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Cosy Burns.

The Cosy theatre caught fire sometime between eleven and eleven thirty o'clock last Friday night and although good work was done by the volunteer firemen, the contents of the building are practically a total loss and the roof completely ruined. The cause of the fire is not known but it is presumed that it caught from the electric light wires passing through the roof. Mr. Beaver states that he imagined he could smell smoke along in the evening while the show was going on but paid little attention to it. He presumes that the wires had probably at that time set fire to the building some where near the rear and a big fire had probably been raging for twenty or thirty minutes before it was noticed and the alarm turned in. The back end of the roof fell in a very few minutes after the alarm and there must have been some fire in the building a good while before it was noticed. The Seniors of the High School had put on their annual play to a crowded house that night and had left many pieces of furniture, art squares, trunks and clothing on the stage and in the dressing rooms and this was all a complete loss. It is understood that Mr. Beaver carried five hundred dollars insurance on the fixtures and that Louie Kirby carried two thousand on the building. Arrangements are being made to immediately repair and refurnish the building.

Installs China Kiln.

Miss Georgie Kimbrough, who began her art class about one month ago says that she is delighted with the enthusiasm that is being shown over town for her work and that she has many more scholars than she expected. Practically all of these students are mature people, though several of the younger set are taking her work. She has just installed a modern oil kiln for use in her china painting course and invites all interested to visit her studio and inspect same.

Death of Mrs. Watts.

Mrs. Mary Watts died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. H. Bailey, Tuesday morning. Mrs. Watts has lived with the Bailey family in Portales for the past four years and during that time has made many friends who extend their fullest sympathies to her daughter and kindred. Mrs. Watts was a grand old lady of eighty-three years, her birthday being last Wednesday, but no one would have guessed her to be of such an advanced age. Such good old mothers have made our America what it is today and though they gradually pass away and out across the bar, we have that grand and sweet thought always with us, that we shall meet them in the sweet bye and bye. The Herald-Times extends the deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

Senior Play to Elida.

The Seniors of the High School think that they have completed arrangements to put on their play in Elida on the 18th of February. "Engaged by Wednesday" drew a crowd here and many favorable comments were passed on the work of the pupils and we predict a good house for them at Elida.

Proposes Heavy Tax on Gas.

Representative Ben Johnson, of Kentucky, has introduced a bill in the House of Representatives suggesting a tax of \$1 a gallon on gasoline sold at more than 15 cents a gallon. He declares this will be an effective means for checking the exactions of the Gasoline trust.

Mrs. W. B. Click and Miss Sallie Mathis, Elida, were guests of Mrs. S. N. Hancock and Miss Bess Dohoney Wednesday night.

Back From Santa Fe.

W. H. Braley, chairman of the county Democratic committee, represented Roosevelt county at the meeting of the state central committee last week, at Santa Fe, attending in his capacity as county chairman. Mr. Braley says that the meeting was harmonious and enthusiastic. That in the selection of Judge Laughlin for chairman the committee put into the coming fight one of the old tried and always true war horses of the party, one whose integrity is unimpeachable and whose ability and good judgment is unquestioned. He says that he never before saw so many big men gathered together in one body; that he was proud to have been one of such a gathering, and was convinced, from the personnel of that meeting that the Democratic party of the state could fill every office within the gift of the people from members of that meeting without taking a single man who was eminent, qualified and of the highest character. Governor McDonald was given liberal praise for his wise and capable administration of the affairs of the state, and for his steadfast attitude for the strictest business methods in all affairs pertaining to the expenditure of the state funds. Mr. Braley is very optimistic over the outlook for state Democratic success this fall.

Friday 18th to be Holiday.

In order to let some of the teachers who desire to go to Taiban to attend the County Teachers' Association Friday the 18th, leave, it has been decided to give the holiday usually given on Washington's birthday, February the 22nd, on the Friday preceding and thus let the teachers have the chance to go without interfering with their school work here.

McIntosh to Hold Meeting.

Rev. W. M. McIntosh, the well known evangelist who has held a meeting once before in Portales, will be here again on the fourth Sunday in this month to begin a Union meeting at the Methodist church. Rev. McIntosh held a very successful meeting when here before and many warm friends are ready to welcome him again. The town as a whole, from all expressions heard, are glad to welcome him back.

Some Pig Raiser.

Carl Mueller, the champion farmer of the Valley, has outdone himself again and just because he raised a few fancy, registered Poland China pigs and sold them for fancy prices, one for thirty dollars, he is going to send and get another that will cost in the neighborhood of a hundred. This is the kind of stock that is going into the foundation herds of Roosevelt county and again we must bring in that byword of ours, Prosperity.

Baptist Notes.

Last Sunday was a fair day with our church. Good Sunday School. Fine meeting of the Baptist Union. We are glad of the additional help in the choir. Subject for next Sunday morning, "The Law of Sacrifice." The night service will be given to Bro. G. W. Stroud to discuss "Christian Citizenship." Remember you are welcome to worship with us.

W. E. Dawn, Pastor.

Forty-Two Party.

Mrs. George Deen entertained a few friends at her home Monday evening in honor of her husband's birthday. Forty-two was played most of the evening and light refreshments were served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Nixon; Mr. and Mrs. James A. Hall; Miss Belle Beck; Frank Smith; Clyde Knapp and wife and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Reynolds.

Conditions on Route.

These pleasant afternoons have been the cause of many joy rides out toward the Bethel community lately and also over other parts of rural route number one and the impressions gained by the various parties talked to are very favorable. Most of those who have been mentioning the facts have taken particular notice of the number of new houses, barns and other improvements that are going up and state that most of these improvements look like future and present prosperity and not put up merely to sell the place. Good homes are gradually taking the place of the old timers houses and trees and fences are dotting the landscape here and there. New alfalfa fields are being planted and many acres of virgin sod being turned over to receive a copious supply of water from the irrigation system that runs to the farm. Again we must say as we did last week, prosperity is here and now is the time for you to buy that piece of land if you ever expect to get it all at reasonable prices.

Dog Killed by Car.

Not such a great deed in itself but one that should make thoughtful people stop and think. The dog in question was run over near the Methodist church about eight o'clock Monday night. We don't know who the dog belonged to nor what he was doing but we are getting at it, that next time it may be a child instead of a dog. There are a good many of our racing friends over the city who seem to think that the public roads and streets were built especially for them to make race track records on and it means that unless a stop is put to it that sooner or later some child or grown person will be seriously injured. Some of you fellows who are aspirants for racing honors watch your speedometer and remember that some child may be nearer than you think and dodge from behind a fence corner in a hurry before either of you realize what has happened.

Methodist Church.

Bro. Fons filled our pulpit on last Sunday both morning and evening and he filled it well. Our congregations, in keeping with their record, were fine. The Sunday school reached the highest mark it has ever reached and for all this we thank God and take courage.

Bro. W. M. McIntosh, of Iuka, Miss., will be with us the fourth Sunday in this month in Co-operative or rather Union revival campaign. We are praying and hoping for great victory.

Subject next Sunday morning, "Soul Winning" at night, "The Heroes and Charities of God." Come and worship with us.

A. C. Bell.

Basket Ball Game.

The All-Star town team and the High School Boys met in a game of basket ball at the Armory Monday night. There was a good crowd present and dancing was enjoyed after the game by a good many of the town people. The score was twenty-seven to thirty, in favor of the high school boys.

Ralph Returned to Work.

Ralph Fernandes left Tuesday for Los Angeles where he is employed as conductor on the Los Angeles Railway. He has been spending a month with his parents and resting up. His health was greatly improved in the few weeks that he was here.

Cattle Continue to Come.

J. E. Johnson passed through on Mondays local to the Williamson-Johnson ranch at Campbell with three hundred head of fine Herefords which they purchased at Midlan, Texas. Those who saw the cattle say they are sure enough good stuff.

Collins Brings in Cattle.

W. E. Collins passed through Portales Monday evening with one hundred and two head of good graded cows that he has recently bought from Shipley Bros. of Clovis. Mr. Collins has these cows sold to Will Chapman who lives on the old Walker place some five miles east of Elida. Mr. Chapman is a new comer in the county but we can tell from the way that he is starting out that he will be a success from the word go. Everybody that has tried it has made money with a little bunch of stock in Roosevelt county and if you are looking for a place to build your happy home for the future come around and our congenial county population will show the best place the sun shines on today.

Mrs. Culberson On Trip.

Bill Elliott, wife and baby were visitors at the home of Mrs. Elliott's mother, Mrs. Annie Culberson, the latter part of last week. They returned to their ranch Sunday, accompanied by Mrs. S. F. Culberson, who will go on from there to attend the county teachers' association at Taiban next week and from there make a trip over the northern part of the county, inspecting schools, etc.

Howard Appointed Deputy.

Bascom Howard, Tuesday, received a telegram from the state manager of the Woodmen of the World, notifying him that he had been appointed deputy organizer for the eastern district of New Mexico. This position is one of considerable prominence in Woodmen circles and both Bascom and the Woodmen of the World of the district are to be congratulated.

Morrow Buys Mules.

R. H. Morrow, the prosperous Elida merchant, bought some twenty-one head of two year old mules from Shipley Bros. at Clovis the latter part of last week and is shipping them directly to Tennessee. He will probably ship another car from Elida. This makes more noises like prosperity to this paper man.

Claude Martin Buys Home.

Bascom Howard this week sold the J. P. Thompsons home in east Portales to Claude A. Martin. Claude has been living on his brother's place in the north edge of town, but will move to his new home immediately.

Thorough Bred Turkey.

Ralph Converse received a thoroughbred bourbon red turkey tom the first of the week from a noted turkey farm in Kansas. Mr. Converse is a believer in turkey raising for this country and is going after the best stock that money can buy. Watch for his stock at the show this fall. He will no doubt have some good ones.

Ingram Couple Marry.

Bennie R. Rutherford and Miss Ollie E. Burton procured licenses from the county clerk this week. These young folks are well known in their community and both the Herald-Times and their community wish to say to them that we hope their journey down life's walk will be long happy and prosperous.

Crimm and Cumbie Gone.

Evangelists Crimm and Cumbie accompanied by Mrs. Crimm were in the city over Monday night. They had just returned from holding a short meeting at Texico and were on their way to Bronte, Texas, the old home of Mr. Cumbie, where they will hold a meeting in the near future.

Enoch Boucher has been in Roswell and other valley points for the past few days.

City Light Business Good.

Elbert Keeter, manager of the city light plant tells the Herald-Times man that the load now being pulled by his engines is the greatest since the plant began running several years ago. He is this week wiring the Humphrey building upstairs and lawlers Compton and Mears as well as Doctor Dunaway will use city lights henceforward.

Frank Shaw Speeclifys.

Frank Shaw, local manager and buyer for the Gurley Broom-corn Company, made a business trip to Littlefield, Texas, last Friday. Frank made the trip in his Ford and in the interest of his company, spoke Saturday afternoon to a good crowd of farmers who are contemplating an acreage there this year. It is understood that he was successful in his mission and that the acreage will be large.

Temporary Quarters.

The picture show will use as temporary quarters the building adjoining the Herald-Times office. Mr. Beaver is preparing same as rapidly as possible and the public may have the opportunity of attending the movies again Saturday night.

Tyson Announces.

J. G. Tyson was over from Taiban the first of the week looking after political matters and later asked the Herald-Times to announce that he will be a candidate for commissioner for precinct No. 3. We will have more to say about him later.

Portales Chickens in Demand.

The Red Feather Farm report the sale of \$19.50 worth of cockerels Monday. They were shipped out of the county.

Misses Irene Smith and Lucille Moore were up from Elida Sunday.

F. H. Edmonds, district agent for the Singer Sewing Machine, made a business trip to Clovis Monday.

Most of the stores are receiving spring goods this week and we know that spring must be near. Let her come.

M. Y. Hill, W. H. Eason and Jim McCullough were in the first of the week, carrying out freight for the Hill store at Redland.

Mrs. L. E. Eaton and children Mrs. Z. T. Campbell and children were Portales visitors Wednesday night.

J. S. Pearson, founder of the old Pearson postoffice some twenty-five miles west of town, known as Benson, was a visitor in town the first of the week.

John Swope, F. O. Henry and Tom Jacobs were Redland visitors in the city during the week. They report conditions flourishing and prosperous for another crop this year.

Fred James, chairman of the county road board and J. C. Nelson, cashier of the Clovis National Bank were business visitors in the city Monday.

M. A. Goldston and L. L. Mason of Ingram were business visitors in the city Monday and Tuesday. They state that the Ingram country is booming.

Louie Kirby, of Elida has been a visitor in the city for the past few days. Louie is the owner of the Cosy building and is taking all steps to have same repaired at once.

Among the Portales visitors from Elida this week were, T. D. Cain, Chas. Brown, M. J. Butts, Jim Anthony and family, Emory Hunter and family, John Roach and wife, Miss Jane Howell, Lura Acker and wife, Mrs. D. R. Hamilton and Mrs. J. R. Shock.

Ham Sells Potatoes.

R. A. Ham, one of our successful irrigation farmers, returned last Sunday from Clovis where he has spent the past month or two selling his crop of sweet potatoes. Mr. Ham reports that he has been very successful with his potatoes and thought the yield was hardly more than half what it generally is. He states that he has cleared over forty dollars per acre on all his acreage.

Checks Found Safe.

The burglar who entered the store of Inda Humphrey last week and carried about a hundred and forty dollars away with him was kind enough to leave the checks, neatly packed away in a tin box in the warehouse back of the Faggard store. Mr. Humphrey wishes to thank the gentleman for being so considerate but asks him to call next time when some one is "to home."

School Visitors.

Some of the school visitors for the past week are Mesdames A. E. Siegner, Fowler, Sanders, Wilson and Fay. Miss McMinn and Miss Wallace.

W. T. Wade's announcement as candidate for commissioner third district came in too late to classify. Mr. Wade lives at Taiban.

Judge McClure Here.

Judge McClure, accompanied by the court reporter, J. B. McGhee, came in from Roswell Monday morning and after drawing the jury, held court for several hours Monday and Tuesday and dispensed with several court matters on hand which could be handled without a jury.

New Pupils In School.

Among the new pupils enrolled in the school during the past week are George Kimmie and Dan Jackson, Willie Laxon, Marion Jones, Noble Harris, Leslie Brown, Lucia Knoles and Mary Lee Knoles.

Jeff Keeter, brother of Elbert and one of the city dads of the Langton community, was a visitor last Friday and Saturday. Jeff is a charter member of the K. of P. lodge here and helped take several candidates through Friday night.

McCall to Cut-Off.

Nolan McCall left Tuesday morning for points on the cut-off where he will take tax assessments all of this week. He will be in Talar two days, La Lande two days and Taiban three days.

Good Cattle In Demand.

O. R. Boren this week bought of Gregg Bros. a thoroughbred Hereford bull calf that is in the \$150 class. He also got a bunch of butcher stuff from the same parties.

Sells 15 Bulls.

The Williamson-Oldham Cattle Company this week sold 15 head of registered Hereford bulls to Bill Elliott and he will put them on his ranch over on the Pecos.

Mrs. Trammell Wins Car.

Mrs. Clay Trammell, daughter of Mrs. Annie Culberson and well known in Portales has just won a Studebaker touring car in a newspaper contest in Bakersfield California.

That Resolution.

It is the supposition that by now you have forgotten all of those brave pledges that you made with yourself on the first of the year but let us call your attention to one that we should all remember and make here and now; namely, let us really determine to make this town a better and better one and agree that we will each do our "dead level" best to see that such a resolution is carried out.

Game In New Mexico.
Speaking of game and fish as a business asset, do many people realize that variety is most, as much of an asset as quantity? And if so, do they know what a wonderful variety of forms and species the hand of nature has bestowed upon the state of New Mexico?

Begin, let us say, in the cactus deserts of the extreme southern end of the state. Here we have the tropical Peccary, or Javelina. Just a few of them remain on the shin oak covers of the Llanos Estacados. Climbing a little into the foothills, we have the Sonora Deer, and the Gambel's Quail, two dainty and beautiful creatures which we share only with Arizona. Both have greatly decreased in recent years.

A little higher in the rough granite ranges, we have the pitiful remnant of Mexican Mountain sheep, the king of our game animals, and exclusively our own. What a card it would be for New Mexico, could we ever bring the animal back into all our southern mountains in sufficient numbers to justify hunting!

Making a very thorough search of our plains country might disclose one of the remnants of our vanishing Antelope. Here again is a splendid creature, hardly to be excelled in interest by any other species of American game, be it from the standpoint of sport food, or science.

On the antelope range we find also the Sealed Partridge, or "Blue Quail." And a brave fight for his life has been made this little skyrocket of the sagebrush. There are many of him yet, and there will be more still when the thieving coyote is put under control and our hunters learn to be satisfied with a moderate bag of this fine little bird.

Far on our eastern boundary, among the dwarf oaks and sandhills, we have the Prairie Chicken. He is spreading westward with the farms and grainfields, and long may he continue to do so!

Higher up in the foothills and mountains are the pretty little Mearns Quail and the king of American game birds, the Wild Turkey. The little "Fool Quail" is in no immediate danger, but the Turkey is fast decreasing.

The home of the Turkey is all

so the home of the mule or "Blacktail" Deer, the whitetail, the Crook's Deer, and in the northern mountains, of the Blue Grouse. None of these are in immediate danger of total annihilation, but let it be known to every man in the state that nowhere are they increasing, while in ever so many places they are getting to be very scarce.

Now let us climb to the very pinnacle of New Mexico, to the high ranges above timberline. Let us look long and hard among the lichen covered rocks and flowery meadows of the top of the world. Perhaps, and this "perhaps" is our own fault, we shall find a little flock of that wonder among birds, the Ptarmigan. Half white in summer and snow-white in winter, this little quail-grouse is among the most valuable of our many treasures.

Take a stranger, tell him all about New Mexico, and tell that our state includes everything from tropical Peccaries to Arctic Ptarmigan. Ten to one he will imply you a liar. There is your opening. Prove it to him. And when you are through, that little Ptarmigan will forever remain in his mind as the living symbol and the irrefutable proof of the wonderful diversity of our climate, scenery, resources, and possibilities.

Battery A Artillery Horses.

Battery A of Roswell has received fourteen more artillery horses from the government, making a total of twenty-three now available for practice and drill. The stock came from one of the batteries on the border and is well trained in artillery work, which will be a help to the citizen soldiers. Earnest efforts to recruit the battery up to the legal minimum, 130 men, are being made.

England Will Increase Navy.

Fifty thousand men are to be added to the personnel of the British Navy and in addition 260,000 have been placed at the disposal of the admiralty. This is looked upon in some quarters as a preliminary step toward the laying of a blockade on the entire German coast.

The People of This Community Are Reading This Paper Today

You, sir, or madam, are part of a greater audience than was ever gathered together in this community. Your combined power is that of a great army.

Your possible purchasing power alone is enough to make every commercial institution here respond to your will.

You are going into the stores of this city now to spend that money.

And what you are trying to find out is how to spend it to your best advantage and where. Let us see how we can help you most.

Here in this paper today is the advertising news of the strong men of trade, the regular buyers and the best judges of merchandise. They have ransacked their shelves and their stockrooms to give you the finest they have. They are too shrewd to spend their money and attract your attention to anything but the best.

This is their biggest season, too, and some of the values they are offering today will seem impossible to you who do not know a buyer's necessities.

If you could go behind the scenes and see their stock of shoes and coats and dresses and suits and underwear, of furniture and rugs and draperies, all shrewdly gathered from the ends of the earth, all brought down to the lowest figure or raised to the highest standard of quality by every method known to expert merchandising, then you would understand the labor that has been expended for you.

There is no advertisement in this paper too small for you to notice today. For every one of these smaller merchants has had enough faith in his merchandise to put his announcement before you as large as he could; enough courage to stand back of it, and the integrity to sign his name to what he presents. He has some good reason for talking to you, and the fact that he is talking to you is proof of his ability and success.

And there is no advertisement too large for you to study carefully. Many a buyer, with some good value worth a column of space, has had to put it in the middle of half a page and crowd it into three short lines.

Here, then, is your compendium of merchandise, your catalogue of good goods; here amongst these merchants who are asking your attention today through the columns of their advertisements and offering you the best that they have.

Stroud To Preach

Rev. G. W. Stroud of Arch will preach at the Baptist church Sunday night. He is an able talker and his discourse will more than likely do you good.

What Do You Think?

When a man looks you in the eye and tells you a deliberate lie, and you know that he is lying, and that he knows that you know it what do you think?

TRY OUR FLOUR

IT IS GOOD FLOUR
and
EVERYBODY LIKES IT

Also Try Our GROCERIES

Just as Good as the Flour
and
Everybody Likes Them, Too

IT WILL PAY

To Come to Us For Everything You Want to Eat. -- Try Us.



WAR WITH MEXICO Is a Very Much Debated Question, But Everybody Agrees That The **Benton County Nursery Company, Rogers, Arkansas**

Is the best place to buy the best bargains in strictly first class, high grade, state inspected, fruit trees, berry plants, grape vines, ornamentals, etc. for Spring planting. Give us about five minutes of your time and be convinced that we are offering you the greatest bargains you were ever offered in nursery stock. We are located in the very heart of the Ozarks, in one of the finest fruit sections of the world. Benton County, Arkansas, bears the distinction of having more acres in fruit than any place in the whole world for the area it covers. Our trees are propagated from the finest varieties of fruit and healthiest trees grown. They are first class in every respect. Guaranteed. They are grown by an expert nurseryman, a man who has been on this job more than a quarter of a century. This stock must move for Spring planting or go on the brush pile and be burned. Below are the varieties we are offering and prices cut half in.

Cherries.	Peaches.	Apples.	Strawberries by the Million.
In lots of 1 to 50 50 and up 3 to 4 ft. was 25c now 15c Was 40c now 25c 1210 Dyehouse Very Early 1900 Early Richmond Early 725 Montmorency Mid Season 264 English Morilla Late	In lots of 1 no 50 500 and up 2 to 3 ft. was 15c now 7c Was 12c now 7c 3 to 4 ft. was 20c now 10c Was 16c now 10c 4 to 5 ft. was 25c now 12c Was 20c now 10c	In lots of 1 to 50 500 and up 2 to 3 ft. was 15c now 8c Was 12c now 8c 3 to 4 ft. was 25c now 12c Was 20c now 10c 4 to 5 ft. was 30c now 15c Was 25c now 12c	100 plants, 90c; 1000, \$3.50; 10,000, \$25. Mitchell Early, Excelsior, Klondyke Aroma, Early Ozark, Eureka. Ever bearing sorts, 100, \$2.00, \$10.00 per 1000.
Sweet Cherries. 1460 Black Tartarian Early 340 Lambert Mid Season 1120 Windsor Late	2000 Mayflower Very Early Semi Cling 15000 Red Bird " " Free Stone 1250 Greensboro " " Cling Stone 800 Alexander " " " " 1000 Sneed " " " " 700 Lurcka " " Free Stone 1500 Waddell Early Free Stone 500 Alton " " " " 750 Mmie Ross " Semi Cling 9000 Carnaud " Free Stone 600 Chanjion " " " 600 Arp Beauty " " " 2000 Fitzgerald " " " 1800 Belle of Ga. Mid-Season Free Stone 1250 Crawford Early " " " 7000 Stump the world " " " 5000 Old Mixon cling " " Cling Stone 2000 Elerta " " Free Stone 2500 Mountain Rose " " " " 4000 Heath Cling " " Cling Stone 5000 Crawford Late " " Free Stone 8000 Captain Ede Late Free Stone 2000 Crosby " " " 15000 Elberta Cling " " 9000 Gold Dust " " " 750 Salway " " " 5000 Lt Elberta " Free " 4500 Red Indian " Cling " 10000 White English. " " " 7000 Heath Cling " " " 8500 Henrietta " " " 2500 Stenson Oct. Very Late Free Stone 4500 Krummel Oct. Very Late Cling Stone 1100 Early Elberta Mid-Season Free Stone 1750 Mammoth Cling Latest of all 1700 Hale (Million Dollar Peach) Free Stone 1 to 2 ft. Hale and Early Elberta, were 45c, now 20c	6400 Henry Clay 1250 Yellow Transparent 1700 Early Harvest 2150 Liveland Raspberry Early summer 3200 Wilson Red June " " 750 Stribbling June " " 3450 Maiden Blush " " 6150 Red Astrachan Late summer 900 Horse Apples " " 240 Summer Queen " " 350 Imperial Rambo " " 1400 Fall Winesap Early Fall 2175 Wealthy " " 700 Rusty Coats " " 9125 Grimes Golden Early winter 7000 Rome Beauty " " 12000 Jonathan " " 4000 Shannon Pippin " " 3275 Yellow Newton Pippin Late winter 15000 Delicious " " 7800 Gano " " 8000 Ben Davis " " 20000 Stayman Winesap " " 14600 Mammoth Black Twig " " 12500 Arkansas Black " " 7000 Ingram " " 3000 Shockley " " 2100 Limbertwigs " " 9000 Huntsman Favorite " " 8500 Baldwin " " 6000 Missouri Pippin " " 7500 Banana " " 2500 York Imperial " " 375 Golden Sweet Summer 600 Paradise, Sweet Winter 1100 Florenee Cra Early winter 300 Whitney Crab " "	GRAPES. In lots of 1 to 50, was 15c, now 10c; 50 to 500, was 10c, now 6c; 500 and up, was 6c, now 4c. Moore's Early, Catawba, Concord, Niagara. APRICOTS. 3 to 4 ft., was 25c, now 15c. Early Golden, Superb, Moorepark. RHUBARB. Pie plant, was 10c now 6c. ASPARAGUS, was 10c, now 5c. GOOSEBERRIES, in lots of 1 to 50, was 30c, now 15c; 50 to 500, was 15c, now 9c. Downing, Houghton Industry. CURRANTS. Was 10c, now 6c. Red Dutch, Foy's Prolific. RARBERRIES, in lots of 1 to 50, was 5c, now 3c; 50 to 500, was 4c, now 2c; 500 and up, was 3c, now 1-1-2. Cumberland Black, Gregg Black, Miller Red. BLACKBERRIES, in lots of 1 to 50, was 5c, now 3c; 50 to 500, was 3c, now 2-1-2c; 500 and up, was 2-1-2, now 1-1-2c. Early Harvest, Snyder, Kittatiny, Mercereau, Rathbun. HIMALAYA, was 10c, now 6c. DEWBERRIES, lots 1 to 50. was 5c, now 3c; 50 to 500, was 3c, now 2-1-2c; 500 and up, was 2-1-2, now 1-1-2. Austin Improved, Lucretia. JUNEBERRIES, was 10c, now 5c. LOGANBERRIES, was 20c, now 9c. QUINCES. 3 to 4 ft., was 35, now 15c. Champion Orange. MULBERRIES. 3 to 4 ft., was 30c, now 15c. New Everbearing, Russian. JAPANESE PERSIMON, 3 to 4 ft. was 50c, now 30c. Mikado, Imperial. PECANS, paper shell, budded or grafted. Stuart, Pabst, Schley 2 to 3 ft., was \$1.50, now 90c.

All our stock has been inspected by the State Nursery Inspector and found to be absolutely free from all insects and diseases. All stock is fumigated before leaving the Nursery. Our shipping season begins about March the 20th. Send in your order now, don't wait, as the first in is first served. If we are out of any varieties you order may we substitute with one as near it as possible? We pay the freight or express charges on orders amounting to \$5.00 or more. We allow five per cent discount on all orders accompanied with the cash. And remember our GUARANTEE is, you must be satisfied. In answering this Ad tell us in what paper you saw it. We guarantee everything we ship to reach you in first class condition, mail us your order today.

Benton County Nursery Company, Rogers, Arkansas

WE INVITE

Father, Mother, Brother,
Sister and the Children

To Become Members of

The First National Bank LANDIS CHRISTMAS SAVINGS CLUB STARTS MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1916

We want the whole family to have the Merriest Christmas it has ever known. Every one from father down to baby can easily carry a membership in one or more classes. Each will receive a check a couple of weeks before Christmas, and all will have money to buy presents and other things that go to make up the festivities. Make it a family affair—let everyone be a member.

Members starting with 5 cents and increasing 5 cents each week for forty-two weeks, get \$45.15	Members starting with 2 cents and increasing two cents each week for forty-two weeks, get \$18.06	Members starting with one cent and increasing one cent each week for forty-two weeks, get \$9.03
Members paying 25 cents a week fixed for forty-two weeks, get \$10.50	Members paying 50 cents a week fixed, for forty-two weeks, get \$21.00	Members paying \$1.00 a week fixed, for forty-two weeks, get \$42.00

There Are No Conditions—Nor Extra Costs.
All You Have To Do Is To Make Payments.

The First National Bank
PORTALES, x x x NEW MEXICO

TREES! TREES! TREES!

If you want home grown trees that are healthy and propagated from varieties that have been tested and do best in the West, it will pay you to investigate all that claim to have nurseries on the Plains. Plainview Nursery will pay \$5.00 a day to anyone who will investigate, if they do not find that we have the largest and best stock of home grown trees anywhere in Texas west of Fort Worth or in New Mexico. We are practically the only institute that has a stock of fruit trees ready for the market. For your good and ours too, we solicit your investigation. Plainview is not far away. Would it not justify you to visit our nursery and see what can be done on the plains in the way of propagating and growing fruits.

PLAINVIEW NURSERY CO.
Plainview, Texas.

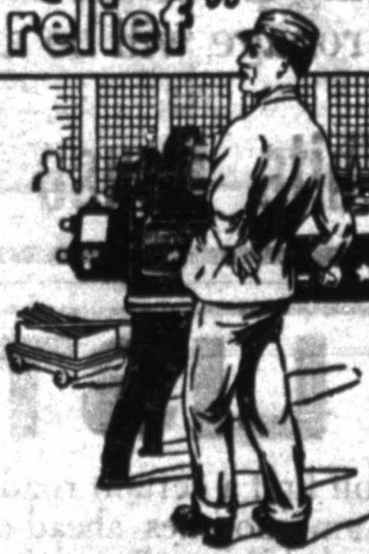
Herald-Times \$1. The Year

"Work-shop pains and their quick relief"

The constant strain of factory work very often results in Headaches, Backaches and other Aches, and also weakens the Nerves.

DR. MILES' ANTI-PAIN PILLS will quickly relieve the Nerves, or Pain, while Dr. Miles' Heart Treatment is very helpful when the Heart is overtaxed.

IF FIRST BOX OR BOTTLE FAILS TO BENEFIT YOU, YOUR MONEY WILL BE REFUNDED.



SEVERE PAIN.
"I used to suffer a great deal with lumbago in my shoulders and back. A friend induced me to try Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills and I am only too glad to be able to attest to the relief that I got from these splendid pills. They form a valuable medicine and do all that it is claimed they will do."
LEWIS J. CUTLER,
Martinez, Ohio.

Farm Loans

I am now in position to negotiate long time loans on your improved farm or ranch.

James Hall

Callaway & Waggoner

CASH GROCERY
Carry a complete line of staple and fancy groceries.

We pay the highest market price for your butter and eggs. Give us a trial.

Telephone : : Number 64

CONTEST NOTICE

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., January 10th, 1916.
To Marion D. O. Kolla, record address, Chattanooga Oklahoma:
You are hereby notified that Lucy C. Kolla has filed with me her homestead entry No. 9078 for 14 Sec. 14 NE 1-4 Sec. 1, T. 1 S., R. 27 E., M. 2, on the 26th day of February, 1916.

You are further notified that the said entry was made in violation of the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 21, 1906 and June 20, 1908, which prohibit the making of homestead entries on land reserved for the use of the United States. You are notified that the said entry was made in violation of the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 21, 1906 and June 20, 1908, which prohibit the making of homestead entries on land reserved for the use of the United States.

Witness my hand and the seal of said office on this 10th day of January, 1916.
A. J. Evans, Register.

Notice of the Pendency of Suit

The State of New Mexico, to C. J. Jones, defendant, Greeting:
You will take notice that a suit has been filed against you in the district court of the Fifth judicial district of the State of New Mexico, in and for Roosevelt county, wherein Dallas M. D. McDaniel is plaintiff and you, the said C. J. Jones, are defendant, said cause being numbered 1144 upon the civil docket of said court.

The general object of said court action are as follows: The plaintiff seeks to recover the sum of \$147.00 with interest, upon a written contract executed by the plaintiff and defendant on the 9th day of May, 1914, for services performed by the plaintiff for the defendant, and for the purchase price of four horses and one saddle, blanket and bridle sold and delivered to the defendant by the plaintiff pursuant to said contract.

You are further notified that your property, to-wit: 1 seven horse power gasoline engine, model B, No. 552, made by Hopkins & Bennett Machine Company of Trinidad, Colo., has been attached upon an alias writ of attachment issued against you in said cause, and that unless you appear and plead or answer in said cause, on or before the 13th day of March, 1916, judgment will be rendered against you by default and your said property, in connection with your other property attached will be sold to satisfy the same.

You are further notified that George L. Reese is attorney for the plaintiff and that his business address is Portales, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and the seal of said office on this 10th day of January, 1916.
J. W. BALLOW,
Clerk.
6-4t By Guy P. Mitchell, Deputy.

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., January 10th, 1916.
Notice is hereby given that Chester Forbes of Redlake, N. M., who on Nov. 3, 1912, made homestead entry No. 9078 for 14 Sec. 14 NE 1-4 Sec. 1, T. 1 S., R. 27 E., M. 2, has filed notice of intention to make final 3 year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. E. Toombs, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Redlake, N. M., on the 26th day of February, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Oscar Evans, Les Evans, John S. Wharton and Leon E. Forbes all of Redlake, N. M.
A. J. Evans, Register.

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Dec. 12, 1915.
Notice is hereby given that Robert G. Hill of Redlake, N. M., who on Feb. 26, 1914, made homestead entry No. 9078 for 14 Sec. 14 NE 1-4 Sec. 1, T. 1 S., R. 27 E., M. 2, has filed notice of intention to make final 3 year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. E. Toombs, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Redlake, N. M., on the 26th day of February, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Thomas P. Danforth, Mabey O. Danforth, these of Redlake, N. M., John H. Keadell, N. M., Babe Williams, of Redlake, N. M.
Emmett Patton, Register.

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Nov. 8, 1915.
Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, by virtue of the Act of Congress approved June 21, 1906 and June 20, 1908, has filed notice of intention to make final 3 year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. C. Corbin, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Portales, N. M., on the 26th day of February, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
John T. Turner, Abner A. Corbin, John W. McRath and John O. Benson all of Rosam, N. M.
A. J. Evans, Register.

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Jan. 17th 1916.
Notice is hereby given that Albert S. Pearson of Rosam, N. M., who on Feb. 26, 1914, made homestead entry No. 9078 for 14 Sec. 14 NE 1-4 Sec. 1, T. 1 S., R. 27 E., M. 2, has filed notice of intention to make final 3 year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. C. Corbin, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Portales, N. M., on the 26th day of February, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Thomas Taylor, Andrew U. Kearns, Lewis H. Anderson, Andrew J. Goodrich, all of Rosam, New Mexico.
A. J. Evans, Register.



The above is a good likeness of Robert A. Deen, candidate for School Superintendent of Roosevelt county.

Russia Buying Machine Guns.

The Russian buying commission in the United States is said to have approved contracts for \$32,000,000 worth of machine guns. The order is the largest of the kind placed by any of the belligerents since the beginning of the war. It is understood Russia is also trying to place a contract for 10,000,000 high explosive and shrapnel shells in this country.

Few New Railroads.

In the United States in the year 1915 only 933 miles of new railroad were constructed, as against 1,532 in 1914 and 3,071 in 1913. The total was the smallest since 1864. The longest new construction for any one state was Pennsylvania, where 98 miles were laid. There are now in the whole country 242,000 miles of railroad, of which 38,651 were in the hands of receivers at the close of the year.

British Use Long Range Guns.

Guns to match the mighty long-range howitzers of the Germans have reached the British front in France, judging from Berlin reports that the British have bombarded Lille, a city 15 miles behind the German lines in Northern France.

Laws Governing Subscriptions.

Most readers of newspaper and many publishers are not familiar with the laws governing subscriptions. Here are the decisions of the United States court on the subject:

"Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary, are considered as wishing to renew their subscriptions."
"If the subscribers order a discontinuance of their publication the publisher may continue to send them until all dues are paid."
"If the subscriber refuses to take periodicals from the post office to which they are directed he is responsible until he has settled his bill and ordered the paper discontinued."

"If subscribers move to other places without informing the publisher and the papers are sent to the former address, the subscriber is held responsible."
"The courts have held that refusing to take periodicals from the post office or removing and leaving them uncalled for prima facie evidence of intention to default."
"If subscribers pay in advance they are bound to give notice at the end of the time if they do not wish to continue taking it, otherwise the subscriber is responsible until express notice with payment of all arrearages is sent to the publisher."

Kick yourself as much as you like but never let the other fellow do the kicking.

You bet we are in favor of honest government, but we don't want it to interfere with us. You, too!

An editorial squib writer is a geek who manufactures smiles for everybody but himself.

If gasoline keeps on soaring it will soon be so high we will be rid of the stink.

The Herald \$1.00 a year and worth it.

Notices for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Jan. 26th, 1916.
Notice is hereby given that Corneilus M. Dobbs of Portales, N. M., who on Feb. 11, 1912, made homestead entry No. 9078 for 14 Sec. 14 NE 1-4 Sec. 1, T. 1 S., R. 27 E., M. 2, has filed notice of intention to make final 3 year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. C. Corbin, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Portales, N. M., on the 26th day of February, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Thomas Taylor, Andrew U. Kearns, Lewis H. Anderson, Andrew J. Goodrich, all of Rosam, New Mexico.
A. J. Evans, Register.

Vote May Come in 1916.

A subcommittee of the Senate Judiciary committee last week unanimously recommended the Shepherd resolution, submitting the question of National Prohibition to the people.

Austria Calling All Her Women.

The Austrian military authorities are preparing for a systematic mobilization of a great army of women workers for the munition factories, where, owing to the number of men who have gone to the front, work is progressing in a slow and unsatisfactory manner. It is expected that the employment of women will release still more men for the front, and it is declared that every capable fighting man is now required there. Even mothers having the care of households are urged to work half a day in the factories.

Pay Your Subscription.

The man who expects to get to heaven ought to pay his subscription for the local paper and not tempt the poor mortal of an editor to swear. Honesty counts with Saint Peter.
The life of an editor was saved the other day by a silver dollar in his pocket. A crack shot at him and the ball struck the dollar. Now should you get shot before you have your subscription and the dollar to stop the bullet? Purpose is ways presume you might have saved our lives.

Creameries Face Inquiry.

Charges that creameries in Ia. Neb., Mo., and other western states are violating the Sherman and Clayton antitrust laws are being investigated by the Department of Justice, the investigation it is stated, has proceeded far enough to convince officials of the Department that the creameries are engaged in practices which they must discontinue. Whether they began the objectionable operations under the belief that they were legal, the department has not determined.

J. Woodruff, of Neb., formerly employed by the Fairmont creamery, asserts that boosting salaries, padding accounts, trimming farmers, putting small competitors out of business, grinding down the small employe and collusion with officers of the law are only part of the methods of the combine.

Running The Paper.

Everybody thinks he can run a newspaper better than the benighted souls who have been placed by providence in that unenviable position. Maybe its because the editor's faults are glaring ones—out in the open in black and white—or, possibly, it is just a queer quirk of human nature at the jobs so easy, anyway. Running the paper is a sort of a sideline with lots of people. They offer advice in their spare moments with the same spirit as they play some game of amusement. One would have the editor a suffragist, another demands that he rail against women voting. The prohibitionists can't see how any decent person can be for the saloons and accuse him of selling out to the liquor interests if he takes that side, while the "wets" say he is being intimidated by the churches and ruled by the "drys" if he is opposed to the saloon.

Every day is payday at this office. Trot right along and receive our thanks.

JOURNALISM

Big city newspapers are accustomed to point with amusement to extracts from publications in small communities, telling of the fact that—"John Smith has been painting his barn last week" and that "Mary Brown's cow fell in the well on Tuesday and was drowned before aid could reach her." To the city newspaper these items seem ridiculous; to the man who knew John Smith's barn and Mary Brown's cow, however, they are filled with information.

To the men and women who have left the little home town and gone to seek broader outlooks in larger fields, the weekly visit of the little messenger from the rural districts is awaited with interest. Crude in its presentation, often filled with glaring errors in spelling and composition it nevertheless covers a territory where the very fences are of interest and the hills and valleys filled with by gone pleasures.



The following gentlemen present their names as candidates for the office as indicated. Subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

SENATOR

R. G. BRYANT, be elected to other species be it from the food, or science. On the also the

FOR SHERIFF

BENT B. CLAYTON, ED B. HAWKINS, A. L. (Arch) GREGG, C. W. TERRY.

FOR COUNTY CLERK

S. A. MORRISON, GUY P. MITCHELL, S. B. OWENS.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

J. A. TINSLEY, JOHN W. BALLOW.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR

BURL JOHNSON.

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

ROBERT A. DEEN, SAM. J. STINNETT

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR

A. U. KEARNS.

FOR PROBATE JUDGE

CLEVE COMPTON.

Commissioner Precinct No. One

J. H. SANDEFER, CARL S. TURNER, INROE HONEA.

Commissioner Precinct No. Two

ED L. WALL.

Commissioner Precinct No. 3

J. H. CORNETT.

Balanced.

It is to be regretted that in the advertising campaign being carried on at the present time between the liquor and the anti-liquor elements in this and other states the participants cannot adhere to facts and give greater weight to their utterances, thereby. This newspaper is in receipt, from time to time, of advertising literature from the headquarters of both the "wets" and the "drys" and has seen, with regret, that each side is frequently guilty of gross misrepresentation in either pictured or published utterances.

The dry forces have sufficient evidence on their sides if they will just stick to facts. If they will quote nothing but true statements and draw nothing but accurate pictures they are assured of ultimate success. But a few misguided enthusiasts often get at the head of such movements and, swept away by the fervor of the moment permit themselves to make the most outlandish observations which have not even the basis of fact.

Making Business Friends.

When you send your dollar off to some mail order house or distant store, you get what you pay for and no more. The fluffy

haired girl who handles it cares nothing for you. The merchant whom you helped to enrich never hears of you. The transaction has no aftermath, except possibly the effort to return an unsatisfactory purchase.

When you buy goods at home you make business ties. The proprietor and his clerks want to keep your trade and will return your favors in any way they can.

The scarcity of dyes may not lead the men to buy white clothes next summer, but after the garments have visited the laundry a few times they will probably be white.

The Herald-Times is all printed in Portales; is primarily devoted to the interests of Portales and Roosevelt county. Portales first, Roosevelt county second, the rest of the world next. It is not our intention to have any favorites among our patrons, but our motto is "BUSINESS." On business principals. We have no other business than that of printing and publishing The Herald-Times. All business given us is appreciated by the entire printing force.

Some merchants' idea of getting trade is to open up the front door and graciously permit the public to enter, expecting that people will tumble over each other to get in without further solicitation.

There is of course danger of catching the grip at church Sunday morning, but it is perfectly safe to go to the dance Monday night.

That which was done yesterday will not be forgotten tomorrow.

Don't Starve Dry Cows.

The importance of giving plenty good food to dry cows is emphasized in a bulletin prepared by R. W. Latta, of State College. The bulletin says:

"We'll feed this spoiled hay to the dry cows." This statement shows a common attitude, but a wrong one. True, the dry cow can utilize to advantage, as part of her ration, some off grade hay, but the advisability of feeding her well is not usually recognized. A cow will do better in milk production for 12 months if she has six weeks to two months 'vacation on full pay.' While she is dry she is nourishing her calf and getting her system into condition to give a large flow of milk when she freshens.

"While drying off the cow, she may be given a starvation treatment—no grain and only a poor grade of dry roughage, but as soon as she is dry she should be well fed again. The good dairy cow cannot be made too fat, when dry. All the fat stored up in her body will be milked off again, increasing the yield of milk, and also, it has been demonstrated, milk will test higher through the following lactation period, than if she freshens in poor flesh.

Reduce Feed Before Calving. "Ten days or two weeks before calving, the feed should be reduced, and light, loose feeds of choice quality should be fed. Bran ground oats, and linseed oatmeal are especially valuable at this time. A bran mash fed as a warm gruel is excellent to cool out the cow's system. It is important to have the bowels in a laxative condition at calving time. The cow should get plenty of exercise, and water not too cold. After calving she should not be crowded with feed, two weeks should pass before she is on full feed. If cared for in this way the calf will be strong and healthy, and the cow will be ready to do a big year's work."

Lack of Coal Hampers Campaign.

Germany's campaign in Egypt is meeting with obstacles, according to English reports due to lack of coal to operate the railroad which the Germans have constructed southward through Syria to the edge of the desert approaching the Suez canal. This lack of coal has led the Germans to reopen the old Turkish mines in Syria, used by the Romans, but abandoned by them 1,000 years ago. A large force of Turkish laborers is engaged in developing the mines.

Dr. D. D. Swearingin, of the firm of Presley and Swearingin, eye ear and nose specialists of Roswell, New Mexico will be in Portales, at Neer's Drug Store 20-21 22 of each month.

If You Only Knew the Labor That Goes Into Every "Ad," You Would Never Skip Another One

Every little three-line item you find has turned the wheels of some great factory. Every time you see a cut price the number of gray hairs in the world has been increased.

Many an advertisement is planned a year before it ever finds its way into print. One advertisement in Philadelphia a few years ago opened up the copper mines in Colorado six months before it ever appeared. A thousand miners began digging copper on a contract of brass beds that were going to be made that were going to be advertised.

You see perhaps some piece of muslin wear advertised here whose trimming is pretty, or some gown whose design is elegant. The chances are that a hundred styles were discarded or changed to get this one for you. And all the while the buyer of your favorite store was picking and choosing he had you in mind. He was building the advertisement that would catch your eye and please your fancy and your pocketbook.

If you had been there you would have heard him telling the manufacturer, "My customers are particular." They must have the best that there is at the lowest price that can be made. You've got to give me something better than you give to anyone else."

Every one of these buyers is fighting for you, and it is up to you to show your loyalty to them.

The store that advertises to trick its customers is almost a relic in this present day.

Many a time you find a bargain that turns out better than the advertisement claimed it to be, and you think somebody, somewhere, has made a mistake. But there was no mistake. It was put there purposely to win your confidence.

Every ounce of human ingenuity is brought to bear upon the advertising of the present day. To write the real story of a single item would be to write a chapter in the history of commerce.

These merchants who have figured on costs till their eyes gave out; these buyers who have studied every angle of their work, are trying to tell you through their advertising just what they have done for you. And the least you can do is to read what they have to say.

The report of all their efforts is in this paper today. The advertising news to you should be interesting news after this.

Meeting of the Roosevelt County Teachers' Association Taiban, New Mexico, February 18-19, 1916

GENERAL SUBJECT:—"VOCATIONAL TRAINING."

FRIDAY MORNING, FEB. 18th.

- Welcome Address..... President R. A. Deen
Reading..... Flodel Davies
"Vocational Training for Retarded Children"..... C. E. Toombs, Miss Lula Burns
"Will Vocational Training Create the Much Needed Interest in School Work?"..... Judd Miller, Fred Orr
Vocal Solo..... Emily Stone
"The Value of Athletics as Related to Vocational Training"..... John Russell, R. W. Moore
"Organization of Boys' and Girls' Industrial Clubs"..... L. L. Brown

FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

- Selection..... Taiban Orchestra
Address..... Hon. L. C. Mersfelder
"Teaching of English that it May Relate to Business Life"..... R. A. Palm, Mrs. Lillian D. Norvell
"What the Great Industries are Doing for Vocational Training"..... R. P. Connally, Mrs. I. M. Elliott
"Farm Life Yesterday and Today"..... A. D. Smith, Miss Mattie Doss Lightower
"One Practical Suggestion on Manual Training or Domestic Science for the Roosevelt County Schools"..... Each Teacher Present

SATURDAY MORNING, FEB. 19th.

- Selection..... Taiban Orchestra
"Does the Study of Science Help in Industrial Education?"..... Miss Julia Dillon, J. V. Bieler
"Vocational Methods in Arithmetic"..... C. P. Stone, Homer Smith
Selection..... Girls' Trio of Taiban High School
"The Importance of Phonic Drills"..... Mrs. Joe Morgan, Miss Zelica Shaw
"What the Boys' and Girls' Clubs are Doing for this State"..... B. H. Hewett, D. R. Shock
"Social Center Work and How it can be Carried Out in Roosevelt County"..... J. E. Owens, Miss Lucille Armstrong
"Story Telling in the Grades"..... Miss Hazelwood Moore, Mrs. I. W. Peerson

SATURDAY EVENING, FEB. 19th.

- Male Quartette..... Boys of Taiban High School
Address..... Mrs. S. F. Culbertson
Violin Solo..... Mrs. John Tyson
Address..... Hon. Alvin N. White
Address..... Hon. J. V. Gallegos
Vocal Solo..... Miss Emily Stone
Other numbers to be arranged by Supt. R. A. Deen.

THIS BANK

IS MORE THAN JUST A BANK

It is your friend. It is the medium of exchange between you and the rest of the world. Its drafts are honored everywhere. It protects your savings. It loans you money when you need it. It exerts a strong influence in upholding the moral and material interests of your community, of yourself. It is safe, it is sound, it is conservative, it is strong. It is a GOOD place for your savings. Your name to an honored check is a good endorsement.

The Portales Bank and Trust Company

KOHL'S GARAGE

First Class Automobile and Gas Engine Repairing

COMPLETE STOCK OF FISK TIRES AND TUBES

LOUIS KOHL, Prop.

W. H. BRALEY & SON INSURANCE

Of all kinds

PORTALES, N. M.

WHY GROW OLD?

We carry Everything You need to preserve that youthful appearance in old age.

PURE DRUGS PRODUCE QUICK RESULTS

GET THEM HERE

EGBERT WOOD, Proprietor

Successor to PORTALES DRUG Co.

White House Grocery Co.

Agents for Wichita best and Golden-seal flour. We especially recommend F. F. O. G. and Punch brands of groceries. Cleanliness and fair dealing is our motto and your patronage will be appreciated.

White House Grocery Co.

LISTEN

If you find a certain road closed to you in life, and ambition lies ahead of it, you must find a way of skirting that path to reach your ambition. If obstacles lie in your way, you must either climb over or find a road around them, and you will, if you are made of the right stuff

BUILD YOU A HOME PORTALES LUMBER CO.

We are prepared to serve you promptly and efficiently.

Our customers have the knowledge that their affairs are in the hands of a strong and conservative bank, whose officers render prompt and courteous attention to every transaction.

MEMBER OF FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF DALLAS
FIRST NATIONAL BANK
of Portales, New Mexico

W. O. OLDHAM P. E. JORDAN H. C. WAGGONER
President Cashier Asst. Cashier

It Always Helps

says Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky., in writing of her experience with Gardui, the woman's tonic. She says further: "Before I began to use Gardui, my back and head would hurt so bad, I thought the pain would kill me. I was hardly able to do any of my housework. After taking three bottles of Gardui, I began to feel like a new woman. I soon gained 35 pounds, and now, I do all my housework, as well as run a big water mill.

I wish every suffering woman would give

GARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

a trial. I still use Gardui when I feel a little bad, and it always does me good." Headache, backache, side ache, nervousness, tired, worn-out feelings, etc., are sure signs of womanly trouble. Signs that you need Gardui, the woman's tonic. You cannot make a mistake in trying Gardui for your trouble. It has been helping weak, ailing women for more than fifty years.

Get a Bottle Today!

We Are Busy

But are never too busy to help you plan your house or figure on your material bill. Our stock is complete at all times and our prices are always enough lower to make it worth while to you to give us your business. . . .

Another Car White Pine Boards at \$3.00 Per Hundred.

Kemp Lumber Company
C. A. SKELTON, Mgr.

KRAKER'S
SELF-FILLING
FOUNTAIN
PEN
THE PEN WITH THE LOCK SECTION
NON LEAKABLE
WE RECOMMEND IT
UNLIMITED GUARANTEE

For Sale by C. M. Dobbs.
FOR SALE—Good Cream Separator. S. N. Hancock, Portales, N. M.

EYES TESTED GLASSES FITTED
W. J. SMITH, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon
Calls answered day or night. Office phone: 18
Residence phone 98
ELIDA, NEW MEXICO

Office hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
L. E. HOUGH,
DENTIST
Office in Reese Building

DR. W. E. PATTERSON
Physician and Surgeon
Phone 67 2 rings
Office in Neer's Drug Store

PLUMBING
Windmill and Repair Work
Estimates Carefully Made
S. HOWELL



The "Clubby" Smoke — "Bull" Durham

You start something lively when you produce "Bull" Durham in a crowd of live-wires and start "rolling your own". That fresh, mellow-sweet fragrance of "Bull" makes everyone reach for "the makings". A hand-rolled "Bull" Durham cigarette brims over with zest and snap and the sparkle of sprightly spirits.

GENUINE "BULL" DURHAM SMOKING TOBACCO

Made of rich, ripe Virginia-North Carolina leaf, "Bull" Durham is the mildest, most enjoyable tobacco in the world. Its unique aroma and pleasing flavor give you wholesome, lasting satisfaction. No other cigarette can be so full of life and youthful vigor as a fresh-rolled cigarette of "Bull" Durham. "Roll your own" with "Bull" and you'll discover a new joy in smoking.



FREE An Illustrated Booklet, showing correct way to "Roll Your Own" Cigarettes, and a package of cigarette papers, will both be mailed, free, to any address in U. S. on request. Address "Bull" Durham, Durham, N. C.



How's Your Appetite?

Yes, you will find people around here whose appetites are not of the best. But then, you will also find some people who do not buy their groceries from us. On the other hand, you will find a great many of our people who never lack for an appetite, whose digestion is never impaired, who are enjoying life to the fullest extent. And you will find a vast number of people who buy their groceries from us. Which class are you in? Which class do you want to be in? Think this over.

PHONE 38 **C. V. Harris** PHONE 38

Suppressing the Fly.

In the early spring before the eggs have been laid, is the proper time to start a crusade against our old enemy the fly. Begin this spring with a clean-up campaign in your locality, interest the boys' and girls' clubs, in the movement. The old saying, "An ounce of preventative is worth a pound of cure," surely holds true in the case of the fly. How much safer and easier it is to keep flies out of our homes by proper screening, trapping, and destroying their breeding places, than to get them out when they are once in. Various methods have been proposed to rid us of these pests. The slogan of "Swat the fly" has gone over the country. Fly paper, some sticky and some poisonous, and various sorts of fly poisons, are sold in large quantities in our

drug stores. All these help somewhat, but the only rational and sure way is to prevent breeding. Clean up. Do not allow manure or filth of any sort to stand around the yards or stables. Keep all out houses in clean and sanitary condition. The garbage can is a breeding place relished by the fly. Construct it so flies cannot gain entrance. The Government spends annually over one million dollars for the prevention of epidemics and the betterment of the public health. Let's help in the good work by preventing the fly. The citizen who fails to recognize his responsibility toward health is a handicap to progress. Community action is necessary for a successfully waged warfare against the fly. Set a date for clean-up day this spring. Make it early. Prevent the fly—State College N. M.

Texas Breweries Fined \$276,000.

Six brewing companies in Texas have agreed to pay penalties aggregating \$276,000 and forfeit their charters. They will accept an injunction restraining them from violating state anti-trust laws and contributing to political funds. Forfeiture of charters means the companies will be reorganized. The Dallas Brewing company refused to plead guilty and will ask a jury trial.

Seven Die From Wood Alcohol.

Since the prohibition law went into effect in the state of Washington there have been seven deaths in Seattle from the indulgence in wood alcohol.

FOR SALE—Several head of good three and four year old mules. Prices to suit. Call on Joe Bradley at Arch, N. M. 7-4.



PRODUCING EGGS IN WINTER

Keep Before Hens Constant Supply of High Protein—Meat Scrap, Grit and Fresh Water.

Keep before the hens that you are using for winter egg production, a constant supply of high protein meat scrap, complete grit, crushed oyster shell, and supply fresh, clean water abundantly and regularly, and see to it that the water does not become frozen in cold weather, as there has been no invention forthcoming from our geniuses in this line of industry which will provide the chicken with an icepick.

Animal food is extremely essential in securing heavy winter egg yield, and as a rule, this can best be supplied in the form of meat scrap, as it is the most economical and convenient form obtainable.

Fowls greatly prefer green-cut bone, and if it is practical, we should respect our feathered friends' tastes as near as possible.

BREED FROM VIGOROUS HENS

Ideal Mating for Breeding Purposes is Yearling Cocks With Well-Developed Yearling Females.

(By J. E. DOUGHERTY, University of California, College of Agriculture.)
The production of a large egg containing a strong embryo and plenty of nourishment requires that a hen possess well-matured productive organs. It is necessary that the embryo have plenty of space within the



Five-Month-Old Barred Rock Pullet, Owned by Fred Kuntz, Forest Glen, Ill.

shell in which to grow but also be supplied with an abundance of food materials with which to make that growth. A pullet does not ordinarily possess reproductive organs sufficiently well developed to produce such an egg. Therefore a pullet does not produce as good hatching eggs and is not as desirable for breeding purposes as is the yearling hen. The pullet necessarily utilizes some of her eggs in further growth and development. After attaining her full size, she still has to fill out and mature, as well as strengthen her laying organs through use.

Among the Mediterranean class of fowls, such as the Leghorn and Minorca, the males seem to develop sexually more rapidly than the females. Well-developed Mediterranean cockerels are therefore very often used as breeders when mated with yearling hens. The ideal mating, however, for breeding purposes, is that of vigorous yearling cocks with well-developed yearling hens.

DAMAGED WHEAT FOR FOWLS

Large Part of Crop Unfit for Milling Can Be Fed to Poultry—Hold on to Late Pullets.

The frequent statement that a large part of the winter wheat crop will prove unfit for milling should be encouraging to poultry-keepers as indicating cheaper feed this winter. The proportion is put at 60,000,000 to 100,000,000 bushels out of 600,000,000 bushels. It is said that it can be fed to hogs. It can also be fed to chickens, if not too musty. Caution should be used as the point. "It's an ill wind that blows nobody good," and poultry-keepers should not be in haste to market late-hatched pullets on the ground that it will cost too much to feed them until spring.

High Egg Production.

Some of the characteristics in fowls of high egg production are: Late molt and rough appearance, pale shanks, black ear lobes, and wide-spread pelvic bones. The activity of the fowl is a very good indication of high egg production.

Cull the Flock Early.

Begin to cull early, selecting the more promising ones and see that they have an abundance of room, not only in yards, but in roosting quarters as well.

NEW MEXICO STATE NEWS

COMMERCIAL EVENTS.
 March Meeting, Pecos and Southwestern Stockmen's Associations at Albuquerque.

Work building is going on in Gallup. Roads around Lakewood are to be improved.

Tularosa soon will have a municipal water system.

Tularosa sent out 400 carloads of freight in 1915.

Las Vegas is soon to have a Knights of Pythias lodge.

Maxwell has secured a site for a city hall and jail.

Bernalillo county is to have a county agricultural agent.

Fire in a Deming lumber yard did about \$7,000 damage.

Springer's new automobile fire truck has been placed in service.

Deming business men raised \$7,000 for an advertising campaign.

The Roswell high school will meet many rivals in debate this year.

James G. Kerr of Deming has recovered two horses stolen from him.

Articles of incorporation have been filed by the Curvo church of Curvo.

Dexter has been loading out from fifteen to twenty cars a day of alfalfa hay.

The Willard railroad station was robbed of \$50 in cash, a watch and a ring.

Taylor & Powers will prospect for oil in the Red Hill country near Torrijón.

January snowfall totals over twenty-five inches, the largest amount in over thirty years.

John Long, a pioneer of Tularosa, died in the Soldiers' Home at Santa A. Cal.

Gallup school children who could show a recent scar were vaccinated.

A one-room adobe school house at Buoyeros, Union county, valued at approximately \$1,000, was destroyed by fire.

R. W. Willard of the state engineer's force, has gone to the Pecos valley to survey the new Lakewood-Carlsbad road.

Neil B. Sampson, a member of the state engineer's force, has gone to Silver City to survey the new Silver City-Lordsburg highway.

J. D. Shannon of Lakewood claims to have located a good vein of water about 300 feet beneath Willard C. Bates' ranch property.

Callisto Cortez, a Mexican who was injured in a fall of rock at Gibson, a mining town near Gallup, two months ago, died of his injuries.

The state land commissioner, R. P. Ervies, has announced that lists of vacant school lands now are available and may be had by those interested.

March 31 is the date set for a public auction of Goffax county dry farm land in an announcement made by the state land commissioner.

The Bluewater school house, in the Sacramento mountains, Otero county, was destroyed by fire, making the third school to be burned this year.

The trustees of the town of Deming ordered drastic measures to be taken against anyone unlawfully trespassing within the city limits.

Roosevelt county school officials, at a meeting, established a flat scale for teachers' salaries. First grade certificate holders are to get \$70 a month; second graders, \$60 and third graders, \$50.

The fight of Miss Claude Albright, New Mexico's grand opera singer, to obtain a share of an estate valued at \$15,000 left by her mother some time ago, has been carried to the State Supreme Court.

Vallejo Bass, former district attorney of Socorro county, was acquitted by a jury at El Paso, Tex., on a charge of murdering Celestino Otero in El Paso on Jan. 31, 1915. Bass claimed self-defense.

Disemboweled, his arm almost severed and his head frightfully crushed, Francisco Gonzalez, an employe of the Wells store quarry, a short distance west of Las Vegas, was instantly killed in a fall of rock.

Dr. George E. Ladd, president of the State Agricultural College, is urging all farmers and stockmen of the state to call upon the college for information on any subject allied with their business.

Walter Baber of Glenris has returned after a stay of some time in Mexico. Mr. Baber was at Chihuahua at the time of the Santa Ysabel massacre and helped make wooden boxes to receive the bodies of the victims.

Governor McDonald appointed Francisco Montoya of Bernalillo, Sandoval county, a member of the State Sheep Industry Board to take the place of Jose Y. Aragon of Socorro, resigned.

That the germs of hog cholera cannot stand three months of New Mexico's summer weather appear to have been proved by an experiment conducted at the Agricultural college.

The Roosevelt county sheriff, George C. Dean, has offered a reward of \$50 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of anyone selling liquor unlawfully in that county.

MANBY ASKS NEW TRIAL

"PASSION AND PREJUDICE" IMPUTED TO JURY BY DEFENDANT

Declares No Evidence of Mental Anguish and Files Motion to Set Aside \$16,700 Waddell Verdict.

Santa Fé, N. M.—Charging the jurors with "passion and prejudice" for bringing in a verdict of \$16,700 for Miss Margaret A. E. Waddell, of Los Angeles, in her breach of promise suit against A. R. Manby of Taos, which was a sensational suit tried recently before U. S. District Judge William H. Pope, attorneys have filed a motion to set the verdict aside and grant a new trial. It will be recalled that the jury granted \$12,000, instead of the \$45,000 asked, for heart balm, and \$4,700 for expenses alleged to have been incurred by Miss Waddell while waiting for defendant to lead her to the altar. Of this sum \$700 was given by the jurors for the bride's trousseau.

The motion to set aside raises the interesting question whether a defendant in a breach of promise suit can be forced legally to pay \$700 for a trousseau the plaintiff swears cost only \$650; moreover, can the defendant be forced to pay for a trousseau when nearly all of it was used by the plaintiff?

The motion also attacks the verdict of \$12,000 for mental anguish, etc., declaring that there was no evidence that Miss Waddell suffered anguish to that value.

When the jurors brought in the verdict they answered nine questions put to them by the court, specifying various sums they deemed it fair to give to plaintiff and it is these various amounts that the defendant declares unjust, winding up his four typewritten pages of objections with the declaration: "It must be deduced that the entire verdict of the jury is tainted with passion and prejudice, and is the result of passion and prejudice on the part of the jury."

Three Sisters Killed in Auto Wreck.

Deming, N. M.—Three sisters, including twins, were killed instantly and a fourth person was probably fatally injured, near here, when an automobile in which they were riding was struck by an Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fé passenger train at a crossing. The dead are: Louise, 19; Sophronia, 19; and Edna, 16, all daughters of E. R. Vallandingham, editor of the Deming Headlight. George Critchett, driver of the car, was probably fatally injured. The father of the girls, who also was a passenger, received only slight injuries.

Over 2,000 Teachers in State.

Santa Fé—Figures compiled from the annual reports of county superintendents by Chief Clerk R. F. Asplund of the department of education show that last year there were 1,936 persons engaged in educational work in New Mexico and with the increases known to have taken place it is apparent that there now are over 2,000 so engaged. Last year's teachers drew an aggregate salary of \$981,890.85, or something over \$507 a year each.

McKinley County Stockmen Organize.

Gallup—Over 100 McKinley county stockmen joined in forming a county association at Crownpoint, a feature of which was the membership of a number of prominent Indians from that reservation. T. P. Talle of Gallup was elected president, with Joe Teltchen vice president and F. S. Stacher secretary-treasurer. The organization was formed to fight stock thieves, who have become very numerous.

Live Stock for New Mexico Forests.

Albuquerque—Secretary Houston's authorization for the New Mexico and Arizona forests for the season of 1916 is 419,850 head of cattle and horses; 925,150 head of sheep and goats, and 1,825 head of swine, as against 421,300 head of cattle and horses; 931,000 head of sheep and goats and 3,500 head of swine for the grazing season of 1915.

Sixth Accidental Shooting of Year.

Tyrone—The sixth accidental shooting of the year in this state has been recorded here, Noa Sumalt, a twelve-year-old boy, having shot a native lad of about the same age with a .22 rifle.

Measles Break Out at Indian School.

Santa Fé—Measles have broken out at the Indian school here, fifteen cases being reported. None of the patients is seriously ill.

Curry Teachers to Meet.

Clovis—The Curry County Teachers' Association will meet here Feb. 5. An elaborate and interesting program has been arranged.

Governor Commutes Kinney Sentence.

Santa Fé—The governor commuted to ninety-nine years imprisonment the death sentence of Austin Kinney, the sixty-five-year-old Van Houten negro, condemned to hang for murder at Raton. The governor went to the scene of the crime and made a personal investigation of the case. It was claimed in extenuation that the negro killed by Kinney as he slept had fully convinced Kinney that he was going to kill the latter that night if Kinney did not get him first.

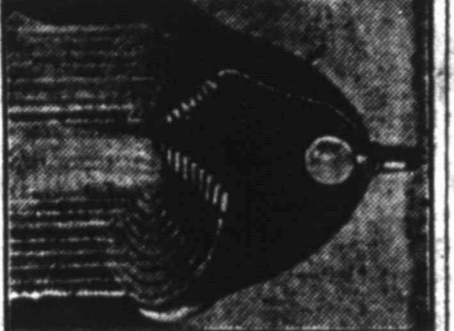
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upward direction are caught by the tilted section of the "lattice work," reflected first downward and then outward in a horizontal direction. A few rays are permitted to escape downward—Popular Science Monthly and World's Advance.

DEMANDS CAR OF QUALITY

Farmer Usually Buys Automobile for Service, and is Not Easy Purchaser to Deceive.

"When the farmer buys a motor car he has to be shown," says a sales executive. "He doesn't take anything on say so. And he particularly searches for the hidden quality. The average city man is very strong for looks and design, but only in rare cases is he possessed of much knowledge of mechanics and then, too, he is schooled in the proposition that even if something goes wrong with his car it is only a step to a garage.

"But the countryman adopts an entirely different attitude when he buys a car. He is usually motor wise. He has been operating his farm machinery by gasoline engine and is familiar with the principle and operation of motors. He has before him at all times the thought that he must have a car that will 'take him there and back.' In other words, he will not take chances on a car that may strand him ten miles from home and three or four from help.

"He is a close reader of motor-car advertising literature. In most cases when he plans buying a car he has been giving the subject thought for a year or so and reading up on it. He keeps the salesman on his toes with his questions and he demands absolute frankness."

Leaking of Flange Joint.

Nothing is more exasperating than the persistent leaking of a flange joint on the manifold, where copper is used for the gasket. The trouble, however, nearly always can be remedied by cutting a groove around the post with a cold chisel and another around the hole in the flange. When the studs which hold the manifold in place are drawn up, the gasket is compressed and partly fills the groove, sealing the joint.

Care of Spare Tires.

Don't put spare tubes under the rear seat and expect them to be useful in case of a puncture unless the spare tube is carefully wrapped up. The constant rattling and vibration causes the unwrapped tube to rub against objects with which it comes in contact, and in a very short time holes are worn through the tube. Put it in a cloth bag.

Winter Tops Popular.

The winter top, which takes the place of the regular touring top, and can be mounted on a car in a very short time, converts the open touring car into a snug limousine at small expense. For winter use such tops are coming to be absolute necessities, since they give all the rough-weather protection of the limousine at a small added cost over the fixed expense of operating a touring car.

Keeping Hands Clean.

When working about a car on jobs that necessitate a good deal of dabbling in dirty oil, the stuff gets under the fingernails and is extremely difficult to remove. If a little soap is scratched off a cake and worked under the nails before beginning the work, the oil will not get far and its removal will be an easy matter.

Don't Overprime Motor.

During the cold weather care must be taken not to overprime the motor. Gasoline does not vaporize readily at low temperatures. If overpriming is suspected it is well to open the compression reliefs, in order to clear the cylinders.

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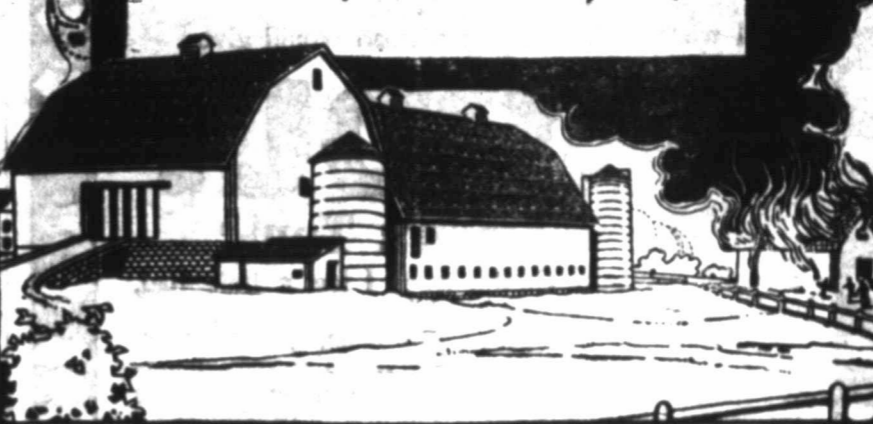
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TO TAXPAYERS

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CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Fort Sumner, N. M. Jan. 28, 1916.

To Bea White, of Roosevelt, New Mexico. Contestee: You are hereby notified that John Charles Wilcox, who gives himself as N. M. as his postoffice address, did on Jan. 28, 1916, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your Homestead Entry No. Serial No. 011551 made Sept. 10th, 1914 for SW 1-4 Section 22, Township 2 S range 29 E N. M. P. Meridian and as grounds for his contest he alleges that the entries to said land were abandoned the land May 1915 that he has not cultivated or lived on the land since that time.

You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken by this office as having been contested by you, and your said entry will be canceled thereunder without your further right to be heard therein, either before this office or on appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the fourth publication of this notice, as shown below, your answer, under oath, specifically meeting and responding to these allegations of contest, or if you fail within that time to file in this office due proof that you have served a copy of your answer on the said contestant either in person or by registered mail. If this service is made by the delivery of a copy of your answer to the contestant in person, proof of such service must be either the said contestant's written acknowledgment of his receipt of the copy, showing the date of its receipt, or the affidavit of the person by whom the copy was delivered; if made by registered mail, proof of such service must consist of the affidavit of the person by whom the copy was mailed stating when and the post office to which it was mailed, and this affidavit must be accompanied by the postmaster's receipt for the letter.

You should state in your answer the name of the post office to which you desire future notices to be sent to you.

A. J. Evans, Receiver.
Date of first publication Feb. 3, 1916.
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Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Fort Sumner, N. M. Jan. 28, 1916.
Notice is hereby given that John B. Kennard of Elida, N. M., who on Sept. 5, 1912 made Homestead entry No. 010523 for NE 1-4 Section 19 Township 4 S range 22 E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. A. Coffey, U. S. Commissioner in his office at Elida, N. M., on the 7 day of March 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Benjamin A. Pundleton, Samuel E. Jackson, Wiley Todd all of Elida, N. M. and Charles V. Bassett of Redlake, N. M.
A. J. Evans, register

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NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT.

No. 1184.

The State of New Mexico to Viva I. Bussey, Ida Bussey, John Bussey, Frank Bussey, Everett Bussey and George Bussey, Greeting:
You and each of you will take notice that a suit has been filed against you in the district court of the Fifth judicial district of the state of New Mexico, in and for the county of Roosevelt, where in Joyce-Fruit Company, a corporation, and J. M. Rockwell are plaintiffs and the said Viva I. Bussey, Ida Bussey, John Bussey, Frank Bussey, Everett Bussey, Iva Bussey and George Bussey are defendants, said cause being numbered on the civil docket of said court as No. 1184.

The nature and objects of said suit is to divide and partition between the parties to this action the following described lands, to-wit: The southwest quarter of section 4 township 1 south range 29 east N. M. P. M. in Roosevelt county, New Mexico, according to the respective interest of the parties, it being alleged that plaintiff, Joyce-Fruit company, is the owner of a one undivided half interest in said lands; plaintiff, J. M. Rockwell, an undivided one-fourth interest in said lands, and all the defendants, together an undivided one-fourth interest in said lands, and to have said respective interests set apart to said parties, partitioned and divided and in the event said lands can not be divided without prejudice to the respective interests of said parties to have same sold as may be provided by law, and further to have a lien decreed against the respective interests of said parties for the pro rata amount of the costs and expense incurred in this action.

You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 24th day of March, 1916, judgment by default will be rendered against you and said lands partitioned and divided according to the respective interests of the parties and plaintiffs be given the relief demanded in their complaint.

T. E. Means is attorney for plaintiffs and his business and postoffice address is Portales, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court, this February 2nd, 1916.
[Seal] J. W. Hallow, Clerk.
7-4t By Guy P. Mitchell, Deputy.

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Fifty thousand German troops have arrived at Constantinople, according to Shewki dispatches, for the purpose of supporting the authority of the Turkish war minister, Enver Pasha. Greek reports say that the Turks recently have been restive under the rule of Enver Pasha and serious plots against him have been discovered, these being suppressed ruthlessly.

Leggins for 10,000,000 Soldiers.

The Army Leggins Company, with plant located at Sand Spring Okla., has received a contract from the French government for 10,000,000 pairs of leggins. Six hundred leather workers will be employed on the contract.

Munitions Tax to Pay Bill.

A bill to make war munitions pay for the proposed national defense has been introduced in the United States Senate by Senator Robinson, of Arkansas, who would tax high explosives two cents a pound and levy an excess tax of \$500 on each manufacturer of explosives. The bill also fixes an ad valorem tax of ten per cent, on implements of war and vessels of all kinds. It exempts materials manufactured for the United States.

ATTENTION!

All Knights of Pythias, Whether in Good Standing or Not.

In line with a movement to establish a national Pythian sanitarium, it is desired to gather statistics as to the number of members of the order in New Mexico. These statistics are desired for the purpose of submitting to the supreme lodge, Knights of Pythias, at its meeting in Portland, Oregon, in August, 1916, in order that the Pythian membership in this state may be known.

All Knights of Pythias, who are or who were members of lodges outside of New Mexico, now living in New Mexico, are requested to fill out the coupon below and mail it to Hugh H. Williams, supreme representative, Santa Fe, N. M.:

Out This Out.

Undersigned was or is a member of Lodge No. Knights of Pythias, located in State of

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Signed

Address

Process for Publication.

The State of New Mexico, to Hilliard Adamson, Silas Adamson, Simon Adamson, Martin Adamson, Larkin Adamson, Z. T. Roberts, Mrs. Mary Watson, E. K. Roberts, L. L. Naugle, J. J. Naugle, Mrs. Ross Robinson, E. J. Naugle, Marshall Mayberry, all unknown heirs at law of James M. Adamson, deceased, and all other persons having any interest in the premises:

You will take notice that a suit has been filed against you in the district court of the Fifth judicial district of the State of New Mexico, in and for Roosevelt county, wherein W. C. Naugle, administrator, is plaintiff, and you, the above named, are all the unknown heirs at law of James M. Adamson, deceased, and all other persons having or claiming any interest in the premises, are defendants, said cause being numbered 1180 upon the civil docket of said court.

The general objects of said action are as follows: The plaintiff, who is the administrator of the estate of James M. Adamson, deceased, and who was duly appointed such administrator of the estate of said deceased by the county court of Tarrant county, Texas, and who has filed in the Probate court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, a certified copy of the proceedings of his appointment, and qualification, by virtue of said appointment by said county court of Tarrant county, Texas, seeks to sell the following described real estate belonging to said estate of said James M. Adamson, deceased, to-wit:

Lots three and four and the east half of the southwest quarter of section eighteen in township four north of range thirty-one west of the New Mexico meridian, New Mexico; that the sale of said real estate is sought because valid claims and debts against said estate have been filed and allowed approximating the sum of three hundred twelve and 67-100 dollars; and because the deceased left no personal estate whatever out of which said debts can be paid, and it having become necessary to sell said real estate to pay said debts.

You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 23rd day of March, 1916, judgment by default will be taken against you and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

You are further notified that George L. Reese is attorney for the plaintiff and that his post office address is Portales, New Mexico.
Witness my hand and seal of office this 22nd day of January, 1916.
[Seal] J. W. Hallow, Clerk.

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NO PLACE FOR COUNTERFEITS

Difficulty of Replenishing and Starting Herds With Good Animals Worries Dairy Farmer.

The development of the increasing demand for well-bred dairy cattle is based upon the recognition of the fact that, under present production conditions, the counterfeit dairy cow has no place on the pasture or in the feed-yard.

During the past few years, difficulty in replenishing and starting herds with good animals has confronted the



Select Animals on Wisconsin Dairy Farm.

dairy farmer at every turn. High feed bills have demonstrated the futility of expecting satisfactory returns when keeping poor producers, and the wide-awake, progressive, business dairymen are centering their demands on merit, of which there must be a greater supply to meet this demand. Foreign competition has created a well grounded impression that the most effective way of evading it is by greater production per animal and better products.

BUILDING UP A DAIRY HERD

Not Necessary to Go to Great Expense, but Few Years of Time Are Required for Purpose.

Are you satisfied with your present herd of nonpaying common cows? If not why not begin now to improve them and get out of the old rut? When developing the dairy herd from common stock it is not necessary to go to great expense, but a few years of time are necessary in which to accomplish this.

The amount of time called for will to some extent, be dependent upon the character of the stock that you now have, or the one you intend to use for a foundation herd.

In some instances two or three generations of correct breeding will build up a common herd to a fine paying herd. In other instances a longer time will be required but it should not require more than four or five generations to effect the changes sought.

NEED OF WATER FOR A CALF

Necessity Not Generally Understood and Young Animal is Quite Frequently Painfully Thirsty.

The young calf does not receive all the moisture it needs from the skim milk which it gets as a regular ration. At a very early age it will drink a little water if it has an opportunity and it will do this a number of times during the day.

It is a good plan to have water before it at all times. This need of the calf for water is not generally understood and the young animal is usually painfully thirsty as well as hungry at feeding time. The result is that it gorges itself with the milk or drinks too rapidly when it has a chance. Thus it does not get the full benefit of the milk and digestive troubles will result. Remember that milk is the calf's food. Water should be its drink.

Care of Calf After Weaning.
Make sure that the calf does not get to the cow again, once it is separated from her and put on the skim milk diet, as it will tend to spoil, not only the calf, but will cause the cow to worry after the calf and reduce her milk flow.

Leave Calf With Cow.
It is a good practice to let the calf suck the cow for about forty-eight hours after birth, after which it should be taken from its mother. In the case of a weak calf, however, it is better to let it remain two or three days longer.

Cleanliness is Necessary.
In raising calves, remember that cleanliness in all of the feeding operations is extremely necessary.

Use Artificial Coloring.
If it is desired to use artificial coloring, it should be added to the cream just before churning.

CENTS AT WORK

Wanted—1500 cattle to pasture. Good grass and plenty of water, and no loco. Will take cattle by the month or will lease pasture. Its the old Six-shooter Pasture. K. O. Rogers, Redlake, N. M. 48 tf

Rosa Taft's Dandelion Registered No. 135143. Jersey, at my place, \$2.50. W. P. Pitts, 52 tf.

Rosa Taft's Dandelion took first over all Jerseys at the County Fair, Oct. at W. P. Pitts place, one mile east of town. 52 tf.

WANTED—Woman for housework, for two months. See Fred Willhoit, three and one-half miles east of town.

WANTED—To lease a small ranch. Address Box 264 Portales, New Mexico.

For Sale—Four thorough bred Poland China boars. At a bargain if taken soon. See Carl Mueller for particulars. 4t

FOR SALE or trade 2 lots adjoining First National Bank on South. See C. A. Skelton at Kemp Lumber Co., 1tp.

FOR SALE or Trade.—Good as new piano. Will go at a bargain. For particulars call at this office. 7-2tp.

FOR SALE.—100 white leg horn hens and pullets; Walter Crow.

STRAYED.—Light red sow pig, weight about 35 pounds, Walker Caswell, Phone 91.

FOR SALE or for Rent for the year 1916, the following quarter section—the N. E. 1/4, sec. 10, Twp 4 S., R. 34 E. N. M. P. M., formerly known as the Clarence Bray property. I will sell on easy terms with interest at six per cent on deferred payments. Chas. D. Savage, Streator, Illinois. 7-2tp.

FOR SALE.—One fine grade Duroc Boar about one year old out of good Duroc sow and Dur Bois registered boar. As I cannot conveniently keep this animal will sell him for 6 1/2 cents per pound cash f. o. b. yprd. A. A. Rogers. 8-2t.

WANTED.—50 young Barred Rock hens; good layers. Highest market price. Phone 192. T. A. Bell.

FULL BLOOD Plymouth Rock Roosters for Sale, \$1.50. Call or write C. C. Price, Redlake, N. M. 6-3t.

FOR SALE.—Twelve head of pigs. Harley Thompson, Portales, New Mexico. 6tf.

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Carl Mundt



J. A. Burkett of Cromer was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

J. G. Tyson, wife and children were visitors from Taiban last Saturday.

Chas. Dennis and son, accompanied by their wives were business visitors from Clovis Monday.

Ed L. Wall, R. C. Akers and B. W. Kinsolving of Elida made this office a substantial call Monday.

Bob Kornegay and brother and Arch Gregg of Delphos were Portales visitors Monday.

Banker George Williamson was a business visitor at the Bill Elliott ranch out on the Pecos the first of the week.

What has become of the old fashioned "society" that used to plant a tree in the park on each anniversary of its organization?

A. R. Self of Elida made this office a substantial call Wednesday.

FOR SALE or trade.—One 1000 pound bay mare. Lee Carter. 8-21.

Mrs. George Henderson and children left Saturday for Estelone, Texas, where they will visit for some time with her parents.

Mack Kennedy, of Childress, Texas, arrived the latter part of last week for a visit with the family of Q. L. Metz, southeast of town.

F. R. Reese and family, who have been in Portales for the past couple of months visiting J. K. Reese and wife, left Wednesday morning for Albuquerque, El Paso and Pacific coast points. Their home is in Houston.

L. Gail, an experienced telephone man from Chicago but now a Roosevelt county farmer east of town, was acting as extra man for the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Company this week on wiring work around the town.

WANTED!

Chickens, Eggs and Cow Hides

Will pay the Highest Cash price for the above. It will pay you to see me before you sell. : : : :

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..J. A. SAYLOR..



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RED FEATHER FARM

R. W. Connally left Sunday for the western part of the state where he goes on coal business.

Will Slaton and W. F. Page were in with loads from Richland community Monday.

Oliver Gore and A. B. Crane, Upton, were in Tuesday on business.

Emmett Gore was in Tuesday in his Ford looking after business matters.

W. G. Upton, one of Upton's prosperous farmers and stockmen was in the capitol city Monday attending to business matters.

Why don't we think now of that smart thing we should have said which will come into our minds tomorrow?

Mrs. H. W. Shepard of Roswell was in the city the first of the week getting out a church directory for the Methodist church and she was liberally patronized by the business men of the city.

D. E. Coleman, an old friend of W. H. Braley was in the city the first part of the week. Mr. Coleman is from Ada, Oklahoma, and is looking over the eastern part of New Mexico, possibly with a view to settling.

Mrs. Mahaffey left this week for Kansas City, and Chicago, where she goes to purchase a spring stock of millinery. She intends to open an up-to-date millinery store and will be ready for business March the 1st.

R. O. Stoner and H. O. Lewis, friends of the Horneys, left Tuesday morning for Texas, Kansas and Illinois points, after a visit here for a couple of weeks. The boys live in Jamestown, Ohio.

Chas. Caldwell of Elida was a business visitor in the city Saturday. Charlie has developed into a pedagogue, whatever that is, and from all reports is making good.

W. K. Hollifield and Charley Evans, stockmen of the Dereno neighborhood, were in town the latter part of last week. They state that their cattle are doing fine and they look for a big calf crop.

C. H. Covington and sister of Elida were among the visitors in the city Saturday. Since the completion of the road over the sands we have many Elida people as our guests practically every day and we are glad that such is the case. The road will no doubt do much towards promoting good will between the two towns.

Gene Mayo Returns.

Gene Mayo, the blind broom maker, and well known in Portales and Roosevelt county returned from east Texas Saturday. He has been gone for about a year but said that he could not resist the temptation to return to a good country. He has again taken charge of his broom shop and will supply the market here and elsewhere with the best brooms ever. We are glad to welcome him back.

Democratic Harmony.

The Herald-Times man interviewed Hon. T. E. Mears, upon his return from Santa Fe, where, as State Committeeman from Roosevelt county, he attended the meeting of the Democratic State Central Committee, which had convened for the purpose of electing a successor to Chairman, J. H. Paxton, resigned. Mr. Mears is of the opinion that the election of Hon. N. B. Laughlin to succeed Mr. Paxton, was a wise selection under the circumstances. While Judge Laughlin has been fighting the battles of democracy and clean politics in New Mexico for the past forty years and is somewhat advanced in years, he has the confidence and respect of everyone, regardless of politics, American or Spanish-American, and his democracy is unquestioned, and he is still vigorous in body and more so intellectually.

A wise selection of a state ticket from United States Senator down, with fair and just consideration for the Spanish-Americans on this ticket, and with proper energy on the part of the democrats of the state, in Mr. Mears' opinion insure democratic success, and give to the state a clean administration of its offices and its laws, a matter that every citizen is vitally interested in; and should be doubly so at this time in view of the past history of New Mexico.

One of the most interesting features incident to the State committee meeting, in Mr. Mears' opinion was the visit to Santa Fe at that time of Hon. A. A. Jones, of Las Vegas, New Mex., First Assistant Secretary of the Interior, and the address by Mr. Jones in the Senate Chamber at the Capital building to a large and enthusiastic audience. It will be remembered that to Mr. Jones, perhaps more than any other man, we owe the provisions incorporated in the constitution and popularly known as the "Blue Ballot." It will also be remembered that Mr. Jones, as First Assistant Secretary of the Interior, drew what is known as the "640 acre homestead bill," introduced in the last Congress by Mr. Fergusson, and has been reintroduced in the present Congress and has passed the House and is now in the Senate and is being backed by the Administration through influence of Mr. Jones, and in fact it would appear that through his influence, the Interior Department is endeavoring to formulate provisions into law, by which the "Homesteader" will be enabled to secure sufficient lands in this "Sunshine State" of ours to enable him to become a prosperous and substantial citizen and avoid the hardships and the failures endured by so many in the past. All of which goes to show that Mr. Jones never loses an opportunity to use his great ability for the best interests of the State of New Mexico and the upbuilding of its citizens generally; a fact which should make us all regret that we have not had a statesman of Mr. Jones' ability, and whose heart is in the right place, in our National Council for all these years. That he is regarded, by all, as one of the big men of the present Administration goes without saying.

Mr. Mears stated that in his splendid address, Mr. Jones gave a new and added meaning to the Administration's program of "Preparedness." That it not only included the enlargement of the Army and Navy and the training of citizens in the arts of national defense and the use of arms and the care of the health of the soldier in the camp all of which will constitute our strongest guaranty of peace, which all desire; but in addition to these, the program included a national system of good roads and the efficient training of the citizens in the various sciences, so important in the welfare and advancement of the individual citizen in his usual avocations in time of peace, which has been so forcibly exemplified in the individual training of the German citizen in his home life; thus making the citizen the greatest possible force in behalf of his own prosperity as a citizen as well as enabling him to render so much greater service for his country in time of need.

Doss Items.

We are enjoying fine weather for February. Everybody seems to be very busy getting ready to farm. The mill man reports a large run last Saturday.

Quite a number of our community went to Portales last Saturday.

Mr. Dunn has moved to the Grimes place for the present.

All who attended the spelling Saturday night report a nice time.

There is a Literary Society organized in the Doss community. They will meet Friday night, Feb. 18th if the weather will permit, if not, the next Friday night. Everybody come and take a part, you are welcome.

Jerry Moore and family visited Guy Mathews and family Sunday.

Charley Salter and the Stewart boys visited the Hoover boys Sunday.

Mr. Dunn butchered some nice hogs Thursday.

Joe Naylor and family visited G. S. Hatch and family Sunday.

P. O. Naylor and family visited the Tinsley home Sunday.

Misses Fannie and Esther Tinsley visited home folks Sunday.

Virgil Howard returned home Saturday night from the trapping camp. He reports bad luck so far. He will return in a few days.

There was a large audience in Sunday school Sunday evening.

Our school is progressing nicely so reports Prof. Stinnett.

Ned Moore visited at H. Y. Freemans Sunday.

There was a singing at J. A. Tinsley's Sunday. All who attended report a nice time.

J. N. Howard has a nice bunch of cows. He sells one once and awhile.

We have three new students in school this week.

FOR SALE.—15 ton No. 2 alfalfa hay. Inquire Edward Miller, one mile north of Bethel, Portales, N. M.

Enters Contest.

Miss Lila Fuller, Portales, has entered the "Beauty and Brains" contest being conducted by PHOTOPLAY MAGAZINE.

The proposition is to send eleven young women to the World Film Corporation Studios at Fort Lee, New Jersey, across the river from New York City, where they will be given a thorough tryout as film actresses. All of their expenses will be paid on this trip and if they show any talent they will be given contracts for a period of not less than one year at regular salaries paid to stars.

Card of Thanks.

To all who so kindly and willingly assisted us during the recent illness and death of our son and brother, we extend our heartfelt thanks and gratitude. We shall ever hold in loving remembrance, those whose sympathy and help, was so kindly given.

Mrs. Hundley and family.

Morrison Gets Car Apples.

Uncle Josh Morrison the first of the week received a car of apples from Roswell and has them stored at the R. M. Sanders building on the west side of the square.

Lost Last Thursday.

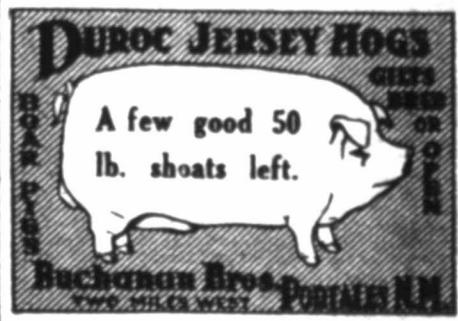
On road to Bethel, Navajo, horse blanket, has been used as a saddle blanket. Return to Gryder's wagon yard and receive reward. Henry Ketchel. 8-1tp.

Notice.

I have bought the notes and accounts of the Hardy Hardware Company and would be glad if you will call and settle same at once. J. B. Sledge.

The Teachers' Meeting.

Taiban people are now eagerly preparing, planning, for the Roosevelt County Teachers' Association meeting which will be in Taiban, Friday and Saturday 18th and 19th. The program is given on the last page of this paper.—Taiban News.



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