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NO. 36

## Don't Forget For the Next Thirty Days We Will Sell Humphrey & Sledge

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Ten New Subscribers Were Received to the Herald During the Week Ending Friday, July 30th.

E. P. Alldredge, Editor and Manager

### PRIVATE COOPERATION

#### PLAN ADOPTED

The proposition of the U. S. Sugar and Land Company made through Messrs. Rittenhaus and Detweiler has been accepted.

Saturday afternoon witnessed another and greater mass meeting at the court house in Portales on the question of irrigation for the Portales Inland Valley. The question of the bond issue proposition was discussed at some length; and but for the fact that its adoption would mean at least a year's delay, it would no doubt have been adopted.

The fact is, however, that the installation of the plant decided upon in no way precludes the enlargement of the plant by means of bonding the district when once the present plant has been installed and tested. Rather will it hasten and make necessary, in our judgement, the enlargement of the plant to cover the entire 160,000 acres of the Portales Inland valley. Meantime the plant decided upon will give ample test to the water supply and will afford a means of irrigation sufficient area of land to put us in touch with the markets.

#### THE PLAN.

The plan, briefly outlined is as follows:

A committee consisting of Messrs. T. J. Molinari, W. E. Lindsey, Mr. Lumpkin, Flue Anderson, Coe Howard and J. C. Compton will confer with Messrs. Rittenhaus and Detweiler and if an agreement can be reached—and there is every reason to believe it can be reached—then the committee will get in touch with all the land owners in this immediate section of the valley and if as much as 6 to 12 thousand acres is subscribed to the proposition, machinery will be brought in to make a thorough test of the water facilities. This proving satisfactory, the contract will be closed, the machinery of the power plant will be shipped to Portales and the work begun. So that by the first of next February, the plant will be thoroughly tested and put into operation for the next crop season.

Meantime a meeting is called to meet in the court house in Portales next Saturday at 2 o'clock p. m. at which time the progress of the committee will be made known.

It is hard to estimate what the installation of such a plant will mean to the people of Portales and community.

#### SOME RESULTS EXPECTED.

For one thing, it will give certainty to the farming industry of this immediate community. And, judging by the plant at Garden City, Kansas, it will raise the productivity of these 12000 acres as much as \$50 to \$75—if not the first year, then certainly the second year. But in fact there is every reason to believe that at least \$100 an acre will be realized of this land the first year, by having the plant in operation by the first of February—which amount will pay for the plant. Another result which is sure to come to pass is the adding of a population as large again as the present population of this com-

munity. The land will be cut up into 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, and 80 acre farms and perhaps not fewer than twice the present number of farmers will move in here within 6 to 12 months after the plant has been demonstrated, and the town of Portales, it will double in size and in volume of business within 6 months following the successful operation of this plant. Of course land values will undergo a marked change for the better. Land that is capable of growing four crops of alfalfa hay and one of seed and the orchards such as have already been grown in this valley, with an inexhaustible supply of water at a depth of 8 to 30 feet beneath the surface of the earth, can not continue to sell for the paltry sum of 8 to 20 dollars an acre, when once it is demonstrated that water can be put over the land at a cost of seven dollars an acre or less. The installation of this plant will mean a bonding of the entire district and the increasing of the plant to cover the entire 160,000 acres, or else the installation of at least two other large plants and the increasing of the one now decided upon. Now, with the prospect of the reclamation of this entire 160,000 adjacent to Portales, what do you think of the prospects of our little town? Honestly, doesn't it look good to you—even if you do happen to live at Clovis?

#### The Humble-Hardy Nuptials.

Sunday evening at 8:15 o'clock, July 24th, Mr. William R. Humble and Miss Amie Hardy were joyfully united in the bonds of holy wedlock, at the Methodist church, Pastor L. W. Carlton, officiating. The marriage while not unexpected was in the nature of surprise to most of their friends. Nevertheless one of the largest crowds that ever gathered at the Methodist church witnessed the short and incisive exercises which united the lives of these splendid young people of Portales.

Mr. Humble is the second son of Mr. W. W. Humble of this city and is one of the most splendid young men of the community. Mrs. Humble is the daughter of Mr. L. W. Hardy a very well known cattleman and highly respected citizen of this vicinity. The young couple have been raised on the plains where their forbears have played the part of pioneers. Their opportunities are larger and their start in life more auspicious than their parents, and the Herald joins their many friends in wishing for them the truest happiness and the highest success.

#### Find Artesian Water.

Taiban, N. M.,—Much enthusiasm is manifested here on account of what is believed to be a discovery that Taiban is in an artesian water belt. For some time drillers have been at work on Main street for the purpose of sinking a public well and their drill made a drop of something like forty feet and water rose almost to the top of the well and a continuous pumping has failed to lower the water. Expert well men declare that it

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Banking House, Furn. and Fix. 4,700.17	Circulation..... 10,000.00
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cannot be pumped out and that enough water can be had from it to irrigate most any farm. The remarkable part of it is, they claim, that such a vein was reached at such shallow depth, the well only being 190 feet deep. Should this well prove to be artesian water and inexhaustible, the water problem is virtually solved in this vicinity and local irrigation projects will be taken up by most every farmer.—Roswell Daily Record.

Mrs. Ed Nash and baby went to Amarillo Tuesday.

Fresh fruits and vegetables of all kinds at A. B. Austins. 30tf  
A. G. Troutt went to Bovina, Texas, on business Monday.

When you want something good to eat, phone 48. Prompt delivery.  
C. P. Stone went to Sunnyside on banking business Monday.

Red Star Flour at R. R. Roberts' grocery store. Try one sack of it.

The Hotel Portales is being repapered, carpeted and painted. Get your seed potatoes from M. J. Faggard & Co. They are selling the Tennessee Triumph.

The Hotel Portales is the best equipped in town. 1t  
For home manufactured soda pop and ice cream call phone number 41.

Buster Degraftenried and son John, came down from Melrose day.

Don't forget that T. E. Landers makes a specialty of ladies suits and skirts.

George Carlton arrived from Hereford, Texas, Monday for a few days visit.

Call at the S. E. Moore gallery and see some late samples done in the new process. 24tf  
Cleve Humble and Edwin Neer left for Amarillo Monday to attend the auto races.

I am now prepared to negotiate loans on deeded farms in Roosevelt county. T. J. Molinari. Portales, N. M.

Oval Keen went to Cheshers' ranch Sunday to assist in the round up.

Landers calls for and delivers goods. No trouble to have your clothes cleaned and pressed. 1t  
Miss Jim Rowland left Sunday for a visit to friends and relatives in Amarillo, Texas.

When you look all over town and don't find it, come to R. R. Roberts. He has it—and everything else good to eat. 30tf

R. M. Sanders went to Amarillo Sunday to attend the auto reunion.

You are always sure of the best accommodations at the "Hotel Portales." 1t

C. W. Morris & Sons are headquarters for nice home-made bolted corn meal. Fresh stock always on hand. 18tf

D. Hardy and wife left for Amarillo Tuesday to attend the fair.

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. 20tf

Joe Kuykendall left for Amarillo Tuesday to play ball with Hereford.

To save money, buy your Groceries from R. R. Roberts. Next door to Warren, Foshee & Co.

Leon Jones returned to Clovis Tuesday to work for Warren-Foshee of that place.

For Sale—Good cow, sulky plow, single and double surry harness, carpenters and machinists tools, household goods, etc. See me. W. G. JOHNSON, 23f.  
Thompson, the auto driver for

Vaughn Land Company left for Amarillo Monday to witness the auto races.

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S. E. Moore the photographer, is now prepared to do all fancy lightings, such as Rambrent's and others too numerous to mention. 24tf

J. D. Hurley arrived from Texico Friday. Mr. Hurley was once county surveyor, and his old friends gladly welcome him.

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.

Mrs. W. H. Hill and son Ray, left Sunday for Kaddo, Oklahoma, their former home, on a short visit.

Messrs. Bascom Howard and Charlie Harris left Sunday to attend the auto racing and other features of amusement to take place at Amarillo, 26, 27, 28.

You will enjoy the satisfaction of high class service if you get your barber work done by Smith and Kirby in their new shop second door from Ed J. Neer's. 20tf

E. L. Bumpus, state commander of the Knights of Maccabees for Arizona and New Mexico organized a lodge at Clovis the former part of the week, came down and rearranged the order of this city the latter part.

Jim Taylor, a brother-in-law of Joe Howard, arrived Tuesday from Greenville, Texas, and is prospecting in the city. He will probably think of the future prosperity of this country and decide to locate here.

Charles Woodcock formerly of the firm of Blankenship & Woodcock Mercantile Company of this city has moved to Aransas Pass from Corpus Christi, Texas, and has launched into lumber business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stewart and Mr. J. L. Osborne left Saturday for Yaso, New Mexico, on business interests. Mrs. Osborne left Wednesday to join them at that place.

There will be a basket picnic at Rogers 3d. There will be good speaking by the best talent in the county. The best ball game of the season will be between Portales and Rogers. 1t

pair of driving gloves will be given to the best lady horse back rider, by Ben Nash. One sack of flour will be given to the largest family on the ground by Fraser and Anderson. 50 pounds of meal to the oldest married couple on the ground by Creek and McNable.

For Sale. One Poll Durham Bull. G. L. V.

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#### Who is Represented?

There are two distinct notions of whom a representative, so called, shall really represent. One idea is that he should represent the people who elected him; and in case his views be in conflict with the demands of his constituents, he should resign and give the people a chance to pass upon the issues and upon his position. There is no demand that a representative efface himself, or renounce his right to think for himself; and above all, he is not to shirk an unpopular task which looks to the welfare of the nation at large because it is unpopular.

The other theory is that a representative should think for himself—that is, he should weigh the questions at issue and pass upon them according as it may seem to him best. Platform pledges are mere recommendations which he may or may not act upon. He can even be elected upon a democratic ticket and vote and act in collusion with the republican leaders. He is sovereign for the term he is elected and in the capacity which he is elected, and not in fact a representative at all.

There is no need of discussing which plan should be adopted; the American government is a representative government; and yet it is a well known fact that this idea has ceased to obtain in the great law-making body of the nation. Those so-called democratic senators who voted for a duty on hides, coal, lumber, print paper and iron, think you they represented the great majority of their constituents who have to buy shoes, coal, lumber, print paper, and hardware and implements? Do they not know as we know that they voted for the beef packer's trust, the lumber trust, the steel trust and the paper trust? But do these men imagine that they will not be called into judgment for their conduct? Let us wait and see. Meantime, this splendid summary of Senator Platt of New York which we clip from Dallas Times Herald furnishes an excellent example of what it means to ignore the needs of the people and serve strictly selfish ends.

Thomas Collier Platt was 76 yesterday and celebrated alone, forgotten by all his once powerful friends. For twenty-five years he reigned as a boss and for eighteen years he was a United States senator who served selfish interests and not his state, and who looked to the lining of his own pocket and never to the interest of the masses. Today he is old and tottering on the brink of the grave, with none so poor as to do him reverence. Hoar died as poor as a church mouse, and the people, regardless of party mourned his passing. Morgan passed away at a ripe old age, poor in pocket and rich in the esteem of the American people. Platt will die unloved and unwept. Hoar and Morgan served the people long and loyally; Platt served the interests long and slavishly and selfishly.

Take your choice. Money is not all there is in this life.

#### KANSAS GOVERNOR DEMANDS SOBRIETY.

"What is good for a railroad corporation is certainly good for the state of Kansas, which is a bigger corporation than all the railroads combined," declared Governor Walter R. Stubbs, in an interview in which he announces that only total abstainers need apply for appointive offices in that state as long as he is the executive officer. "Discharge all drinking men," was the governor's direction. "Employ only temperate men who will give a dollar's worth of work for every dollar received as salary from the state. Efficiency is important, sobriety is paramount, and temperate men can soon become efficient, but a drunkard can not keep in constant touch with his work no matter how efficient he is. Kansas has a prohibitory law. The object of that law is to promote temperance. I am not only in favor of the strict enforcement of that law against violations, but also am in favor of using every other arm of the state government against the liquor traffic."

We believe our governor means to do everything in his power to kill the liquor traffic in Alabama. See your representatives before they go to Montgomery and pledge them to support our temperance program.—Ex.

President Taft's "get together banquet" held at the White House Wednesday of the past week did not effect the agreement on the tariff which the President anticipated. And the differences will likely be fought out in conferences later on.

#### WRIGHT'S TRIUMPH.

On July 20th Orville Wright es-

archaeologist, in the northeastern part of Arizona.

#### The Texico Boom.

Have you read the Texico Trumpet's issue of July 23rd? Well, you have missed something. Another great opportunity is passing the way of the "twin cities" of the state line; and it is heartening and inspiring to feel the thrill of the Trumpet's blast. The main thing is a new railroad—an Albuquerque-Tucumcari-Texico-Gulf road of the Harriman interests. And how the Trumpet goes after it, heart and soul! Then comes the announcement of the union of the water plants of Texico & Farwell. A new school building comes in for a half column of enthusiastic boosting. A revival meeting for the Methodist church is not overlooked. And we venture to say that if Texico's citizenship prove themselves worthy of the Trumpet's noble efforts to lift the town to the plane of progressive development and influence which her strategic position justifies and demands, and they put the grip and grit into their efforts which the Trumpet sets out in the cold type of this issue, a new day will dawn in the twin cities. We hail you, Mr. Editor and bid you God-speed!

#### PUMPING PLANT UNDER WAY.

The big pumping plant that has for some time been planned by the Fort

rear, however, and turning Mr. Hill's office over from the fire, the boys succeeded in saving the office with the fire hose, and the windmill on the other side was quickly saved by a bucket brigade. The kitchen furniture, whence in some unknown way the fire started, was a total loss as was also the whole house, while much of the furniture of the other part of the house was saved. The loss was only partially covered by insurance. Mr. and Mrs. Hill was at the picture show at the time the alarm was given and hence had no knowledge of the fire until their home was past saving.

#### Heavy Downpour.

Thursday afternoon, about 2 o'clock one of the heaviest rains of the season came in a perfect torrent. As is usual it came from the east, came quickly, and covered the whole face of the earth with a perfect flood of water. It was followed at night by another shower and still other rains have come in sight and it looks as if there might be a general rain in course. In this immediate vicinity there is now plenty of rain and crops will soon be flourishing.

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#### DO THE BEST YOU CAN.

Suppose the world doesn't please you. Nor the way some people do. Do you think the whole creation will be altered just for you? And isn't it, my boy or girl, the wisest, bravest plan, Whatever comes or doesn't come To do the best you can? —Ex.

#### For Sale

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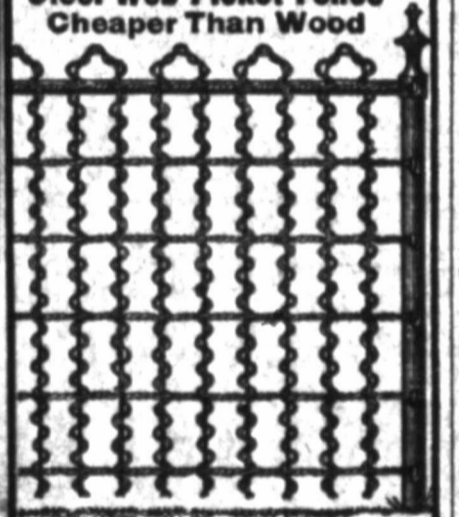
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**Proposed Contract.**  
Contract for power plant to  
furnish power to irrigate 6000 to  
12000 acres of land around Por-  
tales. Several slight modifica-  
tions to be submitted later.  
This agreement, made this  
day of ..... 1909, between the  
undersigned, C. H. Rittenhouse,  
of Wichita, Kansas, hereinafter  
known as the party of the first  
part, and the undersigned, .....,  
whose names are subscribed  
hereto, all of Roosevelt county,  
territory of New Mexico, hereinafter  
known as parties of the second  
part;

Whereas, the parties of the  
second part are the respective  
owners of various tracts of land  
in the aforesaid county of Roose-  
velt, and are desirous of arrang-  
ing with the party of the first  
part to install, at the point here-  
inafter named, a power plant for  
the purpose of furnishing power  
to pump water for irrigating the  
said lands of the parties of the  
second part;

Now therefore, this agreement  
witnesseth:

1st. The party of the first part  
for the consideration hereinafter  
named agrees to construct and  
install at the point hereinafter  
designated, a power plant for the  
purpose of furnishing power to  
pump water for irrigating the  
various parcels of land herein  
mentioned, and to furnish all  
auxiliaries necessary to make the  
plant complete and efficient and  
capable of properly doing the  
work for which it is constructed  
and intended, a more complete  
description of the plant to be  
thus installed and constructed by  
first party is set out herein below.

2nd. In consideration whereof,  
each of the respective parties of  
the second part, whose name is  
subscribed hereto, represents and  
agrees that he is the owner of  
the tract of land hereinafter de-  
scribed, and proposes and agrees  
to irrigate by means of power to  
be furnished from the aforesaid  
plant the certain number of acres  
out of said tract set opposite his  
signature below, and to pay the  
party of the first part the sum of  
thirty-five (\$35.00) dollars per  
acre for said number of acres to  
be irrigated, as follows, to wit:  
Three and 50-100 (\$3.50) dollars  
per acre, cash; Six and 30-100  
(\$6.30) dollars per acre October  
1st, 1910; six and 30-100 (\$6.30)  
dollars per acre, October 1st,  
1911; Six and 30-100 (\$6.30) dol-  
lars per acre, October 1st, 1912;  
Six and 30-100 (\$6.30) dollars per  
acre, October 1st, 1913; Six and  
30-100 (\$6.30) dollars per acre,  
October 1st, 1914. The deferred  
payments to be evidenced by ne-  
gotiable promissory notes, bear-  
ing six per cent. per annum from  
date, payable to the order of  
party of the first part and exe-  
cuted by said respective parties  
of the second part, and payment  
thereof secured by first mort-  
gage upon the lands to be irri-  
gated and upon the interest of  
the said respective parties of the  
second part in said power plant;  
said notes and mortgages to be  
in proper legal form, and the  
title to said lands covered by  
said mortgage to be clear and  
unincumbered.

However, it is further under-  
stood and agreed that said cash  
payment, notes and mortgages  
shall in the first instance be de-  
livered to ..... to hold in trust  
for party of the first part, and to  
be paid and delivered to said  
party of the first part by said  
trustee, as follows, to wit: First,  
\$3.50 per acre, cash, when first  
party shall have furnished a bond  
executed by some reputable bond-  
ing company or other responsible  
parties, in the sum of one hun-  
dred thousand dollars, condi-  
tioned that said first party will  
faithfully construct and install  
the power plant herein described,  
and in the manner herein set out,  
which said bond the party of the  
first part agrees to furnish in due  
time accordingly. Second, and  
on September 1st, 1909, .....,  
and fifty per cent of said notes  
and mortgages to be duly trans-

ferred and delivered over to  
party of the first part by said  
trustee. Third, and when the two  
engines of said power plant are  
ready to operate and put in oper-  
ation by party of the first part,  
twenty-five per cent of said notes  
and mortgages are to be turned  
over, transferred and delivered  
to said first party by said trustee.  
Fourth, and when the plant has  
been by the first party properly  
completed, constructed and in-  
stalled and tested in accordance  
with the terms of this contract,  
then the remaining twenty-five  
per cent of said notes and mort-  
gages shall be fully delivered  
and transferred over to said  
party of the first part, all in full  
payment of said first party for  
the construction and installment  
of said plant as herein provided  
for.

3rd. The parties of the second  
part agree to build and establish  
each for himself a suitable pump  
house for housing the motors,  
pumps and appliances owned and  
used in connection with the said  
power plant, and to build and  
construct the necessary pits to be  
used in connection with the  
establishment and installment of  
said pumps and motors, and also  
the foundations necessary and  
proper for installing and estab-  
lishing the centrifugal pumps  
used in connection therewith,  
and such requirements named in  
this paragraph shall be complied  
with as called for and designated  
by the party of the first part.  
Parties of the second part to  
furnish party of the first part  
the right-of-way for the setting  
of the poles that carry the trans-  
mission line to the various par-  
cels of land without expense to  
first party.

4th. It is expressly under-  
stood between the parties hereto  
that the party of the first part is  
not required to supply the water  
or the wells to which the pumps  
or appliances of said plant are to  
be attached, and shall be in no  
wise responsible for any lack of  
supply of water or wells, but the  
second parties agree and under-  
take to supply said water and  
wells on their own part each for  
himself and, it is further agreed  
and understood that the parties  
of the second part are to connect  
the pumps to the wells without  
expense to the party of the first  
part, but it is also understood be-  
tween the parties hereto that the  
party of the first part shall fur-  
nish at his own expense the nec-  
essary pumps, motors and power  
up to the wells, including meters  
to register the amount of current  
used, all as herein stated. Party  
of the first part further agrees  
to operate this plant for a period  
of from ten to thirty days as a  
test run, the time within said  
limits to be determined by the  
said trustee above mentioned,  
acting for and on behalf of the  
parties of the second part, the  
parties of the second part to  
furnish the necessary labor, fuel,  
oil and other necessary outlay  
for the making of such test, but  
first party shall superintend the  
making of same; said test to be  
made as soon as the plant is com-  
pleted and before delivery of  
last twenty-five per cent of notes  
and mortgages.

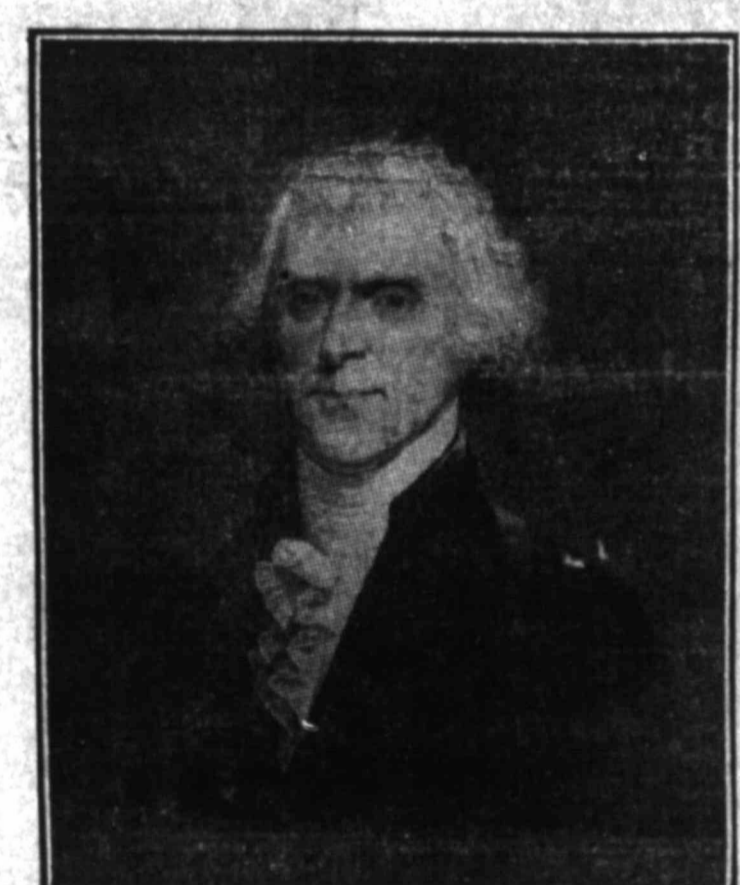
5th. A complete description  
of the power plant, aforesaid,  
which the party of the first part  
agrees to construct and install, is  
as follows, to wit: A power  
house of dimensions 60 feet by  
80 feet on a 600 acre basis and 18  
foot wall, constructed with ce-  
ment blocks 18 inches long by 10  
inches wide and 8 inches thick,  
in which there is to be installed  
on permanent foundations built  
of crushed stone, of sand and ce-  
ment, two 330 horse-power Buck-  
eye double-acting, horizontal,  
tandem gas engines, two 330 gas  
producers, two 300 K. W. electric  
generators direct connected to  
engine shafts, with all auxiliaries  
connected with the engines, in-  
cluding necessary piping from  
engines to producers, and water  
discharge pipes, and the neces-

sary pipe for the air lines and  
exhaust lines; also the transmis-  
sion lines from the power plant  
to the respective tracts or parcels  
of land to be irrigated under  
this contract, such main transmis-  
sion lines shall not exceed  
sixteen (16) miles; the auxiliary  
or individual motor lines leading  
to the various parcels of land  
from main transmission line shall  
not exceed thirty (30) miles.  
The transmission line, poles,  
cross-bars and all necessary  
equipment for the complete in-  
stallation of the power of the  
transmission line to be furnished  
by the first party. The trans-  
mission line shall be built to  
transmit 6600 volts. The size of  
the wire for the main transmis-  
sion line shall be number 6, and  
the size of the wire for the aux-  
iliary or motor lines shall be  
number 8 and 10. The poles used  
in the main transmission line  
shall be 30 feet with six inch  
tops. The poles for the auxil-  
iary or motor lines to be 25 feet  
with five inch tops, and the first  
party is to furnish one twenty  
horse-power motor for every one  
hundred and sixty acres of land  
to be irrigated and also one  
standard centrifugal pump (with  
six inch discharge) with each of  
such twenty horse-power motors.  
If, before any expenditure is  
made by the party of the first  
part toward the construction of  
said plant, the trustee hereinafter  
named, acting for and on be-  
half of the parties of the second  
part, shall elect to have used a  
smaller motor and smaller pump  
than those above designated,  
then the party of the first part  
agrees to make use of such motor  
and smaller pump, upon the  
written direction so to do signed  
by said trustee as follows, to wit:  
For 120 acres, a 16 horse-power  
motor and five inch discharge  
pump; for 80 acres, a 12 horse-  
power motor and a four inch dis-  
charge pump; for 40 acres, a 6  
horse-power motor and a three  
inch discharge pump.  
Party of the first part is to fur-  
nish, also at its own expense, the  
necessary transformers for trans-  
forming the high voltage from  
the main transmission line to a  
low voltage for driving the mo-  
tors, and also the necessary  
switches for the various motors  
on the various parcels of land,  
and such appliances are to be  
properly installed by first party  
as stated.

The said plant, when com-  
pleted and in operation, shall  
have a capacity of furnishing one  
second foot of water if the lift  
does not exceed sixty feet or, in  
other words, an amount of water  
that would cover the acreage to  
be irrigated as designated herein  
below, up to 6000 acres, three  
feet deep in 150 days at a lift of  
sixty (loss by ditch leakage not  
considered). The said power  
plant, when properly completed  
and when properly handled and  
operated at its rated load shall be  
capable of delivering a kilowatt  
hour at the switch board at a  
cost of 6-10 of a cent, when using  
crude oil at \$1.35 per barrel at  
the plant, or coal at \$4.50 per  
ton at the plant. This price per  
kilowatt includes the necessary  
labor to operate the plant, oil and  
waste. The term "kilowatt" as  
herein used is defined to mean  
1.1-3 B.H.P. hour.  
It is further understood that  
the price of 6-10 of a cent per  
kilowatt hour is intended to cover  
the cost of fuel, at prices named,  
and necessary help, the lubricat-  
ing oils and waste of operating  
the plant. It does not intend to  
cover other expenses, breakage  
in line, labor in improvements in  
the plant or extension of the  
transmission lines.  
It is further understood that  
current at the switch-board cost-  
ing 6-10 of a cent per kilowatt  
hour will furnish sufficient power  
at the various motors connected  
with the pumps to deliver an acre  
foot of water (15 foot of water)  
at 18 cents per acre foot. "Acre  
foot" is defined to mean an  
amount of water delivered at the  
discharge of the pump that would  
cover one acre of land one foot  
deep, losses not included.  
The guarantee for the various  
parts of the plant will be the  
guarantee furnished by the fac-  
tory building the same, which  
will be that they shall be built  
of good material, free from defects  
in material and workmanship,  
and replace free of charge, within  
one year from date of installa-  
tion, any part or parts proving  
defective in workmanship or ma-  
terial.  
6th. It is further agreed that  
this contract shall be binding on  
the first party only in the event  
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**Who is Represented?**  
There are two distinct notions of whom a representative, so called, shall really represent. One idea is that he should represent the people who elected him; and in case his views be in conflict with the demands of his constituents, he should resign and give the people a chance to pass upon the issues and upon his position. There is no demand that a representative efface himself, or renounce his right to think for himself; and above all, he is not to shirk an unpopular task which looks to the welfare of the nation at large because it is unpopular.

The other theory is that a representative should think for himself—that is, he should weigh the questions at issue and pass upon them according as it may seem to him best. Platform pledges are mere recommendations which he may or may not act upon. He can even be elected upon a democratic ticket and vote and act in collusion with the republican leaders. He is sovereign for the term he is elected and in the capacity which he is elected, and not in fact a representative at all.

There is no need of discussing which plan should be adopted; the American government is a representative government; and yet it is a well known fact that this idea has ceased to obtain in the great law-making body of the nation. Those so-called democratic senators who voted for a duty on hides, coal, lumber, print paper and iron, think you they represented the great majority of their constituents who have to buy shoes, coal, lumber, print paper, and hardware and implements? Do they not know as we know that they voted for the beef packer's trust, the lumber trust, the steel trust and the paper trust? But do these men imagine that they will not be called into judgment for their conduct? Let us wait and see. Meantime, this splendid summary of Senator Platt of New York which we clip from the Dallas Times Herald furnishes an excellent example of what it means to ignore the needs of the people and serve strictly selfish ends.

Thomas Collier Platt was 76 yesterday and celebrated alone, forgotten by all his once powerful friends. For twenty five years he ruled as a boss and for eighteen years he was a United States senator who served selfish interests and not his state, and who looked to the lining of his own pocket and never to the interest of the masses. Today he is old and tottering on the brink of the grave, with none so poor as to do him reverence. Hoar died as poor as a church mouse, and the people, regardless of party mourned his passing. Morgan passed away at a ripe old age, poor in pocket and rich in the esteem of the American people. Platt will die unhonored and unwept. Hoar and Morgan served the people long and loyally; Platt served the interests long and slavishly and selfishly.

Take your choice. Money is not all there is in this life.

**KANSAS GOVERNOR DEMANDS SOBRIETY.**  
"What is good for a railroad corporation is certainly good for the state of Kansas, which is a bigger corporation than all the railroads combined," declared Governor Walter R. Stubbs, in an interview in which he announces that only total abstainers need apply for appointive offices in that state as long as he is the executive officer. "Discharge all drinking men," was the governor's direction. "Employ only temperate men who will give a dollar's worth of work for every dollar received as salary from the state. Efficiency is important, sobriety is paramount, and temperate men can soon become efficient, but a drunkard can not keep in constant touch with his work no matter how efficient he is. Kansas has a prohibitory law. The object of that law is to promote temperance. I am not only in favor of the strict enforcement of that law against violations, but also am in favor of using every other arm of the state government against the liquor traffic."  
We believe our governor means to do everything in his power to kill the liquor traffic in Alabama. See your representatives before they go to Montgomery and pledge them to support our temperance program.—Ex.

President Taft's "get together banquet" held at the White House Wednesday of the past week did not effect the agreement on the tariff which the President anticipated. And the differences will likely be fought out in conferences later on.

**WRIGHT'S TRIUMPH.**  
On July 29th Orville Wright established a new record in America for aviation, making a flight of one hour, twenty minutes and forty-five seconds duration. Three "figure eight" demonstrations during the flight showed the machine to be under the entire control of its master.

archaeologist, in the northeastern part of Arizona.

**The Texico Boom.**  
Have you read the Texico Trumpet's issue of July 23rd? Well, you have missed something. Another great opportunity is passing the way of the "twin cities" of the state line; and it is heartening and inspiring to feel the thrill of the Trumpet's blast. The main thing is a new railroad—an Albuquerque-Tucumcari-Texico-Gulf road of the Harriman interests. And how the Trumpet goes after it, heart and soul! Then comes the announcement of the union of the water plants of Texico & Farwell. A new school building comes in for a half column of enthusiastic boosting. A revival meeting for the Methodist church is not overlooked. And we venture to say that if Texico's citizenship prove themselves worthy of the Trumpet's noble efforts to lift the town to the plane of progressive development and influence which her strategic position justifies and demands, and they put the grip and grit into their efforts which the Trumpet sets out in the cold type of this issue, a new day will dawn in the twin cities. We hail you, Mr. Editor and bid you God-speed!

**PUMPING PLANT UNDER WAY.**  
The big pumping plant that has for some time been planned by the Fort

rear, however, and turning Mr. Hill's office over from the fire, the boys succeeded in saving the office with the fire hose, and the windmill on the other side was quickly saved by a bucket brigade. The kitchen furniture, whence in some unknown way the fire started, was a total loss as was also the whole house, while much of the furniture of the other part of the house was saved. The loss was only partially covered by insurance. Mr. and Mrs. Hill was at the picture show at the time the alarm was given and hence had no knowledge of the fire until their home was past saving.

**Heavy Downpour.**  
Thursday afternoon, about 2 o'clock one of the heaviest rains of the season came in a perfect torrent. As is usual it came from the east, came quickly, and covered the whole face of the earth with a perfect flood of water. It was followed at night by another shower and still other rains have come in sight and it looks as if there might be a general rain in course. In this immediate vicinity there is now plenty of rain and crops will soon be flourishing.

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**HEWETT'S VALUABLE FIND.**  
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The discovery by Prof. Edgar L. Hewett of huge caves in northeastern Arizona, filled with the relics of prehistoric cave dwellers, promises to be one of the most important finds in years, and it is believed, will throw light on the lives of the people who inhabited the southwest centuries before the Indians came. The story of the discovery was told in a dispatch to The Citizen a week ago, and Prof. Hewett, in communicating with a friend in Denver, tells more about his find. A Denver paper has the following to say of the discovery:  
Mammoth caves, larger than the far-famed caverns of Kentucky, with magnificent chasms and vaulted chambers in which a city office building could be stowed away, and surrounded by ancient and mysterious ruins never before visited by white men, have just been discovered by Prof. Edgar L. Hewett, the famous

Summer Land and Development Co. is now well under way. Contract for the foundation has been let to Duke Smith, and the first shipment of material, a car of steel pipe, arrived and

**Friday Nights Fire.**  
About nine o'clock Friday night of last week fire was discovered in the kitchen of the home of Mr. Oscar B. Hill. The alarm was given immediately; but very few of the people were able to discover the exact location of the fire and so were late getting on the ground. The fire boys rushed to the Blankenship-Woodcock ware house but were unable to get into the engine and hose cart and finally were forced to break through the door. The engine was then quickly pulled by hand to the town tank and the hose attached. But it was found that the hose was at least 30 feet too short to do effective work, though it was possible to keep the fire from spreading. In the effort to draw the hose nearer, too many laid hold of the hose with the result that it snapped off at first joint. Bringing it up from the

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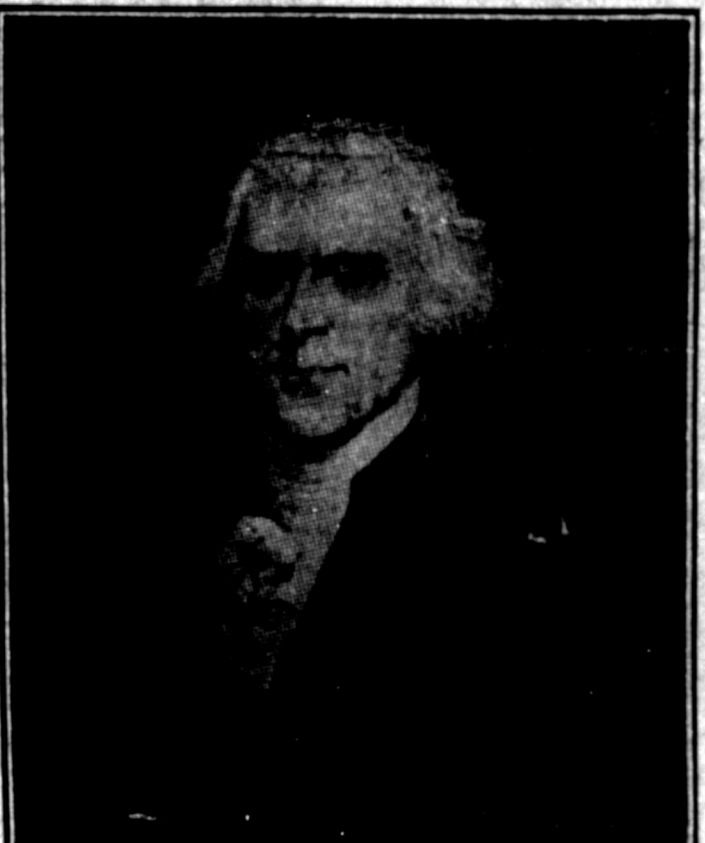
**Proposed Contract.**  
Contract for power plant to  
furnish power to irrigate 6000 to  
12000 acres of land around Por-  
tales. Several slight modifica-  
tions to be submitted later.  
This agreement, made this  
day of ..... 1909, between the  
undersigned, C. H. Rittenhouse,  
of Wichita, Kansas, hereinafter  
known as the party of the first  
part, and the undersigned, .....  
whose names are subscribed  
hereto, all of Roosevelt county,  
territory of New Mexico, hereinafter  
known as parties of the second  
part;  
Whereas, the parties of the  
second part are the respective  
owners of various tracts of land  
in the aforesaid county of Roose-  
velt, and are desirous of arrang-  
ing with the party of the first  
part to install, at the point here-  
inafter named, a power plant for  
the purpose of furnishing power  
to pump water for irrigating the  
said lands of the parties of the  
second part;  
Now therefore, this agreement  
witnesseth:  
1st. The party of the first part  
for the consideration hereinafter  
named agrees to construct and  
install at the point hereinafter  
designated, a power plant for the  
purpose of furnishing power to  
pump water for irrigating the  
various parcels of land herein  
mentioned, and to furnish all  
auxiliaries necessary to make the  
plant complete and efficient and  
capable of properly doing the  
work for which it is constructed  
and intended, a more complete  
description of the plant to be  
thus installed and constructed by  
first party is set out herein below.  
2nd. In consideration whereof,  
each of the respective parties of  
the second part, whose name is  
subscribed hereto, represents and  
agrees that he is the owner of  
the tract of land hereinafter de-  
scribed, and proposes and agrees  
to irrigate by means of power to  
be furnished from the aforesaid  
plant the certain number of acres  
out of said tract set opposite his  
signature below, and to pay the  
party of the first part the sum of  
thirty-five (\$35.00) dollars per  
acre for said number of acres to  
be irrigated, as follows, to wit:  
Three and 50-100 (\$3.50) dollars  
per acre, cash; Six and 30-100  
(\$6.30) dollars per acre October  
1st, 1910; six and 30-100 (\$6.30)  
dollars per acre, October 1st,  
1911; Six and 30-100 (\$6.30) dol-  
lars per acre, October 1st, 1912;  
Six and 30-100 (\$6.30) dollars per  
acre, October 1st, 1913; Six and  
30-100 (\$6.30) dollars per acre,  
October 1st, 1914. The deferred  
payments to be evidenced by ne-  
gotiable promissory notes, bear-  
ing six per cent. per annum from  
date, payable to the order of  
party of the first part and exe-  
cuted by said respective parties  
of the second part, and payment  
thereof secured by first mort-  
gage upon the lands to be irri-  
gated and upon the interest of  
the said respective parties of the  
second part in said power plant;  
said notes and mortgages to be  
in proper legal form, and the  
title to said lands covered by  
said mortgage to be clear and  
unumbered.  
However, it is further under-  
stood and agreed that said cash  
payment, notes and mortgages  
shall in the first instance be de-  
livered to ..... to hold in trust  
for party of the first part, and to  
be paid and delivered to said  
party of the first part by said  
trustee as follows, to wit: First,  
\$3.50 per acre, cash, when first  
party shall have furnished a bond  
executed by some reputable bond-  
ing company or other responsible  
parties, in the sum of one hun-  
dred thousand dollars, condi-  
tioned that said first party will  
faithfully construct and install  
the power plant herein described,  
and in the manner herein set out,  
which said bond the party of the  
first part agrees to furnish in due  
time accordingly. Second, and  
on September 1st, 1909, .....  
and fifty per cent of said notes  
and mortgages to be duly trans-

ferred and delivered over to  
party of the first part by said  
trustee. Third, and when the two  
engines of said power plant are  
ready to operate and put in oper-  
ation by party of the first part,  
twenty-five per cent of said notes  
and mortgages are to be turned  
over, transferred and delivered  
to said first party by said trustee.  
Fourth, and when the plant has  
been by the first party properly  
completed, constructed and in-  
stalled and tested in accordance  
with the terms of this contract,  
then the remaining twenty-five  
per cent of said notes and mort-  
gages shall be fully delivered  
and transferred over to said  
party of the first part, all in full  
payment of said first party for  
the construction and installment  
of said plant as herein provided  
for.  
3rd. The parties of the second  
part agree to build and establish  
each for himself a suitable pump  
house for housing the motors,  
pumps and appliances owned and  
used in connection with the said  
power plant, and to build and  
construct the necessary pits to  
be used in connection with the  
establishment and installment of  
said pumps and motors, and also  
the foundations necessary and  
proper for installing and estab-  
lishing the centrifugal pumps  
used in connection therewith,  
and such requirements named in  
this paragraph shall be complied  
with as called for and designated  
by the party of the first part.  
Parties of the second part to  
furnish party of the first part  
the right-of-way for the setting  
of the poles that carry the trans-  
mission line to the various par-  
cels of land without expense to  
first party.  
4th. It is expressly under-  
stood between the parties hereto  
that the party of the first part is  
not required to supply the water  
or the wells to which the pumps  
or appliances of said plant are to  
be attached, and shall be in no  
wise responsible for any lack of  
supply of water or wells, but the  
second parties agree and under-  
take to supply said water and  
wells on their own part each for  
himself and, it is further agreed  
and understood that the parties  
of the second part are to connect  
the pumps to the wells without  
expense to the party of the first  
part, but it is also understood be-  
tween the parties hereto that the  
party of the first part shall fur-  
nish at his own expense the nec-  
essary pumps, motors and power  
up to the wells, including meters  
to register the amount of current  
used, all as herein stated. Party  
of the first part further agrees  
to operate this plant for a period  
of from ten to thirty days as a  
test run, the time within said  
limits to be determined by the  
said trustee above mentioned,  
acting for and on behalf of the  
parties of the second part, the  
parties of the second part to  
furnish the necessary labor, fuel,  
oil and other necessary outlay  
for the making of such test, but  
first party shall superintend the  
making of same; said test to be  
made as soon as the plant is com-  
pleted and before delivery of  
last twenty-five per cent of notes  
and mortgages.  
5th. A complete description  
of the power plant, aforesaid,  
which the party of the first part  
agrees to construct and install, is  
as follows, to wit: A power  
house of dimensions 60 feet by  
80 feet on a 600 acre basis and 18  
foot wall, constructed with ce-  
ment blocks 18 inches long by 10  
inches wide and 8 inches thick,  
in which there is to be installed  
on permanent foundations built  
of crushed stone, of sand and ce-  
ment, two 330 horse-power Buck-  
eye double-acting, horizontal,  
tandem gas engines, two 330 gas  
producers, two 300 K. W. electric  
generators direct connected to  
engine shafts, with all auxiliaries  
connected with the engines, in-  
cluding necessary piping from  
engines to producers, and water  
discharge pipes, and the neces-

sary pipe for the air lines and  
exhaust lines; also the transmis-  
sion lines from the power plant  
to the respective tracts or parcels  
of land to be irrigated under  
this contract, such main transmis-  
sion lines shall not exceed  
sixteen (16) miles; the auxiliary  
or individual motor lines leading  
to the various parcels of land  
from main transmission line shall  
not exceed thirty (30) miles.  
The transmission line, poles,  
cross-bars and all necessary  
equipment for the complete in-  
stallation of the power of the  
transmission line to be furnished  
by the first party. The trans-  
mission line shall be built to  
transmit 6600 volts. The size of  
the wire for the main transmis-  
sion line shall be number 6, and  
the size of the wire for the aux-  
iliary or motor lines shall be  
number 8 and 10. The poles used  
in the main transmission line  
shall be 30 feet with six inch  
tops. The poles for the auxil-  
iary or motor lines to be 25 feet  
with five inch tops, and the first  
party is to furnish one twenty  
horse-power motor for every one  
hundred and sixty acres of land  
to be irrigated and also one  
standard centrifugal pump (with  
six inch discharge) with each of  
such twenty horse-power motors.  
If, before any expenditure is  
made by the party of the first  
part toward the construction of  
said plant, the trustee hereinafter  
named, acting for and on be-  
half of the parties of the second  
part, shall elect to have used a  
smaller motor and smaller pump  
than those above designated,  
then the party of the first part  
agrees to make use of such motor  
and smaller pump, upon the  
written direction so to do signed  
by said trustee as follows, to wit:  
For 120 acres, a 16 horse-power  
motor and five inch discharge  
pump; for 80 acres, a 12 horse-  
power motor and a four inch dis-  
charge pump; for 40 acres, a 6  
horse-power motor and a three  
inch discharge pump.  
Party of the first part is to fur-  
nish, also at its own expense, the  
necessary transformers for trans-  
forming the high voltage from  
the main transmission line to a  
low voltage for driving the mo-  
tors, and also the necessary  
switches for the various motors  
on the various parcels of land,  
and such appliances are to be  
properly installed by first party  
as stated.  
The said plant, when com-  
pleted and in operation, shall  
have a capacity of furnishing one  
second foot of water if the lift  
does not exceed sixty feet or, in  
other words, an amount of water  
that would cover the acreage to  
be irrigated as designated herein  
below, up to 6000 acres, three  
feet deep in 150 days at a lift of  
sixty (loss by ditch leakage not  
considered). The said power  
plant, when properly completed  
and when properly handled and  
operated at its rated load shall be  
capable of delivering a kilowatt  
hour at the switch board at a  
cost of 6-10 of a cent, when using  
crude oil at \$1.35 per barrel at  
the plant, or coal at \$4.50 per  
ton at the plant. This price per  
kilowatt includes the necessary  
labor to operate the plant, oil and  
waste. The term "kilowatt" as  
herein used is defined to mean  
1-1-3 B.H.P. hour.  
It is further understood that  
the price of 6-10 of a cent per  
kilowatt hour is intended to cover  
the cost of fuel, at prices named,  
and necessary help, the lubricat-  
ing oils and waste of operating  
the plant. It does not intend to  
cover other expenses, breakage  
in line, labor in improvements in  
the plant or extension of the  
transmission lines.  
It is further understood that  
current at the switch-board cost-  
ing 6-10 of a cent per kilowatt  
hour will furnish sufficient power  
at the various motors connected  
with the pumps to deliver an acre  
foot of water (15 foot of water)  
at 18 cents per acre foot. "Acre  
foot" is defined to mean an  
amount of water delivered at the  
discharge of the pump that would  
cover one acre of land one foot  
deep, losses not included.  
The guarantee for the various  
parts of the plant will be the  
guarantee furnished by the fac-  
tory building the same, which  
will be that they shall be built  
of good material, free from defects  
in material and workmanship,  
and replace free of charge, within  
one year from date of installa-  
tion, any part or parts proving  
defective in workmanship or ma-  
terial.  
6th. It is further agreed that  
this contract shall be binding on  
the first party only in the event  
(Continued on next page)

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heart and soul with you in your new enterprise. Yours truly,  
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**Who Pays the Bill.**  
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the wholesaler in an auto-  
mobile, and the retail dealer in a  
carriage, but the consumer of  
the liquor is pulled around by  
the hair or the head by the po-  
liceman. And the strangest  
part of all is that the consumer  
pays for the steam yacht, the au-  
tomobile, the carriage and the  
policeman.—Atchison Globe.

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**Proposed Contract**  
and when there shall be designated by the subscribing owners thereof, at least 6000 acres of land to be irrigated in accordance with the terms of this contract, and for which payment is to be made to first party in accordance with the terms hereof; and until the parties of the second part have designated and agreed to pay for the power for irrigation for the said number of acres, to-wit, 6000 acres, in accordance with the terms of this contract, this contract shall not be binding on said first party, but when the parties of the second part have agreed to pay for the power for irrigating said number of acres, 6000, in accordance with the terms of this contract and have deposited with the trustees the amount of such cash required by the foregoing terms of this contract, then this contract becomes binding and in full force and effect between all the parties hereto.

The said power plant shall be located on the following tract of land, to-wit: The test of the plant above referred to and which shall be made as soon as the plant is completed is to determine whether or not the party of the first part has completed the same in conformity with the terms of this agreement, and when it has been thus demonstrated that the first party has fully complied with his agreement, the party of the first part shall be entitled to full and complete pay as provided by the terms of this contract.

The bond herein above referred to shall run to the second party of all the parties of the second part hereto. Opposite to the name of each of the parties of the second part, subscribed below, is set the description of the tract of land owned by such subscriber, and the number of acres out of such tract which such owner desires irrigated, and for the irrigation of which power is to be provided under the terms of this contract. It is further understood and agreed that before this contract shall be binding on both parties or any machinery furnished there shall be drilled a series of test wells, (the number to be mutually agreed upon by the two parties) such wells to be pumped by suitable means to demonstrate that they have the capacity to furnish at least three acre feet of water in 150 days for the acreage they are to supply. The expense of drilling these wells and testing the same to be borne by second party. In the event of these wells proving adequate and a satisfactory supply then in that case the expense so incurred in testing the wells to be credited on the amount that is to be paid the first party for the installation of the plant.

It is specially stipulated and agreed hereby between the party of the first part and each and all the parties of the second part, jointly and severally, that upon completion of the power plant above mentioned, the party of the first part shall be entitled to have and shall have, and is hereby given a first lien upon power plant and the appurtenances thereto belonging, to secure the payment of the divers and several sums of money that may become due from any, all or either of the parties of the second part under the terms of this instrument and remain unpaid.

And it is hereby specifically agreed between all the parties that as soon as said power plant has been completed as provided for heretofore in this agreement, the parties of the second part jointly execute a mortgage, of the usual form in ordinary use, thereon to the first party, securing the first party in accordance with the provisions in this paragraph herein above set out.

It is understood and agreed by and between the parties to these presents that the trustees herein before mentioned shall be chosen by the votes of the second parties, each of whom shall cast as many votes for his candidate as he has acres of land contracted to be irrigated in this proposition. The party receiving the highest number of votes so cast to be elected as said trustee. The said election to be held by three of the said second parties as judges of such election, one of whom shall act as clerk thereof. In witness whereof, the parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands and to an instrument of like effect at Portales, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of July, A.D. 1909.

First Party.  
Second Parties

**News of the County**

As Told By Our Correspondents

**PLAINVIEW.**  
(Too late for last week)  
Here comes another stranger to contribute an item to the Herald.

Plainview consists of one store, one blacksmith whop, school house, and a number of half dug-outs. So you see we have a first class New Mexico town, is located 18 miles southwest of Bronco, Texas, 15 miles south of Ranger Lake, 85 miles south of Portales. Our country is fast developing, religiously, as well as financially. Lots of new people coming in, the majority of whom are refined and christian people who are always welcome.

Crops are looking fine at present. We had a fine rain on the night of the 15th, which lengthened the smile on the farmers face.

The writer is just in from a trip to the Portales country and finds crops much better here than in that part of the country.

Brother Music of Knowles, New Mexico, will begin a meeting at Midway the night of the 17th. Brothers Givens and Law have just held a meeting at Murreys chapel which did much good.

We have a very good sabbath school at Needmore school house just east of Plainview, and I find by reading the Herald that several communities report a good interest in the work. So, readers let us make this the best year of our lives.

Much success to the Herald and its readers.

**PEARSON.**  
It is still dry but the farmers are still trying to farm.

A. S. Pearson is still buying cattle.

Mrs. Lykins died last week with blood poison.

There will be a campmeeting begin at Pearson on the third Sunday in August. Let every body come and take a part, we need the help of every child of God.

Mr. Moore, the east Pearson blacksmith is getting able to work again.

Mr. Joe Cook is thinking of getting another cook.

**LONGS**  
Mrs. Willie Pratt returned to her home in Texas, after a short visit to relatives here.

W. H. Freeman was called to Portales to see his sick child. His wife took the child to Portales some time ago, where it could be under the treatment of a doctor.

Mr. Foster and wife visited Portales Monday.

There was singing at W. B. Adams Sunday evening. It began raining shortly after the crowd gathered and rained until eleven o'clock. They all report having a hard time finding their way home through the water.

Miss Maud Hainslip and Alex Hamby visited Miss Nellie Taylor one day last week.

T. H. Long and little son Willard made a business trip to Portales Monday.

We had the biggest rain of the season Sunday evening and night. The crops around here were beginning to need rain very bad.

Tom Hill and family visited U. S. Frazee's family this week.

Mrs. Clouser's well caved in sometime ago and she had another one dug close to the old one and struck a fine stream of water.

**GIVENS.**  
A good rain in our community last night has helped the looks of the crops. The corn was needing rain badly.

Mr. Harve Holcomb has

proved upon his claim and is preparing to leave for Oklahoma soon.

Miss Givens and her brother are improving slowly from the results of a runaway which occurred the 21st as they were going to Rogers. Miss Givens with her brother Joel and little sister Maggie, and Bessie Dickbreeder were thrown from the wagon, Bessie and Maggie were not injured.

Charles Givens left for Texas last week.

Messrs. Martin and Shockley returned to their claim several days ago. Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Shockley went to Oklahoma to visit relatives for a while.

A certain lady in our community wishes to adopt a nice pretty little boy age about 8.

Jacob Schweikhard left last week for Lubbock, Texas.

Miss Elizabeth Dunlap from Portales visited her sister, Mrs. John Mashburn last week.

Mrs. H. M. Carter of Monett, Missouri, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Hensley. Mrs. Hensley's niece, Mrs. Beale, her husband and children of Aurora, Missouri, came with her. They returned last week.

Mrs. W. H. Wood who has been on the sick list, we are glad to say is better.

Rev. J. E. Givens arrived home from the Monument circuit Monday evening to spend a few days with his family.

Mr. J. L. Moss of Fort Worth and daughter, Mrs. Mauk of Sanderson, Texas, are visitors of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Carr.

**For Sale or Exchange.**  
A well improved patented quarter section of land, on Belen cut-off, 3 miles from Fort Sumner, New Mexico, and 4 miles from La Lande, N. M. \$1700 in improvements, as follows: four-room box house, good well of water with windmill, 3 miles of good fence, plenty of sheds, granary, etc; over one hundred acres in cultivation; the best red loamy land; rents for \$185 cash. Will sell cheap and give some terms; or will exchange for business house or residence property in Portales or Clovis. See E. P. Alldredge, Herald office, Portales.

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**GALVESTON'S SECOND STORM.**  
Galveston, Texas, was visited by another terrific storm June 21st, from which the city was saved by the great sea wall. Eight lives were lost and a fishing resort was shattered. The storm rose at 10 o'clock in the morning and was all passed over by 1:15 p. m.

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# Portales Bank & Trust Company

Territorial Depository

At Close of Business June 30, 1909

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts \$50,000.02	Capital Stock \$25,000.00
Overdrafts secured & unsecured 131.94	Undivided Profits 2,337.43
Real Estate Furniture & Fix. 13,335.09	Cashier's Checks Outstanding 501.80
Cash and Sight Exchange 11,794.98	Deposits 51,564.86
Abstracts and other Resources 3,000.00	Other Liabilities 36.32
Total \$79,441.03	Total \$79,441.03

I hereby certify that the above statement is correct.

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### Commissioners Proceedings

Proceedings of the Board of county commissioners of Roosevelt county, Territory of New Mexico, at a regular meeting thereof held at the court house in Portales, the county seat, Monday, July the 5th, 1909.

Present. C. V. Harris, chairman, W. H. Montgomery, commissioner. Meeting called to order by the chairman.

The board met as a board of county commissioners, rose and set as a board of equalization. On the account of the absence of E. C. Price, commissioner, the board took a recess until 8 o'clock and thirty minutes July the 6th.

July 6th, 1909.

The board met as per order of July the 5th. Present: C. V. Harris, Chairman, E. C. Price, commissioner, W. H. Montgomery, commissioner.

The following tax renditions were raised, to wit:  
 M. J. Wisdom, on mules \$40  
 S. J. Nash on house 200  
 Taiban Townsite Company on lots raised from \$1000 to 2000  
 H. S. Douthitt, on improvements 100  
 J. M. Price, on improvements 100

July 7th, 1909.

The board rose as a board of equalization and sat as a board of county commissioners.

The west boundary line of school district no. 9 is hereby established as follows, to wit: commencing on south side at center of section 35, township 2, north of range 28, east, thence north through center of sections 12 miles to north side of section 2, township 3, north of range 28 east, being the original line established by J. S. Pearce, county superintendent.

To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of Roosevelt county, Territory of New Mexico. Greeting:

I recommend that precinct lines be changed as follows: attaching the territory immediately north of precinct no. 7 out of precincts nos. 3 and 18, by establishing the north line of Roosevelt county, three miles north of the base line, be attached to precinct no. 7 for justice of the peace purposes; and the territory immediately north of precinct no. 1, out of precincts 13 and 8 by said county line be attached to precinct No. 1, for justice of the peace purposes and that the territory immediately north of precinct no. 4 out of precinct no. 6 by said county line shall be attached to said precinct no. 4, for justice of the peace purposes, and I shall ever pray.

J. E. MORRISON, Assessor.

It is the order of the Board that the above change in the justice of precincts be and the same are ordered changed as prayed for.

The following accounts examined, allowed and ordered paid, to wit:  
 B. J. Reagan, office expense for 1st quarter, 1909 \$62.70  
 B. J. Reagan, office expense for 2d quarter, 1909 48.64  
 E. C. Price, salary and mileage for 2d quarter, 1909 79.80  
 J. L. Medlock, scavenger, 2d quarter, cleaning up refuse, 81.50  
 C. T. Duncan, constable fees precinct no. 1, 25.85  
 R. A. Bain, sheriff, fees, salary 2d. quarter and board of prisoners, 886.15  
 H. F. Jones, salary 2d quarter 62.50  
 S. F. Culberson, salary 2d quarter 375.00  
 S. F. Culberson, office expenses 2d quarter, 13.55  
 C. P. Mitchell, office expense, 2d quarter 24.10  
 C. P. Mitchell, salary 2d quarter 100.00  
 W. H. Montgomery, salary 2d quarter and mileage 81.50  
 C. V. Harris, salary 2d quarter 75.00  
 C. V. Harris, supplies furnished prisoners 33.06  
 E. D. Brown, work on jail and

material for same 14.50  
 In order to meet with the board of Curry county with a view of procuring certain incurred expenses, a recess was taken till Tuesday, July 13th, 1909.

July 14th.

The resignation of H. K. Hall, justice of the peace of precinct no. 5, received and accepted. H. C. Sorugga, is hereby appointed constable of precinct no. 5, said appointment to take effect upon his filing a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$400 with the clerk of this board.

Application for right of way and franchise to erect poles and string wire thereon for the purpose of erecting a telephone line from Elida to Lewiston, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, made by Hugh Lewis, Jr., received, examined and granted as prayed for.

The quarterly reports of the following justice of the peace received, examined and approved. A. B. Seay, precinct no. 1, and account allowed for \$73.70  
 W. B. Gates, precinct no. 5 and account allowed for 82.35  
 T. N. Christie, precinct no. 15, and account allowed for 1.45  
 E. P. Williams, precinct no. 16 and account allowed for 10.50  
 C. R. Langton, precinct no. 17 no account attached.  
 J. A. Wilson, precinct no. 21 and account allowed for 6.90  
 The quarterly report of M. T. Dent, justice of the peace of precinct no. 10, held for further information. All errors in the assessments of taxes ordered deducted from the rolls where possible.

The following accounts examined, approved and ordered paid, to wit:  
 Kemp Lumber company, lumber for repairs on jail and court house \$8.58  
 Portales Coal and Grain Company, coal for jail and court house 18.90  
 Herald Printing Company, county printing 15.85  
 Herald Printing Company, county printing 22.70  
 Herald Printing Company, county printing 18.50  
 W. F. Tallant, surveying school district no. 14 25.00  
 W. F. Tallant, surveying 3 county roads 27.50  
 R. A. Bain, freight on disinfectant 6.50  
 C. W. Morrison and Sons, coal for court house and jail 22.85  
 A. A. Williams, making desk for Mrs. Culberson 12.75  
 Ed Harwell, judge of election, La Lande 2.00  
 Sid Hatch, viewing road three days 9.00  
 Henry Ford, viewing road two days 6.00  
 John Harris, viewing road two days 6.00  
 Arthur Littlejohn, viewing road two days 6.00  
 G. P. Harris, viewing road two days 6.00  
 G. P. Smith, viewing road two days 6.00  
 J. P. Ford, viewing road two days 6.00  
 J. P. Ford, assisting county surveyor, 2 days at \$2.00 4.00  
 W. L. Neal, road supervisor, dist. no 2, 78.50  
 J. M. Dryden, clerk of elec- tion, 2.00  
 J. H. Sandefer, viewing road two days 6.00  
 Henry Ford, assisting surveyor two days, 4.00  
 G. F. Buster, road supervisor four days 12.00  
 M. T. Dent, justice of the peace, precinct no. 10, 12.45  
 Reeves Harris, assisting surveyor, two days, school district no. 114, 4.00  
 John Defferman, assisting surveyor, two days, school district no. 114 4.00  
 M. H. Defferman, assisting surveyor, two days, school district, no. 114, 4.00  
 J. B. Holman, assisting surveyor, two days, on county road, 4.00

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## 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, June 23, 1909.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts \$171,538.96	Capital Stock		40,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Premiums 31,900.00	Surplus and Profits		1,304.43
Banking House, Furniture and Fix. 7,313.77	Circulation		50,000.00
Cash and Exchange 3,300.32	DEPOSITS		112,191.80
Total \$233,148.53	Total	\$233,148.53	

I hereby certify the above statement to be correct.

S. A. MORRISON, CASHIER.

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**Commissioners Proceedings**

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S. F. Burnett, viewing Lacy road two days 6.00  
W. J. Morgan, registration and election boards, 5.00  
A. R. Page, assisting surveyor school district no. 114, two days 4.00  
Dr. Swearingin, holding inquest (Guy Porter) 25.00  
Dr. Harsh, holding inquest (Guy Porter) 25.00  
J. H. Sandefer, assisting surveyor, 2 days 4.00  
D. G. Townly, Registration and election boards 5.00  
Humphrey and Sledge, supplies for county, 3.75  
Martin Bros., supplies for county, and care of windmill 17.70  
Kimmons and Vanwinkle, supplies for county, 2.50  
C. T. Duncan, constable fees, precinct no. 1, 1.50  
G. W. Baker, assisting surveyor, 2 days on county road, 4.00  
Fred Westbrook, constable fees, precinct no. 16, 11.85  
A. S. Pearson, constable fees, precinct no. 21, 6.45  
J. I. Phillips, election board, 2.00  
W. S. Ponder, assisting surveyor, 1 day on county road, 2.00  
W. S. Ponder, viewing road 3 days 9.00  
Hardy Hardware company, pump for jail, 10.00  
Luther Ponder, assisting surveyor one day on county road 2.00  
F. T. McDonald, road supervisor precinct 1, 4 days, 12.00  
J. E. Morrison, commission on tax collected 727.65  
J. E. Morrison, office expense, 2d quarter, 1909 6.05  
J. M. Hervey, salary 2d quarter as district attorney, 100.00  
J. M. Hervey, services rendered in county courts, 20.95  
Dr. Bryan, medical services to prisoners, 10.00  
Mrs. Florence Snyder, stenographer in Judge Seay's court, 27.00  
C. V. Harris, expense to Clovis

in interest of county 4.00  
W. H. Montgomery, expense to Clovis in interest of county 4.00  
C. M. Dobbs, salary and expenses 1st 1 2 of 1909. 150.00  
C. M. Dobbs, not paid on account of insufficiency of funds, 50.00  
J. T. Adams, justice of the peace, precinct 13, 1st quarter, 1909, 20.60  
Bond of H. N. Easterling, justice of the peace, precinct no. 20 examined and approved.  
Harlin Edmonson, appointed justice of the peace of precinct no. 4; said appointment to take effect upon his filing a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$500.00 with the clerk of this board.  
The road petition of T. J. Atkinson, et al, examined and viewers appointed as follows, to wit: Dr. Deatherage, L. A. Andrews and Will Beck.  
In the matter of road petitioned for by W. W. Nazum, et al, petition examined and Leman Glasscock, John Benson, and A. S. Pearson appointed viewers of same.  
The road petitioned for by O. R. Gable, et al, examined and viewers appointed as follows, to wit: Leman Glasscock, John Benson and A. S. Pearson.  
The viewers report on road petitioned for by L. D. Funderburk, et al, received and road rejected on account of same passing through an alkali lake, thereby entailing a heavy expense for the grading of same.  
The road matter of E. C. Murrell, et al, passed for further consideration.  
All herd law petitions passed until the session acts of 1909 have been received and the law governing same examined.  
Viewers report on road petitioned for by H. P. Townsend et al, examined and road ordered to be opened within sixty days from date hereof, road to be uniformly sixty feet wide.

It is ordered that the tax levy for the year 1909, for Territorial, county, town of Portales and school districts be and it is hereby fixed at and for the following, to wit:  
Territorial mills 14.45  
General school mills 3  
Sheep sanitary, (sheep only) mills  
County  
General county mills 5  
Court fund mills 6  
Court house and jail fund mills 2.05  
Interest on county bonds mills 1  
Road tax mills 1  
Wild animal bounty mills 1  
On all cattle, horses, mules and asses, mills, 3.50  
Town of Portales.  
Interest on bonds and improvements of streets, mills, 15  
For purchase of fire gasoline engine and defraying the general expenses of the government of said town mills 5  
School districts  
No. 1, mills 15. no. 2, mills 15.  
No. 3, mills 15. no. 4, mills 10.  
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No. 76, mills 5. no. 81, mills 15.  
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On South Polk and Taylor streets lots 16, 17, 18, also 7, 8, 9, 10, in block 11 Hand subdivision of Eakle addition.  
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W. O. DUNLAP,  
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The Kemp Lumber Company of Clovis has bought the stock of the Clovis Lumber Company and will move same to their old stand recently burned.  
Mrs. C. B. Thompson of Hagerman, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Molinari of this city is visiting in Portales for a season.

**Sunday Dinner at Pecos Valley Hotel.**  
MENU  
Baked Macaroni and Milanalse Cheese  
Stringed beans.  
Escalloped corn. Cucumber.  
Salmon salad.  
Slaw. Deviled eggs. Hot Biscuit.  
Fried chicken. Cream gravy.  
Creamed potatoes.  
Fresh green peas.  
Lettuce with French dressing.  
Desert  
Chocolate cream pie. Fruit salad.  
Ice tea. Sweet milk. Buttermilk.  
Black coffee.

**Woman's Club.**  
The Woman's Club extends a vote of thanks to Professor Russell for an encyclopedia and Mr. Herbert Ryther for books donated. The Club is very appreciative of such valuable additions to their library. Mrs. Bascom Howard was unanimously elected a member of the Club. The Club had Miss Mayes of Ft. Worth as a visitor.  
Program for next meeting. James Whitcomb Riley—Mrs. Stone. "The Raggedy Man,"—Mrs. Hardy. Francis Bret Harbe—Mrs. Lindsey. Mrs. Williamson, Leader.  
Mrs. G. M. WILLIAMSON, Secty.

**The Etude Club.**  
(Program for July 30)  
Roll call answered with major scales. Reading of minutes.  
Paper, The Life of Jenny Lynd.  
Piano solo, Dance of the Wild Flowers.—Georgia Ferguson.  
Piano solo, June Morning, Forman.—Ethel Keith.  
Vocal solo, Song of the Robin, Margie Blankenship.  
Piano solo, Cavalry Trot, C. Kern.—Sammie Osborn.  
Piano solo, A Mountain Pink, Spaulding—Edyth Reagan.  
Piano solo, On the Rhine—Eva Crosby.  
Vocal solo, Sweetest Rose of June Time—Wellee Ferguson.  
Piano solo, In the Arbor—Thelma Trimble.  
Piano Duet, Flying Doves, C. Heins—Georgia and Wellee Ferguson.  
Piano solo, Cecilia waltz—Mignon Jones.  
Piano solo, Engelman—Irene Smith.  
Class lesson in Theory.  
(Pupils of Mrs. Claude Anderson's music class.)