

A SPECIAL BONUS OFFER

It Holds Good Until the First Count on Saturday, January 17th.

When Votes will be Counted and a \$10 Gold Piece Awarded to the Lady Having the Most Votes.

The big prize voting contest is attracting more attention every day, so as incentive to all contestants we have decided to give the following special votes:

For every seven new subscriptions 4000 extra votes, making a total of 8,200. These subscriptions need not be for one party for seven years or for seven different people for one year, but must be new subscriptions for seven years, and must be handed in all at one time.

For every seven renewal subscriptions 3,000 extra, making a total of 6,500. These may be for seven different people or all for one, but must be all renewals and must be handed in all at once.

The above special offer will hold good until the first count on January 17 at which time votes will be counted by the judges who will award the \$10 in gold to the contestant who receives the largest number of votes up to the first count. The ballot box will close promptly at 7:30 p. m. on Saturday, January 17.

Remember the \$10 in gold to be given to the contestant having the highest number of votes on January 17 is a special prize. It will in no way effect the standing of the winner of the contest.

A few contestants thought that the winning of the \$10 would effect the votes for the piano. It will not. All votes found in the box on January 17 will be included in the final count, which will decide the winner of the piano and other prizes.

Remember that each subscription you receive—either new, renewal or back—will get a certain number of votes with each year and those votes with an extra bonus vote also.

All votes to be counted must be in by 7:30 o'clock Saturday, January 17.

The following names have been suggested to act as awarding committee and count the ballots and if no objections are offered they will constitute the committee:

Get busy and vote for your choice. This contest will be conducted squarely and no partiality will be shown to anyone. Do it now and help some one reap the benefit of the liberal offer.

Remember to have your friends trade with the merchants who are giving the coupons.

The committee which has been chosen to count the ballots in the piano contest, on the 17th when ten dollars in gold will be given away to the leading candidate, is as follows:

- Supt. Jos. S. Hofer
- Senator C. H. Aldredge
- Mr. Herman Gerhardt
- The following ladies have been nominated thus far:
- Miss Frances Poppino
- Miss Ruth Davis
- Miss Beulah Simpson
- Miss Margaret Chapman
- Miss Corn Lawing
- Miss Esther Statham
- Mrs. Ada Cowart
- Mrs. Minnie Foster
- Miss Emily Barrett
- Miss Josephine Page
- Miss Lilley Brinley
- Miss Maude Melton
- Miss Enla Camical
- Miss Myrtle Williams
- Miss Minnie Horn
- Miss Madie Russell
- Miss Vivian Landrey
- Miss Sallie Gee
- Miss Ruth Gault, Quay, N. M.
- Miss Ruby Besse, Logan, N. M.
- Miss Lena Wattenbarger, Jordan, New Mexico.
- Miss Eugenie Roy
- Miss Merrie Koch
- Mrs. Sadie Fish
- Miss Susie Chavez
- Miss Jane Zillman, Nara Visa
- Miss Simpson, Montoya.
- Miss Mary Cade, Jordan, N. M.
- Miss Mary Berlin, Obar, N. M.
- Miss Goldie Harvey, West, N. M.
- Miss Grace Paragine

HUDSON S. S. GIVES BIBLES

G. E. Rice, who has been at home on a three months' furlough, returned to his work on the Southwestern, the first of last week.

Claude Neffus is employed as one of the hands at the J. R. Wasson cattle ranch, near here.

R. E. Parker, who suffered an attack on pneumonia about a month ago, is convalescing sufficiently to be able to be about at his home.

M. E. Dolbs has sold the house on his farm to O. C. Wilms, who employed John A. Scott to move it to the village

last week. It is now occupied by Mrs. Nora Judd and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pierce passed through here on last Friday from Tucumcari, where they had gone to witness the marriage of their daughter, Miss Clara, to A. R. Seddon of this community. Mr. and Mrs. Seddon are now at home on their farm three miles north of Hudson.

Mabel, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Reed, is now out from under the doctor's care. Two weeks ago the little one was threatened with a complication of diseases which, it was feared, might prove very serious.

An appropriate Christmas program was rendered Christmas eve, by the pupils of the school.

On Sunday a week ago, a very fitting service, following the regular Sunday school was held; it being the time of the presentation of the testaments to the children, for three months' faithful reading of the scriptures. Every feature of the entertainment dealt characteristically with some phase of the bible.

J. R. Wasson has purchased the residence on the Orville Smith farm, and moved it to its present location on his school section west of this place. Mr. Wasson and employees are now comfortably established in bachelor quarters, having moved from the G. W. Bell farm one day last week.

WEEKLY SPINE PLINTS

Under Sunny Skies

Let us under sunny skies take a look around the states these days and note that there is no partiality in the passing out of hard luck.

Heavy rains have ravaged a portion of Texas and Louisiana turning river channels into lakes destroying property and human life, and leaving an aftermath of mud and stagnation which is likely to breed epidemics of disease.

In Colorado between labor difficulties in the coal mines and commercial blockades from heavy snows that state will suffer as bad a reverse as Kansas did last summer.

Chicago, somebody may say, there's a great city for you, in a great state. Yet we take the figures of Dr. Charles R. Henderson, chairman of the Chicago committee on unemployment, who says that there are 100,000 men out of employment in that city. ♦♦♦♦♦

We have suffered no calamitous flood we have no bloody civil warfare, we have no paralyzing snow storms, we have no hundred thousand starving men wandering about despairing of keeping soul and body together.

We should take good cheer and should bear our disappointments with better fortitude if we would keep our eyes open regarding conditions in other localities or states.

We average out with the best of them.—Wichita (Kas.) Eagle.

LIKEWISE WITH THE NEWS

It has been said that "the who loses his purse loses trash," but he who loses his good name loses about all he can't get back by advertising in the Quay County Times.

GOT OUR GOAT, TOO

A southern physician says the goat will solve the meat problem so far as the high cost of living is concerned. Doubtful! The high cost of living has already got our goat. Montoya Republic.

THEY ALL COME BACK

The wanderers are returning to the San Jon Valley with the conviction that there are but few places where chances are better than right here. The Easterner who wants a home of his own will do well to embrace the present favorable opportunities offered here.—Quay County Times.

PIONEER HOPEFUL

The Quay and Roosevelt county tax rolls have been received by the traveling auditor's office. These two make five of the twenty-six counties that have thus far sent in the corrected tax rolls. Tax-paying time seems to be nearer and we may yet get to pay them in spite of the middle they are in.—Pioneer (House) News.

THE NEWS A NECESSITY

Vallonia, Ind., Dec. 26, 1913
Editor Tucumcari News,
Dear Sir:—

Enclosed you will find money order for one dollar for which please continue to send me the News.

Hope you will keep boosting Quay county for I have interest there.

J. W. G., Vallonia, Indiana

NOTICE

I am still in the ring for any kind of work in my line. Good work or no charge. Stoves shined and put up, good job.

DAD WALLACE

HE REMEMBERS, TOO

Mr. Kirkpatrick, the Tucumcari plumber, passed through Roy Friday going home from Wagonmound where he has been installing a steam heating plant in the new McArthur business block. He is a jolly little Irishman and we remember with pleasure the things we did with him at the I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge at Albuquerque last fall.—Spanish-American (Roy).

FOR SALE

Span of small mules, weight about 700 lbs., well broken, suitable for delivery team or farm work. Cheap to quick buyer.—Joseph Ritz, Tucumcari, N. M.

FEDERATION OF CLUBS

The mass meeting for the organization of the Federation of Clubs of Tucumcari will be held at the Methodist church, Jan. 12, 7:30 p. m. Further announcement will be made concerning this important movement in the next issue of this paper.

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Country towns and rural communities need recreational activities even more than cities do, according to C. Seymour Bullock, supervisor of playgrounds, New London, Conn., who made a strong plea for supervised play in rural communities at the season of the Recreation congress at Richmond, Va.

"Boys who were leaders when I was a boy are leaders now when I have become a man. The fellow who led in the games, the fellow who made the first dive when we came to the rim of the 'old swimming hole,' is the one who, for better or for worse, has shown the power of initiative.

"This law of leadership furnishes the greatest argument in favor of supervised play. If those born leaders of their kind are trained to lead in the right direction, the world will be better when this next generation of boys have taken their place among men.

"Nowadays when this country-boy leader goes from his rural home to the city he brings with him a fund of vitality and physical strength. But, he himself, narrow and ill-poised, is often borne by his own surplus energy and love of excitement into the worst of the city's temptations.

"The country offers nothing for its lonely boys and girls to offset the lure of the city. Schools and churches have not done their part.

"Every country school should follow the example already set by a few. Let the country school institute supervised play at recess and after school hours, so that boys and girls may learn sociability and altruism by playing together and helping younger children to play.

"There should be also a large building for athletics and social gatherings. It will cost money, but it will save many boys and girls from vice and crime.



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Why Sixty Seconds in Hour. The hour was divided into 60 minutes because no other smaller number has so many divisions as 60. It can be evenly divided by 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 15, 20 and 30.

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Ask for your coupons for Piano contest

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Wishing one and all a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

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