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H. C. MCGOWAN GIVES ADVICE

All Farmers on Dry Lands Should Read and take Heed
Better Advice not Given

MR. MCGOWAN IS AGRICULTURAL EXPERT AND KNOWS

His Talk is Based on Facts Derived from His Actual Experience and Contact with Farmers

According to H. C. McCowan, assistant agricultural demonstrator for the Santa Fe railway, farmers in New Mexico, and particularly the dry land farmers, or homesteaders, are coming to recognize that their salvation lies in stock farming. Of the two divisions of stock farming, viz: feeding and dairying, the latter is really more important at the present time because the inexperienced homesteader can handle the milking of cows and the shipping of cream with more chance of success than following the scientific feeding practice.

There are two valuable policies that he submits to the consideration of the farmers who are, or who expect to realize principally from cream. The need of incorporating both these policies on the farm arises from the fact that cream is scarcest and brings its best price during the winter months. Which means that cows should produce as much milk in that season of the year as possible. And it is possible to keep the milk production on any given farm up to the maximum in that part of the year by:

Having the greatest number of the cows come fresh in September. These cows will have to be bred in the present month of January.

Feeding cows juicy, succulent ensilage in winter to keep up their milk flow.

In regard to the first proposition—to establish the January breeding practice—a period of at least two years in most cases will be required. The process of change will be difficult because cows have inherited the tendency to breed when temperature and other seasonal factors are agreeable. And in order to change their season of breeding, artificial summer conditions, such as warm comfortable quarters and succulent feed, must be supplied in winter. When the farmers have

secured the desirable winter facilities they have overcome the main difficulty, for in addition to comfort, warm stables are essential to milk production, and proper care of calves in winter.

In accomplishing the change in breeding time farmers must begin by keeping the cows from the bull in their next regular season. Endeavor to hold them for about three months and breed them. The following year the farmers should try about three months later than he did this year, or to January, the breeding month. In short, accomplish the change in two steps, or even three, by holding only two months each year until the change is complete, if the more gradual method seems advisable.

Should farmers have any cows on hand at present that are not with calf from last summer or fall. Mr. McCowan advises farmers to try to breed them now or not later than Feb. 15. If they are successful the farmers have done so much toward a larger income from cream. But be careful not to secure more winter fresh cows than the increasing winter protection will accommodate, he advises.

Proper feeding is even a greater requirement for winter dairying than shelter, which brings up the second matter for earnest consideration.

Milk flow depends upon succulent feed being a part of the cow's ration. Green grass provides this in summer. Nothing but silage will do so in winter. And it will do it as well and even better than green grass. Added to this it is a great economical factor on the farm, saving about 35 per cent more feed than stacking in the field. It can be fed beneficially to all classes of livestock, but as far as milk cows are concerned it is an absolute necessity.

MONEY FOR FARMERS

Please let the following soak in and also read the other article that is in this paper about this state doing the same that the United States is doing except on a smaller scale and in somewhat different way.

Government loans on farm mortgages at low interest rates were proposed in a bill by Representative Bathrick, of Ohio. Plan outlined is to attain the same object as the "rural credits" system. The bill would provide for the establishment of farm loans in the treasury department, with a loan commissioner appointed. The secretary would be authorized to raise funds for loaning to "bona fide tillers of the soil" on farm mortgages, by

the issue of government bonds and not to exceed 4 per cent interest. The loans would be made on farms of which at least one half must be under cultivation. Applications for loans would be made to the commissioner, who would be made to certify the value of the property, to be ascertained by the owner and appraisers appointed by the commissioner, to the secretary of the treasury, who would loan not to exceed 60 per cent of the value of the land on a mortgage made out to the secretary of the treasury at not more than four and one half per cent interest.

The bill would exempt both mortgages and bonds issued under the act from taxation, and proposes an amount of \$100,000 for the installation of the plan.

ALLDREDGE GOES TO LITTLE ROCK

The past Sunday morning after the eleven o'clock, the Baptist church of Portales voted to give their pastor, E. P. Alldredge a month to six weeks leave of absence. He will spend a month of the time granted him as supply pastor of the First Baptist Church, Little Rock, Arkansas. This church has agreed upon the calling of a pastor who is president of a college and can take up his duties as pastor, until this session of the college is over, which will be in June, we understand. The pulpit of this church, which has a membership of over 700, must in meantime be supplied and the church has asked Mr. Alldredge to come and fill the pulpit during the month of February. The Portales church has asked Rev. E. G. Stout to supply the church here in Mr. Alldredge's absence and all the services will go right along as heretofore. Mr. Alldredge feels that he needs the change which this trip will afford. He may come back by Mineral Wells, Texas and spend some two weeks there, before returning home to Portales to take up his duties as pastor again.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT

The Woman's Club of Portales, in session, remembering with sorrowful hearts, the recent bereavement of its estimable and much loved President Mrs. Sam J. Nixon, in the removal by the hand of death, her sister, Mrs. Mary Lee Hite, from her earthly home to that not made by hands Eternal in the Heavens, do hereby tender the following expressions of sympathy and condolence.

In as much, as our Heavenly Father has in His Infinite wisdom, seen fit to call wife, mother and sister, Mrs. Hite, from earth to Heaven making sad the hearts of loved ones and friends, but, making joy in the City Celestial, where God shall wipe all tears away, and there shall be no night, therefore, we do resolve: That whereas, in accordance with the will of Him to whom not one dare say, "what dost Thou?" the sister of our President has been transferred from earthly society to a higher circle, we commend the grief stricken sister and family, to the God of Peace and Righteousness, who is a present Help in all times of trouble. We further resolve that a copy of these expressions of regard and sympathy be sent to our President and that this memorial be entered upon the minutes of the Club, by the Secretary, and that copies be furnished the two papers of Portales for publication.

Committee.

BOSTON GEESE

Years ago the Boston market received quite a reputation for their queer geese, owing to the style of dressing them. The tail and wing feathers, and a ruff around the neck, were allowed to remain. Ever since then geese dressed in this style are termed "Boston geese," but we never see

BUTTER AND CHEESE INDUSTRY IN HOLLAND

The following is a short clipping taken from the 'Commoner' and is part of an article on the thriftiness of Holland. Read this over and when you have finished you will see what the finish is to the business that we are just at present in the beginning of.

The prosperity of the Dutch farmer can scarcely be told except in figures, or similes. When you get into certain sections of Holland you actually see lakes of milk and mountains of yellow cheeses. Really, near Alkmeer, the great cheese market of North Holland, you see such stacks of cheese as in the early days of Nebraska you saw huge yellow corn-piles on the praries in the autumn months. What was once swamps is now drained land, pasturing fine herds of milk-cows, which produce great vats of milk. If all the milk produced in Holland were put into one stream it would make a great river like the Mississippi. If you go to the different farm-houses and dairies of the country you will hear such estimates as "a ton of butter made here daily," "2,000 cheeses made here every day," "3,600 cheeses manufactured in this factory weekly," "ten million gallons of milk used in this factory yearly," etc.

The production of butter rose from 60,000 tons in 1906 to 64,000 in 1910. Here are some figures of the working of a dairy in 1908, in which 77 farmers had shares, with an aggregate of 1,676 cows, making both butter and cheese from milk: Milk received, 1,424,723 gallons; value about \$140,000; percentage of fat in the milk 3.14; average supply per cow, 850 gallons, though much higher records are common. Each cow paid about \$85. The total quantity of cheese made in Holland in 1910 was 84,000 tons. It was exported largely to England, Germany, and Belgium the United States also taking considerable. The establishment of model dairy schools all over the country did much to help the cause along.

Now you very readily see what the Dutch farmer who has to ship his products out of his native country in order to sell them can depend on for his work. If you will figure out the above figures you will see that the 77 farmers owned an average of about twenty one cows apiece and sold to this milk station over eighteen hundred dollars worth of milk and milk products per year. Now think of the same thing happening here. If one hundred farmers here were walking around with a thousand dollars in the bank to their credit what difference there would be in the business of the town and in the feelings of the community at large. We can, why don't we?

any of them so far out west as Denver. In fact we very seldom see a goose of any kind and there has also been a great call for ducks which nobody could supply. These things are rather on the fancy order outside the regular lines of trade and no one can tell in advance whether there will be a demand for them or not.

COME OUT WITH THE INCUBATOR

Why not Make a Few Extra Dollars from the Sale of Eggs and Chickens this Fall

HATCH CHICKENS FOR YOUR NEIGHBOR AND FRIENDS

One Hundred Farmers with 500 Chickens apiece next Fall Means 50,000 Chickens

All things considered, the merits of a good incubator deserves serious consideration this bright new year when an egg ranch is worth as much as a gold mine.

The incubator is not affected by seasons, it broods whenever the lamp is lighted and eggs are put in the tray. Many of our poultrymen consider the incubator superior to hen hatching at any season but this year, when the hens are on a strike, it is especially worth a good trial. The incubator is no longer the hazardous instrument it once was.

Experts have been working on this problem of artificial hatching for some years and as a result there are now on the market several good incubators which of fertile eggs to make such hatching profitable.

With a machine hatching ninety per cent of all fertile eggs the owner of an incubator can make enough in two hatches to pay for his machine and have a liberal profit besides. This is true at any time but this year by reason of the scarcity of poultry and egg two hatches will show a clear profit on an even smaller hatch, besides paying for the machine. Farmers have spent large sums of money in the purchase of labor and time saving machines for their ranches but have given but little consideration to a machine that will enable them to hatch chickens at any time of the year with less trouble than hens require and at the same time keep the biddies laying.

One 100 egg incubator will hatch as many chicks as ten hens and requires only one tenth as much attention. Larger machines will do even better in proportion. Besides this ten hens are kept busy laying and this means at least six eggs a day, or ten dozen for the three

weeks required to hatch a setting of eggs and besides there is the time lost in the brooding the clutch. Ten dozen eggs at forty cents a dozen is \$2.80 that would not have come the hens done the hatching. This egg profit is over and above that coming from the chicks hatched in the incubator. This reads like a pretty strong boost for the incubator manufacturers but we have no interest in any incubator. There are any number of machines on the market which will produce results warranting their purchase and every back yard can become a chicken factory.

The incubator is no longer in the experimental stages. The principle has been tried out and found efficient. Many machines some manufacturers guarantee the hatching ability of their respective incubators. Under these circumstances every farmer who does not already own all the incubators he can manage should look into this question. It is something more than a kid's job however and the fellows who are selling the machines can not deliver the brains with them, and it requires both to make the proposition a success.

There is one incubator plant in Denver Col. that turns out 15,000 chickens in a hatch.

There are many reasons for buying an incubator some little time before it is to be used.

There is likely to be delay in shipment late in the season when all the incubator companies are loaded with business. Railroads also frequently lose shipments and delivery is delayed.

Then an early bought machine can be tried not with a hatch and if the machine does not respond well, there is time to regulate it and adjust any wrong before the busy season starts.

PARENT TEACHERS ASS'N

The Parent Teachers Association have plans perfected for installing a Manual Training Department in the school at once. Donations of cash, tools and material have been subscribed but in no wise sufficient to complete the equipment so all who are interested have the opportunity to assist in this excellent work. There is no greater need

in our school nor in any school than Manual training for the young, teaching the hand keeps both hand and brain at work, and boys who are notoriously lazy in mental work have been known to make wonderful improvement when assisted with this manner of training.

All parents and patrons are earnestly urged to attend the meetings of the Parent Teacher Association where questions pertaining to the welfare of both home and school are welcomed for discussion.

Meetings are held in the school building, first and third Fridays of each month at 2.30 p.m.

METHODIST SERVICES

Services at the Methodist church next Sunday: After a short sermon the sacrament will be administered at the morning hour. The evening subject will be, bible conversion its nature and fruits. You are cordially invited.

Probate Clerk

County of New Mexico
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PORTALES SPRINGS

Health of the community is good in general.

Mr. J. H. Sandifer left last week prospecting.

The party given at Mrs. Turner's on last Saturday evening was well attended and all report a fine time.

School is progressing nicely with Mr. C. S. Peace of Longs New Mex. as teacher.

Earnest H. King who has been away from home for quite a while has returned.

Mr. and Mrs. George Turner who have been living on the B. A. Keene place have returned to their home at Toire New Mex.

There will be a Spelling Bee at the Portales Springs school house every Thursday night. Every one is invited to attend.

Art is in the community looking after his place and trying to trade for more.

Mr. Art Sportsman and family have rented their farm and will make their home in Clovis in the future.

LETTER FROM L. P. JONES

This leaves me at my new home in Lincoln county N. M. Was five and one half days coming from Portales to Paracha. The weather was ideal for moving and I found every thing in good shape on K. C. Ranch. We are well pleased with our new home and this is the best place west of Portales. This ranch is forty five miles west of Roswell and is located in the Hondo valley. The Hondo is a beautiful stream of good clear spring water free from silt and the snow this winter has put twenty inches of moisture in the farm land. Don't think we will have to irrigate before April. Will sow barley and oats as soon as the weather will permit. We get the water out of the Hondo to irrigate with.

Will write again. Success to Herald.

L. P. Jones.

WASE POPCORN

With popcorn so popular an article of consumption as it is, there is no farm in any portion of this belt that should not grow a patch to supply the family needs. Popcorn will do well on any land that produces a good crop of corn.

It should be cultivated and cared for in the same general manner as corn, though it may be planted more closely. It ripens in about 100 days, and it should be shocked as soon as ripe, so that it will dry out well before husking. It will produce from 50 to 60 bushels of ears with a good stand, and this will fetch from \$1 to \$2 per bushel.

Notice of Sale

In the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

The Portales Bank & Trust Co. Plaintiff.

vs.

Bureau & Grace Howard, defendants.

Notice is hereby given that whereas, on Oct. 10th, 1912, the above named plaintiff in the above styled and numbered cause in the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico obtained a judgment and decree against the above named defendants in the sum of the balance due on a certain promissory note executed to plaintiff by defendants amounting to date of judgment in the sum of \$266.13, principal and interest and attorneys fees with twelve per cent per annum interest thereon from date of judgment, Oct. 17th, 1912, until paid, and by said judgment and decree said plaintiff was given judgment of foreclosure foreclosing a certain mortgage of date, March, 5th, 1912, to secure the due payment of said note according to its tenor and effect, same being recorded as page 210 of Record Book 'U' of the records for mortgage deeds of Roosevelt Co., N. M., by which said defendants conveyed to plaintiff the following described lands and premises to-wit: Lot No. 12 in Block No. 22 and Lots Nos. seven, eight, and nine in Block No. 17, all in the town of Portales, Roosevelt Co., N. M., according to the plat of said town on file in the Recorder's office of said county, conditioned for the due payment of said note according to its tenor and effect, same being due thirty days after execution thereof, said mortgage being subject however to a prior mortgage on said premises in favor of John Cook for the sum of \$2000.00 and interest, recorded at page 209 of record book 'U' of the records for mortgage deeds of said county.

And whereas, the amount found to be due in said decree on said note and mortgage remains unpaid and the undersigned was directed by said decree as Special Master to sell said lands and premises with all improvements thereon for the purpose of satisfying said decree, together with all costs of said action and the cost of sale thereof.

Now therefore by virtue of said decree and judgment aforesaid and the authority in me vested, I, Geo. C. Dean, as such Special Master, will at the hour of two o'clock p. m. on the 12 day of Feb. 1913, at the Northeast front door of the courthouse in the town of Portales, Roosevelt Co., N. M. sell said property, to-wit: Lot No. 12 in Block No. 22, all in the town of Portales, Roosevelt Co., N. M. together with all improvements thereon, subject however to the said mortgage in favor of said John Cook, to the highest bidder for cash at public outcry for the purpose of paying said debt and judgment in the sum of \$266.13 with twelve per cent per annum interest thereon from Oct. 10th, 1912, until paid, together with all costs of said action and the cost of sale.

Geo. C. Dean,
Special Master.

NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT

In the District Court of Roosevelt Co., N. M.

Maude Richard, plaintiff.

vs.

Joseph S. Richard, defendant.

The defendant, Joseph S. Richard, will take notice that the above named plaintiff has filed a suit in the District Court of the 3th Judicial District in and for the county of Roosevelt, New Mexico, styled and numbered on the docket of said court as above aforesaid.

The nature and objects of said suit are as follows:

The plaintiff, Maude Richard, sues the defendant, Joseph S. Richard, for an absolute divorce and an annulment of the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between said plaintiff and defendant, on the grounds that said defendant has wholly abandoned, without cause, said plaintiff.

And you the said, Joseph S. Richard, are hereby notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before March, 10th, 1913, judgment will be rendered against you in said cause and the plaintiff be given the relief demanded in her complaint.

I, E. Meares is attorney for the plaintiff and his business and Post Office address is Portales, New Mexico.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said court on this 1st day of Jan., 1913.

C. P. Mitchell, Clerk.

By S. A. Morrison, Deputy.

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Mr. M. E. Myers, an uncle of Doctor Reeds, came in from Blackwell, Oklahoma last Sunday and has been looking over the country with a view to locating if he can find what he wants. He says that he has a brother in Oregon and will go to see him before he buys.

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MRS. MARGIE SMITH, Clerk.



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Chapter No. 28

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fourth Thursday nights at 7:30 p. m. All members are requested to attend.
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COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS

Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners, of Roosevelt County New Mexico, at a regular session thereof, held at the Court house in Portales, New Mexico, on Monday the 6th day of January, 1913

Present: C. V. Harris, Chairman. D. K. Smith, Comm. C. P. Mitchell, Clerk.

Meeting adjourned to meet Tuesday, January 7th, 1913. Tuesday January 7th, 1913; Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment of yesterday.

Present: C. V. Harris, Chairman. S. E. Johnson, Comm. D. K. Smith, Comm. C. P. Mitchell, Clerk.

The minutes of called meeting of November 16th, 1912, read, and ordered approved.

The following business was had, to-wit: All unfinished road business ordered turned over to County Road Board.

Petition to repeal herd law in precinct No. 2 not acted upon on account of insufficient amount of names, same was referred to District Attorney for his opinion.

Butchers Bond of G. H. Atkinson and Company received and approved.

Report of C. M. Dobbs, Inspector of weights and measures, received and approved.

The following accounts were allowed, and warrants ordered drawn in payment of same:

J. E. Morrison, commission on taxes collected, \$14.29.

J. E. Morrison, commission on taxes collected, \$106.98.

W. H. Snel, work on jail, \$0.50.

Thomas M. Despain, Election expense, \$5.00.

Monroe Honea, Election expense, \$2.70.

J. J. Roberts, Election expense, \$2.00.

Geo. V. Johnson, Election expense, \$2.70.

A. T. Monroe, Election expense, \$2.70.

Edgar McMinn, Election expense, \$2.70.

T. J. Molinal, member Registration Board, \$5.00.

H. J. Farnham, member Registration Board, \$5.00.

T. A. Bell & Son, Coal, \$9.00.

Ed. J. Neer, Supplies, \$2.70.

S. E. Johnson, Salary and mileage, 4th Quarter, \$112.25.

R. S. Adams, drayage, \$2.50.

D. K. Smith, Salary and mileage 4th Quarter, \$185.60.

J. C. Compton, Salary and expense 4th Quarter, \$103.00.

C. M. Dobbs, Salary and expense 3rd and 4th Quarter, \$100.00.

Mrs. S. F. Culberson, Office expense 4th Quarter, \$18.00.

Mrs. S. F. Culberson, Salary 4th Quarter, \$375.00.

C. L. Carter, stamps, 1912, \$2.00.

C. V. Harris, Salary 4th quarter, \$100.00.

C. P. Mitchell, Office expense 4th Quarter, \$37.75.

R. M. Sanders, Supplies, \$1.50.

Geo. C. Deen, Board of prisoners and deputy hire 4th Quarter, \$576.75.

W. E. Patterson, Medical services, \$24.00.

J. F. Garmany, medical services, \$6.00.

C. W. Carroll, Janitor services 4th Quarter, \$106.56.

C. V. Harris, Supplies, \$25.85.

Geo. C. Deen, expenses transporting John E. Bray to insane Asylum, \$125.65.

J. F. Garmany, medical services, \$10.00.

H. B. Ryther, printing and job work, \$44.95.

Herald Printing Company, printing and supplies, \$61.00.

Herald Printing Company, printing and supplies, \$192.25.

C. T. Duncan, Constable fees, \$9.50.

John W. George, delivering ballot box, \$2.80.

J. O. Wood, expense of election, \$4.00.

Hardy Hardware Co., supplies, \$1.45.

Martin & Johnston, Supplies, \$1.25.

C. P. Mitchell, balance on machine, \$70.00.

Connally Coal Co., Coal, \$65.60.

C. M. Dobbs, delivering 7 election boxes, \$11.80.

A. I. Kuykendall, work on jail, \$6.45.

Joe Beasley, Member Registration Board, \$5.00.

J. B. Crow, work and supplies at jail and court house, \$13.90.

Kemp Lumber Company, Lumber for jail wind-mill, \$38.44.

A. A. Williams, work on jail, \$54.09.

Meeting adjourned to meet again Wednesday January 8th 1913.

January 8, 1913.

Meeting convened pursuant to adjournment of yesterday, present and presiding as then.

The following accounts were allowed and warrants ordered drawn in payment of same.

J. F. Deguire, work on jail, \$7.57.

I. G. Trimble, work on jail \$16.83.

H. B. Hastings, work on jail \$16.83.

J. B. Crow, tank and work at jail \$80.85.

Ben Wood work at jail \$21.65.

Geo. F. Williams, work at jail, \$64.50.

H. B. Hastings, work on barn at jail, \$4.50.

Kinmons & Van Winkle, lumber for county, \$199.40.

Herald Printing Company, Printing and supplies, \$146.60.

Herald Printing Company, printing, \$11.53.

W. W. Hensley, election expense, \$5.00.

W. W. Van Winkle, election expense, \$3.00.

Fred Maxwell, election expense, \$7.00.

W. Todd, clerk of election, \$2.00.

W. H. Rossion, Judge of election, \$2.00.

Brook Smith, Judge of election, \$2.00.

Ira P. Carlisle, clerk of election and registration board, \$5.00.

J. H. Stovall, member of registration board, \$3.00.

J. A. Murphy, election expense, \$7.20.

J. P. Nash, election expense, \$2.00.

C. T. Gregory, clerk of election, \$2.00.

Town of Portales, water and light for 4th quarter, \$75.00.

S. F. Lane, election expense, \$6.70.

Geo. E. Scott, judge of election, \$2.00.

E. C. Price, election expense, \$5.00.

C. P. Stone, registrar, \$3.00.

G. H. Atkinson, judge of election, \$2.00.

Geo. W. Wilson, registrar, \$3.00.

T. J. Stratton, judge of election, \$2.00.

J. M. Cheshire, Clerk of election w. T. Tolar clerk of election, \$2.00.

W. M. Wilson, judge of election, \$2.00.

Joe Sherman, Registrar, \$3.00.

Lem Miller, clerk of election, \$2.00.

Ezra Watts, clerk of election, \$2.00.

S. F. Anderson, judge of election, \$2.00.

W. L. Anderson, registrar, \$3.00.

J. M. McCormack, expense of election, \$3.90.

Chas. Battle, Judge of election, \$2.00.

John W. McMahon, Clerk of election, \$2.00.

Moses B. Jones, Office expense 4th Quarter and deputy hire, \$270.19.

J. W. Powell, election expense, \$7.15.

F. A. Williamson, Registrar, \$3.00.

Homer King, Election expense, \$2.00.

W. J. Phillips, Judge of election, \$2.00.

T. A. Boone, Clerk of election, \$2.00.

H. T. Hollis, Registrar, \$3.00.

F. G. Blair, Judge of election, \$2.00.

E. G. Williams, election expense, \$3.00.

L. E. Forbes, Judge of election, \$2.00.

F. S. North, election expense, \$2.54.

Chas. E. Toombes, Registrar, \$3.00.

Burl Jhonson, expense of election, \$9.40.

Lewis A. Little, clerk of election, \$2.00.

H. R. Brown, Judge of election, \$2.00.

W. H. Ruby, Judge of election, \$2.00.

John F. Fishback, clerk of election, \$2.00.

C. S. Turner, Registrar, \$3.00.

C. L. Russell, Clerk of election, \$2.00.

B. B. Greathouse, Registrar and Judge of election, \$5.00.

F. M. Smith, Registrar, \$3.00.

James Stinson Registrar and Judge of election, \$5.00.

C. W. Kirkman, judge of election and returning ballot box, \$2.80.

G. E. Glover, judge of election, \$2.00.

J. K. Robertson, judge of election, \$2.00.

F. C. Rackman, judge of election, \$2.00.

J. L. Paxton, judge of election, \$2.00.

E. S. Nelson, judge of election, \$2.00.

J. W. Ballow, clerk of election, \$2.00.

Henry Rankin, registrar, \$3.00.

Z. T. Campbell, registrar, \$3.00.

C. H. Letton, registrar, \$3.00.

E. Eastwood, registrar, \$3.00.

H. C. Spriggs, registrar and judge of election, \$5.00.

J. E. McCall, office expense, \$4.65.

A. E. Jeter, judge of election, \$2.00.

Joyce-Pruit Company, supplies for court house and jail, \$246.93.

A. G. Troutt, Justice of the peace fees, precinct No. 1, 21 10.

G. C. Deen, for taking John E. Bray to the asylum, 100.00.

Humphrey & Sledge, hardware, \$11.15.

T. M. Littlejohn, supplies, 1.75.

Joe Boren, Witness fee justice of peace court, precinct No. 10, \$7.50.

J. L. Fernandes, supplies for jail, \$2.02.

C. M. Dobbs, supplies, \$13.85.

G. A. Bailey, election expense, \$7.50.

Portales Drug Company, supplies, \$2.30.

Portales Drug Company, supplies, \$5.75.

Mrs. S. F. Culberson, payment on machine, \$15.00.

Maude Smith, making tax list, \$25.00.

R. H. Anderson, waiting on small pox case, \$7.50.

C. A. Coffee, burying pauper, \$20.00.

Lee Percifull, expense account of Silas Berry, \$47.00.

J. W. Ballow, expense on Jim Hopkins, \$75.00.

Dorsey Printing Company, blank books, \$25.50.

Geo. D. Barnard & Company, blank books and supplies, \$88.50.

John V. Miller, clerk of election, \$2.00.

Levi R. Jones, judge of election, \$2.00.

A. B. Crane, registrar and clerk of election, \$5.00.

V. J. Campbell, election expense, \$7.00.

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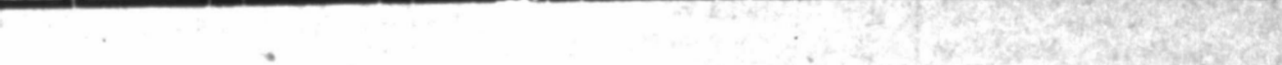
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Oliver Gore, Registrar, 3.00
B. M. McCall, election expense, 8.45
J. F. Morgan, Registrar and Judge of election 5.00
A. L. Denton, Clerk of election 2.00
O. O. Ellett, Registrar and Judge of election 5.00
J. D. Cyphers, Judge of election 2.00
H. N. Easterling, Judge of election 2.00
J. A. Reeves, Registrar and Judge of election 5.00
H. J. Nelson, Registrar and clerk of election 5.00
J. C. Clark, election expense, 8.20
J. E. Deen, election expense 5.40
Joseph W. Dood, clerk of election 2.00
E. C. Cummings, election expense, 5.00
T. A. Higgins, election expense 2.00
J. A. Phillips, Clerk of election, 2.00
Joseph W. Dood, clerk of election, 1911, 2.00
C. W. Diggs, Clerk of election, 2.00
J. A. Wilson, Clerk of election 2.00
J. O. Benson, Registrar and Judge of election, 5.00
A. S. Pearson, Registrar and Judge of election, 5.00
R. W. Moore, election expense 8.16
D. T. Kirby, Registrar, 3.00
Joe Morgan, Registrar, 3.00
J. M. Dryden, Registrar and clerk of election, 5.00
W. J. Morgan, election expense 5.00
A. L. Maberry, Registrar and Judge of election, 1911 & 1912, 8.00
E. A. Williams, election expense 3.38
J. W. William, Registrar and clerk of election, 5.00
J. C. Davis, Registrar and clerk of election, 5.00
A. Jones, Judge of election, 2.00
Leslie Smith, Judge of election 2.00
J. L. Cyphers, Judge of election, 2.00
Clarence S. Greathouse, clerk of election, 2.00
James R. Snock, Registrar and clerk of election, 5.00
J. L. Williams, Registrar and Judge of election, 5.00
L. J. Deatherage, election expense 4.20
G. C. Earnest, clerk of election, 2.00
J. G. Buchanan, Registrar and Judge of election 3.00
J. W. Clifton, election expense, 9.14
W. D. Greathouse, election expense, 2.70
J. T. Turner, election expense 5.30
B. J. Clark, of election, election, 2.00
G. W. Graham, election expense, 2.18
Sam E. Jackson, Judge of election, 2.00
Walter Vanclave, Registrar 3.00
H. P. Hardt, Registrar and clerk of election, 5.00
John Cox, Registrar and Judge of election 5.00
R. Kornegay, election expense, 1.40
J. N. Lambert, election expense, 7.80
Luther Watkins, election expense, 6.00
Jess C. Dodgin, delivering Upton Ballot Box 2.40
John T. Coleman, Judge of election, 2.00
J. W. Rodgers, Clerk of election, 2.00
F. G. Forrest, Registrar 3.00
T. L. Beall, Clerk of election 2.00
Thomas N. Tucker, Registrar 3.00
A. J. Burkett, Clerk of election 2.00
H. E. Dutton, Judge of election, 2.00
J. R. Dutton, Clerk of election 2.00
C. P. Stone, J. P. Fees 11.00
C. P. Stone, holding inquest 5.00
G. W. McGuire, witness fees 2.50
J. D. Smith, witness fees 2.40
Jack Fetherhoff, 1.20
Wiley Tibbets 1.70
J. N. Lambert, witness fees 2.40
H. A. Woollums, witness fees 1.60
E. E. Woollums, witness fees 1.60
D. F. Walker, witness fees 1.30
Ben Robinson, witness fees .90
R. C. Hopping, witness fees 8.40
Henry Reinhardt, witness fees.

17.50.
L. L. Johnson, witness fees 3.80
W. H. Lawrence, witness fees, 2.00
Bond of N. A. Vaughter, as Constable of Precinct No. 10, received and approved.
Report of C. P. Stone Justice of the Peace of precinct No. 10 received and approved.
The Board adjourned until Thursday January 9th, 1913.
Thursday, January 9th, 1913
The Board convened pursuant to adjournment of yesterday, present and presiding as then.
Official Bond of C. L. Carter, as County Surveyor, received and approved.
The Board was instructed by the Assistant District Attorney to prorate all wild animal bounty claims outstanding against Roosevelt County, up to and including December 31, 1912. And upon investigation by the Board, it is found that Roosevelt County can pay forty per cent on the dollar, on all wild animal bounty claims now outstanding, up to and including December 31st, 1912, and the following claims were examined, and approved, and ordered paid, at rate of 40% on each dollar claimed.
W D Kiuts, 6.40.
W R Lewis, 6.40.
Vilah Kyte, .80.
Charlie Anderson, 1.60
Brook Smith, .80
B C McCollum, .80
J M Riley, 6.00
J L Hardy, 7.20
Chas McGregor, .80
Aaron Hawkins, 4.00
Aaron Hawkins, 6.40
Milton & Ira Knighten, 4.80
Milton Knighten, 6.40
S E Johnson, 3.20
J R Sadler, 1.60
R B Strong, .80
Earnest Cavender, 3.20.
Ben Ponder, 8.40.
W E Brown, .80.
J R Sadler, 2.40
F M McDermott, 2.40
Fred Smith, 2.40.
S M Brown, .80.
W L Beavers, 2.40.
Chas B Givens, .80.
J A Hollis, 20.00.
Geo S Murphy, .80.
F M Laster, 2.40.
W R Lowrie, 5.60.
Ira P Carlisle, 10.40.
J L Hill and J R Johnston, .80.
James A Phillips, .80.
R P Turner, 2.40.
I J Sperlin, 4.00.
Tom Crowder, 5.60.
J E Shafer, 12.00.
T F Elkins, .80.
Charlie Anderson, 80.
J H Johnson, 80.
J R Johnson, 3.20.
Ira P Carlisle, 4.80.
Felix C Smith, 80.
E L Kohl, 80.
A A Cribbs, 80.
J C Dodgin, 1.60
J L Hardy, 80
W M Preece, 4.00
J J Wilson, 2.40
L K Terrell, 1.60
Glen Langston, 80
Emanuel Boone, 80
Ben Ponder, 49.20
J H Ashburn, 13.60
I F Riddle, 4.80
W J Cornelius, 80
J L Clark, 80
E M Lasater, 7.60
C I Graves, 80
John Boggs, 12.80
Q A Kaune, 2.40
S M Brown, 80
L S Bilberry, .80
W G Bussey, 14.40
E C Murrell, 6.00
John Boggs, 6.99
W G Bussey, .80
E J Bilberry, 6.40
Charlie Massengale, 80
B C McCollum, 4.80
F Croft, 24.00
E J Cameron, 80
R B Teague, 12.80
T A Tillinghast, 80
J J Swagerty, 4.00
Fred Large, 1.60
M A Parrish, 80
T W Maxwell, 80
John W Anthony, 2.40
E G Wagner, 2.40
Wm Kleeman, 2.40
Wiley Todd, 4.80
A B Cares, 6.40
Jeremiah Roberts, 80
J H Ashburn, 8.00
J A Phillips, 6.80
U N Hall, 1.60
J B Vernon, 80
A M Sanders, 7.20
W G Upton, 80
J J Pinson, 1.60
B F Townsend, 80
L W Fiscus, 1.60
Archie Williams, .80
T A Tillinghast, 4.80
A J Allen, 1.60
Dick McDermott, 80
Claude Anderson, 1.60
J J Pinson, 2.40
Leslie Smith, 80
C A Shafer, 4.00
J T Swope, 80
T A Tillinghast, 80
Charlie Anderson, 80

Fred Smith, 80
A F Pyron, 8.00
C T Battle, 1.60
W R Armitage, 80
Award B B Jones, 80
J M Riley, 80
Robert Berry, 1.60
A J Allen, 80
E J Cameron, 80
W J Baker, 6.40
G T Butler, 80
C M Murrell, 12.00
J L Hardy, 6.00
A F Eggers, 80
A J Allen, 1.60
Myrtle D Richardson, 80
J M Sanders, 1.60
Charlie Anderson, 80
Lodusky Pierce, 4.00
E J Cameron, 80
G B Coleman, 1.60
Erastus Dunlap, 80
C E Davis, 80
D R Kinsey, 1.60
Ervin M Jones, 38.00
Silas McCabe, 80
W C Sayling, 80
W L Swan, 80
B L Clark, 1.60
F L Smith, 1.60
I P Carlisle, 3.20
A Sprtsman, 3.20
B C George, 80
F Croft, 6.80
T E Hunter, 80
W C Sayling, 2.40
W M Preece, 3.20
J A Pipkin, 1.60
Fred M Robertson, 1.60
Ira P Carlisle, 6.40
T M Crowder, 6.40
J A Pipkin, 3.20
John Holland, 80
Alwin Dotson, 2.40
W A Trotter, 80
H D Copeland, 6.00
I P Thomas, 3.20
John L Holly, 1.60
A R Dillon, 80
W D Klutch, 80
E M Jones, 42.00
R Kornegay, 1.60
Rufus Street, 80
T J Mehuron, 80
S E Guillian, 4.00
Will McDaniel, 2.40
Ernest Graves, 80
A Sportsman, 1.60
J M Price, 80
T A Tillinghast, 80
J P Pinson, 4.00
J Cuban, 80
F Croft, 6.80
I F Riddle, 2.40
Walter Rowland, 80
W J Ball, 80
Hngo Kleeman, 8.80
J T Murphy, 4.00
Marion Stinnett, 80
S E Guillian, 80
T A Tillinghast, 80
Mary L Kyle, 7.20
D L Guinn, 1.60
W L Dillon, 8.40
J Roberts Edmondson, 80
A Sportsman, 80
J W Hutton, 14.40
Richard H Meyers, 5.60
B T Allison, 7.20
A R Self, 80
Monroe Woody, 1.60
Hobart Sadler, 2.40
H R Horn, 7.20
J L Holly, 12.80
J C Davis, 1.60
John Boggs, 1.60
A J Allen, 8.00
Wm Kleeman, 5.60
Ira P Carlisle, 1.60
Ira P Carlisle, 5.60
Ira P Carlisle, 2.40
N C Howell, 2.40
W J Watson, 1.60
O C Clifton, 5.60
J A Holland, 80
J C Thurman, 80
R H Grissom, 1.60
N C Howell, 2.40
J B Turner, 4.00
SH Stevenson, 80
G T Clark, 80
J E Black, 80
J C Thurman, 80
T A Tillinghast, 80
W H Nicklas, 2.40
I S Bewley, 4.80
M A Dupuy, 80
W W Robertson, 80
W H Nicklas, 80
William Tinsley, 6.00
C E Venable, 4.00
J C Thurman, 80
John R Stephenson, 4.80
Joe McGregor, 5.60
T A Tillinghast, 2.00
W H Howell, 21.60
S A Corbin, 1.60
W G Upton, 80
A J Allen, 80
W D Klutch, 80
G H Newcomb, 80
A A Cribbs, 2.40
A Oneal, 80
D L Guinn, 9.80
J A Phillips, 80
Clarence S Greathouse, 13.60
J J Williams, 1.60
A J Allen, 80
O N Miller, 80
W E Shepherd, 80
J E Nash, 80
J A Phillips, 8.40
F Croft, 5.60
George Albert, 3.20
A B Cares, 8.00
J D Trogmorton, 80
J J Williams, 80
Joe Cox, 80

A Sprtsman, 1.60
D L Guinn, 19.60
It is ordered that the Board adjourn to Saturday January 18th, 1913.
Saturday January 18th, 1913, Board met pursuant to adjournment of January 9th; Present:
C V Harris, Chairman,
D K Smith, Commissioner
C P Mitchell, Clerk.
The following accounts were allowed and warrants drawn for same:
J E Phillips, Judge of election, 2.00
C H Thompson, Registrar, 3.00
Arthur Littlejohn, Registrar 3.00
S A Fry, Registrar and Judge of election, 5.00
Milton Lowe, Registrar, 3.00
Ben Hall, Registrar and Judge of election, 5.00
Otis Johnson, Judge of election, 2.00
J W Ross, Clerk of election 2.00
The board rose as a board of county commissioners, and sat as a canvassing board; for the purpose of canvassing the different precinct election returns held in Roosevelt county New Mexico, Monday January 13th, 1913, when the following results were declared to wit:
Precinct No 1, J P Henderson, Justice of the Peace, B B Clayton, Constable.
Precinct No 2, Edgar Savage, Justice of the Peace, Lee Percifull, Constable.
Precinct No 3, S A Fry, Justice of the Peace.
Precinct No 9 R G Carty, J P and Jerry Spencer, Constable.
Precinct No 10, C P Stone, J P and M A Vaughter, Constable
Precinct No 13, R C Houston, J P and M S Rodgers, Constable
Precinct No 15, G W Jones, J P
Precinct No 18, A B Crane, J P and Charlie Funn, Constable
Precinct No 20, M A Golston, J P
Precinct No 21, J A Wilson, J P and A S Pearson, Constable
Precinct No 22, A L Maberry, J P and E P Russell, Constable.
Precinct No 24, Henry W Jones J P and Leslie Smith Constable.
Precinct No 25 W W Hensley, J P and Tom A Higgins, Constable.
Precinct No 27, W H Vanclave J P and B J Cook, Constable.
Precinct No 5 on account of irregularities, no election declared.
Precinct No 12, report no election held.
No reports received from the following precincts, No. 4, 6, 7, 8, 11, 14, 16, 17, 19, 23, 26, and 28.
The Board rose as a Board of canvassers and sat as a board of commissioners, when the following business was had, to wit:
Bond of B B Clayton, as Constable, for Precinct No 1, received and approved.
It is the order of the District Attorney that the warrants heretofore issued to Herald Printing Company and H B Ryther, to wit: January 8 1913, Herald Printing company, \$192.25 and \$61.00 and H B Ryther \$41.95 be held until overcharge for publication, of the tax lists for Roosevelt county, for the years 1908, 1909 and 1910 is paid.
Whereas, now comes by written application duly filed, the following named persons, and ask for certain rebates, refunds and readjustments of taxes for reasons as set forth in said application as follows, to wit:
D P Boyles, 180.00 from valuation of property for year 1912, on account of excessive assessment, 180.00 at 4.75 per hundred 8.55
W H Swank, 240.00 from valuation of property for year 1912, on account of proof on Northwest Quarter Section 22, Township 3 South, Range 34 East, being rejected: 240.00 at 4.75 per hundred, 11.40
G W Robertson, 66.00 from valuation of property for the year 1912, not allowed any exemption as head of family, should have been exempt property to the amount of 66.00 at 5.00 per hundred 3.30
W M Reynolds, 73.00 from valuation of property for the year 1912 was assessed with lot 3 in Block 19 in Portales and 40.00 improvements on same, when it belonged to another party, 73.00 at 8.25 per hundred 6.02
C W Carroll, 60.00 from valuation of property for the year 1912, improvements on Lot 3 Blk 19 in Portales, was assessed at 100.00, was only worth 40.00; 60.00 at 8.25 per 100, 4.95.
D L Clark, 200.00 from valuation of property for the year 1911, exemption as head of family not heretofore allowed, asks for rebate on property of value of 200.00 at 4.75 per hundred 9.50
Sam J Nixon, 200.00 from val-

uation of property for year 1911, exemption as head of family not heretofore allowed, asks for rebate on property of the value of 200.00 at 7.50 per hundred 14.80.
T D Lewis, 440.00 from valuation of property for the year 1912, N E 1/4 Sec 28, Twp 1 North Range 36 east, assessed as deeded land, is not deeded, assessed at 240.00, improvements on same assessed at 400.00 only worth 200.00, ask for rebate on property to the value of 440.00 at 4.75 per hundred 20.90.
Mrs E M Dehoney, from valuation of property for the year 1912 117.00, lots in Armstrong Addition to Elida, assessed at 147.00, only worth 80.00 at 5.25 per hundred 6.15.
Ed Dickens, 240.00 from valuation of property for the year 1912, was assessed with 320 acres of land, only 160 patented, \$240.00 @ \$4.75 per hundred 11.40 asks that above amount be released from 1912 rolls.
J B Sledge, Trustee for M E Church South, Erroneous assessment for lots 1 and 2 Block 39 year 1909, 4.98
A A Beeman, 195.00 from valuation of property for year 1912, exemption as head of family not heretofore allowed, 195 dollars at 5.25 per hundred 10.24
Arthur Britton, 240 dollars from valuation of property for the year 1912, was assessed with 160 acres of land that was not deeded, 240 dollars at 4.75 per hundred 11.40.
O M Clevenger, 65 dollars from valuation of property for the year 1912, was assessed 50 dollars for broke land and improvements on same 20 dollars only worth about 5.00 ask ask for rebate on 65 dollars at 4.75 per hundred, 3.05.
W A Manes, 240 dollars from valuation of property for year of 1912, was assessed with 160 acres of land on which proof was turned down, asks for rebate on 240 dollars valuation at 4.75 per hundred 11.40
D A Ferguson 80 dollars from valuation of property for the year 1912 on account of erroneous assessment, lots assessed on subject to tax, ask for rebate on valuation of 80 dollars at 6.40 per hundred 5.12.
A J Savage, 130 dollars from valuation of property for the year 1912, on account of excessive and unequal valuation, asks for rebate on valuation of 130.00 at 4.75 per hundred 6.17
J N Black, 240.00 from valuation of property for the year 1912, assessed with 160 acres of deeded land, has never made proof, asks for rebate on valuation of 240.00 at 4.75 per hundred, 11.40
Mrs E Wallace, 20.00 from valuation of property for the year 1912, was assessed with lot 4 Block 14 Elida, did not own same, asks for rebate on valuation of 20.00, per hundred, 98 cents.
J C Lovelady 240.00 from valuation property for 1912, was assessed with 320 acres deeded, only hundred & sixty A. deeded asks for rebate on valuation of 240.00 at 4.75 per hundred 11.40
G C Brock, \$100.00 from valuation of property for the year 1912, was assessed with improvements on lots in Bogard Addition had no improvements; \$100.00 at 8.25 per hundred, \$8.22
D McLeMores, double assessment on property for years 1909 and 1910, paid on by C V Harris and D McLeMores same years, asks for rebate \$16.58.
T J Elles, \$200.00 from valuation of property for the year 1912, exemption as head of family not heretofore allowed; \$200.00 at 4.75, asks for rebate of 9.50
W T Covington, 120.00 from valuation of property for the year 1912, excessive assessment, ask for rebate on 120.00 at 5.25 per hundred 6.30
A P McDonald, 200.00, land was proved up on and rendered as patented land, and afterwards was turned down, and has not been proved up on yet, asks for rebate on 1912 tax of 11.40
Emerson Leland, 240.00 from valuation of property for the year 1912 land was assessed as deeded land for year 1912, and proof was not made on same until June 1912, 240.00 at 4.75 per hundred 11.40
Minnie Barlow, 240.00 from valuation of property for the year 1912, was assessed as deeded land, proof was not made until after March 1912, asks for rebate on 240.00 at 4.75 per hundred 11.40
T E Landers, 270.00 from valuation of property for year 1910, land was assessed as deeded land for year 1910, proof not made until August, 1912 270.00, asks for rebate of 11.85, 1910 tax paid

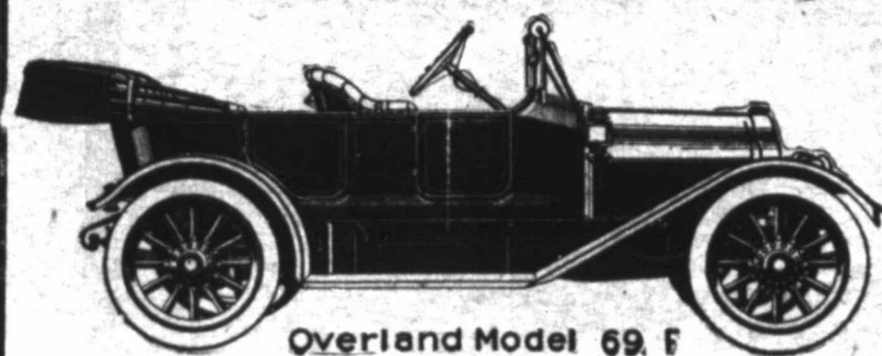
J P Firth, 1026.00 from valuation of property for the year 1912, was assessed with 630 lots first add to taiban valued at \$260.00 and 160 acres of land 340.00, only owns 120 acres, asks for rebate on 1026.00 at 4.75 per hundred 48.73
A G Wicker, 60.00 from valuation of property for the year 1911, exemption as head of family not heretofore allowed, 60.00 at 4.40, per hundred 2.64.
W A Turner, was assessed with 200.00 there was no improvement on lots, 200.00 at 7.40 per hundred 14.80 first half was left off tax receipt only asks for rebate on 100.00, 7.40.
E R King, 240.00 from valuation of property for year 1912, land not proved up on, 240.00 at 4.75 per hundred, 11.40.
R Kornegay, on account of double assessment for year 1910, 14.82, and for year 1911, 18.05 asks rebate of 27.87
And that all penalties in each of the above cases be remitted.
It is the order of the Board of County Commissioners after consideration of all facts, that the foregoing parties be allowed exemptions as heretofore set out, and that the District Attorney, apply to said District Court for order correcting and allowing same in conformance with this resolution
No further business appearing, it is ordered that the Board do now adjourn until next regular meeting unless sooner convened by call of the chairman
Attest Signed
C. P. Mitchell, C. V. Harris
Clerk, Chairman.
PLEASANT VALLEY NOTES
We are having school again after two weeks vacation on account of sickness of the teacher.
Mr. W. A. Manes and family spent Sat. and Sun. with relatives at Causey.
Grover Burks moved his house to his brother's place last week.
S. L. Ison purchased a pair of mares last week.
B. H. Wilson hauled off seven loads of broom corn last week.
L. V. Brown returned from Texas a few days ago with a load of hogs.
We understand that Doc. Hen sley has purchased the Fred Renner place.
W. B. Hensley came near losing a valuable mule a short-time ago, from getting a foot cut on the wire.
We are glad to say we are not going to lose our store and Post Office at Givens.
Mr. King and family are back home again from Okla.
There was no S.S. at the Valley Sunday on account of the high winds.
We are glad to see some inducements to kill rabbits as to my mind they are more destructive than coyotes.
Come on fellow correspondents lets push our pen and help our new editor to make our paper the best in Roosevelt county.
TEACHERS ASSOCIATION
Roosevelt county teachers association meets at Taiban Feb. 21st and 22nd. All teachers are urged to be present.
FOR SALE—3 year old Durham Bulls for sale. Good size, ready service.
See A. J. Smith.
Bring your hides to the City Meat Market.
FOR SALE OR TRADE:—80 acres land in the shallow water belt, six miles of Portales. Will trade for stock. W. H. Parker, Ft. Sumner, New Mexico.
Bring your windmill and pump troubles to MARTIN & JOHNSON
When you think insurance Think Corhn Bros.
Get your bone meal for your chickens at City Meat Market.
Wanted—Good sound mules from 2 to 7 years old, weather permitting will be in Portales trades-day Monday February 3rd.
Lindley & Doughton
Vassar chocolates make the heart grow fonder.—At Dobb's

A Newspaper man says its Peculiar about these COAL FAMINES and wants a REMEDY to PREVENT them. BUY your COAL NEXT SUMMER when PRICES are LOW and "THERE'LL BE NO FAMINES."

ASK CONNALLY COAL KOMPANY

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Reduce the cost of high living by trading with The Racket Store. Connally Coal company has choice Alfalfa, Millet and Sorghum hay for sale. Phone 3.



Overland Model 69 F

SHE'S AN OVERLAND

We will Demonstrate any time

Come and see her or watch her smoke on the Streets. We are always pleased to see your Smiling face in our office and old time. You are always welcome and we appreciate your patronage. We still carry the same line of Oils, Gases, Batteries, Tires and supplies.

Overland Auto Company
L. W. FISCUS, Manager.

We have thrown our books away, bring Cash from now on.
THIS MEANS YOU

PORTALES BANK AND TRUST COMPANY

Capital Stock, \$25,000.00.
Surplus, 5,000.00.
Resources, 100,000.00.

Portales, New Mexico

Aquaintance and Confidence

People doing business together, especially financial business, must have confidence in each other.

You wouldn't loan money to anybody on ten minutes' acquaintance. :: :: :: ::

Your confidence in people grows on acquaintance; it's the same with this bank. † :: ::

We want to be in position to loan money when needed to responsible borrowers. There is no better way to establish an acquaintance than to start an account with this bank. :: :: ::

Now is a good time to begin. :: :: ::

G. M. Williamson, Pres. T. E. Mears, Vice-Pres.
Arthur F. Jones, Cashier.

Directors—G. M. Williamson, T. E. Mears, A. F. Jones,
R. M. Sanders, C. V. Harris

SEEDS

Garden Field and Flower Seed. Vegetable Plants.
ROSWELL SEED COMPANY

15-117 SO. MAIN - ROSWELL, N. M.
"SEED ADAPTED TO THE SOUTH-WEST"
ASK FOR CATALOGUE AND PRICE LIST. POULTRY AND BEE-KEEPERS' SUPPLIES.

SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT

Remember second and fourth grade entertainment Friday night at the Cozy.

ATTENTION W. O. W.

All woodmen are requested to be present Monday night Feb. 3rd. Special work.

G. W. Carr, Clerk.

Bring your hides to the City Meat Market

DON'T FAIL TO ATTEND THE BIG GET-TOGETHER MEETING SATURDAY



"This is My Choice of Duke's Mixture Presents"

Among the many valuable presents now given away with Liggett & Myers Duke's Mixture there is something to suit every taste—and in this all-pleasing satisfaction the presents are exactly like the tobacco itself. For all classes of men like the selected Virginia and North Carolina bright leaf that you get in

Liggett & Myers
Duke's Mixture

Now this famous old tobacco will be more popular than ever—for it is now a Liggett & Myers leader, and is equal in quality to any granulated tobacco you can buy.

If you haven't smoked Duke's Mixture with the Liggett & Myers name on the bag—try it now. You will like it, for there is no better value anywhere.

For so you get one and a half ounces of choice granulated tobacco, unsurpassed by any in quality, and with each sack you get a book of cigarette papers FREE.

Now About the Free Presents

The coupons now packed with Liggett & Myers Duke's Mixture are good for all sorts of valuable presents. These presents cost you not one penny. This list includes not only

smokers' articles—but many desirable presents for women and children—fine fountain pens, umbrellas, cameras, toilet articles, tennis racquets, catcher's gloves and masks, etc.

As a special offer during December and January only, we will send you our new illustrated catalogue of presents FREE. Just send name and address on a postal.



Coupons from Duke's Mixture may be secured with tags from HORSE SHOES, T. TINSLEY'S NATURAL LEAF GRANGER TWIST, coupons from FOUR ROSES, (10-100 double coupons), PEE PLUS CUT, WEDGWOOD CIGARETTES, CLIX CIGARETTES, and other tags or coupons issued by us. Premium Dept. Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co. St. Louis, Mo.

Notice to Poll Tax Payers

POLL TAX FOR 19.....

..... School District No. County, New Mexico.

Below is a list of persons liable for the payment of a poll tax in School District No. County, New Mexico. All able-bodied men over the age of twenty-one shall pay a poll tax of one dollar in the school district in which they live. The law makes no limit to age over twenty-one.

Every cent of poll tax collected here is placed to the credit of this school district; therefore, any attempt to avoid payment of same is an attempt to defraud the school children of this district of their just dues. However, it is our intention to see that every poll tax is collected this year. Poll tax should be collected before the first Monday in April, but can be collected any day in the year should it for some reason, not have been collected at the proper time. The clerk of the school board is the proper one to collect the poll tax and give receipt for same. He may go from house to house and collect if he wishes, but the law does not require him to do this—each man should, if necessary, carry or send his poll tax to the clerk.

The law requires the clerk, on or before the first Monday of April, to deliver to the County Treasurer..... One Dollar for each of the names below, unless some have not paid, then he is to make a certified statement to the County Superintendent, giving the names of those who are delinquent and reason for said delinquency. He (the clerk) must also deliver the names of these delinquents to the Justice of the Peace for collection and when this is done, a fine is always attached. If some have failed to pay their poll tax for the past year or for the past two or three years, it should be paid at this time. "No property shall be exempt from execution in suits for the collection of poll taxes."—Sec. 1549, page 69, Laws of 1909.

Persons who moved into the district after the posting of this notice, but have not paid their 1911 poll tax elsewhere, are liable for a poll tax in this district.

The clerks of the various districts are under oath and bond for the faithful performance of their duties and they will be expected to report to the Justice of the Peace, all delinquents if there be such on the first Monday of April. Let this be our motto: "Every 1912-13 poll tax collected in..... County by the first Monday in April."

County Superintendent of Schools.

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Signed by Clerk of District.....

NOTE.—On the first Monday in February, clerk of school board should post one or more of these notices in the district, forward one to the county superintendent and reserve one for his own use. On or before the first Monday in April, make another report to county superintendent and mark opposite each name, either paid or delinquent as the case may be and give reasons for delinquency.

YEAR BOOK of Stark Bro's Nurseries & Orchards Co. MAILED TO YOU FREE

Just say on a Postal Card: "Send me a copy of Stark Year Book for 1913." When writing, also tell us how many trees, shrubs, vines, etc., you will probably plant this season.

This Year Book is more than a mere catalogue of Stark nursery products; it is a practical, easy to understand text book for the guidance of the man who plants trees. Our own experience of nearly 100 years, the reports of experiment stations and the opinions of planters from all sections are condensed and reproduced for the benefit of busy people. An encyclopedia of orchard information, containing full size color illustrations of gloriously tinted fruits and many photographic reproductions in black and white; also information on many subjects in which the orchardist is interested.

Hundreds of varieties of apples, pears, peach, plum, cherry, apricot, quince, grape and all small fruits are described; weaknesses of each variety are pointed out and good points are explained. We feel that planters should know both.

Those interested in growing fruits or flowers or shrubs or shade trees will find this book of inestimable value; totally different from the average nurseryman's publications. It is a book you will keep for reference, and one on which you can depend as being absolutely accurate. Write today for your copy.



STARK BRO'S
Nurseries & Orchards Co.
LOUISIANA, MO.

20 per cent off on all Jewelry for the NEXT 30 DAYS

Full line of Fresh Drugs and Toilet articles. Drug Sundries of all kind carried in stock as formerly. CALL AND SEE ME

Portales Drug Co.
S. A. Morrison, Mgr.

GET-TOGETHER

Why not? This is the time we need your business. And we're making some startling prices especially on ready to wear goods for ladies and men. We pride ourselves on our ability to fit you out from head to foot. We carry the best line in this part of the country, at prices that are as low as consistent with the high quality of merchandise we handle. Our new spring goods are coming in day by day, let us show you.

JOYCE-FRUIT COMPANY

WE WANT YOUR TRADE

Special Prices

- 18lbs. Sugar 1.00
- 3 cans 15 c. Hominy 25c
- 15 c. package Oats 10c
- 35 c. Pkg. Coffee 25c
- All 50 cent Syrup 45c
- All 75 cent Syrup 65c
- Fast Mail Flour 2.50 cwt
- Diamond K Flour 275 cwt

No Room
for more
Prices but
special sale
through-
out store.

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& Co.
Portales Gro-
cery Company.

HUMPHREY & SLEDGE

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REDUCED
PRICES ON
EVERYTHING
IN STORE
Will Smith

N. C. LANDERS & CUNNINGHAM

Want you to call and get measured for that new spring suit. Suits made in the latest prevailing styles and all wool material for \$12.50 up. Also cleaning and Pressing while you wait.

Special today first 3 Suits for \$12.00

NEXT DOOR TO PORTALES HOTEL

Coupon here good for 50 cents on subscription to Herald.

SPECIAL SALES SATURDAY FEB. 1st.

Any purchase of over \$1.00 from any of these firms is good for 25c on subscription to the Portales Herald or any of its clubbing offers if used today

...Get the signed coupon at each store...

American Block Coal

THE COAL

Connally Coal Co.
Phone 3

Warren-Fooshee & Co

PORTALES
THE HOME OF GOOD GOODS

Spring Hats

Our spring stock of Jno. B. Stetson hats are now on display. All the new shapes and styles.

Walk-Over Shoes

Our spring line of Walk-Over shoes and low cuts have arrived and are now at your service. All the new leathers and shapes.

Star Brand Shoes

We have a big line of new Star Brand shoes to show you. Just received our spring stock for men, ladies and children.

Ginghams

New Spring Ginghams. Red Seals in the new patterns and designs.

Spring Linens

Our Spring linens in white colors and the brown just in and await your inspection.

Woolens & Suiting

Our stock of woolen and suitings are now in transit and will be on display in a few days.

New goods are coming in every week. Don't fail to see us for anything in dry goods.

Warren-Fooshee & Company

"The Home of Good Goods"

See Hardy Hardware Co.

For Everything Special

ALL DAY SATURDAY 20 PER CENT
DISCOUNT ON ALL DRY GOODS IN
STORE. CASH ONLY. : : :

C. V. HARRIS

10 lbs. Crusto Lard - - - \$1.10	3 lb. can of Apples 3 for - - .25
10 lbs. Cottolene - - - 1.25	7 Pkgs. Rub No More - - .25
25 ozs. K. C. Baking Powder - .20	2 lbs. Victor Kraut 3 cans for - .25
25 ozs. B. Baking Powder - .20	3 cans Pie Peaches - .25
3 lb. can Wapco Tomatoes - .10	3 lb. Bucket Target Coffee - .90
3-2 lb. cans Corn - - - .25	Farmer Jones Syrup - .50

The Racket Store

Ladies Union Suits \$1.65 @ 1.50 Now \$1.50 @ 1.45
Mens Union Suits \$1.20 Now 1.10
Mens Two Piece Union Suits \$1.00 Now 90cts.
Overshoes Cut Price.

The Portales Drug Co.

JEWELRY
SILVERWARE
AND ETC.

at 20 per ct.
Discount

ALWAYS CARRY A
FRESH AND CLEAN
STOCK OF DRUGS.

"The Accommodating Druggists"

PAINTS AND OILS

The Local Field

Superintendent R. A. Deen of the public schools, was exhibiting to his many friends Monday morning the small sheepskin that designates to the people of the state of New Mexico that he is given permission to teach anywhere in the state of New Mexico for his entire lifetime. In words he has been given a life certificate to teach in the schools of New Mexico. No one can receive a higher certificate than this in this state and we are proud of our superintendent. The certificate was signed by Governor McDonald and Alvin White respectively.

There has been an inspector of milk cattle in the community for the past few weeks and he seems to be finding few cattle that are not in good condition so far as health is concerned. He has killed two or three but it seems to us that if your family is drinking the milk from a tubercular cow that it would be better to kill her than to kill your family so no one need have any fear of the inspector bothering them unless he has a cause. Prints at 4c at C. V. Harris Saturday. All else in proportion.

W. F. Hurd, the continental oil man, was in the city Monday in the interests of his business in this district.

W. F. Faggard made a business trip to Clovis this week, Monday. Will has put in a grocery at Clovis and went up to see how it was getting along as well as to tend to other business.

Jno. B. Stetson raw edge hats for \$4.00 at C. V. Harris Saturday for cash.

For Trade—Improved 120 acre farm three and one half miles of Eureka Springs, Arkansas for farm near Rogers, New Mexico.

C. M. Pendergraft, Kiowa, Kansas.

F. E. Turner, the Racket Store man went to Roswell Sunday and will be back the last of the week.

Get your bone meal for your chickens at City Meat Market.

Mr. Hunker, of Las Vegas, representing the Aetna building and loan association was in the city for several days last week. He was here in interests of his company.

Here is a woman who speaks from personal experience, viz., Mrs. P. H. Brogan, Wilson, Pa., who says, "I know from experience that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is far superior to any other. For croup there is nothing that excels it." For sale by all dealers.

When you want your suit neatly cleaned and pressed—Phone N. C. Landers & Co. No. 7 and you will have their prompt and careful service. We also make a specialty of cleaning and pressing ladies skirts.

J. H. McMahon, the superintendent at Clovis, was in the city Saturday night in the interests of the new depot that is going in here.

Reduce the cost of high living by trading with The Racket Store.

Bring your hides to the City Meat Market.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Ward go to Roswell this week to be gone for several days.

MARTIN & JOHNSON are the pump doctors. Consult them.

WANTED:—One or two sows, with or without pigs. Address S. M. Grinstead, R. F. D. No. 1, Elida, New Mexico, stating kind and price. (Adv. 11-8-1)

Dan Vinson was an Elida visitor last week, being down there for several days.

A. M. Lumpkin, the noted platformer lecturer and a Portales booster and land owner came in last week to spend about a month here and in the neighboring country looking after the ranch and farm property holdings that he has.

Vassar chocolates make the heart grow fonder.—At Dobb's Bring your hides to the City Meat Market.

Sick headache is caused by a disordered stomach. Take Chamberlain's Tablets and correct that and the headache will disappear. For sale by all dealers.

H. C. Peterson made a flying trip to the Yellow House ranch last week remaining there about two days.

FOR SALE:—Lots 8 and 9 block six Portales. Will sell reasonable. Address V. B. Larkin, Slater, Missouri.

Bring your hides to the City Meat Market.

Evangelist House was in the city the better part of last week having a great deal of work done and sent out from here. He came from his meetings at Hagerman and left Saturday.

If you have young children you have perhaps noticed that disorders of the stomach are their most common ailments. To correct this you will find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets excellent. They are easy and pleasant to take, and mild and gentle in effect. For sale by all dealers.

Marvin Littlejohn is now in active service in the employ of the postal service. Marvin went from here to El Paso and was then returned and put on as substitute on the run from Amarillo to Carlsbad. He spent last Saturday on his lay off here with his family.

FOR SALE OR TRADE:—80 acres land in the shallow water belt, six miles of Portales. Will trade for stock. W. H. Parker, Ft. Sumner, New Mexico.

Presiding elder W. H. Cochran of the Methodist church, was in the city last Saturday and Sunday and preached two good sermons at the Methodist church Sunday morning and evening.

Bring your windmill and pump troubles to MARTIN & JOHNSON

Bring your hides to the City Meat Market

When you think insurance Think Corhn Bros.

Just think of it, you can get a perfect made to measure suit for only \$14.00 at N. C. Landers & Co.

Drs. Presley and Swearingen of Roswell are in the city this week and are waiting on several patients.

Cognally Coal company has choice Alfalfa, Millet and Sorghum hay for sale. Phone 8.

Get your bone meal for your chickens at City Meat Market.

Wanted—Good sound mules from 2 to 7 years old, weather permitting will be in Portales trades-day Monday February 3rd.

Lindley & Doughton

PLANT Sterling Brand TESTED SEEDS

PROVEN IN OUR
OWN LABORATORY
FARMERS SUPPLY COMPANY
ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO

1913 PRICE LIST FOR THE ASKING

Frank Beard has just returned from a short trip to Stafford Kansas and you ought to see that smile that wont come off. He was the most tickled man that you ever met when on his return to the country that he was raised in he could see the difference in this and that country. Frank says that we have the best proposition that he has ever seen and that he would not give what he owns here for what he had to pay for it and then have to go back to the country that he came from. He also said that he wanted to let the people know that they did have a good thing and that a great many of them did not seem to know it. Cheer up is his word and go to work.

For Sale or Trade — Three Model F Buicks and one Maxwell. All good, rebuilt five passenger touring cars. Will sell or trade for cattle, sheep or hogs. Call at Garage and look them over.

Vaughan Auto & Trans. Co. There will be no personal checks accepted out of the county on accounts or taxes.

Mose B. Jones, Treasurer.

Mr. G. W. Alexander who came in with his family from Rocky Ford, Colorado last week is moving in the Twigg's home in the west part of town.

Dan Vinson left Sunday for Rocky Ford, Colorado to close up some land deals that he has just finished. Dan would give out no information for certain until the deals are closed.

E. S. Owens arrived the last of last week from Rocky Ford, Colorado to develop the place he has bought west of town. Mr. Owens came through overland and had quite a time coming through the big snows of Colorado.

There will be no personal checks accepted out of the county on accounts or taxes.

Mose B. Jones, Treasurer.

NOTICE

The Organ contest that was started last week by the Herald will not be continued until further notice. Please take no notice of the particulars of same which were given in last weeks issue.

FOR SALE

String of ten unencumbered lots in good Oklahoma town to exchange for something in or about portales for a home, giving or receiving any difference without fancy values. P. O. Box 512, Amarillo, Texas. 10-11-11.

FARMERS

The greatest need of the Portales Valley to-day is farmers. Not different farmers, or better farmers, but more farmers. True, there is much of this undeveloped land that cannot be developed until more wells are developed, but there is also much that might now be developed, land that is being held for sale by those who cannot themselves develop it, and who cannot sell for the lack of buyers. The permanent prosperity of the Valley and Portales will only be assured by the extensive cultivation of every foot of available land. This takes more farmers. It is right to talk a bout creameries, alfalfa mills, canning factories, etc., these things are all good and will come in time. But the more farmers we get in the Valley the sooner these other things will follow.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

CASSADY'S FARM

In a short visit with young Mr Battenfield last Saturday the editor realized that it was only a matter of a short time until there would be another Battenfield in the community that would be as good a booster and worker as his father is at present.

Young Mr. Battenfield stated that he had been helping Mr. Cassady, their near neighbor on the west most of the winter and stated that Mr. Cassady was doing the farm up in good shape.

After getting the water flowing over the best part of his farm he began to set out fruit trees and at present has just finished putting out several hundred trees. He has gone into the peach business stronger than any one else so far and has put out this winter and last fall over five hundred peach trees.

Besides the five hundred peaches he has put out about three hundred apples and several hundred cherries, apricots, plums and other fruits.

All of these trees were put out in the most modern manner and there will possibly be no loss in all the of the trees that were put out.

Mr. Cassady after getting his orchard and pump working began work on a three room modern bungalow and is just finishing the same this week. He will put most of his farm into alfalfa and fruit and raise a small amount of truck, principally cantaloupes.

If we could get one hundred more farmers who would do exactly what Mr. Cassady has done, the land around Portales would increase more in the next two years than it has in the past two and that would then make it worth more than one hundred dollars per acre for raw land.

We have the soil and the water, why not the people? One reason is too many knockers.

Want to trade 80 acres farming and near Buffalo, Missouri, for Portales Valley land.

A. G. Troutt.

Portales Steam Laundry Patronize Home Industry

CLEANING AND PRESSING
DONE NEATLY AND
ON TIME

H. C. McCallum DRAY LINE

All kinds of Hauling done on Short Notice. Orders left at the hardware store of Humphrey & Sledge will receive my prompt attention, and your patronage will be appreciated

Telephone Number 104

YOU NEED TELEPHONE SERVICE

JUST AS THE ROOF PROTECTS, AS THE FIRE CHEERS, AS THE DOOR OPENS TO FRIENDS, TO SHOPS, TO YOUR OWN COMING AND GOING,—SO DOES THE TELEPHONE IN ITS ALMOST HUMAN ACTION PROTECT, CHEER, AND CARRY YOU TO OTHERS OR BRING THEM TO YOU—

CALL NUMBER SIX AND ASK ABOUT THE RATE



THE MOUNTAIN STATES TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY

To the Farmers, Truckman, Gardeners, and Florists of West Texas and New Mexico

On or before February 1st I expect to have the largest and best collection of seed ever placed under one roof in West Texas. I will also have machinery to grade, separate, clean and test all kind of seed no matter what specie it may be. I have given many years to the practical study of seed selection. When a mere boy, I worked with father, who, like myself, gave his life to this great problem. These problems I have solved, not because I am smarter than other men, but because I have given my time to seed selection. Every man has his hobby. My hobby is seed selection; I think it, talk it; preach it and dream about it. Whatever I have learned that's useful I willingly pass on to any person that is interested.

Back of every seed we sell there is honor. We buy them of seedmen who grow them and have a world-wide reputation for producing the highest grade seed that can be produced. How can you ever expect good crops without good seed? How could this country ever hope to whip a big European nation if we let weak, crippled, sickly men enlist in the United States army along with the able-bodied men? No General would consent to go to battle with an army that's half weaklings. Now you are a general—either as a farmer, gardener, truckman or florist. At your command we will furnish the soldiers that will win the battles for you; no sickly ones, no crippled ones, no traitorous ones that creep in among the strong; everyone a good, big, plump, sound one.

Bring in that seed book which you had sent you through the mails and compare our prices; we will duplicate all list prices, and then save you mail postage of 8 cents per pound. Our grain grader, cleaner and separator will be here next week. Come in and we will demonstrate to you the importance of its use. Think of it! A machine that at one single operation cleans, grades and separates grain perfectly! Just pour in your conglomerated grain dirt, dust, weed seed, etc., etc., and in less than you can say "Jack Robinson" out it comes—weed seed in one box, screenings in another box, chaff and dust all gone, and your big, fine, clean, graded seed all bagged ready for use—not a weed seed in it; every grain a good, heavy, clean seed. From such seed your crop will be the talk of the neighborhood for miles around. Thousands of farmers are getting rich sowing such perfect seed and the farmer that fails to use high-grade seed, free from imperfections, weed seed, etc., is the one that has no bank account, no credit and a mighty poor show on any farm in the United States, no matter how good the soil may be or how much or how little the rainfall may be.

Every high-grade farmer, every high-grade business man or woman in West Texas or New Mexico will endorse this new industry as being one of the best that has ever come to the planters of seed in Texas or New Mexico. We are onto our job and expect to "win" by helping you double your crop, your bank account, and to make West Texas and New Mexico blossom as a rose.

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FOREIGN IMMIGRATION

Five steamship companies now operating vessels between Europe and the Atlantic coast have announced that with the opening of the Panama Canal they will extend their passenger service to the Pacific coast. Expectations of a great passenger traffic through the canal, and an immense volume of immigration, prompts the announcements.

Steamship agents have declared that nowhere in the world is there such opportunity for the development of immigration as that presented by the Pacific coast of the United States. Nearly all immigration from Europe to the Atlantic coast centers New York. They believe on the Pacific coast will be four ports of entry for immigrants, at San Diego, San Francisco, Portland and Seattle.

Immigrants coming from Europe to the United States, whether from sunny Italy or chilly Scandinavia, are landed at New York. There the newcomer from the Mediterranean finds himself in a climate entirely dissimilar to that from which he came, among customs and industrial methods to which he is a stranger. Immigration agents, who have already sold thousands of tickets for the Pacific coast, have noted that the tendency of immigrants is to find if possible climatic conditions as nearly like those of their home land.

To this tendency is attributed largely the fact that the alien population of the Pacific north-west is composed largely of Scandinavians and former residents of the northern countries of Europe. This fact has given rise to the thought that cities of the Pacific coast will not become quite so cosmopolitan as are those on the Atlantic seaboard where immigration has so largely centered.

If this segregation of peoples and races is to be a distinctive result of immigration to the Pacific coast, as steamship agents suggest, the exposition to be held at San Diego in 1915, having for its principal purpose the direction, intelligently, of the incoming immigrants to those western states where individual opportunity will be greatest and where living and climatic and social conditions promise the greatest need of contentment, offers an unusually appealing call to these states to participate. The exposition as planned will set forth in magnificent attractiveness these conditions as they exist, constituting a sage guide to the homeseeker, and at the same time telling the story of the state's undeveloped resources in such a way that capital will be attracted to perform its essential part in bringing these states to that productivity of which they are capable and which is necessary for the support of the population that is to come.

Let New Mexico wake up to this fact and make an appropriation for the exposition which will be a credit to our state and also give us a better chance at the immigration that is certain to follow these routes mentioned.

COWPEAS

This useful crop seems to be an untried proposition on the fertile farms of Portales. Its close relation, the peanut, is fairly well known here but its equally useful blood relative is almost an entire stranger.

As useful as a plant well can be we commend it to those who are feeding stock or who are desirous of adding nitrogen to a depleted soil. The vine or hay is excellent fodder as you can learn by turning a bunch of hogs in on a patch. Plowed

under the vine will restore the nitrogen by previous crops. To you dairymen, the vine or hay makes admirable silage. What more could be required of a plant especially when one variety of cowpea, the blackeyed pea, makes a most palatable and nourishing food for man.

We believe it is to the interest of every farmer whether stock feeder or dairyman to grow cowpeas. It is yet several months before the cowpea can be safely planted but when weather is thoroughly settled get some seed from The Farmers Supply Co., Roswell N.M. The seed is their famous "Sterling Brand Tested" and pure and will germinate. They are tested so we know.

EXCHANGE COLUMN

All notices of exchange of not over ten lines will be entered in this column for two consecutive issues free of charge to all subscribers. Notices to appear on Thursday must be in by Wednesday noon.

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In taking charge of the Herald we want all of people of the county to have the benefits of the paper and we want to and will make the paper a paper for the people and by the people. This paper will not stand for Elida more than it will for Portales nor will it stand for Portales more than it will for any other town or neighborhood in the county and the only way in which we can make the paper a paper for the people and by the people is for us to have correspondents over the county and in every community.

In order that we get good correspondents we have decided to make the following offer and the offer will hold good until every

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