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## SHERIFF COLE PASSES AWAY IN EL PASO

Multitude of Friends Mourn at the Funeral of one of Lincoln County's Best Citizens

### DEATH WAS NOT UNEXPECTED

The community was greatly shocked to learn of the death of Sheriff John H. Cole, which occurred in the hospital at El Paso at 1 p. m. Sunday. Mr. Cole had been in the hospital several weeks suffering from a complication of diseases, and during that time his life had several times been despaired of, but the news received from his bedside during the last few days of his illness was of a more encouraging nature, and it was hoped that he would win in the long battle with death.

He was born in Bastrop county Texas, February 16 1863, making him nearly 52 years of age at the time of his death. He was married in Lampasas County, Texas in 1890 to Miss Jennie Hobbs, who survives him. To their union were born seven children, Ernest, aged Cora aged 21, William aged 20, Z. aged 16, John Jr. aged 13 and Harry and Charlie twins aged 12, all of the children now living.

Mr. Cole came to New Mexico in 1899, engaging in the cattle business at Yellow Lake about 25 miles north of Roswell, at which point he remained about three years, coming to Lincoln county in 1902 and located on the Geysse ranch near Pieacho, where he engaged in the stock business, and a couple of years later purchased the Pieacho store, now owned by Martin Chavez and Sons, which he conducted for several years, then sold all his interests near Pieacho and removed to the ranch near San Patricio, which he owned at the time of his demise.

He was appointed Sheriff of Lincoln County in April, 1914, by Gov. McDonald to fill the vacancy caused by the suspension of former sheriff Chavez, which appointment he held up to the date of his death.

John Cole was a man who was universally liked, and who had few if any, enemies. Those who opposed him in political views, had nothing but good to say of him as a man, a citizen and a neighbor, and the remark has been frequently made that "John Cole was too good a man to mix up in politics." He had been a very successful sheriff and probably the most popular one that Lincoln County has ever had, doing his duty as he saw it and playing no favorites.

His health had been falling for the past year caused by bright's disease and heart trouble, and although everything possible was done to aid his recovery, he became steadily worse and finally succumbed.

His body was brought here and interred in the Evergreen Cemetery Tuesday morning, being accompanied to its last resting place by a large concourse of friends from all parts of the county.

The Outlook joins with a legion of friends in expressing heartfelt sympathy to the sorrowing family and relatives.

J. B. French will ship several cars of lambs and yearlings from Ancho next Sunday.

We buy hides, pelts and furs at guaranteed highest prices—Carrizozo Trading Co.

Felipe Lucero, sheriff of Don Ana county was here Sunday in charge of a prisoner whom he was taking back to his county from Roswell.

Humphrey Bros handle flour, feed, potatoes and stock salt. Ask them to quote you prices, when in the market for same.

Louis A. Burk of Galesburg, Ill., brother of Mrs. R. T. Lucas, is here for a visit, and may decide to locate in this vicinity. Mr. Burke is a talented musician.

Walkover shoes are sold exclusively by the Carrizozo Trading Co. Price \$3.50 to \$5.00 Don't pay more.

Cream of wheat flour—made in the Southwest, every sack guaranteed. Sold only at the Carrizozo Trading Co.

There will be a dance at the Nogal dance hall January 22, 1915 to which everybody is invited. Supper will be served at the Nogal hotel.

Jack M. Fall son of Senator A. B. Fall of Three Rivers, who has been quite sick with pneumonia at the Fall home, is improving and went to Alamogordo on the Golden State Limited Monday for treatment.

Word was received here Saturday of the death of D. D. Willis, Claim Agent of the Southwestern System, at his home in El Paso. Mr. Willis is well-known throughout this part of New Mexico. His health had been failing for over a year.

The Woman's Home Mission Society of the M. E. Church met at the home of Mrs. John E. Bell on Wednesday afternoon, with fifteen ladies in attendance. Officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: President, Mrs. Cribb; Vice President, Mrs. D. B. Tennis. Sec., Miss Grace Spence; Treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Bell. Five dollars were contributed by the society toward the play grounds. Refreshments consisting of salad sandwiches, cake and coffee were served. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. E. D. Lewis Wednesday afternoon, January 27, at 2:30.

### TRADING CO. CHANGES HANDS

The Carrizozo Trading Co., one of the oldest retail mercantile establishments in Lincoln County, changed hands this week. H. Lutz of Lincoln, O. W. Bamberger and J. B. French of Carrizozo, were the purchasers. These gentlemen are all well-known in and around Carrizozo and the change will no doubt develop a very popular retail store for Carrizozo. Mr. Bamberger will continue as manager, will cater strictly to the wants of the community and at all times handle a line of merchandise that will please in quality and price, and will meet competition at all times.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the many friends who rendered such valuable assistance and sympathy during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father.—Mrs. John H. Boyd and family.

## NEWS FROM LIVE COMMUNITIES OF COUNTY

Much Petty Thievery is Reported at Nogal. Deputy Sheriff will Soon be Appointed for That Place

### ROAD TO AMERICAN AND HELEN REA MINES COMPLETED

William Phillips son-in-law of Sam Howell has moved to Capitan.

Prof. G. E. Cardwell and father are on the Ruidoso looking for a farming proposition.

The election held the 11th resulted in a majority for Joe Cochran for J. P. and T. J. Moore for constable.

There will be another one of those delightful "hops" in Nogal the 16th. Everybody invited to attend at the Moore and Davis hall.

Uncle Tom Henley started for Kansas City, Mo. on the 15th for a surgical operation, he has been in poor health for a long time.

The public road to the American and Helen Rea mines is now completed and the setting of the electric poles will begin as soon as the ground thaws sufficient to dig the holes.

Quite a lot of petty thievery is going on around this place. Last week about twenty jars of fruit were stolen from the home of James Gatewood and just prior to that Chas. Warnock's house was entered and general supplies were taken. This place needs a deputy sheriff and will get one as soon as Chavez resumes the sheriff's office.

### WHITE OAKS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Myler Wednesday January 6th an eight pound boy.

Lin Beaudoum passed through town Friday enroute to his ranch in Coyote Canyon.

C. H. Parks was here Tuesday from the Block Ranch ranger station, taking applications for grazing permits.

William Littell returned to his home in El Paso Sunday after a week's visit here with relatives and friends.

Dr. Padon was called from Carrizozo Tuesday morning to attend the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Reasoner.

The election held Monday resulted in the election of W. F. Jones for Justice of the Peace and Clay VanSchovek for constable. The election was very quiet but 21 votes were polled.

### CORONA

(Too late for last week)

John Kimmons has a new Ford. Ernest Degno and Athway Shartzer has returned from El Paso.

Miss Ha Roundtree spent the holidays in Corona.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood made a business trip to El Paso, Tex. last week.

Ernest Degno has gone to Santa Fe to attend business.

Miss Bertha Owen and Miss Carmel Tipton were in from the ranch to spend Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Potter and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stroope have gone to Magenta to hunt a location.

Miss Mary Wood of Hereford, Texas, is spending the holidays with her parents here.

Jesse Bond sold his ranch near Corona, moved to Corona and purchased the Calbaugh dance hall.

G. C. Clements made a business trip to Carrizozo during the holidays.

Mrs. J. M. Atkinson has gone to Roswell for an extensive visit with friends and relatives.

Miss Jessie Treat passed through Corona Sunday on her way to Albuquerque where she is attending college.

### AN EXPLANATION

Carrizozo, N. M.

Editor of the Outlook.

Dear Sir:

In Justice to the teachers of the county, will you kindly give this explanation space?

Your Osceuro correspondent had but one side of the story when he reported the teachers' meeting of Jan. second.

The executive committee was unavoidably late in reporting plans and to accommodate some returning from the holidays changed the date to Saturday which prevented the mountain teachers from attending if they were to reach their districts for January fourth, and was too late for the special holiday rates on the railroad. As Mrs. Blaney was ill, many thought the meeting would not be held. There was no notification other than in one county paper which in some cases miscarried and other teachers did not take. Such an invitation would hardly call for written regrets, although three teachers sent word they were unable to come.

I sincerely regret that all of the teachers did not enjoy the generous hospitality of Osceuro which was inspiring with its sympathy with the work that the schools are at tempting, and with what they have accomplished in their model school.

Very truly yours,  
MRS. W. L. GUMM,  
Supt. Lincoln Co. Schools.

### MRS. FOREMAN DIES

Just as we go to press we learn of the death of Mrs. Mills B. Foreman which occurred this morning at the Commercial hotel in this city. We very deeply regret the loss of this estimable woman, which will be greatly missed by her many friends of Carrizozo and vicinity. Space will not permit a detailed write up of deceased but a full account will appear next week.

Fred Lalone spent Sunday and Monday in the county seat.

Buy a pair of Walkover shoes, now, prices unusually low Carrizozo Trading Co.

Henry Lutz left Sunday morning for his home in Lincoln, being accompanied by O. W. Bamberger.

Theleo canned goods, Richelieu products are sold in Carrizozo at the Trading Co.

One of the best attractions ever looked in Carrizozo is the engagement of Mr. J. Strawn de Silva for Wednesday evening, Jan. 20. This famous Shakesperian dramatist and impersonator is finding an enthusiastic welcome to all parts of U. C. The entertainment will be at the school auditorium. The admission will be 25c for students and 35c for adults.

### BAPTIST CHURCH

REV. R. L. DAY, Pastor

You are cordially invited to attend our regular services next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

## PROMINENT OSCURO CITIZENS DIES

John H. Boyd, Well Known Merchant and Postmaster at that Point Quietly Passes Away Wednesday a. m.

### WAS A VICTIM OF BRIGHT'S DISEASE

Wednesday morning at one o'clock, surrounded by his family and friends, John H. Boyd quietly passed away at his home in Osceuro.

The end was not unexpected as Mr. Boyd had been failing for some time, and the physicians in charge held out little encouragement for his recovery. He had a very strong constitution and had been able to overcome each new attack of the disease, and it was thought and hoped by many that he would win in his fight for life.

He was born at White Sulphur Springs, Franklin county, Arkansas, on June 2nd 1863, making him nearly 52 years of age when overtaken by the grim destroyer. His family moving to Texas in his youth he obtained an education in the common schools of that state, being a graduate of Commerce College, Commerce, Texas.

At the age of 23 he united in marriage with Mrs. Cattie Henderson of Cooper, Delta county, Texas, at which point he was then located, being engaged in the news paper business.

To their union were born two children, Lena and John Marshall, both of whom survive, the former now being Mrs. "Tex" Loughrey of Osceuro.

In 1892 he was elected Treasurer of Delta county and served in that capacity until 1898. Came to New Mexico in 1907 and entered the employ of the Carrizozo Trading Company at this point, as book-keeper and assistant manager, which position he held until 1910, when he removed to Osceuro and engaged in Gen'l merchandise and hotel business, which he carried on up to the time of his death. He was appointed postmaster at that point, and later United States Commissioner.

Mr. Boyd had been suffering for more than a year with a complication of Bright's disease and heart trouble and his many friends throughout this section have watched closely his long fight against the disease to whose ravages he finally succumbed.

He was a man who had a host of friends and who believed in sticking to his friends through thick and thin. He made a success in his business and was an efficient official in each of the places he was called upon to fill.

By his death Lincoln county has lost an excellent citizen, and one who was ever at the fore in the promotion of any undertaking for the good of the community.

A good man, a loving husband and father, and a true friend, has been taken from our midst, by the death of John Boyd.—May his rest be peaceful.

M. E. Crockett received word Sunday of the serious illness of his mother Mrs. "Bud" Crockett at Duncan, Arizona. She is suffering from a severe attack of pneumonia. The Crocketts are old timers in Lincoln county and are well known here. Later word has been received that Mrs. Crockett is much improved.

Koehn Brothers, the well drillers report that a pumping test of the new well belonging to J. B. French about forty miles north of this place, shows a fine supply of water the pump being speeded up to 15 gal per minute without lessening the height of the water. The well is reported to be 810 feet in depth.