes he is cured.

J. W. Armstrong was in Roswell this week on legal business.

E. V. Albritton left Tuesday with 800 old cows and other mixed stuff for Kansas parties.

John W. Price the hustling candidate for assessor came down Monday from Artesia.

Mr. Frank Joyce who has been confined to his home with illness for two weeks is on the mend.

E. E. Hartshorn of the Malaga Land & Improvement Co., came in Wednesday with a bunch of land seekers.

"Tad" Huling has purchased a \$25,000.00 home in Mineral Wells Texas, where he will make his home in the future.

Allen C. Heard has been under the weather for the past week with sciatic rheumatism, requiring a cane to move about.

The ladies of the Baptist church will serve ice cream and cake on Friday May 26th from 5 to 10 p.m. at some place down town.

E. J. Boyle of Greeley, Col., has sold his stock, implements, etc., and left for Colorado after a couple of months prospecting in this vicinity.

There will be no services at the Presbyterian church on next Sunday other than the Sunday school and Young People's meeting. The pastor is out of town.

Misses Camille, Aline and Master Leslie Grantham departed yesterday for an extended visit at their old home in Corsicana, Texas, with their grand parents.

Mr. J. P. McShane's hack was badly broken Wednesday by his mules running away from a scare caused by the sprinkling wagon coming along while the team was standing in front of the Schlitz.

W. H. Jones and wife returned last Friday from an extended visit at Mineral Wells. They report having met Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hess who are both in good health. Mr. Hess is running a wagon yard.

The Huling-Ussery and Lucas & Reynolds cattle to the number of about 1800 arrived from below the Texas line Monday and loaded 800 Tuesday for shipment to Kansas. The balance were driven to the Pickett ranch near Portales.

A couple of health seekers brothers named Lamar came in yesterday from Eastern Kansas. They will stay for health purposes.

The Electric theatre has a \$600 electric piano, besides another piano used while the pictures that are accompanied by singing are shown. This popular place of amusement is showing as good pictures as any of its kind in the cities and well deserves patronage.

Prof. Bishop, of Carlsbad who was recently elected superintendent of Artesia Public Schools for the term of 1908-9, spent a day or two in this city this week. He will move his family here as soon as his wife recovers her health, which is temporarily impaired. —Artesia Advocate.

The many friends of J. R. Creath regret very much that he has decided to move to his ranch and thereby cause a vacancy in the board town trustees. His election to the position was a unanimous choice with the people at the recent city election and he occupies the position of chairman. Mr. Creath has a farm of 320 acres, near Dayton, and his entire time and attention was demanded there. —Artesia Advocate.

FOR RENT:—Six room dwelling, water, electric light, etc., at \$15.00 per month. Enquire at this office.

ROOMS: For a couple of nice furnished rooms call at this office.

Arthur Mayfield was in town Wednesday from the mountains en-route to his fathers ranch south of Van Horn where he will tarry for the summer.

WICHITA BOOSTERS

Bob up at the Beautiful—Came saw and Conquered—Big Smoker With Plenty of Eloquence and Cold Beer—Highly Pleased with Visit.

The Wichita, Kansas, Commercial Club showed up on schedule time last Tuesday afternoon with not less than 100 of the bustling business men of Wichita. Nearly every line was represented in the party with the popular newspaper men Messrs. Dave Leaby of the Eagle and H. J. Allen of the Beacon in the van. About twenty rigs met the excursion train at Avalon, six miles north of town and conveyed as many of the party as desired over the works at Avalon dam, thence to town, while the balance of the party were joined on the train by several citizens who rode in on the train.

The excursionists were accompanied by the Hope, Kansas, band which was materially aided by Prof. Wells, who joined the band at Roswell. The band and party went at once to the veranda of Hotel Schlitz and gave several fine concerts, playing and singing for a couple of hours, after which the party was invited to the Commercial Club rooms and a general informal reception held.

President J. R. Joyce of the Commercial Club introduced Mayor James M. Dye, who welcomed the visitors in a neat and appropriate speech. Mr. Dye having spent the greater portion of his life only a few miles east of Wichita in Missouri, was able to talk to the visitors as if they were "home folks." He was followed by Mr. Powell of the visitors, who made a very sensible talk on the needs of both Wichita and Carlsbad and explained in a very lucid way why the two towns should become mutually interested in each other. Mr. Pratt was then introduced by President Joyce and made one of the best addresses of which he is justly famous.

Tipton Cox of the Cox-Bloggett Wholesale Dry Goods Company of Wichita, then made a few humorous remarks and was followed by J. T. Rives of Carlsbad, who paid a high compliment to Kansas and her people averring that the main hope of this section was from Kansas because the large majority of land sales now, are being made to people from the great "Sunflower" state.

Mr. Rives was followed by Henry J. Allen of the Beacon, who made the most finished oration of the evening, describing the trip in detail, besides telling why the visitors came. He said that Wichita had 146 wholesale houses and could furnish the necessities of life to the people here quicker and cheaper than any other point. His closing was a high tribute to home patriotism and love of our town and its people. When Mr. Allen closed, Capt. Bujac was called for and responded in one of the finest speeches he ever made, saying that when young he was taught to fear and despise people from Kansas, but he had gotten over all that and had learned to respect and love such men as Funston and dozens of others he knew in the Philippines. He finally likened the people of Kansas to gods and angles and brought down the house with applause and after he finished

the Kansas crowd wanted to carry him back with them he proved so strong a Kansas man.

After the speeches the crowd repaired to the buffet where Jack Bailey and Phiney Cochran, as caterers served fresh keg beer, hamburger and all the et ceteras to the people from probib Kansas and few there were who after the sweetering evening did not enjoy a glass of the ice cold German beverage, for if there is one thing a probib generally likes it is beer.

After the reception the visitors gave three rousing cheers for Carlsbad and on a vote which was unanimous expressed themselves as having seen the prettiest town, enjoyed the best time and heard the best speeches of any point on the trip. After five hours of sight seeing and entertainment the visitors departed at 11 p. m., giving the town a farewell serenade. The next stop on the trip was at Clovis thence short stops will be made at the small towns along the Belen cut off, as far as Vaughn, thence to Santa Rosa, Dalhart and down the Fort Worth & Denver to Amarillo and over the Rock Island to Enid and back to Wichita.

No Use to Die.

"I have found out that there is no use to die of lung trouble as long as you can get Dr. King's New Discovery," says Mrs. J. P. White of Bush-bone, Pa. "I would not be alive today were it not for that wonderful medicine. It cures up a cough quicker than anything else and cures lung disease even after the case is pronounced hopeless." This great, reliable remedy for coughs and colds, la grippe, asthma, bronchitis and lung disease, is sold under guarantee at Eddy Drug store, 302 and 3102 Third street.

Notice to Stock Owners.

The town marshal wishes to notify all who have been in the habit of staking stock out, so as to be in reach of ditches or trees streets or alleys that such stock will be impounded, as though they were loose and hold same until all costs are paid.

Pondmaster's Sale.

I will sell at public auction at the town pound at 2 p. m. May 27, one old red roan horse branded lazy S on left thigh, with L cross under same.

CARL GORDON,
Marshal.

Baptist Church

Next Sunday will be observed as "Organ Day" and a special musical program has been arranged by the chorister. Mr. Gamel, for the morning service. A vocal solo will be rendered by Mrs. Cushing; a duet by Miss Mollie Draper and Mr. Chilcoat and a cornet solo by Dr. Irwin.

The pastor will preach on the subject "The Soul's Praise."

The Life Insurance

middle has started the public to thinking. The wonderful success that has met Ballard's Horehound Syrup in its crusade on coughs, influenza, Bronchitis and all pulmonary troubles has started the public to thinking of its wonderful preparation. They are all using it. Join the procession and down with sickness. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Eddy Drug Company.

Methodist Church.

Sunday: Sunday school, 10 a. m.; preaching services, 11 a. m.; junior league, 3:30 p. m.; senior league, 7 p. m.; preaching services, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday: Prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.; choir practice, 8 p. m.

Thursday: Home Mission Society first Thursday in each month at 7 p. m.; choir practice, 7 p. m.

The pastor, as well as the Charity and Help Department of the League and the Home Mission Society, will be glad to learn of the whereabouts of the needy, sick or strangers.

Your horses get the best care at the Star Stables.

Mrs. W. A. Finlay was elected president and Mrs. E. McQueen Gray secretary at the meeting of the cemetery association last Friday. The cemetery is looking well this spring being in good hands.

J. H. James met with an accident Tuesday by a rubber bit breaking in the mouth of his fine Wilkes-Hambletonian driving horse. Though the horse did not run but galloped along up the street; Mr. James concluded to quit the buggy and in the jump sprained his ankle from the effects of which he is now on crutches. The horse was caught, no damage being done the rig, and taken home by Ed Toner, who brought another rig back to get Mr. James.

Jim Scanlan who was thrown from a horse near the Hendrick residence last week and from the effects of which he was laid up ten days is able to be out.

New Process Gasoline Stoves the best ever—Finlay-Pratt Hardware Company.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Mitchell residing west of town have a new girl at their home that arrived Tuesday.

Raymond Depew, who has been in Carlsbad a couple of years employed with the Reclamation Service left Wednesday to accept a position with the Forest service in Washington, D. C.

Cornelius Rascoe, son of Jessa Rascoe was married in Roswell to Miss Lillian Corn yesterday at the home of W. W. Anderson. Cornelius was born and reared here in Carlsbad.

All the latest books of fiction, romance and adventure at the Eddy Drug Co.

An Ideal Man.

An Omaha newspaper asked its unmarried women readers the following question: "If you were to exercise your leap year privilege what kind of a man would you propose to?" An astonishing number of replies were received, and it is noteworthy that in majority of the cases the man described has yet to be born. The prize offered for the best answer went to Miss Myrtle Rascoe, of No. 330 La Salle Street, Chicago.

Here are some of the qualifications of Miss Rascoe's ideal man:

He must be a good meal ticket provider.

He must be able to swear when the occasion demands it.

He must not stay out too many nights in the week. But he would not be forced to tell where he had been.

He must be old enough to know what life is. He can't learn too young.

He must have a face that will attract dogs and babies. Beauty is no object.

He must have just money enough to know where the next meal is coming from, and not enough so that he can live without working.

He must be an American and a gentleman. Foreign noblemen and Americans of the Thaw class need not apply.

This ideal is patterned after James Dahlmann, the "Cowboy Mayor" of Omaha. But it is not him she wants for "Jim" has been married for some time.

Miss Rascoe, who is a pretty blonde of about—well she says she is past eighteen—explained why she would choose such a man. She does not want the mayor for she does not believe in taking a man from his wife, but she does believe that another just like him would be a very fit companion for her.