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The Caloric Fireless Stoves

LET US DEMONSTRATE THE VALUE OF THESE FIRELESS WORKERS—WILL ADD YEARS TO THE BUSY WIFE—COME AND SEE!

THE SILO IS IMPORTANT TO THE FARMERS OF EASTERN NEW MEXICO

Will Get More Feed to Each Acre by This System

Should Be One Built Here For Benefit of Farmers

So important do the agricultural authorities of Colorado count the silo that there is a systematic effort in that state to lend state aid to farmers' ambitions to take up this system of feed conservation. The assistance not only including free instructions, but even the free assistance of experts sent to the farm, in order that the farmers may learn how very much more it is possible to get from an acre by this system of caring for the feed produced on the acre.

When the writer first raised his voice in east New Mexico for the silo the "reaction" soon showed that it would be necessary to begin at the very bottom with the agitation. He was repeatedly stopped on the streets or asked at the office, "What is that you write so much of in your paper? One of his earliest experiences was with a pharmacist who sweepingly disposed of the silo proposition with pronouncement: "That would never do at all, at all! The stuff would spoil. I've studied chemistry and know it would spoil!" A still funnier exhibit is the remark of a neighbor who visited the man who put in the first pit silo in east New Mexico. This friend went to the proprietor and said: "Elenberg, I wouldn't have that thing on the place! Why, man, that will blow up and kill some of you, yet!"

But, on January 29, when the demonstration train visited Melrose and this pit silo was opened and the silage shown on the train, Prof. J. D. Tinsley, the Santa Fe's chief demonstrator, declared: "Keep hammering! The silo will be the salvation of the plains."

So far as I know there are silos in but three other places in the state. One is at Hope, where Coffin Bros., have been taking the top of the Kansas City market with lambs fed with siloed kaffir. It is reported that they feed from one thousand to three thousand lambs from the feed raised on thirty acres.

The other is a pit silo near Wagon Mound, where the deep pit plan has been tested out successfully.

There is a silo at Ft. Sumner, but it was not ready for filling this last season.

The local silo is a pit and is but a small one. It is cemented with common "white dirt". The contents of this silo, first opened for the visit of the demonstration train, proves to be fine feed, although the experts with the train declared that while being filled the silage was not pressed in firmly enough, so that the silage is now too dry.

And yet, in spite of this fault, the stock eat it greedily and Mr. Elenberg, of Cantars, who thus blazed the trail, locally, is highly pleased with the result.

The feeding of silage has a marked effect on both the calf and the colt crop, for it is really canned green feed, so that stock fed on silage have their bowels

always in an ideal condition—just the condition of the same animals in a state of nature and fed on nature's own feed. All stock breeders know how valuable this condition is. One Michigan horse breeder testifies that he wintered two hundred head of draft horses, Shetlands, and standard trotters on corn silage and straw, and that the winter he did so was the only winter in his experience when he did not lose a foal.

While this is being written the worst blizzard of the winter is scourging the plains and killing stock. Not only in cases of snow storms, but also in cases of dust storms the man who has his fodder siloed has the advantage of the man who has it either in shock or stack.

In the first place he has escaped three sources of waste. Fodder that is whipped by the winds is often stripped of much of its best portions. Whether any of it blows away or not, all knows that it dries out—not only losing in total weight, but undergoing changes that lessen its feed value even in those rare cases when stock eat it all. In cases when the cattle leave the butts of the stalks, it is easy to see that a system of preparation which makes it possible for an animal to eat every ounce, both of solid matter and of native juices, is far superior. In addition to this silage shocked or stacked in this country is more or less impaired by having dust sifted through it—a condition impossible with silage.

A silo properly located and constructed is the most convenient and comfortable feeding equipment on stormy days, a consideration which at this writing would appeal most forcibly to any plainsman.

The matter of cost is not prohibitive. Mr. Elenberg bought nothing but the lumber to support the dirt covering—about \$1.50.

Professor Tinsley, in commending the writer's choice of a slogan for east New Mexico and urging that it be displayed till every farmer realized that a silo is not only profitable, but necessary, said: "Tell them to get any kind, at first—if necessary, a bare pit lined with tar paper. From that they would make enough to afford a better one next time."

That would enable them to do till better next time. Then, when they have got the best, they have equipped themselves with the most valuable feeding equipment possible to any farmer.

Postmaster Elenberg has published an appeal to local farmers to form silo clubs for the purchase of silage cutters and for other co-operative advantages. The writer suggests that the plan followed by the orchardists of Colorado in building their oil cisterns could be employed successfully. That was the co-operative building and use of forms for the construction of underground cement cisterns. And the predicts that, beginning with the fall of 1912, there will grow up on the plains of eastern New Mexico, the practice of owning and operating silage cutters along the lines of the similar use of threshing machines in the wheat countries.

The key to the silo proposition as it affects New Mexico lies in the idea that, while in some years matured grain is impossible, green feed at some seasons is rarely or never wanted; so that the problem resolves itself into this: How to make money out of forage, with the most certainty and the least waste.

FEDERATION OF CLUBS OF NEW MEXICO WILL MEET IN ROSWELL, N. M.

Second Annual Convention Has a Strong Program

Elaborate Souvenir Has Been Printed By Local Ladies

The second annual convention of the Federation of Women's clubs of the State of New Mexico will be held at the Baptist church in this city, Thursday and Friday, March 28-9.

The Roswell club has issued an elaborate souvenir program, which records the proceedings as follows:

THURSDAY MORNING
8:40 Executive Board meeting.

Delegates pay dues and receive credentials.

9:30 Invocation, Dr. P. H. McDowell.

Address of welcome, Mayor G. T. Veal.

C. C. Tannehill, President of Commercial club.

Mrs. W. A. Johnson, President of Woman's club.

9:45 Response, Mrs. H. B. Ray, Albuquerque.

Vocal Solo, Miss Elizabeth Skipwith.

9:55 Report of Credentials committee.

Minutes of Executive Board meeting.

10:15 Discussion of recommendations.

10:25 Reports of Federated officers:

Recording Secretary.

Corresponding Secretary.

Auditor.

Treasurer.

Vice-President.

National Secretary.

Report of Press Committee.

Discussion.

10:40 Fashions as related to the health, Mrs. R. H. Stetson, M. D., Roswell.

11:10 Reports and recommendation of standing committees.

Educational, civic and household economics.

Discussions follow each report.

Announcements.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON

1:30 Invocation, Rev. Gordon Mackay.

Piano Solo, Mrs. W. H. Brasher.

1:45 Minutes.

Reports and recommendations of standing committees.

Public health, library, music and art, legislative.

Discussion to follow each report.

2:45 Report of club delegates.

General discussion.

Announcements.

Auto ride for the delegates and visitors by the Federated Mother's clubs of Roswell.

PRESIDENT'S EVENING

Invocation, Rev. Van Valkenburgh.

Piano Solo, Miss Annie Lillian Banks.

Vocal Solo, Mr. Campbell.

Address, "The Advantage of the Formally Trained Woman in Household Science," Mrs. W. H. White, chairman household economics.

Piano Solo, Mrs. Mable Stevens Himco, Albuquerque.

Vocal Solo, Mrs. J. E. McClane.

President's Address, Mrs. S. P. Johnson.
Mrs. H. B. Ray, vice-president, presiding.

FRIDAY MORNING

9:30 Invocation, Rev. Thomas L. Lallace.

Vocal Solo, Mrs. Sidney Prager.

Minutes.

9:45 Address, Prof. M. H. Brasher.

10:00 Report of credentials committee.

10:45 Report of club delegates.

Intermission.

10:50 Domestic science, Miss Pearl O. Miller, professor of domestic science of Mesilla Park.

11:10 What Has Your Club Done for the Public School?

11:30 Report of the nominating committee.

Election of delegates to biennial executive session.

Announcements.

Lunch.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON

1:30 Invocation, The Rev. M. O. Hughes.

Piano Solo, Mrs. M. H. Brasher.

1:40 Minutes.

2:10 Message from club presidents.

Social Hygiene, Howard Crutcher, M. D., Roswell.

Report of committee on resolutions.

Announcements.

Vocal Solo, Miss Axtell.

FRIDAY EVENING

Invocation, Rev. E. N. Bullock.

Piano Solo, Miss Thomas, of Artesia.

Vocal Solo, Miss Baker.

Reading, Mrs. Fenetta Sargent Haskell.

Piano Solo, Mrs. W. L. Hill.

Vocal Solo, Mr. Pope.

Nominate Town Ticket

A greater part of the business men and citizens of the town came together at the commercial club rooms last Monday night and nominated the following ticket for town officers:

For Mayor T. J. Molinari.

For Clerk S. P. Moody.

For Trustee 2 yrs. Ed. Hawkins.

For Trustee 2 yrs. Ben Birdwell.

For Trustee 1 yr. S. A. Morrison.

For Trustee 1 yr. D. Hardy.

This is a citizens ticket, representing the choice of the people, we suppose from the fact that most everyone participated in the nominations and as yet there has been nothing let out in regard to the nomination of another ticket. These men are all substantial citizens who live in and own land within the incorporate limits of the town of Portales and are no doubt familiar with the present situation and able to steer it safely over the tide.

Order of Services

Order of Services at the M. E. church Sunday, March 24th, 1912

MORNING

Prelude

Hymn 289

Apostles Creed

Prayer

Anthem, "Come Holy Spirit," Solo by H. Detweiler.

Psalms 36

Gloria Patri

2 Cor. 4, 1-15

Notices and Offering

Hymn 318

Sermon by the pastor

Hymn 294

Benediction

EVENING

Prelude

Hymn 340

Prayer

Anthem, "Let Jesus Bear the Cross Alone"—Solo by Mrs. Connally

Notices and Offering

Hymn 331

Sermon by J. D. Wagner

Hymn 330

Prayer

Benediction

Hoodoo

George Gilbert Bancroft, the psychic researcher, is considered one of the pioneers in this country in the scientific accumulation of valuable data pertaining to various mind mysteries and superstitions that have puzzled and baffled the minds of men in all epochs of the world's history, and for more than twenty years his life has been spent in a careful and rigid investigation in all parts of the world of a great variety of phenomena, presumed to be of supernatural origin, and in his great masterpiece entitled "Hoodooos," which he will shortly present in this city, he will explain, in his very pleasing and inimitable way, a great variety of phenomena, dealing many humorous yet telling blows to the proverbial black cat, the rabbit-foot, room number eleven, the spilling of salt, number thirteen, to start work on Friday, sounds, voices, omens and amulets, etc.; etc.; in fact, a startling novelty in the realm of platform entertainment not to be missed by the most learned and cultured. Dr. Bancroft is considered by most competent judges to be one of the cleverest and most versatile lyceum attractions in the country today, and to miss seeing and hearing him in this, his masterpiece, will be a genuine misfortune, as he has been secured for this appearance at considerable time and expense by the Womans Club for the evening of April 3rd at the Cosy Theatre. A word to the wise is sufficient.

Prizes for Sales Day

Reagan & Moody will give one pair of nice hose to every baby brought in and registered with post office address and date of birth and will give hose to said baby on each birthday as long as in business.

Connally Coal Co., will give a half ton of coal for the best span of one year old colts.

Warren-Fooshee will give a five dollar hat for the best span one year old colts.

Joyce-Fruit Co., will give five dollars in merchandise for the largest load of people brought to town in a wagon and two dollars and fifty cents for the second largest load.

Miller & Luikart will two dollars for the largest load of people and one dollar for the second largest load of people brought in on that day.

C. V. Harris will give two dress patterns in summer goods to the largest lady that will be in town that day and one dress pattern to the smallest lady.

A. J. Saylor will give one setting of thorough bred Barred Plymouth Rock eggs to the party bringing the largest bunch of hens and one setting to the one bringing the bunch averaging the heaviest weight, taking one dozen hens to enter the contest for weight.

Woman's Club Entertainment

George Gilbert Bancroft, noted lecturer and entertainer, will appear at the Cosy Theatre April the third under auspices of the Womans Club. His intellectual and humorous masterpiece, "Hoodooos," will be given and a most pleasing and entertaining discourse assured all who attend. The prices of admission will be fifty and twenty-five cents.

ANALYSIS OF THE SOIL HERE SHOW IT TO BE EXCELLENT FERTILIZER

Several Young Orchards Now Being Planted in Valley

Has Been Fully Demonstrated Fruit Will Grow Here

In the Portales Valley the irrigated lands, as well as other lands are fast being planted to various kinds of fruit trees. At this time there are several industrious men planting small orchards which will in a very short time yield them large sums of money. While in Missouri recently, Ben Smith ordered four thousand fruit trees for himself to plant forty acres of land and is now having the holes dug and the land prepared in general. He also ordered for Messrs. C. H. Rittenhouse and C. C. Reeves enough apple trees to plant thirty acres of land and something over fifteen thousand peach trees. So great is the planting of trees in the valley at the present time that it is a daily occurrence to see farmers leave town with their wagons loaded with trees.

Eastern chemists have made analysis of the underlying lime stone and found that it consists of volcanic calcium carbonate and the samples were from seventy two to ninety per cent lime. The land of the entire valley is underlaid with a fertilizer which forms a profitable base for roots of trees and alfalfa. As an illustration, there is a small patch of alfalfa at the irrigation plant which shows a strong growth and is growing in the material which was excavated from the foundation of the plant and the well. This soil contains the volcanic calcium carbonate and the growth of the alfalfa at this plant indicates that the soil itself is an excellent fertilizer.

No doubt the best apple orchard in the valley is the one of Mr. Morgan. This orchard is located eleven miles southwest of Portales and shows for itself the benefits derived from the soil as a fertilizer for all kinds of fruit trees. The trees in this orchard are seven and eight years old and they are sound and absolutely free from any disease of any kind. Mr. Morgan has put forth every effort possible to make this orchard one of beauty and which would produce the necessary results, which it has done for the past two or three years, for which he deserves much credit. Messrs. Leach and Humble have nice orchards, together with the many others, which demonstrates the fact that fruit trees of all kinds will grow and produce good sound fruit here. It is very encouraging to those that live here, as well as those that are fast drifting in, to see people take advantage of the soil value by planting the many acres of land in orchards.

The meeting of the Teachers association to be held at Elida has been postponed until the 5th and 6th of April on account of the recent small pox scare.

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DEMOCRATIC IN POLITICS



Doings of Legislature

The legislature did little more than get organized, select employees and adopt rules expected to take away from the democrats any opportunity for defeating republican measures to be put through before the end of the session, as the work of the first week.

The second week will see both houses flooded with bills and the committees loaded up with work. Among the bills to be introduced will be measures providing for the regulation of railroads; several kinds of local option, statewide prohibition, improved methods of taxation, the creation of a state board of control for all the institutions of higher education.

Well informed parties insist that there will also be at least three or four graft bills, intending to give the handling of the color bonds and the lands into the hands interested parties, the payment of the militia warrants, and a few other things.

The prohibitionists held a big meeting in the hall of the house of representatives Wednesday the 20th, and passed resolutions urging all prohibitionists to get into the fight for statewide prohibition and to keep up the fight until an amendment to the constitution is submitted to the people.

That the prohibitionists are getting to be troublesome to the politicians is shown by the activity in both the great political parties to meet the demands of the "drys." The prohibitionists insist that the governor's message supports their contentions as to the laws of the state and their enforcement. The republican convention attempted to frame a plank which would, in a measure at least, satisfy the "dry" sentiment in the party, and the republicans failed to even interest the militant "drys." Prohibition leaders charge that in several republican counties parties circulating their petitions for statewide prohibition have been threatened with different kinds of prosecution and persecution if they did not desist. This may lead to complications in the republican party.

Two proposed amendments to the state constitution have already appeared, one for statewide prohibition and the other for the amendment of the language qualification clause. It is understood that the legislature will be given an opportunity to pass upon several other amendments, all to be submitted, if submitted at all, at the congressional election this fall.

The disappointed seekers after legislative jobs are making unkind remarks about some of those successful in the scramble. They say that there are stenographers who can not stenograph; clerks who have difficulty in writing their names on the pay roll, and persons in many other positions who are only sufficiently technical to draw their pay as

often as they can.

Comment is being caused by the fact that although the election boards of New Mexico were generally two republicans to one democrat, where a democrat got in at all in republican counties, the republican bosses in filing their charges in preparation for the unseating of legally elected democrats and progressive republicans allege that these republican election boards did commit gross frauds and irregularities. There is no doubt but what they did, but it does not appear that the frauds and irregularities committed by republicans added any to the votes returned for any democratic candidates, and this looks and this looks like a case of the republican bird befowling its own nest.

Instead of the republican politicians presenting New Mexico with a few million acres of Texas soil, and a few millions of dollars in addition, as promised by the politicians during the constitutional convention, it transpires that not only has New Mexico been forced to accept the Texas version of the boundary lines on the east, but we are about to lose a few hundred thousand acres of land which has always been in New Mexico, paid taxes to New Mexico and looked upon as a part of this state all because those fool politicians butted into something they knew nothing about in the hope of making a little political capital.

Call for Democratic State Convention

Pursuant to the instructions of the Democratic State Central committee of New Mexico at a meeting held in Albuquerque, N. M., February 12th, a delegate convention of Democrats of New Mexico is hereby called to be held at Clovis, N. M., on Tuesday, May 14th, at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of selecting eight delegates and eight alternates to represent the state of New Mexico at the National Democratic convention to be held in the city of Baltimore, Md., on June 25th 1912, for the purpose of nominating Democratic candidates for president and vice-president of the United States for the Democratic party.

The various counties in the state are entitled to representation, at said convention to be held at Clovis, on the basis of one delegate for each one hundred votes or fraction over fifty votes cast for the Democratic candidate for governor at the general election held November 7th, and on this basis the representation from Roosevelt county will be eight delegates, the total number of delegates being three hundred and eleven.

The Democratic Central committees of the counties are requested to hold primaries and county conventions at an early date to the end that full representation from every county may be in attendance at said convention. All Democrats and citizens irrespective of past party affiliations, who believe in the objects to be attained by the Democratic party, are requested to participate in said primaries and the selection of delegate to said convention. All county conventions must be held not later than Friday, May 10th, 1912.

A meeting of the members of the Democratic State Central committee is hereby called to meet at Clovis, on the 14th day of May, 1912, at nine o'clock a. m., for the purpose of transacting such business as may properly come before the committee at said time. A. H. HUDSPETH, Chairman, N. B. LAUGHLIN, Secretary, Democratic State Central Com.

Some republicans object to the action of the republican state convention in endorsing Secundino Romero for the United States marshalship and are making their objections known

California Lemon Crop

California's lemon crop this year will be one of the largest since the culture of that fruit was first inaugurated in that state. At the present time the lemon growers of the state estimate a minimum crop of five thousand carloads. Up to and including the last day of February, thirteen hundred and forty-one carloads had been shipped this year and the remainder of the crop will be moved just as quickly as cars can be provided. The usual loss to the lemon crop each year on account of frosts, was very small in that state this season, and some of the growers predict as heavy a season as last year. Since the season of 1906-1907, when three thousand five hundred and seven carloads of California lemons were shipped east, the output has grown steadily until but very few lemons now have to be imported by this thrifty country. During the first five years twenty-six thousand two hundred and eight carloads of lemons have been shipped out of California over the lines of the Southern Pacific. The average annual shipment is about five thousand two hundred and forty-one carloads and the minimum estimate of this year's shipment is said to have been placed quite low, especially as last year's business amounted to six thousand seven hundred and sixty-four carloads; another reason being that the loss to the crop this year on account of frost will be very light.

California can supply lemons to every part of the United States and it will not be necessary for the importation of one case of this fruit, is the way the members of the California Citrus Fruit Growers Exchange express themselves regarding the 1911-12 lemon crop.

Supply Garden Seeds Free

The Bureau of Immigration at Albuquerque, is in receipt of several hundred packages of garden seeds supplied by the U. S. Agricultural Department and sent to the Bureau by the members of congress from New Mexico, for distribution among the farmers and others desiring to raise garden truck. Upon application, either in person or by letter, the Bureau will be glad to furnish each applicant with a supply of the seeds. The packages consist of beets, lettuce, parsnip, radish, watermelon and other seeds and full directions are given for planting.

At the end of the growing season the Bureau desires to get a report from those planting the seeds, of the results obtained, same to be used in advertising and statistical work. If the result is favorable this year an effort will be made to procure a better assortment for distribution in nineteen hundred and thirteen.

Legs or Limbs?

Oh, you women voters! Here's one that you overlooked. It's in the book of laws for California, and it provides that "three-fifths of the legs of the voters must show below the border of the election booth." Isn't that awful? What are you going to do about it? You see, once upon a time, men used to go into the booths with their followers, and coach them as the marking of their ballots. To make sure that only one voter was in the box, and that the ballot was fair, the law from which a quotation is made, was brought into play. —San Diego Examiner.

TEMPTATION

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Owing to the fact that Osteopathy is practically a new treatment, there are many who think it is only applicable to a few diseases, which is a very great mistake. I am giving an outline of the different parts of the body the diseases of which are successfully treated by Osteopathy. Diseases of the eye, ear, nose, throat, lungs, heart, stomach, intestines, liver spleen, kidneys, bladder, bones, joints, muscles, nerves, blood. All diseases of women--menstrual disorders, ovarian troubles, milk leg, backache, headache. Attend confinement cases, meet the emergencies that may arise. Treat all diseases of children including tonsillitis, diphtheria, scarlet fever, erup, whooping cough. Recommend and do surgical operations when necessary. Treat the contagious and infectious diseases--typhoid fever, pneumonia, small pox, measles, mumps, meningitis, infantile paralysis, grip.

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Notice of Pendency of Action NO. 776

It the District Court, Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico. Theda Campbell, plaintiff, vs. Neil Campbell, defendant. To Neil Campbell, defendant, in the above entitled cause. You are herein notified that suit has been filed in the district court in and for Roosevelt Co., N. M. No. 776 on the civil docket of said court wherein Theda Campbell is plaintiff and you, Neil Campbell is defendant, and that the general objects of the said action is for a dissolution of the bonds of matrimony alleged to exist between you and the plaintiff and that the grounds alleged in plaintiff's complaint for divorce and dissolution of the said bonds of matrimony are abandonment and failure to support plaintiff and cruel treatment, of plaintiff by you.

You are further notified that unless you the said defendant enter your appearance in said action and cause on or before the 27th day of April 1912, judgment will be rendered in said cause against you by default and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in said cause.

Plaintiff's attorney in said cause is Sam J. Nixon, and his Post-office and business address is Portales, New Mexico.

Given under my hand and signature and the seal of the said court this the 5th day of March 1912.

C.P. Mitchell County Clerk, By S.A. Morrison Deputy.

WHAT'S THE REASON?

Many Portales People in Poor Health Without Knowing the Cause

There are scores of people who drag out a miserable existence without realizing the cause of their suffering. Day after day they are racked with backache and headache; suffer from nervousness, dizziness, weakness, languor and depression. Likely the kidneys have fallen behind in their work of filtering the blood and that is the root of the trouble. Look to your kidneys, assist them in their work--give them the help they need. You can use no better remedy than Doan's Kidney Pills.

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Mrs. A. B. Seay has just received a beautiful line of pattern hats and would be glad to have the ladies of Portales and surrounding country call and see them.

ORDINANCE NUMBER 39

An Ordinance amending Ordinance Number Nine of the Ordinances of the Town of Portales relating to sanitary and health regulations in the town of Portales.

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Portales, New Mexico:

Sec. 1. The words and figures of Section 2 of Ordinance Number Nine are hereby stricken out and the following is adopted in lieu thereof, so that said Section 2 shall read as follows:

Section 2. All privies or water closets, other than those connected with the sewer line, constructed or maintained in the town of Portales shall be located upon the alley line and be readily accessible from the alley; shall be provided with water tight drawer or receptacle for reception of the excrement, which drawer or receptacle shall be of such construction and so located as to be easy of access and removal for the purpose of cleaning the privy and shall be placed upon the surface of the ground, and such privies or closets shall be built in such a manner as to exclude flies from access to said drawers or receptacles. Any person who maintains a privy or water closet not connected with the sewer line which does not conform to all the provisions of this section shall be guilty of maintaining a nuisance and shall be subject to the penalties provided for in Section 36 of said Ordinance Number Nine.

Sec. 2. The Town Scavenger shall keep a well bound book in which he shall keep an accurate record of the names of all persons whose privies or closets he cleans and the dates of the cleaning of such closets or privies, and such book shall be prima facie evidence of the matters appearing therein.

Sec. 3. All owners, renters or users of property upon which surface privies or closets are located who do not employ the town scavenger to clean and purify such privies or closets, shall file with the Town Clerk between the twentieth and twenty-fifth days inclusive of each calendar month his or her affidavit, which shall be corroborated by the affidavits of at least two other creditable persons of not less than eighteen years of age, in which affidavit shall be set forth the exact dates upon which such privies or closets were cleaned and purified during the immediately preceding thirty days; the approximate hour of day such cleaning was done; whether the excrement was removed to a distance of not less than one mile outside of the town limits; the legal description of the land upon which said excrement was deposited; and whether said closet or privy was disinfected as required by Section 3 of Ordinance No. Nine. The Town Clerk shall demand a fee in advance of 25

cents each for receiving and filing said affidavits, and any person subject to the provisions of this section who shall neglect or fail to file the affidavit required herein within the time herein specified shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be subject to the penalties provided for in Section 36 of Ordinance No. Nine.

Sec. 4. The failure of any owner, renter or user of property upon which a surface privy or closet is located to engage the Town Scavenger to clean such closet or privy, or to file with the Town Clerk the affidavit provided for in the preceding section, shall be prima facie evidence that such owner, renter or user has failed to clean such privy or closet as required by Section 3 of Ordinance No. Nine.

Sec. 5. That Section No. 11 of Ordinance No. Nine be amended so that said Section No. 11 shall read as follows: Sec. 11. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons within the town limits or within one mile thereof, to keep, cure, dry or expose any green hides except by the use of proper observance of all sanitary conditions; and all carcasses of dead animals which shall die within the limits of the town shall be, by the proper owner thereof, removed either to the town's dumping ground, or shall be removed to a point not less than one mile from the limits of the town and buried not less than three feet below the surface of the ground; and such removal shall be done within twelve hours after the death of such animal.

Sec. 6. That Section 14 of Ordinance No. Nine be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Declared passed and approved this 14th day of March, 1912.

S. P. Moody G.V. Johnson
Clerk. Mayor.

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To The Public

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M. R. RUSSELL.

TRADES DAY

ON

SATURDAY, APR. SIX, NINETEEN TWELVE

THE Business Men's Association of Portales decided to inaugurate a Trades Day for the citizens of Roosevelt county to come together to swap, buy and sell, horses and mules or anything they may have to offer on one day in each month.

The First Trades Day was held on March 4th, 1912, and we state frankly, even the weather was very unfavorable, the results were greatly beyond our expectations, which goes without saying that the people appreciate our efforts to give them more merchandise for their money than they have ever received in Roosevelt county before. Hence we have decided to repeat the operation, and while we do not promise anything definite at this time as to prices, yet we do promise to make our prices on our entire line very attractive and we have decided further, on account of the weather being so uncertain at this time of the year and so many of our customers live at a distance, that we will not confine our Reduced Sale to one day only but we will give Reduced Prices on the three following days: Friday, April 5, Saturday, April 6, Monday, April 7.

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Rev. E. P. Allsledge went to Clovis Saturday and preached Sunday returning Monday.

I have some nice one year old cottonwood trees for sale, see them.—Will Martin.

Rev. S. F. Grim will preach at the Presbyterian church Sunday. Everyone is invited to hear him.

Figure with Peak on pumping plants for irrigation, located in the Howard block.

The Mothers Club meets every first and third Friday at the school building. Every one invited.

Some nice year old cottonwood trees for sale.—Will Martin.

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Commissioners' Proceedings

Proceedings of the board of county commissioners of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, at a call session thereof, held at the court house in Portales, on the 16th day of March, A. D. 1912 Present:

C. V. Harris, chairman
S. E. Johnson, commissioner
C. P. Mitchell, clerk

The official bonds of F. T. McDonald, J. W. Franse and G. W. Jolley, road supervisors of Districts, 1, 2, and 3, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, received, examined and approved.

The official bond of C. M. Dobbs, inspector of weights and measures in and for Roosevelt county, New Mexico, received, examined and approved.

No further business appearing the board adjourned to meet at its next regular session if not sooner convened by the call of the chairman.

Signed: C. V. HARRIS, Chairman.
Attest: C. P. MITCHELL, Clerk.

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