

# THE MORNING NEWS

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## NEW MEXICO'S CONGRESSMEN TAKE SEATS

Washington, D. C., Jan. 8.—New Mexico's first members of congress, George Curry, republican, and H. B. Fergusson democrat, were sworn in as members of the house today amid general applause. They were presented by Mr. Sulzer of New York.

Both men are well known in Washington. Mr. Curry was a Rough Rider and governor of a Philippine province. Mr. Fergusson was delegate in congress from New Mexico a number of years ago.

Santa Fe, N. M., Jan. 8.—New Mexico is in a peculiar state of transition this week, a full fledged state with most of the territorial officers still in charge although in many instances the new county officers are taking hold today.

The new supreme court will be sworn in on Wednesday, Governor McDonald next Monday and other state officers late this week. Much legal and official business is being held in abeyance until affairs can be readjusted to the new status of the commonwealth.

### Manzano Items

Assistant Territorial Superintendent, Acasio Gallegos of Santa Fe visited the Manzano schools Thursday of last week.

Dr. and Mrs. Hedding of Mountainair visited Dr. and Mrs. Amble Wednesday.

The school here now has an enrollment of one hundred pupils. The half term closed last Friday, January 5th.

Dr. Amble and wife spent Friday in Mountainair.

### Pinos Wells Item

Pinos Wells, Jan. 5th.—The schools here are making splendid progress under the tutelage of Acasio Gallegos, Jr. Christmas was celebrated for the first time in the history of the town and school, by a program by the children. To say that the little fellows did themselves proud is putting it very mildly, considering it was their first attempt. The work of the teacher showed up well at this first attempt at a public meeting for the pupils. Our school has not been interfered with by sickness as have so many others in the country, and it is hoped the term will continue without serious break.

## Are they Gangsters?

The Santa Fe New Mexican says that Chief Justice Wm. H. Pope, Secretary Nathsn Jaffa and Governor Mills belong to the "gang" and places them in the same category with Bull Andrews, Hold Out Bursom, Sol Luna and others of their ilk. This is news to us. We had never suspected them—especially the first two named—of belonging to that motly crowd, and perhaps would never have known it if the New Mexican had not squealed it. We had always thought that Judge Pope and Secretary Jaffa were pure minded honest and truthful, but the New Mexican has them lined up otherwise. The people of the state have always had a high regard for Judge Pope and Nathan Jaffa, and it looks hard for the Santa Fe paper to publish a statement that would have a tendency to detract from their popularity. But that paper is getting desperate, and we hope that this statement, like others it has made, is untrue.—Lake-wood Progress.

## Examination at the Courthouse

The teachers examination which was advertised to be held at the Estancia Schoolhouse on Friday and Saturday, January 12 and 13, will be held at the Courthouse instead. Supt. Burt expects not only a number of the teachers but several of the Eighth Grade pupils to write on the different subjects.

## Humorist is Next on Program

The next number of the Lyceum course under the auspices of the Ladies Club will be Homer G. Wilson, the humorist, on Friday night January 12th. This course is proving even more popular than the ladies had anticipated and the people are showing their appreciation of such a course by liberal patronage. Don't forget the date.

Mrs. F. E. Irvin, of Moriarty, started yesterday to visit a sister at Eugene, Oregon. She will be absent several weeks.

## MAKE YOUR OWN MEAL

Tuttle & Sons yesterday rigged up their corn crusher and gasoline engine, and began grinding corn for the farmers. The mill is fitted with three sizes of burrs, and will grind or crush corn in the ear, cob and all, or crack shell corn for feeding purposes, or grind corn for meal. With the large amount of corn in the valley this year, adjacent to Estancia, the mill should be kept busy most of the time. Lovers of good old cornbread can bring in their own corn and have it ground either coarse or fine, to suit their fancy. Nothing slow about Estancia and her merchants.

Mrs. Ira Allman left Sunday for Palomas Springs, where she will spend a few weeks, taking the baths. The neighbors will try to keep Ira from getting lonesome while batching.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Kelly, who have been visiting relatives at Mena, Arkansas, are expected home shortly, having stopped off for a few days at Ft. Worth, Texas.

Corporation Commissioner G. H. Van Stone and family left for Santa Fe yesterday, where Mr. Van Stone will take the oath of office, and he and his family will take in the inauguration and other "big doings." They will be away about a week.

E. H. Fisher, irrigation engineer, arrived in Estancia last evening to take up with the directors of the Estancia Irrigation District, the matter of the water supply in the district. Arrangements are under way for the testing of the water supply within the next fortnight, and should the supply prove as plentiful as most of our people believe, the work of installing pumping plants will proceed at once.

Pablo Moreno has just died in Mexico at the age of 127 years. It is stated that he never saw a railroad train, an automobile or a flying machine. He was supposed to be the oldest Indian in Mexico and he smoked 115 years of his life. No doubt if he had not been a tobacco user he would have lived another week. Let tobacco fiends take warning.—Tucumcari Sun.

If wanting to buy good horses reasonable, see Sam Jensen.

## Safe in Far Off Lands

Carlisle, Ky., Dec.—The Rev. James C. Ogden and family with other missionaries of the Tibetan order, for whose safety grave fears have been entertained here, are safe. A cablegram received today says they arrived in Shanghai and will sail for home Christmas day, arriving in three weeks. There is great rejoicing here.

Cincinnati, Dec. 22.—A cablegram from Shanghai was received here today by Secretary F. M. Rains, of the Foreign Christian Missionary Society, from the Rev. William Hardy stating he and another missionary were safe after exciting experiences in robber-infested districts in China. With the Rev. Mr. Hardy were the Rev. J. C. Ogden, Mrs. Ogden and their little daughter. The two missionaries set out for Shanghai from Batang on the Borders of Thibet about three months ago and traveled 500 miles, mostly on foot through regions swarming with bandits.

The above is of interest to some of our readers, as Dr. Hardy is a nephew of Rev. W. S. Buckner, Miss E. Lena Buckner and Mrs. Amos Ktykendall, all of Silverton. Since his arrival in Batang, Thibet, last December, he has been trying to master the Tibetan language, preparatory to taking up his work as Medical Missionary, having been sent by a Christian Church of Nashville, Tennessee, under the auspices of the Foreign Missionary Board of America. One of his predecessors was murdered, while another died of the terrible fever soon after his arrival in that country. Friends of Dr. Hardy, not being able to communicate with him for some time, had feared that he too was dead, but were greatly relieved to receive the above communication.

W. C. Hawkins, formerly editor of the Montoya Republican, has taken editorial charge of the Tucumcari News. Mr. Hawkins has made good with the smaller paper and we hope he will do the same with the News. He was at one time a resident of the Estancia Valley and still owns land here. His greatest mistake was in leaving the Estancia Valley.

Territorial Superintendent of Public Instruction, J. F. Clark was in town yesterday from his home in Santa Fe, on school business. While here he consulted with County Superintendent C. L. Burt, who came over from Mountainair for that purpose.

## NOTICE OF SUIT

Territory of New Mexico, } No. 227  
County of Torrance }  
The First National Bank, of }  
Texhoma, Oklahoma, and }  
Casey Swasey Company. }  
vs. }  
E. O. Taylor and A. O. Camp }  
bell. }

In the District Court of the First Judicial District of New Mexico for the county of Torrance

The said defendants, E. O. Taylor and A. O. Campbell are hereby notified that a complaint has been filed against them in the District Court for the County of Torrance, Territory of New Mexico, that being the Court in which said case is pending, by said plaintiffs, The First National Bank of Texhoma, Oklahoma, and Casey Swasey Company, the general object of said action being for the recovery of the sum of \$308.25 Principal, Interest, and attorney's fees on account of certain promissory notes given by defendants in favor of plaintiffs. Plaintiffs pray for the foreclosure of the following described mortgaged property: located in the County of Torrance, Territory of New Mexico, to wit: Lot 21 on block 20 of the Christ Addition to the town of Duran, as shown by the plat of said addition now on file in the office of the Probate Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of the said County of Torrance, Territory of New Mexico together with all buildings thereon. Plaintiffs further pray that if any part of the said mortgaged premises be sold under this decree and not redeemed within nine months from date of sale, that the court order adjudge and decree that a writ of possession issue under the seal of this court, directed to the sheriff of this county commanding him to place in possession thereof the purchaser of the said premises at the foreclosure sale. Plaintiffs deem it necessary that they bring this foreclosure suit and in case the property mortgaged fails to sell for a sufficient sum to pay the principal, interests and costs, plaintiffs will ask for a deficiency judgment and plaintiffs pray for such other relief as may seem proper, as will more fully appear by reference to the complaint filed in said cause. That the name of plaintiff's attorney is Fred H. Ayers and that his postoffice address is Estancia, New Mexico. And that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 16th day of March, 1912, judgment will be rendered against you by default.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal [SEAL] of said Court at Santa Fe, New Mexico, this 6th day of January A. D. 1912.

Edw. L. Safford

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J. A. Constant arrived last evening from Fort Morgan, Colo., with a car of household goods. He will take charge of the News, making his home in Estancia. His wife and daughter will arrive in a few days.

## Notice

I have formed a copartnership with Tuttle and Son in the undertaking business, and we now have a complete stock of coffins, caskets and funeral supplies. Embalming done on short notice. Calls answered day or night  
A. A. Hine.

Barney and John Meehan, energetic young men who have homesteads near Stanley, departed yesterday for Marshall, Texas. They have full faith in the future of the Valley and will come back in the spring in time to put in crops.