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THE FORT WORTH ALBUQUERQUE RY.

The proposed railroad from Fort Worth to Albuquerque is a certainty. The question of the precise route, especially from Lubbock onward to Albuquerque is however by no means agreed upon. The fact is, that Lubbock has offered \$100,000 bonus and it is understood that the line to that point has been definitely fixed. From Lubbock, however, three possible routes are before the promoters of this road. One route lies parallel to the Santa Fe to Texico and perhaps Tucumcari; another is by way of Portales to Tucumcari and Dawson; while the third is by way of Roswell to Albuquerque. And now comes the news that Hereford offers the promoters of this road \$100,000 to include their ambitious little berg in the line. There are some things to be said for each possible route; while it is very evident that the route by Portales to Tucumcari has the odds in its favor. For example, Roswell is bidding \$100,000 for the road and has many other inducements to offer. Nevertheless it is too far out of line to make it worth while to consider this as a possible route unless other conditions were overwhelming. Not only so, but the large coal fields which the Portales-Tucumcari route would tap would be missed altogether. Then a third feature would be against the Roswell route, viz: that the new road could the sooner reach its own lines—the Rock Island interests—at Tu-

cumcari—by going by way of Portales, and thereby cut off cost of construction and establishing stronger competition. This too would enable the Rock Island people to make the most of the interests they already have at Tucumcari and Dawson and especially would it be favorable to the marketing of the coal and other ore products in that section as well as obtaining a powerful competitive line direct out of Fort Worth.

As between the Portales-Tucumcari route and the Texico-Tucumcari route, again the odds are in favor of Portales. Because first, the route by Portales is more direct and natural; secondly, it is possible to come, almost direct from Lubbock to Portales, and not encounter any creek, arroyo or gulch of any consequence, and on the other hand, to steer clear completely of the sandhills; and these two features taken together would make a large if not overwhelming consideration in determining the route of this new road, both from the stand point of cheapening the work of construction, and also in making it possible to out bid all competing lines after it was constructed and put into operation. But a third reason for coming by Portales is the fact that, by so doing, the new road would open up one of the best and most resourceful sections of country in the United States—a large body of which is

destined soon to be a great intensive farming district under irrigation. A fourth reason why the road should come by Portales lies in the fact that it would, in this way, avoid the useless and deadly parallel to the Santa Fe's lines now being built from Coleman to Texico. There is no use of such a parallel; to bring the road by way of Portales would

be a more direct route and would give the new road a vast and populous stretch of country in which it would have no competitor. Once more, the route by Portales can offer more in the way of a direct financial consideration—to say nothing of reducing the expense of construction and operation of the road—than can be obtained by the other

proposed routes. Our little neighboring town Virginia City, Texas, some 35 miles away, is carrying a chip on her shoulder and really "spoiling" for the opportunity to give some road \$100,000—"the first come, the first served" is their proposition. From Virginia City into Portales it will be easy to secure the right-of-way and a handsome bonus of \$100,000 or more. Finally, it should be mentioned that from Lubbock to Portales, a distance of 100 miles, is precisely the right distance for a division point; and right here at Portales and indeed in all this Inland Valley, is the most abounding and inexhaustible supply of good water to be found in all Eastern New Mexico, and at a mean depth of about 15 or 16 feet beneath the surface of the earth. The solitary well owned and op-

erated by the Santa Fe people here yields 400 gallons per minute; and by actual record nine million gallons was pumped from the one well last May.

With the most direct and natural route; with no creek, arroyo, or sandhill, to encounter, with a large and unmatched section of country in which the road would have no parallel or competing line; with a larger promise of direct financial aid and co-operation and with the most accessible and inexhaustible water supply in all Eastern New Mexico, why may not Portales here the new road? We can if we will, but will we? Other towns are acting, shall we not do something and do it now?

Miss Minnie White, of Lakewood, sister of Mrs Will Chesher is visiting in the city.

C. G. Leach, Pres. W. O. Oldham, Cashier W. E. Lindsey, Vice Pres.

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PORTALES, NEW MEXICO

Condensed Statement of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Portales, New Mexico, as made to the Comptroller of the Currency at the close of business, April 28, 1909

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On the 1st, 2nd and 3rd of July we will offer some Special Inducements for you to trade at our store. Our entire stock of Ladies' Gents, Boys' and Girls' First Class Merchandise, will be on sale for three days. We will use a cannon and an axe to shoot and cut the prices down. Just ask the people that attend our sales and see who gets the prices right. It's up to you, and pretty soon we are off to market again for our big fall line.

Embroidery. Fifty pieces Embroidery out on a counter together, values 7 1-2c, 10c and 12 1-2c per yard, three days sale, per yd. 6 1-2c	Ladies' Collars. All 50c, 65c and 75c ladies' collars, all out together, for three days you can buy them at 45c	Ladies' Silk Gloves in black, navy and champagne, with double tipped fingers, a dandy at 75c, while they last, per pair 58c	Some Staples.	All Men's Clothing will be sold during these three days at 33 1/3 per cent off.
50 pieces better embroidery values 15c, 18c and 20c per yard, picnic price per yard 11c	Towels. 20 dozen bleached Turkish bath towels, size 18x36, bought at a bargain, regular price 85c a pair, the first 3 days in July you can get them at, per pair 18c	Ladies' Wash Suits, values \$15 and \$18, to go at \$9.75	Double L Domestic, per yd. 4 3-4c	Our buyer, Claude Miller, has been in St. Louis the past ten days and has sent us some good bargains for all departments of our store, and they will be on sale these three days.
Ladies' Purses. Lot of ladies' 35c, 50c and 65c purses, all out together, your choice for 29c	50 dozen unbleached bath towels, 25x44, 50c values, per pair 29c	\$10 and \$12.50 Wash Suits at 6.95	12 1-2c Knight's Cambric at 9 1-2c	
Men's four-in-hand ties 15c	Picnic Sox at picnic prices.	Skirts. Ladies' Wash Skirts, worth \$8.00, to go at \$1.48	Bleached Domestic, per yd 6c	
		\$5.00 and \$7.00 Skirts go at 3.85	Red Seal Ginghams at 10c	
			20c and 25c Lawns at 18c	
			Men's handkerchiefs at 3c	
			10c handkerchiefs, picnic price 7c	
			Ladies' embroidered hdkfs. 7c	
			Men's porous knit underwear 33c	
			Elastic Seam Drawers at 39c	

Remember the Dates: Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 1, 2 and 3

It is easy to see why we are giving these Special Sales. We want to sell out our stock before we move into our new Store Building, which will be completed about the first of August. Get busy and come in. What we don't sell we may give away. Come early and stay late, and you will find everything in the house at prices that "Lead the Business in Portales." The Hustling Store of

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Editor O. N. McBride Becomes President of College

The following is from the Daily Panhandle of Tuesday, June 22d and is self-explanatory:

The trustees of the Canadian Baptist academy spent several days in making a selection of the new president to take the place of Prof. J. F. McDonald, who voluntarily retires to re-enter college. He leaves in a few days for the University of Chicago, where he will remain for two or three years. His retirement from the academy is universally regretted here. His successor is Prof. O. N. McBride of Portales, N. M.

Prof. McBride was born in Hunt county, Texas, has taught several years and holds the A. B. degree from Baylor university.

The academy will open September 7, with the following faculty: C. M. Vance, science and mathematics; J. A. McCasland, principal of preparatory department; Miss C. A. Frank, English, German and Latin; Miss Phoebe Pardo, piano; Mrs. J. W. Saunders, voice and stringed instruments; Miss Marguerite Herrington, elocution and physical culture; Mrs. McCasland, primary department.

Prof. and Mrs. McCasland, Mrs. Saunders, and Miss Pardo are now at Chicago University, which speaks well for Canadian academy."

And yet, we feel that in Brother McBride's going away from Portales and the editorship of The Herald and the New Mexico Baptist that the town and the brotherhood of New Mexico has lost a man whose place cannot be filled—at least it will be next to impossible.

As has been noted in these columns previously, Brother McBride was born some 28 or 29 years ago in Lone Oak, Hunt County, Texas, of good old Scottish ancestry; and he was raised—well several times, and perhaps several times too few, if we were allowed to tell the whole truth, but finally, in spite of all, he reached manhood in the same good old black waxy country, and having completed the common school courses at Lone Oak, departed thence for Greenville, not very far away, where he spent three years in Burleson College. Still believing himself unprepared for the high place in life which he felt himself capable of filling, he lost no time in reaching Waco and entering Baylor University, where, after spending four more years, he took his A. B. degree in June, 1908. From Waco he turned the course of his empire westward, stopping for a few months at Silver City, New Mexico, where he was for the time the honored pastor of the Baptist church. In December following, along with many others, he attended the Territorial Baptist Convention which met in Roswell. It was while Mr. McBride was at Roswell and reporting the daily sessions of the Convention to the local papers that he was discovered as a newspaper man. He was immediately asked to take the editorship of the New Mexico Baptist which has heretofore been published at Melrose as the Southwestern Baptist. This he did for a season, issuing the paper from Clovis. Meantime the Herald plant was purchased by Mr. McBride and the writer, which was enlarged and equipped

with steam fixtures and made thoroughly up-to-date in every sense.

As further evidence of the worth of Mr. McBride we are glad to state that the New Mexico Baptist has increased its subscription list 50 per cent since Mr. McBride took hold of the paper and it has gained a standing among religious journals of its size second to none. The Herald, on the other hand, has all but doubled both as to size, mechanical makeup, subscription list and otherwise.

As an able, cultured, progressive, high toned gentleman, and educator, we venture the assertion that President McBride will help every good interest of Canadian and the Panhandle of Texas and prove a blessing to all who help him build a great and growing Baptist College in that territory. E. P. ALLDREDGE.

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Resolutions

We, the committee on resolutions, in behalf of the Institute body of Roosevelt county, submit the following:

BE IT RESOLVED, That we thank Prof. Conway of Raton for the interest he has manifested in us as teachers.

That we approve the work of Messrs. Carroon, Russell and Spahr; and that we express our appreciation for the interest manifested in their work.

That we extend our heartfelt thanks to Mrs. Oldham for her very proficient work in primary methods, and especially for the kindness shown in the hospitable manner in which we were entertained at her home.

Also for the kindness shown us by the generous people of Portales.

And last we commend our efficient county superintendent, Mrs. S. F. Culberson, for her untiring energy and excellent management of the public schools of our county.

J. B. SCARBROUGH, Chairman,
S. H. STEVENSON,
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J. W. DENNY.

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Clovis Contract Let

The contract for furnishing material and constructing the sewerage system, extending the water system and equipping the electric system of the city of Clovis, has been let and the bidders, both defeated and victorious, have left the city. Marshall Brothers of Los Animas, Colorado, offered to furnish material and construct the sewerage system for \$29,268, and were awarded the contract. The Matthews Construction company of Kansas City, Missouri, were awarded the contract for the construction of the electric light system and the extension of the water system of the city for the sum of \$55,000.—Roswell Register-Tribune.

T. E. Landers will clean and reblock your hat.

A Booster's Pledge

The following article was handed in to the Texan by one of Dalhart's best citizens and the spirit of it is so appropriate that it is commended to the careful consideration of every man who has at heart the prosperity of his town:

"On my word and honor, I hereby now declare that as long as I am a resident of this community, it will be my constant aim to boost all the time and every time.

I will do what I can for any public work that has the good of the community as its object.

I will submit to and abide by majority rule and will not knock and howl my head off if things are not done my way.

I will take no radical or extreme position on any question before the people, and will have due respect for the opinions of my friends and neighbors when their opinions are opposed to mine.

I will try to always say some thing good about my town and my people, or I'll keep my bazoos shut, and 'cut it out' like a man.

I realize that if this community is good enough to live in and make my money in, it is the proper place to spend my money in, especially when I am patronizing legitimate home industries.

I will do all within my power to foster, promote, build up and support every legitimate industry or enterprise in my home town.—Dalhart Texan.

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A Sensible Girl

A girl who was about to graduate was given the theme, "Beyond the Alps lies Italy," and this is what she had to say; "I don't care a cent whether Italy lies beyond the Alps or over in Missouri. I don't expect to set the river on fire in my future career, I am glad I have a good education but I am not going to misuse it in writing poetry or essays about the future woman. It will enable me to correct the grammar of any lover I may have should he speak of 'dorg' in my presence or say he has 'went somewhere.' It will also come in handy when I want to figure how much soap I can get for three dozen eggs at the grocery. So I do not begrudge the time spent in acquiring it. But my ambitions do not fly so high. I want to marry a man who can lick any his size in the township, who can run an 80-acre farm, and who has no female relations to come around and boss the ranch. And I will agree to cook good meals for him that will not send him to an early grave, and lavish upon him a lot of wholesome affection and see that his razor hasn't been used to cut broom wire when he wants to shave."—Ex.

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More Rain

Wednesday afternoon late and again Thursday morning for two hours a regular flood of rain fell all south of Portales. The water stood in the roads to the buggy hubs; and that section, most of which missed the good rains of two weeks ago, is rejoicing.

Program of Sunday School Rally

To be held at Tolar, New Mexico, beginning Friday night, July the 15th, and continuing over Sunday.

FRIDAY

7:30 p. m. Devotional Service, led by Rev. F. P. McNeely.
7:45 p. m. Lecture, "Sunday School Work," J. L. Rupard.

SATURDAY

9:00 a. m. Devotional Service led by Bro. L. A. Andrews.
9:30 a. m. "What is, and how to arouse, the Sunday School Spirit?" Bro. R. M. Nowlin; Bro. Martin of Granite. Open discussion.
10:30 a. m. "How to build up the Sunday School," Bro. Owens, W. E. Wilson, and others.
11:00 a. m. Questions on the difficulties in our Sunday Schools, by workers. Answered by Bro. Rupard.
1:30 p. m. Devotional Service, Bro. Grant.
1:45 p. m. (a) "A good teacher," Bro. F. P. McNeely; (b) "His qualifications," Bro. L. L. Kyle; (c) "His work," Bro. W. B. Gates; (d) "His aim," Miss Mollie Kelso. Summing up, Bro. Rupard.
2:45 p. m. "Why should the teacher make special preparations for teaching?" W. C. Grant, Bro. Martin.
3:30 p. m. "A good superintendent;" (1) "His qualifications," W. E. Wilson; (2) "His duties in the Sunday school," R. M. Nowlin, S. B. Owens; (3) "His duties out of Sunday school," Mrs. Mollie Kelso, Miss Kinsolving, and others.
7:45 p. m. Devotional Service, W. W. Hamilton.
8:00 p. m. "What is a graded Sunday school; its advantages; how to grade a Sunday school," Bro. Rupard.
9:00 a. m. Questions and answers.

SUNDAY

9:30 a. m. Song and Prayer Service.
9:45 a. m. Sunday School Mass Meeting.
11:00 a. m. Sermon by P. W. Longfellow.
8:00 p. m. Preaching.

Meeting follows Rally. Would request all to hear the opening lecture by Brother Rupard. His lectures are very fine, and no one can hear him without being greatly helped. H. H. SMITH, Pres. S. S. Rally.

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SPECIAL FEATURES

Old Settlers' Reunion	Basket Picnic Dinner
Plenty of Music	Talks on New Railroads
On Irrigation Projects	And Other Topics
Bronco Busting	Baseball Game, etc.

PROGRAM FOR THE DAY

Bronco Busting, 9 to 10 a. m.
Address, "Portales and its Future," W. E. Lindsey.
Music.
Address, "Some Prerequisites to the Building Up of the Country," Attorney T. E. Mears.
Music.
Address, "Irrigation for the Inland Valley," T. J. Molinari.
Music.
Basket Dinner, 12 to 1 o'clock p. m.
Recreation, 1 to 2 o'clock p. m.
Address, "Ranch Life in the Early Days," Judge Wm. R. McGill.
Music, Old Fiddlers' Contest.
"Old Settlers' Experience Meeting," by All Old Settlers, 2:30 to 4 o'clock.
Baseball Game, 4 to 6:30 o'clock.

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Weddings in Portales

ROSSON-NICHOLS

At the home of the Baptist pastor, E. P. Aldredge, Portales, New Mexico, on Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock, Mr. Ed Rosson and Miss Irah Nichols, both of Arch, New Mexico, were united in marriage, the Baptist pastor officiating.

There were present besides the pastor's family and guest, F. A. Powell, the following couples of young people.

Mr. Walter Nichols, brother of the bride, and Mrs. Ellen Tourna; Lloyd Horney, best man, and Miss Mae Nichols, bridesmaid; Mr. T. E. Landers and Miss Amie Hardy; Mr. Harry Humphrey.

The groom is a splendid young man from Arch who believes he has reached the point in life where he should begin to live as God intended every sober, sound bodied man to live—with the wife of his choice and the idol of his affections. The bride is one of the most handsome and lovely young ladies we have seen in many a day. She was gowned in a wonder of white satin and the long flowing bride's veil, both of which were very becoming. The couple presented a striking appearance. The Herald hopes they will meet all of life's great issues and succeed as they have in this initial step of entrance into the married life. After the ceremony, the several couples went to the Methodist church for the evening service.

They left Monday morning for Arch where they took dinner with the bride's parents; and from there they went to their own home, one half mile southwest of Arch.

Mr. Rosson has the contract for carrying the mail from Portales to Inez; and from Arch to Edwards, Texas.

STUART MAHAN

Sunday morning at seven-thirty o'clock at the Portales Hotel, Portales, New Mexico, Mr. W. A. Stuart who has been a citizen of Portales and community for a dozen years or more was united in marriage with Mrs. Annie Mahan of the Rogers community, Rev. A. J. Maxwell officiating. This wedding was distinctly a surprise to every one who knew Mr. Stewart, for he had come to be reckoned as an incorrigible old bachelor; and it is said that it was equally surprising to the relatives and friends of the bride; consequently there was no one present of the immediate families of the interested parties, save the bride's daughter and the groom's sister, Mrs. A. S. Connell and her niece, both of Oklahoma City. The wedding party are stopping at the Portales Hotel. The Herald extends the congratulations of the town and community to Mr. and Mrs. Stuart and wishes for them all the happiness and usefulness they deserve.

Will Carry Passengers

The Vaughan Auto Transportation Company will make the round trip to H—ranch on 5th of July for 25 cents. But passengers desiring this cheap rate must be in waiting at the Portales Drug Store, where tickets will be on sale and to which point passengers will be returned. Mr. Fiscus will also have a special car to pick up passengers at their homes. Those desiring the services of this special car will be expected to telephone their orders into Portales Drug store before hand and to pay 50 cents for round trip.

As we will not be able to carry more than a dozen passengers at once, it is hoped that all the people will not wait till 9 or 10 o'clock to go, as this will necessitate your waiting.

L. W. FISCUS.

Get legal blanks at the Herald office.

Accidentally Killed

Henry Thompson who lives 9 miles west of town was shot last Thursday and died two days later, lockjaw following the gun shot wound. From best we could learn, Henry and his father were making preparations for a trip to the mountains, when a gun, which his father held, was accidentally discharged, resulting fatally. He was buried in Portales cemetery Saturday.

Dr. Foster Dropped.

Chicago, June 22d.—At the end of a heated session of the Baptist Minister's conference here yesterday afternoon, a resolution was adopted to drop Dr. George B. Foster from the conference. This action was the result of a book written by Dr. Foster in which it was charged he denied the divinity of Christ. His book was pronounced "rank heresy" by one minister and the charge was brought to the attention of the conference. In a session lasting four hours and which was characterized by hisses, jeers and a generally stormy time, the ministers decided against Dr. Foster.—Albuquerque Citizen.

Notice of Pendency of Action

District Court Roosevelt County, New Mexico.
Bracton B. Palmer, Plaintiff } No. 345.
vs.
Joe L. Roberts, Defendant } 345.
To Joe L. Roberts, defendant in the above entitled cause:
You are hereby notified that suit has been filed against you by Bracton B. Palmer, plaintiff, in the District Court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico.

And that the general object of said suit is as follows:

Suit and attachment for the purpose of obtaining a judgment in the sum of (\$668.75) nine hundred fifty eight and 75-100 dollars, upon a certain promissory note and open account, and for costs of suit, and such other and further relief as the nature of the cause may require.

And you are further notified that your personal property situated in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, has been attached, and unless you appear on the 16th day of August, 1909, judgment will be rendered against you, and your property will be sold to satisfy plaintiff's judgment.

You are further notified that if you fail to appear and plead or answer in said cause on or before the 16th day of August, 1909, judgment by default will be rendered against you, and the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint. M. R. Baker is attorney for the plaintiff, and his post office address is Sunnyside, New Mexico.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said court, this 23rd day of June, 1909.
S. I. ROBERTS,
Clerk of the District Court.
by Llewellyn Carter, Deputy. 314t

Notice of Sale of School Bonds

School District No. 2, Roosevelt County, New Mexico.
I, the undersigned Treasurer and ex-officio Collector of Roosevelt county, territory of New Mexico, DO HEREBY GIVE NOTICE:

That on Monday, the 20th day of July, A. D. 1909, at the hour from ten to eleven o'clock a. m. of said day at the door of the Roosevelt county court house, nearest to Main street in the town of Portales in said county and territory, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash the coupon bonds of School District No. 2, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, in the amount of \$900.

The said bonds are dated March 1st, 1909, due after twenty years from their date and redeemable any time after ten years from their date, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the 1st day of March and September each year. Each of the said bonds having attached thereto forty coupons each representing the semi-annual interest thereon. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

WITNESS my hand this 24th day of June, A. D. 1909, at Portales, New Mexico.
B. J. REAGAN,
Treasurer and Ex-officio Collector,
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Editor O. N. McBride Becomes President of College

The following is from the Daily Panhandle of Tuesday, June 22d and is self-explanatory: The trustees of the Canadian Baptist academy spent several days in making a selection of the new president to take the place of Prof. J. F. McDonald, who voluntarily retires to re-enter college. He leaves in a few days for the University of Chicago, where he will remain for two or three years. His retirement from the academy is universally regretted here. His successor is Prof. O. N. McBride of Portales, N. M.

Prof. McBride was born in Hunt county, Texas, has taught several years and holds the A. B. degree from Baylor university.

The academy will open September 7, with the following faculty: C. M. Vance, science and mathematics; J. A. McCasland, principal of preparatory department; Miss C. A. Frank, English, German and Latin;

Miss Phoebe Pardo, piano; Mrs. J. W. Saunders, voice and stringed instruments; Miss Marguerite Herrington, elocution and physical culture; Mrs. McCasland, primary department.

Prof. and Mrs. McCasland, Mrs. Saunders, and Miss Pardo are now at Chicago University, which speaks well for Canadian academy."

And yet, we feel that in Brother McBride's going away from Portales and the editorship of The Herald and the New Mexico Baptist that the town and the brotherhood of New Mexico has lost a man whose place cannot be filled—at least it will be next to impossible.

As has been noted in these columns previously, Brother McBride was born some 28 or 29 years ago in Lone Oak, Hunt County, Texas, of good old Scottish ancestry; and he was raised—well several times, and perhaps several times too few, if we were allowed to tell the whole truth, but finally, in spite of all, he reached manhood in the same good old black waxy country, and having completed the common school courses at Lone Oak, departed thence for Greenville, not very far away, where he spent three years in Burleson College. Still believing himself unprepared for the high place in life which he felt himself capable of filling, he lost no time in reaching Waco and entering Baylor University, where, after spending four more years, he took his A. B. degree in June, 1908. From Waco he turned the course of his empire westward, stopping for a few months at Silver City, New Mexico, where he was for the time the honored pastor of the Baptist church. In December following, along with many others, he attended the Territorial Baptist Convention which met in Roswell. It was while Mr. McBride was at Roswell and reporting the daily sessions of the Convention to the local papers that he was discovered as a newspaper man. He was immediately asked to take the editorship of the New Mexico Baptist which has heretofore been published at Melrose as the Southwestern Baptist. This he did for a season, issuing the paper from Clovis. Meantime the Herald plant was purchased by Mr. McBride and the writer, which was enlarged and equipped

with steam fixtures and made thoroughly up-to-date in every sense.

As further evidence of the worth of Mr. McBride we are glad to state that the New Mexico Baptist has increased its subscription list 50 per cent since Mr. McBride took hold of the paper and it has gained a standing among religious journals of its size second to none. The Herald, on the other hand, has all but doubled both as to size, mechanical makeup, subscription list and otherwise.

As an able, cultured, progressive, high toned gentleman, and educator, we venture the assertion that President McBride will help every good interest of Canadian and the Panhandle of Texas and prove a blessing to all who help him build a great and growing Baptist College in that territory. E. P. ALLDREDGE.

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Resolutions

We, the committee on resolutions, in behalf of the Institute body of Roosevelt county, submit the following:

BE IT RESOLVED, That we thank Prof. Conway of Raton for the interest he has manifested in us as teachers.

That we approve the work of Messrs. Carroon, Russell and Spahr; and that we express our appreciation for the interest manifested in their work.

That we extend our heartiest thanks to Mrs. Oldham for her very proficient work in primary methods, and especially for the kindness shown in the hospitable manner in which we were entertained at her home.

Also for the kindness shown us by the generous people of Portales.

And last we commend our efficient county superintendent, Mrs. S. F. Culberson, for her untiring energy and excellent management of the public schools of our county.

J. B. SCARBROUGH, Chairman,
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Clovis Contract Let

The contract for furnishing material and constructing the sewerage system, extending the water system and equipping the electric system of the city of Clovis, has been let and the bidders, both defeated and victorious, have left the city. Marshall Brothers of Los Animas, Colorado, offered to furnish material and construct the sewerage system for \$29,263, and were awarded the contract. The Matthews Construction company of Kansas City, Missouri, were awarded the contract for the construction of the electric light system and the extension of the water system of the city for the sum of \$55,000.—Roswell Register-Tribune.

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A Booster's Pledge

The following article was handed in to the Texan by one of Dalhart's best citizens and the spirit of it is so appropriate that it is commended to the careful consideration of every man who has at heart the prosperity of his town:

"On my word and honor, I hereby now declare that as long as I am a resident of this community, it will be my constant aim to boost all the time and every time.

I will do what I can for any public work that has the good of the community as its object.

I will submit to and abide by majority rule and will not knock and howl my head off if things are not done my way.

I will take no radical or extreme position on any question before the people, and will have due respect for the opinions of my friends and neighbors when their opinions are opposed to mine.

I will try to always say something good about my town and my people, or I'll keep my bazoos shut, and 'cut it out' like a man.

I realize that if this community is good enough to live in and make my money in, it is the proper place to spend my money in, especially when I am patronizing legitimate home industries.

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A Sensible Girl

A girl who was about to graduate was given the theme, "Beyond the Alps lies Italy," and this is what she had to say: "I don't care a cent whether Italy lies beyond the Alps or over in Missouri. I don't expect to set the river on fire in my future career. I am glad I have a good education but I am not going to misuse it in writing poetry or essays about the future woman. It will enable me to correct the grammar of any lover I may have should he speak of 'dorg' in my presence or say he has 'went somewhere.' It will also come in handy when I want to figure how much soap I can get for three dozen eggs at the grocery. So I do not begrudge the time spent in acquiring it. But my ambitions do not fly so high. I want to marry a man who can lick any his size in the township, who can run an 80-acre farm, and who has no female relations to come around and boss the ranch. And I will agree to cook good meals for him that will not send him to an early grave, and lavish upon him a lot of wholesome affection and see that his razor hasn't been used to cut broom wire when he wants to shave."—Ex.

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More Rain

Wednesday afternoon late and again Thursday morning for two hours a regular flood of rain fell all south of Portales. The water stood in the roads to the buggy hubs; and that section, most of which missed the good rains of two weeks ago, is rejoicing.

Program of Sunday School Rally

To be held at Tolar, New Mexico, beginning Friday night, July the 15th, and continuing over Sunday.

FRIDAY

7:30 p. m. Devotional Service, led by Rev. F. P. McNeely.

7:45 p. m. Lecture, "Sunday School Work," J. L. Rupard.

SATURDAY

9:00 a. m. Devotional Service led by Bro. L. A. Andrews.

9:30 a. m. "What is, and how to arouse, the Sunday School Spirit?" Bro. R. M. Nowlin; Bro. Martin of Granite. Open discussion.

10:30 a. m. "How to build up the Sunday School," Bro. Owens, W. E. Wilson, and others.

11:00 a. m. Questions on the difficulties in our Sunday Schools, by workers. Answered by Bro. Rupard.

1:30 p. m. Devotional Service, Bro. Grant.

1:45 p. m. (a) "A good teacher," Bro. F. P. McNeely; (b) "His qualifications," Bro. L. L. Kyle; (c) "His work," Bro. W. B. Gates; (d) "His aim," Miss Mollie Keiso. Summing up, Bro. Rupard.

2:45 p. m. "Why should the teacher make special preparations for teaching?" W. C. Grant, Bro. Martin.

3:30 p. m. "A good superintendent;" (1) "His qualifications," W. E. Wilson; (2) "His duties in the Sunday school," R. M. Nowlin, S. B. Owens; (3) "His duties out of Sunday school," Mrs. Mollie Keiso, Miss Kinsolving, and others.

7:45 p. m. Devotional Service, W. W. Hamilton.

8:00 p. m. "What is a graded Sunday school; its advantages; how to grade a Sunday school," Bro. Rupard.

9:00 a. m. Questions and answers.

SUNDAY

9:30 a. m. Song and Prayer Service.

9:45 a. m. Sunday School Mass Meeting.

11:00 a. m. Sermon by P. W. Longfellow.

8:00 p. m. Preaching.

Meeting follows Rally. Would request all to hear the opening lecture by Brother Rupard. His lectures are very fine, and no one can hear him without being greatly helped. H. H. SMITH, Pres. S. S. Rally.

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Personalities and Principle
 From a misunderstanding
 which has arisen from a second
 time concerning the Herald's
 stand on certain and far-
 reaching issues in the life and
 welfare of our town, we deem it
 opportune to declare ourselves
 once and for all on the matter of
 personalities and principle. To
 begin with, since the entrance
 upon our work in March to this
 time and from this time forward,
 so long as the present manage-
 ment of the Herald obtains, we
 shall strictly abstain from the
 use of personalities in dealing
 with any question of public in-
 terest, so long as it is possible.

P. We have chosen this course,
 first, because it is not the person
 but the principle involved that
 we propose to work for. Then,
 second, it is very easy to mis-
 understand and misrepresent men
 while they differ from us
 and while they make
 mistakes, yet are just
 and as honorable in
 intentions as you, or any
 one at a man publicly for
 an action which he may
 deem legitimate and good, but
 and others may think
 as wrong and dangerous.
 In connection, we call to
 the attention of one or two of
 our readers that a few weeks since,
 they attacked them per-
 sonally, and the discussion of
 the issue; when, as a mat-
 ter of course, no man can truthfully
 say ever personated him
 in any position. We felt called
 upon to respond unmercifully
 and to consider the danger-
 ous views of our citi-
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 "knocker" at every one
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 Settlers, 230
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 now, or ever
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 sonate him,
 tely necessary
 call him by
 name.

PLENTY. The same applies to what we
 had occasion to say the past
 week, relative to law enforce-
 ment, in connection with the
 announcement of the election
 of a new town marshal. It is
 our opinion and we believe it is
 everyone's opinion of who knows
 H. G. Justice, that he has honest-
 ly striven to do his duty as he
 has understood it. We have
 never heard any one question
 this. He did not seek the office
 and was reluctant to accept it;
 but from the time he agreed to
 accept it until he went out of
 office the first of this month, we
 believe every man in Portales will
 give him credit for having honest-
 ly sought to do his duty. Nor
 did we mean to suggest other-
 wise, and if we said left
 such an inference in his or any
 one else's mind, we can only say
 that it is a mistake which we
 regret.

Bring and H. On the other hand, we believe
 in Portales who be-
 lieve in law enforcement under-
 standing the time has come
 when promising stand-
 ard law enforcement
 and honest campaign-
 ers should be elected by the citi-
 zens, and all of them, to

mete out justice to every violator.
 No officer can enforce the law
 absolutely and stop all violation,
 and he will need the help of every
 good citizen; but it is a fact that
 the officer, more than any one
 else, is obligated to take the lead
 in this matter. And it is a fact
 also that the new marshal is
 going into the service facing a
 serious condition of affairs, far
 more so than Mr. Justice met
 when he went into office; and we
 but give expression to our candi-
 did conviction when we say that
 it is going to try everything in
 the new marshal and the trust-
 ees of the town to enforce the
 prohibitory ordinance. And we
 believe that now—right at the
 entrance of the new marshal up-
 on his duties—is the time to
 speak out on this question, to
 say some plain, pointed things
 about law enforcement, to call
 attention of the people to this
 vital matter and to do our best to
 awaken them to come up to the
 help of the officers. And we are
 sorry if any one officer has taken
 personally what we meant for all
 officers. And we desire to say
 and say once for all, that with
 malice toward none and with
 genuine desire to harm or hurt
 no one, but to help all and hinder
 none, we are going to give the
 new marshal what we honest-
 ly sought to give Mr. Justice and
 the trustees of the town, our

proposition is heralded as an
 amendment. Rather, it should
 be called an appendage, for there
 is as yet no evidence that it is in-
 tended to lower tariff schedules
 or lighten the burden of the con-
 sumer. It is rather to be tacked
 on to Aldrich's bill as a tail that
 will wag the dog.
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 from the Artesia Advocate indi-
 cates the determination of those
 who hold lands in the edge of
 the artesian belt of the Pecos
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 upon the plan proposed for Por-
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 into cultivation along the margin
 of the artesian belt and just be-
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 five hundred horse power elec-
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hearts and hands in making this a clean town and enforcing every law and ordinance.
Aldrich Takes Medicine
 On June 25th, Senator Aldrich gave way temporarily to the pressure of the big man from the White House and introduced the corporation and income tax amendment suggested by the President and worked out by Attorney General Wickersham and Senator Root. As before noticed in these columns, the amendment imposes a 2 percent tax upon the net earnings of all corporations of every character organized for profit. It also provides for another distinct feature of the democratic party's contention, viz. publicity. Will Mr. Bryan live to see every reform he has agitated enacted into law? It would seem so. But does Senator Aldrich and the trust forces he is leading, including almost a score of prominent democrats, intend to modify, or to surrender any of the high tariff schedules he has been assiduously working out and having adopted? We believe not. You will notice that this corporation and income tax

figures that \$9.00 assessment on the 10,000 acres will pay for the entire plant. Now if such a thing as this is practical for the Pecos Valley, why is it not for the Portales Inland Valley? And if other people see the folly of sustaining partial crop failures when some such a system as this could be introduced and the crops not only rendered sure but increased four-fold, to say nothing of enhanced value of the land seven fold, why in the world can't Portales people and the people of the entire Inland Valley see the point and get busy?
Farm for Sale or Trade
 A good 200 acre farm, 2 miles southeast of Myrtle, Arkansas, on the White River division of the M. P. Ry., close to school house, with improvements as follows: 60 acres in cultivation, timothy grass and alfalfa, small creek running through it, also springs of water, good five-room house, good barns and out-houses and bearing orchard. Six months free school, good churches and society. In the mineral belt.

A New Photographer.
 Mr. C. M. Setser, formerly of Oklahoma, has leased the photograph gallery owned and operated formerly by Mrs. J. L. Whiteman, which is located just in the rear of the Times office. Mr. Setser has had twelve years experience and guarantees satisfaction in all his work. He makes a specialty of out-of-door photography. Give him a trial. 22tf
 The new barber shop on the east side of the square, Smith and Kirby proprietors, opens for business, with the promise of courteous treatment and the guarantee of satisfaction to customers. 29tf
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 Handles all kinds of Lumber, Shingles, Sash, Doors, Mouldings, Malthoid Roofing, Lime, Cement, Sand and Brick. It will be worth your while to figure with us before buying elsewhere. We will appreciate your trade.
E. G. Patterson
 Local Manager Portales, N. M.

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EVERY FARMER AND LANDOWNER

IN PARTICULAR, AS WELL AS EVERY PERSON WHO IS IN ANY WAY INTERESTED IN PORTALES AND THE ADJACENT TERRITORY--IN THEIR OWN WELL-DOING AND IN THE FUTURE WELFARE OF THIS UNPARALLELED VALLEY--SHOULD BY NO MEANS FAIL TO ATTEND THE BIG PICNIC TO BE GIVEN AT

PORTALES, July 5th AT THE H-RANCH

Besides a number of amusements which have been prepared for the young folks and the older ones who enjoy such things, a big Basket Dinner and Old Settlers' Reunion, there have been secured a number of prominent speakers who will talk interestingly on the development of this section--on our future prospects and possibilities. Our future is brighter right now than it has ever been, but further carelessness or delay may mean the loss of our best opportunities. Next Monday many new enterprises will be looked into--chief among them to be to discuss the best and quickest method of installing and getting into operation the proposed

IRRIGATION : PLANT

You are invited to visit the Herald office. We'd like to get acquainted, and wouldn't object to having your name on our subscription books, if it isn't there already

Mass Meeting.
A mass meeting held at the court house last night was devoted to considering the proposition of the Quanah-Acme and Pacific railroad. The following were made present: W. E. Lindsey, J. A. Fairley, T. J. Molinari, and T. E. Mears. The committee was charged with preparing a telegram to be sent to the promoters of the Fort Worth and Albuquerque railroad; also with the duty of keeping in touch with any and all other railroads looking to Portales; also of calling a mass meeting of the people of Portales at any time their judgment might deem necessary. The committee then adjourned. T. J. Molinari was elected chairman of the committee.

PLENTY
Portales will not lack for anything after all matters of public interest; also that the time had come when we should act in the matter of the proposed Fort Worth and Albuquerque railroad.

Accordingly by motion of E. P. Aldredge the following were appointed as a committee on railroads for Portales: W. E. Lindsey, J. A. Fairley, T. J. Molinari, and T. E. Mears. This committee was charged with preparing a telegram to be sent to the promoters of the Fort Worth and Albuquerque railroad; also with the duty of keeping in touch with any and all other railroads looking to Portales; also of calling a mass meeting of the people of Portales at any time their judgment might deem necessary. The committee then adjourned. T. J. Molinari was elected chairman of the committee.

have something refreshing for your customers? Bring it by calling up number 41 and we are pleased to negotiate farms in T. J. Molinari

The Quanah-Acme and Pacific Railroad.
Among other things which aroused considerable interest at the railroad mass meeting at the court house last night, was the proposition of the Quanah-Acme and Pacific railroad which is already being built from Quanah to Paducah and Matador. These people propose to extend their road first to Matador, thence through Floydada in Floyd county, thence to Hale Center or Plainview, thence through Lamb county to Virginia City. From this point two routes lie before the promoters, both aiming at Acme, New Mexico: the one follows parallel to the Altus, Roswell and El Paso road; while the other comes straight from Virginia City to Portales, thence 40 miles in a graceful curve southwest to Urton Lake, thence 80 miles down the Pecos River to Acme, N. M.

One point of special interest is the fact that it has been already started and the roughest and most costly part of the construction work completed, viz, the coming from Quanah across the Pease River to Paducah. From Paducah to Portales the road would be 176 miles on an air line toward the Pacific whence this road is aiming. There are moreover the fewest if any creeks, arroyos, sand hills or other obstructions to the road along this line. The same is the case from Portales to Urton, Lake—a distance of 40 miles without any barrier of any kind. From Urton Lake down the Pecos to Acme the line would also be straight and without any barriers. Thus from Paducah to Acme—a distance of 246 miles—only one slight curve for a distance of 40 miles or less will be necessary to bring this road to a point unexcelled

country which has long been waiting the powerful touch of some railroad interest and over which this road can be constructed with the minimum cost. That these people are looking this way and ready to look into our proposition is evidenced by the following letter addressed to one of our fellow townsmen:

Quanah, Texas, June 23, '09.
Mr. T. L. Keene,
Portales, N. M.
Dear Sir:—I am in receipt of yours of the 22nd concerning the extension of the Quanah, Acme & Pacific through your town. I desire to thank you for the information given, as well as for the interest shown. The preliminary survey of the company has been run to Roswell and passes to the south and east of your town some considerable distance. It might be that if the community along the line that you suggest should show an interest in

the road going further north, and especially that it would have a better route and more tonnage than to go to Roswell, that such would have great influence with the location and selection of the route. I would be pleased to hear from you further, as well others along the line, with regard to this matter. Very respectfully,
D. E. DECKER,
Gen. Atty.

When you look all over town and don't find it, come to R. R. Roberts else good to eat.
Roswell Printing Co. Expands
After installing the most splendid cylinder press known to Eastern New Mexico and otherwise equipping their office in keeping with the demands of a city of 25,000 inhabitants, the Roswell Printing Co. now purchases the linotype machine and paraphernalia formerly owned and conducted by Clark B. Hicks and known as the Linotype Composition Co. of Roswell.

The Woman's Club
The Woman's Club extends a vote of thanks to Mr. Briscoe for work done on the court house yard and extends a two years subscription to the library for himself and family. The Woman's Club was divided into four committees, each committee to take one side of the court house yard and see that it is planted in white clover and kept well watered. Mrs. Williamson, chairman of the east side, with the following ladies to assist her, Messdames Priddy, Oldham, Neer, Stone, Hart, Williams, Mrs. Nixon, chairman of the west side with the following ladies to assist her, Messdames Molinari, Humphrey, Sledge, Mears, Corhn, Jones, Miss Turner. Mrs. Culberson, chairman north side, with the following ladies to assist her—Messdames Pew, Blankenship, Curtis, Servis, White, Hill. Mrs. Lindsey, chairman of south side, with the following ladies to assist her, Messdames Seay, Hardy, Wollard, Leach, Corhn. Mrs. Hightower, general supervisor. John Greenleaf of Whittier, will be the next Study with Mrs. Stone leader. Mrs. G. M. WILLIAMSON, Secretary.

ceived a car of Chandler lump, the best grade of Colorado coal. 2t
Mrs. C. M. Dobbs returned from Mississippi Thursday, after an extended visit.
I will buy your frying chickens and broilers. Bring them in. A. B. Austin. 30tf
District Clerk, S. I. Roberts, of Roswell arrived, Wednesday and returned Thursday.
Don't forget that T. E. Landers makes a specialty of ladies suits and skirts.
Mrs. J. B. Priddy and Mrs. Claude Anderson each purchased a fine Ludwig piano from H. C. Maxwell this week.
For home manufactured soda pop and ice cream call phone number 41.
Mr. Cary M. Kisor made the Herald a pleasant call this week. Mr. Kisor is interested especially in Virginia City community. He was ready to take the train for Fort Collins, Colorado, where he will visit for 2 months or more.
C. W. Morris & Sons are headquarters for nice home-made bolted corn meal. Fresh stock always on hand 18tf
New up to date merchandise of all kinds constantly arriving at Blankenship & Woodcock Mercantile Company.
Mrs. N. Pruett of Slidell, Wise county, Texas, arrived last Tuesday in this city to spend a month or two visiting her two sons and daughter. Mr. J. S. and J. B. Pruett, and Mrs. A. H. Lewis, and other relatives and friends. Mrs. Pruett's arrival was unexpected.

J. P. STONE, PRESIDENT B. BLANKENSIP, VICE-PRESIDENT.
S. A. MORRISON, CASHIER G. M. WILLIAMSON, VICE-PRESIDENT
A. F. JONES, ASSISTANT CASHIER.

Citizens National Bank PORTALES, NEW MEXICO

Condensed statement of the condition of THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK, of Portales, New Mexico, at the close of business, Feb. 5th, 1909.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$118,906.58	Capital Stock	50,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Premiums	51,990.00	Surplus and Profits	11,022.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fix.	7,213.77	Circulation	50,000.00
Cash and Exchange	54,967.40	DEPOSITS	121,814.78
Total	\$232,877.41	Total	\$232,877.41

I hereby certify the above statement to be correct.
S. A. MORRISON, Cashier.

R. A. Bain left for Carlsbad Thursday.
T. E. Landers will clean and press your clothes. 1tf
J. E. Morrison left for Roswell Thursday.
Fresh fruits and vegetables of all kinds at A. B. Austins. 30tf
W. O. Oldham returned from Clovis Thursday.
Red Star Flour at R. R. Roberts' grocery store. Try one sack of it.
Bob Puckett came down from Amarillo Thursday.
Phelps White came up from Roswell Wednesday.
Travis Reese made a business trip to Texico Wednesday.
Joe Moody arrived from Nocona, Texas, Wednesday.
W. O. Oldham made a business trip to Clovis Wednesday.
Miss Howard arrived from Nebo, Kentucky, Wednesday.
Osborn & Son have just re-

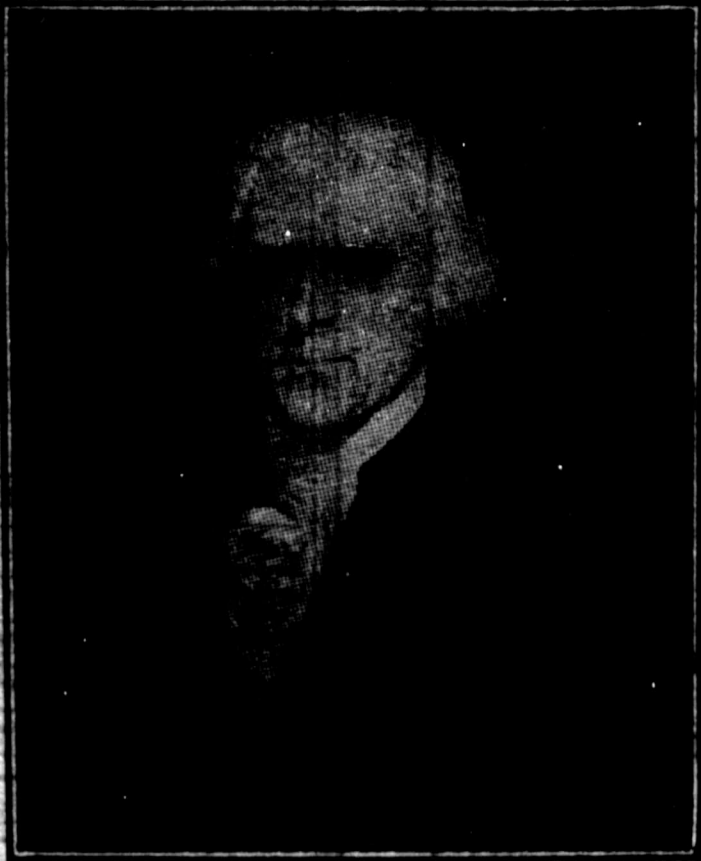
Woman's Club
Following is the program for next Wednesday:
"The Merrimac"—Mrs. Stone.
"Christ in the Tempest"—Mrs. Culberson.
"Snowbound"—Mrs. Mears.
"Cassandra Southwick"—Mrs. Nixon.
"Maud Muller"—Mrs. Hardy.
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HON. NORMAN E. MACK,

Buffalo, N. Y.
Dear Sir:—I herewith enclose you my check and ask my name to be enrolled as a regular subscriber to your National Monthly. I have just finished examining the first number. It is a publication of stupendous merit, and it will exert a great influence for good in our country. It ranks with the best magazines that are printed in all respects, and its genuine Democracy gives it distinctive superiority. It will succeed for the Democracy is not dead, but very much alive. It will help save the country from capitalistic greed on the one hand and from the dangers of socialism and anarchism on the other. I am heart and soul with you in your new enterprise. Yours truly,
FRED J. KERN,
Mayor of the City of Belleville, Ill.

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Portales, N. M.

News of the County

As Told by Our Correspondents

BECK SCHOOL HOUSE

There was a large attendance at Sunday school last Sunday.

B. L. Adams and family spent Sunday at W. H. Beck's.

W. R. McCollum is on the sick list.

Miss Katie Hunter has been suffering from tooth ache the past week.

Been having plenty of rain and crops are looking fine. Farmers are all busy.

Misses Belle and Lillie Beck have returned from Portales, where they have been attending the County Institute.

Rev. L. W. Carleton, one of our prosperous farmers, had an appointment here Sunday at 4 p. m., but was unable to fill it on account of his work at Portales.

Uncle Mike Reynolds and family are regular attendants at our Sunday school.

Rev. M. A. Kerr will preach here next Sunday at 4 o'clock. Everybody invited.

S. T. Shaw and family are on the sick list.

Mr. James Robinson and wife will leave the 29th on a continued visit to their daughter at Seminole, Texas. PRACY.

LACY

The people of Lacy are having a protracted meeting at the school house. Elder Philips, a Christian minister, is preaching for them.

If you want to fall in with a people who enjoy having big dinners, come to Lacy. We had a good one Sunday.

Mr. Sanders went to town last Friday, returning Saturday.

Mr. Oneal has been increasing his creamery stock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay of Belvidere attended church at Lacy Sunday, remaining for evening service.

Mrs. O. S. Strickland received a letter stating that her brother in Oklahoma was very sick. She left on Saturday's train to see him.

We notice several teachers returning from the normal. They reports a good time, though glad to get to go home.

Our people are enthusiastic over the irrigation prospects, and will be anxious to hear the speeches on the question at the picnic, July 5th, at the H-Ranch.

WATER VALLEY

Most all of the farmers have finished planting.

Miss Tula Berry, who has been working at Elida, returned home Saturday.

Jim Burch has decided to get a shade tree; he says it's too hot without one.

Miss Maude Cook, who has been attending normal at Portales, returned to her claim last Friday.

T. N. Welch went to Elida last Tuesday.

Harry Worth has been plowing corn this week.

Jess Gwaltney favored the literary with a song, entitled "Corn Dodger," which was certainly amusing.

Chas. S. Macy and wife moved on their claim Saturday.

Lester Berry made a business trip to J. F. Crawford's Friday.

Ed Huen of Oklahoma was a guest of Mr. O'Neil last week.

Some spring chickens are almost ready for the precher.

The debate last Saturday was good, the affirmative winning the decision. Subject for next meeting is: "Resolved that man will go farther for love of money than for love of a woman." Everybody invited to attend.

Landers calls for and delivers goods. No trouble to have your clothes cleaned and pressed. At

Boone Trial Postponed Again

The trial of S. L. Boone, non-medical healer, has again been postponed until Wednesday, July 7th, at 10 o'clock in the morning.

Drank Lye

Abner, the little three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wallis, drank concentrated lye the past Saturday. It was midnight before medical aid could be secured and it was too late, for a few hours later the little fellow passed away.

Notice

Bedford Forest Camp Confederate Veterans: Your presence is earnestly requested at our next meeting, on the 24th of July, to consider the request of W. B. Clemons Camp, Amarillo, Texas, to unite with them in organizing a regiment of Confederate Veterans, and to transact any other business. M. C. REYNOLDS, Chairman. W. L. HECK, Secretary.

Skating Rink

Messrs. Charley Humble and C. A. Parrish opened a skating rink in the buildings formerly occupied by the Club saloon and Williams & Lawrence furniture establishment. The building has in meantime, been overhauled and made convenient and comfortable and a splendid light system installed. Earle Patterson has moved his cold drink stand into the building and they have all things in readiness.

Normal School Entertained

The teachers of Roosevelt county are grateful to Mrs. Walter Oldham, not only for her up-to-date methods and professional enthusiasm, which brought her into the normal as a teacher, but also for her abounding hospitality. She is not only an instructor of teachers and a teacher of children, she is at home in her home in a way that makes everybody feel a welcome. The teachers of Roosevelt county, including Professors Conway of Raton, Caroon of Las Vegas, and Russell of Aztec, with many of the town's progressive citizens, were royally entertained by Mrs. Oldham at her home, Thursday afternoon, June 24. Refreshments were served and educational contests were conducted, several unique prizes being given. Croquet and other games were also introduced for the active teacher or citizen. The teachers are unanimous in their praise of Mrs. Oldham, and look forward to having her as an instructor again the coming year. ONE OF THE TEACHERS.

Runaway

An exciting occurrence took place just in front of Fred Crosby's residence Monday morning about 9:30 o'clock, when a horse, driven by Mrs. G. J. Butler and Mrs. W. G. Lewis, who live out 7 1/2 miles south of town, took a fright or got mean and proceeded to run away and in meantime to stop at short intervals and kick. The ladies were tumbled out of the buggy, the cross bar to the shafts of the buggy was broken out, the harness torn up and a general scare administered to the ladies in the vehicle and to the neighbors round about, was the most serious damage done. The horse was so intent on stopping the buggy from tagging along after him that he pitched and kicked himself into the wire fence of Mr. Joe Howard's lot before he knew it. About this time he struck a post, pulled the buggy loose from him and scampered off down the road; but was caught by some bystanders. All in all, it was fortunate that so little damage was done; as the horse evidently seemed bent of mischief.

Do you wear hose? Better see Blankenship & Woodcock Mercantile Company and get guaranteed hosiery.

Preliminary Hearing.

The preliminary hearing of S. T. Ford, charged with an assault with a deadly weapon, was held before Justice A. B. Seay at ten o'clock Monday, June 28.

The evidence showed that Ford shot at G. W. Clark five times, one shot grazing the skin on side of the head, another passing through the crown of Clark's hat, but no shot really taking effect in the body.

From the best we could learn the shooting was the result of a misunderstanding or difference between Ford and Clark, both of whom lived in the Inez community, over some land.

The hearing before Judge Seay resulted in the binding of Mr. Ford over to await the action of the grand jury. His bond was fixed at \$1000 and was soon made.

Notice of Sale of School Bonds.

School District No. 114 Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

I, the undersigned Treasurer and Ex-officio Collector of Roosevelt county, Territory of New Mexico, do hereby give notice; That on Wednesday, the 7th day of July, A. D. 1909, at the hour from ten to eleven o'clock a. m. of said day at the door of the Roosevelt county court house, nearest to main street in the town of Portales, in said county and territory, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash the coupon bond of School District No. 114, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, in the amount of \$500. The said bond to be dated July 2d, 1909, redeemable after twenty years from its date and due thirty years from its date with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the 2d day of July and January each year. The said bond having attached thereto 60 coupons each representing the semi-annual interest thereon. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Witness my hand this 8th day of June, A. D. 1909, at Portales, New Mexico. B. J. REAGAN, Treasurer and Ex-officio Collector, Roosevelt Co., N. M.

T. E. Landers will clean and reblock your hat.

Notice of Suit

In the District Court, Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

J. J. Pinson, Plaintiff) No. 509
vs.
R. F. Smith, Defendant)

To the defendant, R. F. Smith, in the above suit:
You will take notice that a suit has been filed against you in the District Court for the Fifth Judicial District of the Territory of New Mexico, for the county of Roosevelt, in which J. J. Pinson is plaintiff and R. F. Smith is defendant, and numbered 509 on the docket of said Court.

That the general object of said suit is as follows:

A suit to secure judgment on one promissory note for the sum of \$100.00 and interest and the usual attorney's fee thereon, made May 18th, 1907, by R. F. Smith and payable six months after date to J. J. Pinson, and for cost of suit and such other and further relief as the nature of the cause may require and the court shall direct.

You are further notified that if you fail to appear and answer or plead in this cause on or before the 20th day of August, 1909, judgment by default will be rendered against you in this suit and the allegations in plaintiff's complaint will be taken as confessed.

Compton & Compton are the attorneys for the plaintiff and their business address is Portales, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court, this the 22nd day of June, 1909. S. I. ROBERTS, Clerk.

By LLEWELLYN CARTER, Deputy, 314.

The weather's kinder hot, and the ice is kinder cold, for a freezer of cream, just call where it's sold. DEAHL'S

Phone Number 41.

For Sale.

One Poll Durham Bull. G. W. LEWIS.

W. A. STUART

You can find me again this Spring in the same old breeding pen, back of the blacksmith shop, opposite C. W. Morris' feed and grain store.

I am in the business to stay. I have for this Spring's work the well known Registered Black Percheron, Starlight, which has stood at this stand part of two seasons. I have also the black Jack, Frank, known as the Burk Jack, which made the season at this stand last year. I have also a four-year-old Mammoth Jack, black, with white points, which stands 15 hands and 1 inch high, well shaped, good bone, and good individual. Also one 4-year-old harness horse of the Wilkes and Hamiltonian breed, which is a blood bay, 15 hands high, and a good individual.

My prices are cheap and my terms are fair and easy. Call and see my stock and get my prices and terms. No trouble to show stock; no trouble to give prices and terms. No business transacted on Sunday.

Breeding hours 10:30 a. m. and 3:00 p. m.

W. A. STUART

The City meat market desires to announce to their friends and customers that they deeply appreciate their patronage; but that from the first of June they will be compelled to do a STRICTLY CASH business, since they are forced to pay spot cash for the cattle they butcher. For the convenience of those who do not care to bring the cash with them every time, we have coupon books which we sell at five per-cent discount for cash in advance. Horton & Renner. tf.

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Portales, New Mexico

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The Standard Barber Shop

Normal Closes

With a magnificent social hour at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Oldham, on Thursday afternoon, and the beloved examinations on Friday, the Roosevelt County Normal Institute came to a close June 25th. From first to last it was a complete success. Somebody has said that "God's plan is a man;" and Mrs. Culbertson, our honored county superintendent, acted upon some such idea as this when she brought Professor W. T. Conway of Raton to Portales as director of the Normal. We kept in close view of this man from first to last, and we are ready to say that, for forceful personality, for trained leadership, for directness and skill, for enthusiasm and patriotism, as well as for practicality and oratorical ability, he has no superior among the teachers in New Mexico, so far as our knowledge extends.

Then, Professor Frank Caroon of Roswell, who has recently accepted the chair of Literature and History in the State Normal at Las Vegas, was a great factor in the success of the Normal. And we are not surprised that he has been called so early in life to the high position he has recently accepted.

In addition, our own Professor Russell did good work as an instructor and made the regret, which the public in general feels, toward his going to Aztec, all the stronger.

And everybody knows and honors Professor Spahr, not only for his high moral character and unquestioned ability, but for his spotless and uncompromising Christianity; for his genuine charity and love for every one and for his helpfulness to every good and worthy cause in the community, as well as for his professional ability which not only the Normalites, but also the people of Portales as a whole, are agreed in ascribing to him. It is with genuine and unfeigned regret and a feeling of loss on the part of the Herald that Portales people are to lose this good man.

It was hardly fair to expect Mrs. Walter Oldham, in addition to all the other duties incumbent upon her, to take her place as an instructor of teachers the few days of the Normal. Nevertheless, there was no one who could fill her place and she felt her loyalty challenged when the department of Primary Methods was urged upon her. She accepted it and filled it with such consummate success that the teachers are looking forward to the next year when it is hoped that she can again become instructor in this department.

In all, there were eighty teachers who took the course and who were examples, as well as a great inspiration, to the people of Portales.

Come again, teachers; you are thrice welcome. For, second to the parents only, you are the nation's greatest benefactors and character-builders, as, next to the ministers, your work calls forth the least appreciation—the least compensation. May God help us to see the day when you will be accorded the place of honor that your work deserves and when the law will provide for you the just and ample compensation which your noble, unselfish and imperishable endeavors merit.

Misses Burns, Hayden, Hutchinson, accompanied by Mr. Hayden, left Wednesday for their home near Clovis.

Don't forget that our phone No. is still 58. Call us up. We will deliver Groceries, Coal Grain and Hay any where in the city limits.

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This Great Store has been and is a REAL BENEFACTOR to the entire country, by reason of the fact that from the first it has furnished the poor people with supplies and carried them when but for this fact, Hundreds and Thousands would have been compelled to abandon their claims and their cattle and left the country. Largely as a result of this policy of helpfulness and of the splendid and capable management of the business, this house now gathers trade one hundred miles to the west, one hundred miles to the south and at least seventy-five miles to the east.

They invite you to visit their great store and make it your headquarters when in the city.

Shelf hardware, farm implements and windmill pipe and casing are going at especially low prices; also a few Garland stoves, to make room for a new car.

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A Real Bargain—Seven miles south from Portales is a splendid patented quarter section of the best sandy loam and tight land. It joins the railroad strip and a school section, and may be had for \$11.00 an acre, if bought at once. Seventeen acres under four wire fence and cultivation. A good small box house with shingle roof. See the Herald office for further particulars. *tf*

Notice, Confederates

Under the auspices of W. B. Plemons Camp U. C. V. there will be held at Amarillo, Texas, on July 28, 29 and 30, 1909, a general reunion of all the Confederate soldiers for the Panhandle country, that is north and west of the T. & P. railway, which comprises the Fifth brigade.

The citizens of Amarillo are making preparations to entertain all the "wearers of the gray" and their wives free of charge. A Panhandle regiment will be

organized on the second day, of officers elected for same, and other business transacted. Come prepared to take part.

The Sons and Daughters of Confederate Veterans are urged to organize and have representatives with us. The sons and daughters all over the south are nobly doing their part in perpetuating the true history of the deeds of heroism and valor of their fathers in defending the homes and firesides, and of the self-sacrifice, privations and heroism of the women of the Southland. COMMITTEE.

Wanted: To rent or to sell—a neat, well built, three room house, recently painted and papered throughout and free from bugs and infections. Will sell on small cash payments, almost like rent. Or will rent cheap. See J. A. FAIRLY.

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Get your seed potatoes from M. J. Faggard & Co. They are selling the Tennessee Triumph.

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Can I get a position when my course is finished?

Fifty two of our graduates went into good positions from May 18th to June 15th, just 28 days. You should hesitate no longer. Just so sure as you complete a combined course of bookkeeping and shorthand or telegraphy in the Tyler Commercial College of Tyler, Texas. Just so sure you will be placed in a good position very promptly. We have the most complete and modern employment bureau to be found anywhere, through which we are able to place our graduates of bookkeeping and shorthand or telegraphy promptly, and with the best firms at good salaries. We maintain our employment bureau at an expense of several thousand dollars annually. No charge is made to the student or to the firm with whom the student is placed.

Write for catalog and full particulars.

Report of the Condition of

The Citizens National Bank of Portales, in the Territory of New Mexico, at the close of business June 23rd, 1909.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$127,638.19
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	5,899.77
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	20,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	1,900.00
Banking house furn. and fixtures	7,313.77
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	12,035.91
Due from State and private banks and bankers, trust companies, and savings banks	786.34
Due from approved reserve agents	6,640.42
Checks and other cash items	1,961.50
Notes of other National Banks	630.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	101.73
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, viz:	
Specie	\$10,000.00
Legal-tender notes	700.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	2,200.00
Total	\$236,148.65
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	3,956.65
National Bank notes outstanding	50,000.00
Due to other National Banks	22,313.77
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	1,305.31
Individual deposits subject to check	78,110.97
Time certificates of deposits	9,277.30
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,224.25
Total	\$236,148.65

Territory of New Mexico, County of Roosevelt, ss:
I, S. A. MORRISON, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
S. A. MORRISON, Cashier.

CORRECT-Attest:
J. P. STONE,
G. M. WILLIAMSON,
B. BLANKENSHIP,
Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of June 1909.
THOS. E. MEARS,
Notary Public.
My commission expires April 1st, 1913.

Notice of Suit.

In the District Court, Roosevelt County, N. Mex.
Maud B. Tanton, Plaintiff,
vs.
Asa D. Tanton, Defendant.
To the defendant, Asa D. Tanton, in the above suit.
You will take notice that a suit has been filed against you in the District Court for the Fifth Judicial District of the Territory of New Mexico, for the County of Roosevelt, in which Maud B. Tanton is plaintiff and Asa D. Tanton is defendant, and numbered 492 on the docket of said Court. That the general object of said suit is as follows:

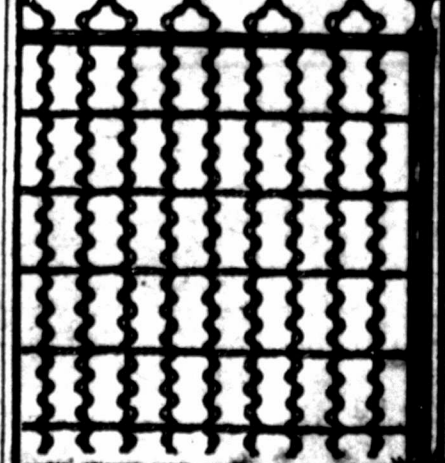
A suit for divorce on the grounds of non support and cruel treatment, and that she be restored to the status of a single person and her former name, and that she be granted by law the right of possession of Frederick C. Tanton, a child born to them in 1906, and for cost of suit and such other and further relief as the nature of the cause may require and as the Court shall direct.

You are further notified that if you fail to appear and answer and plead in this cause on or before the 9th day of August, 1909, judgment by default will be rendered against you in this suit and the allegations in the plaintiff's complaint will be taken as confessed.

Compton & Compton are the attorneys for plaintiff and their business address is Portales, N. M.
Witness my hand and the seal of said Court this 8th day of June, 1909.
S. I. ROBERTS, Clerk.
By LLEWELLYN CARTER, Deputy.
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