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Militia To Columbus

One of the officers in the following article, Lieut. Frank Newkirk was in our little city Wednesday of this week as recruiting officer, but so far as we learned failed to get a ready response. Our people being too far from the border to receive the real enthusiasm of warfare, and never having shed the blood of friend or foe do not like to begin. However, do not take it that our people are cowards for too closely pressed we believe they could all fight like tigers.

Thursday morning the local militia company left on a special train for Columbus, N. M. where the boys will go into mobilization camp for training before being put on border duty. Several were left behind owing to the fact that they were out of town at the time the call was issued, but these are being rounded up by mail, telephone and telegraph and with the new men who are signing up each day Company C is able to be present a good appearance in connection with other companies from this state. The company is under the command of Capt. J. D. Atwood and Lieut. Richard Daugherty. Lieut. Frank Newkirk, Sergt. Dick Suter, Earl Bigler, Mack Hellin and E. A. Hannah were detailed for recruiting duty, and since the company has left, have been beating the bushes around here and are securing a number of new enlistments, as well as some re-enlistments from former members. These new men will be taken to Columbus a few days until the company is recruited up to war strength.

The orders to move were received late Wednesday night and everything was packed and ready to go before the men left for their homes that night. Bright and early the next morning a final inspection was held at the armory, and attended to by Hayes band and all the town, the boys marched to the train. The stores were closed until after the departure of the troop train, and the town as a whole turned out to see the boys start for the border. They picked up other companies and additional men along the line, and at Belton joined the main body of New Mexico guardsmen and went south to El Paso and then out to Columbus. Through the columns of the News, the members of Company C wish to express their heartfelt appreciation for the attention and consideration shown them by everyone. Their thanks are extended to the Hayes Theatre Company for the offer to admit all guardsmen free to their performances, and for the benefit performance given after the company had left.

Also Mr. Tribb, for generous offer to admit the men in uniform free to the Apollo. Also to the following people for favors rendered: Arthur O'Quinn for the ice cream, Business men's committee, for the lunch, Wednesday night, Miss Lura Moore, for the flags, B. F. Barlow, for the cigars and The Relief Committee, for the assistance to families which they are arranging to give, if it is needed.

The Company, through The News, desire to thank each and every one who has contributed to make the going away more pleasant.

The storm Wednesday blew W. S. Hollifields auto shed over but did no further damage.

E. M. Caudill and Mr. Bice returned from an extended trip to the Valley this week.

W. M. Beauchamp and Dick Powers made a trip to Roswell this week.

Cowboy's Reunion

To Editor of Leader.
Las Vegas, New Mex. May 11.— Providence and barbed wire fences will have to take care of New Mexico cattle during the period beginning July 4th, and ending well after midnight on the morning of July 8th, for there won't be a ranch owner or hand within a radius of 500 miles of Las Vegas, New Mexico, who will be working on those days. The whole gang, accompanied by their wives, kiddoes, best girls and friends, will be in Las Vegas to attend the annual roundup of New Mexico Cowboys' Reunion Association.

And the general public the folks who never had on a pair of chaps in their lives— will be here to witness the exhibition of roping, riding, steer-bulldozing and stage coach and chuckwagon racing that will fill the four days, beginning the fourth and ending on the seventh.

Such noted former cowboys as Governor McDonald of New Mex. and Mayor Thompson of Chicago will be here to take part in the festivities, and will be central figures at the big cowboy's dance and in the wild west parade.

There will be something doing every night as well as every day. The railroads will offer special rates from all over the southwest. The cowboy events will be held in the association's new park, which is reached by street car, jitney or sole leather. It's so near town that the transportation costs will amount to almost nothing.

Publicity Committee

Several Parties Visit Other Parts

Mr. Ed Love left Thursday morning for Okla. to "persuade his wife" as he called it, who has been visiting there for a month or so, to return home with him. His aunt Mrs. W. T. Lay of this place and Miss Gussie Baker of Midway together with Mrs. A. J. Ragel and little sister Minnie Schuider will accompany him part of the way. Mrs. Lay and Miss Baker going as far as Tulsa, Texas, and returning by way of Portales, N. M. while Mrs. Ragel and sister who has been spending the winter here attending school, will go as far as Lubbock where they will take the train for Lorenzo, Texas, their old home where Mrs. Ragel intends visiting about two weeks.

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, E½ SW¼ Sec. 31 Twp. 20, S R. 35-E, N. M. P. Mer. 16006 acres.
List No. 7159, Serial No. 034599, Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, E. 14, 15, 16, S½ 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. 408.24 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 certificate.
Emmett Patton Register,
May 19, June 16.

Statement of The Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUG 24, 1912.

Of The Lovington Leader published weekly at Lovington, N. M., for April 1916.

State of New Mexico,
County of Eddy

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of county aforesaid, personally appeared (Miss) Inez A. Harrington, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that she is the Editor of the Lovington Leader and the following is to the best of her knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management and circulation of the above captioned publication, for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulation, prints on the reverse of this form, to wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are:
Name of— Post Office Address—
Publisher—Cecil E. Kindel Lovington, N. M.
Editor—(Miss) Inez A. Harrington Lovington, N. M.
Managing Editor—Miss Inez A. Harrington Lovington, N. M.
Business Manager—Miss Inez A. Harrington Lovington, N. M.

2. That the owners are: (Give names and addresses of individual owners, or, if a corporation, give its name and the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of the total amount of stock.)
Miss Inez A. Harrington Lovington, N. M.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgages, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: (If there are none so state.)
None

4. That the two paragraphs next above, giving the names of the owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, contain not only the list of stockholders and security holders as they appear upon the books of the company but also, in cases where the stockholder or security holder appears upon the books of the company as trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting, is given; also that the said two paragraphs contain statements embracing affiant's full knowledge and belief as to the circumstances and conditions under which stockholders and security holders who do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in a capacity other than that of a bonafide owner; and this affiant has no reason to believe that any other person, association, or corporation has any interest direct or indirect in said stock, bonds, or other securities than as so stated by her.

5. That the average number of copies of each issue of this publication sold or distributed, through the mails or otherwise, to paid subscribers during the six months preceeding the date shown above is: (This information is required from daily publications only.)
Miss Inez A. Harrington, Editor and Owner.
Signature of editor, publisher, business manager, or owner.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of April, 1916.
Claud L. Creighton
My commission expires Apr. 1917.

Note.—This statement must be made in duplicate and both copies delivered by the publisher to the postmaster, who shall send one copy to the Third Assistant Postmaster General, Division of Classification, Washington, D. C., and retain the other in the files of the post office. The publisher must publish a copy of this statement in the second issue printed next after the filing.

State Bank Report

Report of the condition of First Territorial Bank of Lovington, New Mex.

At The Close of Business, May 1, 1916.

RESOURCES	
1 Loans and Discounts	
(a) Sec'd by Real Estate (incl. mortg's owned)	\$ 6,295.35
(b) Sec'd by Coll't other than Real Estate	77,222.96
(c) All Other Loans	103,171.05
2 Overdrafts	463.69
3 Banking House and Lots	2,000.00
4 Furniture and Fixtures	1,000.00
5 Due from Banks	57,537.68
6 Checks and Other Cash Items	1,752.97
7 Actual Cash on Hand	
(a) Gold Coin	125.00
(b) Silver Coin	506.73
(c) Currency	3,170.00
(d) Total	3,801.73
Total Resources	253,155.43

LIABILITIES	
1 Capital Stock Paid In	\$30,000.00
2 Surplus	20,000.00
Undivided Profits	4,950.12
4 Individual Deposits, subject to check without notice	177,832.73
5 Certificates of Deposit	372.58
6 Cashier's Checks outstanding	20,000.00
7 Bills payable, incl. Cert. of Dep. Rep. Money Borrowed	20,000.00
Total Liabilities	253,155.43

Depositors
All other Depositors, (excluding Banks) 821.00
Interest Paid on Deposits
On Savings Deposits per cent None
Dividends Paid during the past year on Capital Stock
Amount \$ None per cent
President, Oscar Thompson; Vice President, John D. Hart
Cashier J. S. Eaves; Directors Oscar Thompson, J. D. Hart, J. S. Eaves, J. D. Graham, J. S. Anderson, W. H. Anderson, C. L. Creighton.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO,
County of Eddy, ss. J. S. Eaves Cashier and

Oscar Thompson President and C. L. Creighton, Director, J. D. Graham Director, and J. S. Anderson Director, of the First Territorial Bank of Lovington Eddy County New Mexico, a bank organized under the laws of the Territory, now State of New Mexico, upon oath duly sworn, each for himself depose and says, that the above and foregoing statements of the Resources and Liabilities, Depositors, Interest paid on deposits and Dividends paid on Capital Stock, of the above named bank at the close of business May 1, 1916, are correct and true. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13, day of May A. D. 1916.
Wesley McCallister Notary Public
My commission expires May 27, 1917.

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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 Hd. 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. Russell, 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 Hd. E. Serial No. 025971 for W1-2 NW1-4; W1-2 SW1-4, 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., on 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.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
United States Land Office
Roswell, N. M. April 21, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that there has this day been received in this office, for filing, the approved plat of the official survey of the following township:
Twp. 26-S Range 33-E, N. M. P. M. Mer.

Said plat will be officially filed at 9 o'clock A. M. Thursday, May 24th, 1916, at which time the land in said township will be subject to entry or selection.

Application to enter or select lands in said township, when accompanied by the required fees and commissions will be accepted by this office on and after May 4th, 1916, but all such applications received before the time of filing said plat will be held and considered as if filed simultaneously with those presented at the hour of filing said plat.
Emmett Patton Register,
W. G. Cowan Receiver.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
United States Land Office
Roswell, N. M. April 18, 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. 2340, Serial No. 029107, SW¼ NE¼, SW¼, W¼ SE¼, SE¼ SE¼, Sec. 21 Twp. 18-S, R. 37-E, N. M. Mer. 320 acres.
List No. 2495, Serial No. 029119, E¼ Sec. 22 Twp. 19-S R. 37-E, N. M. Mer. 320 acres.
List No. 2762, Serial No. 029120, Lots 1-2 3-4, S½ NE¼, S½ NW¼, Sec. 5 Twp. 22-S, R. 36-E, N. M. Mer. 320.64 acres.
List No. 2763, Serial No. 029121, S¼ Sec. 5 Twp. 22-S, R. 36-E, N. M. Mer. 320 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 certificate.
Emmett Patton Register,
April 28, May 26.

W. C. HOWARD
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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 Hd. E. Serial No. 025941 for S½ SW1-4, 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. Rodan, William Summers, all of Lovington, N. M.
Emmett Patton Register,
May 12—June 9.

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STATE LAND SELECTIONS

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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 NW¼ SE¼, S½ SE¼, Sec. 1, Lot 1, SE¼ NE¼, SE¼ Sec. 3; NE¼ NW¼, S½ NW¼, Sec. 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.

Jan. Baker of Midway was down this week and while here renewed his subscription and also T. B. Stayton's of Rising Star, Texas, and entered a new subscription to his brother Jim Baker at Burkett, Texas. That is the way the Leader likes to have them do, who will be next, to send the Leader to a friend.

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 Hd. E. Serial No. 027165 for N1-2 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.