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Judge W. R. McGill was in town yesterday.

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### WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. WOLLARD

A very interesting and enjoyable meeting of the Woman's Club was held at the home of Mrs. N. F. Wollard last Wednesday.

After the customary preliminary proceedings, the question of the Postal Savings Bank was discussed very effectively by the president and others, after which the "Initiative and Referendum" measures as advocated by the political parties at present, was introduced and discussed in an intelligent manner by Mrs. Lindsey, and it was unanimously voted to make a practical test of these measures at next meeting from 8:30 to 4:00 o'clock. A large membership of the club is expected to be present as this meeting promises to be of unusual interest.

After a full and complete review of French History by Mrs. Culbertson in her entertaining

and charming way, delicate and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess which were thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

Next Wednesday the Club meets with Mrs. G. M. Williamson.

### NEW TEACHERS.

E. G. Galbraith of Valparaiso, Indiana, has accepted the position of principal of the high school. Miss Pearie Hutchison of Eldorado Springs, Mo., who taught here last year, will assist Prof. Galbraith in the high school work.

The list of teachers for the term is as follows:

O. B. Staples, Supt.; E. G. Galbraith, Prin.; Pearie Hutchison, first assistant; Grades, Willie Leahy, Lula Anderson, Jim Porter Jackson, Minta Gilliam, Grace Foglesong, Roberta Bryan, Robert Dean; Primary, Ora Kuykendall.

The 12th of September has been set as the time for opening the public schools. The trustees have done their best in the selection of teachers, in salaries paid them and in the new equipment and arrangement of building and grounds to have the best school we have ever had. But all the efforts of trustees and teachers will avail little unless the parents and people give them their hearty support.

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Yours truly,  
T. J. Molinari, Portales, N. M.

### IMPROVING PUBLIC SCHOOL.

The iron fence formerly around the court house grounds is now being put around the public school grounds. The walls of the school building are being renovated; the first floor rooms and hall have been ceiled and moulding put around in the upper rooms. The trustees are laboring hard to get the building and grounds of our public school in good condition and the Herald sincerely hopes that the teachers, parents and pupils will help them keep things in the good condition in which they will be when school opens.

### BOYS NEW HOME.

C. E. Twining, operator at the Santa Fe office, has become the owner of one of the best cottages in Portales, the one formerly owned by Mrs. T. E. White Jr. and situated on the north side of town near the W. E. Lindsey residence. The house is of concrete built by C. Harvey.

### MOVING DAY.

Joe Howard & Sons this week moved into the building which was formerly occupied by the City Council, the city dads removing to one of the new brick buildings of Howard & Bolard, where they will establish a hall of legislation. The city fire fighting apparatus will also find quarters in this new building.

The office into which the Messrs. Howard have moved has been thoroughly renovated and now presents an attractive appearance with its velvety carpet and new office fixtures. They have also collected quite a handsome display of farm and garden products which will cause the homeseeker to sit up and take notice of what Roosevelt county can do without irrigation.

The Herald Printing Co. will soon move into one of the new buildings completed by Howard & Bolard and while we are not making this move to put on style, we do expect to have more commodious quarters where our friends and customers will always find a welcome.

Cleveland Compton returned Monday from a visit with relatives at Canyon, Texas. Mrs. Compton stayed for a longer visit.

### NEW FIRM OPENS OFFICE

Messrs. Weber and Lykins, who have joined hands sometime since in work on the irrigation plant, also, in the purchase and development of certain tracts of irrigated land, have now opened an office in the Sanders building where they will offer their services to the public in a realty and development company and engineering, etc. The Herald wishes the new firm abundant success.

### SOCIAL AT BAPTIST CHURCH

In addition to the regular services at the Baptist Church next Sunday, morning and evening, there will be a social gathering at the church Monday night at eight o'clock. All friends and members of the Baptist Church invited.

### AFFIDAVIT OF L. W. HARDY.

Territory of N. Mex. )  
County of Roosevelt ) SS.

L. W. Hardy being duly sworn says, that he has been informed that C. M. Compton, Sr. a few days ago testified in a case before the Hon. Wm. H. Pope at Santa Fe, New Mexico that affiant, the said L. W. Hardy, sold or delivered his proxy to W. O. Oldham of Portales, N. M. just prior to the Democratic Convention held at Portales on the 6th day of August, 1910 for a money consideration, and that the said Compton also made the same charge in his speech at Minco, N. M. on the 30th day of August, 1910.

Affiant says that such statements are malicious and unmitigated lies, and that this affiant never, at any time, stated to the said Compton that said proxy had been delivered to W. O. Oldham for a money consideration.

Affiant further says that said proxy was delivered to the said Oldham voluntarily, the name of the person who was to use said proxy being in blank, without any consideration whatever, and any statement to the contrary is an infamous lie.

L. W. Hardy.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of August, 1910.

(Seal) G. L. Reese,  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct. 9, 1913.

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## Those Twenty-two Votes

Judge Compton made oath before Judge Pope at Santa Fe that he had twenty-two votes in the recent county convention, not counting the contesting delegate from La Lande. It was interesting to hear him try to name these twenty-two votes. For example, he named Dereno, but Dereno was declared without proper representation, on the grounds that the credentials in this instance had been tampered with. This box was not only thrown out, but both sides were agreeable to and voted for the throwing out of the Dereno box. Not only so, but Messrs. Hall and Compton acknowledged under oath that they went to Taiban and drove out to Dereno, saw Mr. Catchings and the chairman and secretary of the precinct meeting and one other man and that on the representation of these men, Mr. Hall made out the credentials for the delegate and put in his own and Mr. Compton's name, and then for fear that the delegate would not vote such "fixed" instructions, they hunted up the alternate and wrote him out instructions authorizing him to vote for Compton, Hall and Jolly in case the delegate refused to do so. Isn't that going some? Now suppose that Judge Compton had remained in the convention, would he have gotten the vote of this fixed box which was thrown out by unanimous report of the credentials committee? And who told the Judge that he ever had the Delphos box which was another vote he claimed? The delegate turned over his proxy in blank to a citizen of Portales and left, and this citizen turned the same to Chairman A. B. Seay. And suppose this had been done? A contest would have been filed upon that box and the whole proceedings would have been knocked out. There never was a time when a combine delegate had a right to represent Delphos or would have been allowed to do so had one come into the convention. Then, it is certain that Judge Compton at no time during the convention, had a right to claim more than 20 votes. But did he even have 20 votes? How does he know the Taiban and Charlotte votes would have gone for him? Because the Taiban delegate was supposed to control the Charlotte delegate and both were stopping at Judge Compton's home, and because further, the Taiban delegate wanted a large loan and Judge Compton was supposed to have a few extra dollars to lend? Now that looks like a cinch, doesn't it? And yet, after all, it was at most a good guess; for neither of the boxes were instructed, except for Jolly? But it would have required 21 votes to nominate Judge Compton had he remained in the convention and at no time did he ever have but 20, though at least three of these were not pledged to him or instructed for him. And, if he had so many votes, why did he bolt? He talked bolting a week ahead of the convention and why was it necessary for him and his followers to have the whole thing cut and dried when they went into Monday's meeting and to act in perfect accord when time came to get up and walk.

## Political Yes, And Then Some

Announcement was made here late yesterday evening from Judge Pope in chambers at Santa Fe, to the effect that the court declined to sustain the injunction proceedings which had been instituted to restrain the Probate Clerk from placing the nominations of the bolting faction on the Democratic ticket along with the regular nominees of the party. While this intelligence created quite a little surprise among the interested parties on both sides, yet to one who can appreciate the sometimes wild and fanciful freaks which are often exhibited in the fair name of politics, the decision of the court in this instance can hold no claim to the altogether unusual in matters of jurisprudence. And then, too, after this same decision of the court is considered in its entirety, it does not contain the far-reaching scope to which some have attached abnormal claims.

In the first place, it is a recognized fact beyond the possibility of successful refutation, that there must be, and are, in the order of things, certain laws which are made to protect political parties of all faiths in their nominations and in the safeguarding of their tickets. Were it not so there would be of a consequence be confusion in all of the parties all of the time. Judge Pope, in his official capacity recognizes this point of argument, as the Herald will show in following paragraphs. If these safeguards were not had by Territorial statute, there would be absolutely no hindrance to any number of factions springing up in the parties and laying claim to nomination of our party conventions and primaries, with the unending confusion of having all these factional nominations placed on the regular ticket. So then, what would be the use of having party conventions and primaries if every faction in these parties were permitted to make nominations and be allowed the privilege of having their names placed on the ticket? Indeed, they would be a mere farce and a plaything if there were not well defined laws to protect the parties in nominating conventions. When an element develops in a party which is a stranger to party loyalty and all of its practices and traditions, as in the present case with which the Democrats of Roosevelt county are confronted and are made to hang their heads in shame, there must needs be some safeguards to the rights of the majority, by which a revolting faction can be made to play the game square. The logic of this argument is patent to all who have any regard for the rights of the majority to rule.

Recognizing the force of these facts, which are in accordance with the law governing such cases, it were but natural that the regular nominees of the Democratic party in Roosevelt county should invoke the aid of some authority above the will of a few men, who would be a Moses unto us and lead us out of the wilderness, after every effort had been exhausted to get the bolting faction to allow our differences to go before our own household of faith—namely, the Territorial Democratic Central Committee. Readers of the Herald are familiar with these efforts, as the proposition was submitted in writing and printed in last week's paper, in which Messrs. Reese, Van Winkle and McGill proposed to Messrs. Compton, Hall and Goldsmith to submit the matter to the Territorial Committee for settlement, rather than leave it to an authority who represents the character of the "unbelievers" in the

Scriptures, in which reference is made to the settlement of differences between brethren of the same household of faith as follows: "Is it so, that there is not a wise man among you? No, not one that shall be able to judge between his brethren? But brother goeth to law with his brother and that before the unbelievers?" Maintaining that our differences should be left entirely to members of our own family, Reese, McGill and Van Winkle made every overture to the bolting faction to have the matter placed before the Territorial Committee, but no, they would rather allow the breach to be healed by "unbelievers," hence it went up to Judge Pope. But why to the courts with our differences, is the pertinent inquiry which has been made time and again by such able expositors of political lore as Judge H. F. Jones and others. Why? Well, simply because it is a fact which cannot be gainsaid that unless some heroic aid was not invoked to open the abnormal thirst of Compton, Hall and Goldsmith for office and their minority ticket not called off that it meant the possibility of the election of one or more republicans from this county, a fact admitted by Jim Hall himself on the convention floor in Portales August 6th, when he said in response to Judge Compton's proposition that the convention adjourn without making nominations and simply let all the candidates "run it out at the polls," that before he would permit of a situation of this character which would mean republican victory, that he would get down and out of the race. Yet, what are the facts in the case? Mr. Hall is today and will on next Tuesday, the day of election, do the very thing which he said he would not do, by being a party to a split which creates conditions identically the same as that proposed by Judge Compton on the convention floor. Mr. Democrat, can you trust a man who has no more regard for his word or for his party's safety than this? So the Herald reiterates, that the regular nominees, seeing this crisis, were forced to place the matter before some proper authority after the bolting faction refused to allow the issue to be passed upon by the Territorial Committee. Of course the Territorial Committee's ruling would not have been legally binding, as was pointed out by Chairman Walton, but in the event that both parties agreed to a settlement by this means they separately agreed to be bound by the decision. But as has been previously stated, all efforts in this direction failed utterly, and there was nothing to be done to save the day but to take it into the court.

Now, what does the court's action in the matter mean? The first pertinent question is:—Has the court proven the Moses to lead us out of the wilderness? The Herald thinks not. In the

of the Republican administration's reasoning, relative to the court, went down to Austin, the capital, to consult ex-governor James S. Hogg, that grand old man of a grand old state, about the matter. They could not countenance the procedure and wanted the honest old ex-governor's opinion in the matter. Mr. Hogg reasoned with them in this vein: "Boys," says he, "Suppose you were out in the cow-pen milking old Brindle and your pet dog started after a rabbit and in the chase the dog caught the rabbit but ran over you while you were milking and dashed the milk all over your clothes. You would not kill the dog, who caught the game, would you?" It would now do no injustice to the hallowed memory of James S. Hogg to say that he employed this illustration to convey the idea to his neighbors that while it was to be lamented that the United States had to run over Colombia to secure the canal, yet the canal was what Texas and all the country wanted, therefore, mum was the word. So it was with Judge Pope. While he no doubt regretted, exceedingly, that the Democrats of Roosevelt county had gotten themselves in such a mess that they were compelled to submit their troubles to a Republican Judge, for settlement, yet it would be without precedent in turning political stunts to kill the Compton, Hall-Goldsmith bolters by a court decision in which they would not be allowed to split the Democratic vote of the county, and possibly allow the Republicans to bag the game.

No other possible construction can be put on the decision, for had the court been establishing the right-of-way of either of the two factions, it would necessarily follow that one or the other would have been down and out as far as a place on the ticket was concerned. But it was not so. The decision merely permits the Democratic party to settle its own troubles, though it is a debatable question now whether the Democratic voters will not permit themselves to be slaughtered and allow the Republicans to bag the game.

It is to be hoped that the decision of the voters will be in no unmistakable terms and that they will present a solid front at the polls next Tuesday and wipe out of existence this office-seeking faction which would rather gain their own ends than to remove the party far above the hope of Republican victory.

Of course it to be presumed that the bolters will greatly exaggerate the scope of this court decision as it relates to the present campaign and will no doubt go before the voters with the declaration that the court has vindicated their claim to being the Democratic party in Roosevelt county. This is the natural sequence of a faction which has claimed all along that it was the whole Democratic party, in spite of the fact that it was only able to muster 16 votes out of 89 in the convention.

As a matter of fact the situation is in the same period of development as it was prior to the decision and it cannot possibly be construed otherwise. While the Compton-Hall-Goldsmith faction will, by this decision, be entitled to a place on the ticket, it does not remove the fact that political stratagem placed them there, nor that they are not now, as ever, the incubation of a bolting faction which only had 16 votes and should be treated as such when the tried and true Democrats cast their votes next Tuesday.

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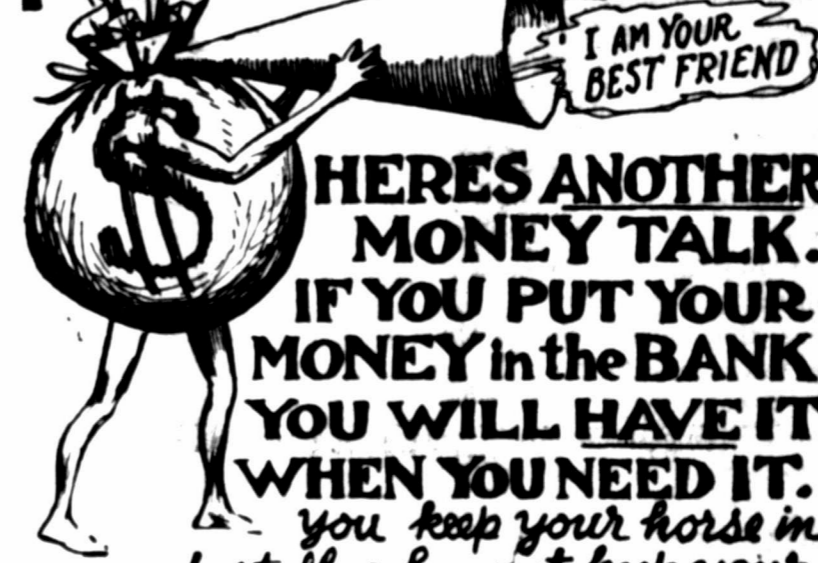
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first place, the regular nominees were forced for the time being to place the welfare of the Democratic party in the hands of those "unbelievers"—the republicans—for while Judge Pope is a high-minded, able and conscientious judge, yet withal he is a politician-statesman. While he presents that Stoical exterior which seems to say that in his official capacity he is of a sect which is free from passion and cannot be moved by joy or grief, yet it is carrying the figure too far to say that even a confirmed disciple of the muse of Zeno cannot at times enjoy a political situation which smacks of the ridiculous and all of the mirth-provoking sidelights, which would cause Zeno himself to break forth in paroxysmal humor. What did the Judge see in this case? He saw the Democratic party in Roosevelt county split in twain, each split claiming to be "it." By reckoning the comparative strength of the Democratic and Republican parties in Roosevelt county, it was very easy to see that by hitting upon an arbitrary ruling, the Democrats could be allowed to fall in the crack of the split and three republicans might land the election to the constitutional convention. The reasoning is not far-fetched and does no violence to the integrity of the honorable Judge. It is a plain case of saying, by his ruling in permitting both factions to go on the ticket, that "if you democrats haven't sense enough to settle your own differences, the court will not interfere, even though it may mean the election of republicans"—which of course is a matter that would not be deplored even by Judge Pope himself, who owes much and pays much to the republican party.

This decision reminds the writer of an incident which occurred over in Texas directly after the United States created that little unpleasantness down in Panama and captured the great Panama Canal Route. The opposition in congress and in the press at that time urged that the revolution in Panama was fostered if not actually started by the Republican administration and the landing of troops was for the purpose of preventing Colombia from subjugating the rebellious department; in fine, that both revolution and recognition grew out of the self-interest in the proposed canal. Some of the honest old Texans, who could not follow the process

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TO THE PEOPLE.

It seems that in the last issue of the Roosevelt County Democrat printed at Elida, J. E. (Uncle Josh) Morrison editor of same, contained an article in regard to myself and proxy. Every word of that statement is false. I asked the editor who wrote that article and he stated in the presence of two witnesses that he did not write it but said he would find out who wrote it and let me know. On the following morning, he came to my office and told me that Ed Hall of Elida, wrote the article. I immediately phoned Ed Hall at Elida and asked him if he wrote it. He said no. He said he told young Compton at the Minco picnic that he wrote it. So I have failed up to date to find who did write it. I wish whoever writes me or about me would sign his name. I find it a difficult matter to answer something that I don't know or can't find out from whence it cometh.

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ELECTION PROCLAMATION

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Three delegates for Roosevelt county to form a part of a constitutional convention for said territory for the purpose of framing a constitution for the proposed state of New Mexico, said election to be held at the following named places:

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Prec. No. 6, Minco, Minco store.
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Prec. No. 8, Bailey, Bailey schoolhouse.
Prec. No. 9, La Lande, Schoolhouse.
Prec. No. 10, Taiban, Justice of the Peace office.
Prec. No. 11, Rogers, Naah store.
Prec. No. 12, Dora, Murphy's store.
Prec. No. 13, Midway, Union schoolhouse.
Prec. No. 14, Nobe, Newcomb's store.
Prec. No. 15, Causey, Maple's store.
Prec. No. 16, Inez, Williams store.
Prec. No. 17, Redlake, Price's store.
Prec. No. 18, Upton, Post office.
Prec. No. 19, Macy, Post office.
Prec. No. 20, Ingram, Clark's store.
Prec. No. 21, Pearson, Benson's store.
Prec. No. 22, Perry, Perry school house.
Prec. No. 23, Painter, Post office.
Prec. No. 24, Adobe, Adobe school house.
Prec. No. 25, Delphos, Cummings store.
Prec. No. 26, Springer, O. N. Miller's residence.
Prec. No. 27, Kermit, Monroe's store.
Signed: C. V. Harris, chairman. Attest: C. P. Mitchell, clerk. 36

TO ALL CONCERNED

Local Option Herd Law having carried in precincts No's. 5 and 25, Roosevelt county, New Mex. it is the order of the board that the same be duly published in the Roosevelt County Herald for three consecutive issues, there of, and that "Local Option Herd Law" become effective in said precincts No's. 5 and 25, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, as per the 1909 session acts of the legislature of New Mexico, authorizing and governing such elections and that all neat cattle, horses, mules, asses, sheep, swine and goats be prohibited from running at large in said precincts No's. 5 and 25, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, as per said 1909 session acts.

Signed: C. V. Harris, chairman, Attest: C. P. Mitchell, clerk. 39

Artistic and permanent dental work attracts. Dr. Worth is prepared to serve you. Call at his office on North Main St. 24tf

Not a minute should be lost when a child shows symptoms of diarrhoea, dysentery or bowel complaints. It is pleasant to take and equally valuable for children and adults. Sold by Pearce & Patterson Pharmacy.

All kinds of school books and school supplies. The biggest tablet in town for the money. C. M. Dobbs. 41-tf

Deputy H. C. Scruggs of Tolar came in Monday with a prisoner, Ed L. Henson, charged with selling or disposing of mortgaged property.

We will appreciate your trade. Laster. 40-2t

Call the garage, 45-2r. when in need of automobile repairs and accessories, oils and etc.

Politics can't keep you warm all winter. Laster, the coal man.

Mrs. C. M. Compton has returned from Childress, Texas where she has been for some time visiting a daughter.

Furnished room for rent either as a bed room or for light house-keeping. Convenient to bath-room. Mrs. Egbert Woods. Phone 152. 41-tf

Exclusive agents for Colorado Nigger Head Coal. Phone 58. Connally Coal Co. 41-4t.

Dr. Bolard came down from Hereford, Monday.

Buy a coal that you know is good. "Colorado Nigger Head". Phone 58. Connally Coal Co. 41-4t

Mrs. Arthur Jones returned Sunday from a visit with relatives in Texas.

J. B. Priddy of the Warren-Fooshee Co. left Saturday for the Eastern markets.

Ask your neighbor about "Colorado Nigger Head Coal." or, Phone 58. Connally Coal Co. 41-4t

The Portales Baptist Association met with Clovis Baptist Church yesterday. Several of the local Baptist people attended.

"Can be depended upon" is an expression we all like to hear, and when it is used in connection with Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy it means that it never fails to cure croup. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. Sold by Pearce & Patterson Pharmacy.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

In the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico. The First National Bank of Portales, N. M., Plaintiff, vs. H. G. Justice, Emma E. Justice, Coleman Justice, Tom Justice and Max Justice, Defendants.

Whereas on the 10th, day of June 1910, the plaintiff in the above entitled cause recovered a judgment against the defendants, H. G. Justice and Emma E. Justice in the sum of \$627.00, and costs of suit amounting to \$18.55, which said judgment was obtained upon the promissory notes of defendants, executed and delivered by them to the plaintiff, and also upon the same date the said plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree against said defendants, H. G. Justice, Emma E. Justice, Coleman Justice, Tom Justice and Max Justice, for foreclosing a mortgage lien upon the north-west twenty-five (25) feet of lot numbered three (3) in block numbered twelve (12), in the town of Portales, New Mexico, the said lot having a twenty-five (25) foot frontage on Main Street and extending back that with the full depth of said lot according to the plat of said town now on file in the Recorder's office of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, together with all improvements now or hereafter thereon, which said mortgage was of even date with said promissory notes and given by said defendants for the security of said notes; and

Whereas, it was directed by the court in said decree that the sheriff of Roosevelt county, N. M., after due notice, sell said described property to satisfy said judgment, interest amounting to \$24.20 at date of sale, costs of suit and accruing costs. Therefore, by virtue of said judgment and decree, I, R. A. Bain, Sheriff of Roosevelt county, N. M., will on the 9th day of October, 1910, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day at the east front door of the Court House in the town of Portales, N. M. sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, the above described property, for the purpose of satisfying said judgment, interest, and costs of suit.

R. A. BAIN, 284 Sheriff of Roosevelt Co. N. M.

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T. E. MEARS LAWYER Will practice in all courts, Territorial and Federal Portales. N. Mex.

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T. M. Laster went on Sunday to Comanche, Texas to spend a few days.

Mrs. W. B. Oldham and daughter, Lois, of Clovis, Miss Pearle Qualls of Dallas, Tex.; a sister of Mrs. Oldham, and Miss Lena Ledbetter, also of Dallas, Tex., returned to Clovis Friday, after an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hill who resides south of Portales.

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The people who have the "know-how" to keep your Suits, Skirts, Etc. cleaned and pressed and in perfect repair. We can take your order for all the latest spring styles in tailor-made clothing too. A half dozen different companies from which to make selection SHOP NEXT TO FRED CROSSBY'S BARBER SHOP

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All kinds of Hauling done on Short Notice.

Orders left at Humphrey & Sledge's will receive my prompt attention, and your patronage will be appreciated.

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# The Good Stuff Dry Goods Store!

Every train brings in more new goods and we will soon have all departments running over with nice new goods for fall and winter, and we are surprised at the low figures at which the goods were bought. We are going to sell them at prices that will make our competitors sit up and take notice. REMEMBER WE BUY FOR TEN BIG STORES AT A SHOT—THIS MEANS A GREAT DEAL IN MERCHANDISING!

Staples!	Staples!
Very best Calico that can be found on the market at.....	5c
An extra good grade of Percalé to be sold at per yard.....	10c
The very best Percalé that we can obtain at, per yard.....	12c
We have an extra good grade of Canton Flannel at, per yard.....	8c
We have Canton Flannel that is heavy for the price of, per yard.....	12c
A good lot of Outing Flannel on our counter to go at, per yard.....	8c
Also, we have a good heavy Outing in plain and colors to go at, per yard.....	10c
The very best Outing in mottled and fancy colors for sale at.....	12c
Good heavy Shirting goods to go at a special price of.....	10c
A good line of L. L. Domestic to go at a special price of.....	6c
Very best grade of L. L. Domestic on the counter to go at the price of.....	8c
Some bleached Canton Flannel out on the counter to sell at.....	10c
A better grade of Canton Flannel on the counter for sale at, per yard.....	12c
The very best grade of bleached Canton Flannel for sale at, per yard.....	15c

Men's Wool Shirts	
Men's Jersey Overshirts out on the counter and for sale at.....	50c
Men's better Jersey Overshirts out on the counter to go at.....	85c
A good line of mens wool Overshirts out on the counter, on sale at.....	\$1.25
A much better grade of mens wool Overshirts on sale at.....	\$1.50
A fine lot of mens all wool Shirts on sale at.....	\$2.50
Mens very best wool Shirts for the special price of.....	\$3.00



**BUY FLATIRON PANTS SATISFACTION GUARANTEED**

We have just received a large shipment of the celebrated Flat Iron Brand Pants. All nice new patterns and stylish for Fall and Winter, Mens pants out on our counters and priced all the way from \$1.75 up to..... **\$7.50**  
An extra good line of boys Pants at from \$1.50 up to..... **\$3.00**

Men's Underwear	
We have just opened up six cases of Men's Underwear for Fall and Winter in heavy ribbed, fleece lined and wool. We have Wright's Health, Cooper's Silk and a good line of woolen underwear. Two-piece cotton underwear, per garment, at 50c to.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
A good line of Cotton Union Suits prices ranging from \$1.00 up to.....	<b>\$2.25</b>
Men's two-piece wool Underwear at per garment, from \$1.25 up to.....	<b>\$2.00</b>
We have a good line of Boy's Fleece Lined Underwear for 25c up to.....	<b>35c</b>
A full line of Boy's Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear at, per garment.....	<b>65c</b>

Men's Sweater Coats	
We have the most complete line of Men's Sweater Coats we have ever had. A line of Men's Cotton Sweater Coats at a price ranging from 65c to.....	<b>\$1.25</b>
Some men's Wool and Cotton-mixed Sweaters at, from \$1.50 to.....	<b>\$2.50</b>
An all Pure Wool Sweater Coat to go at a special price of.....	<b>\$3.00</b>
A good line of Boy's Sweater Coats at, from 50c up to.....	<b>\$1.00</b>

Winter Blankets	
When we bought our Fall and Winter stock of merchandise, we found such a bargain in Blankets that we bought too many, therefore, we are going to start the season off with unheard of values in this department. We have Blankets for 50c up to.....	<b>\$3.00</b>
Our V O X 4 Wool Nap Blanket to go at.....	<b>\$2.25</b>

Misses And Children's Shoes	
We have the Buster Brown Blue Ribbon Shoes for boys and girls. Misses shoes, sizes from 5 to 8 at, per pair.....	<b>\$1.50</b>
Good Buster Brown Blue Shoes, sizes 8 1/2 to 11 1/2 at.....	<b>\$1.75</b>
Buster Brown Blue Ribbon Shoes, sizes 12 to 2 at.....	<b>\$2.25</b>
Boys Buster Brown Blue Ribbon Shoes in sizes from 12 to 2 at, per pair.....	<b>\$2.50</b>

Men's Shoes	
We have received our Fall line of Edwin Clapp Shoes, and White House Shoes in prices from \$4.00 per pair to.....	<b>\$5.00</b>
We have in stock a complete line of Edwin Clapp Shoes to show you in the most popular styles in prices from \$6 to.....	<b>\$6.50</b>
Boys Patent Gun Metal and Vici Kid Shoes in sizes from 2 1/2 to 5 1/2 for.....	<b>\$3.00</b>

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Largest Exclusive Dry Goods Store in Roosevelt County.

Ladies' Shoes	
The newest thing this season in Ladies' Shoes is the Button Shoe. It comes in all leathers such as Patent, Gun Metal and Vici Kid, also, all of the latest lasts in both cloth and leather tops. Our prices are all the way from \$2.50 per pair to.....	<b>\$5.00</b>
We have a good I I X 4 Wool Blanket for.....	<b>\$2.50</b>

Ladies' Scarfs	
Ladies mercerised wool Scarfs a nice head-wrap for evening wear. Come in and let us show them to you. We have them in all colors and in prices all the way from \$1.25 up to.....	<b>\$1.50</b>
We also have a nice Scarf in all colors that are priced from 50c up to.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
Our German Wool Blanket from \$5.00 up to.....	<b>\$10.00</b>

**I'll Live!**  
BY E. P. A.

Whether I'm rich, or whether I'm poor,  
I'll give my best to my neighbor;  
Against his greed, to help his need,  
I'll live to serve and help; indeed.

Whether I'm weak or whether I'm strong,  
I'll give my might against the wrong,  
Against all wrong; for all things right,  
I'll live to strive and work and fight.

Whether I'm known, or whether unknown,  
I'll give my name the good to own,  
Against the low, to exalt the high,  
I'll live in thoughts that never die.

Whether I tarry, or whether I go,  
My life is His who'th ordered it so,  
Against self-will, for His own name,  
I'll live for Truth's eternal fame.

I'll live for the living, not for dead;  
The hopeful and worthy who're forging ahead;  
The aspiring and daring, the true and the brave,  
For efforts and triumphs outreaching the grave.

**The Lost Cause.**  
[A SUBSCRIBER.]

(The office devil is author of the following conundrum, "Why are politics, love and spring alike? Because they all inspire 'poetry.'" Here is the proof.)

Says Compton, "I want to rule this county,  
And I will do it if I can,  
So while I have a son in office,  
I'll work a nomination plan.

"So come on boys and listen;  
You must do just what I say.  
We sure will make the people mad;  
But we don't care, we'll get the pay."

They, Compton, Hall and Goldsmith  
All put their heads together,  
But they were light, so very light,  
Much lighter than a feather.

Then they tried the convention;  
But saw it would not go,  
They all ran wild together  
And bolted for the door.

They all jumped the convention,  
Then they all jumped the town,  
They all jumped over people  
Who were trying to get down.

You cannot fool the people,  
Not with any of your tricks;  
They see you now as bolters  
With all your dirty politics.

**Trying to Divide the People.**  
(Crowded out last week)

In a signed communication from Minco and from a long editorial notice unsigned and therefore supposedly from Editor Darnell but which is printed elsewhere in full and signed by T. D. Cain,

the Elida News of August 19, lends itself as a tool of the convention schemers and bolters in their direful effort to array the country people against Portales in a sort of mob violence boycott movement. The charge is made before a public meeting which was addressed by Messrs. Hall, Goldsmith and Compton, that Portales had "discriminated against the country people." The public naturally inquires where? in what way? on what occasion did all this happen? On this point, however, the article is strangely silent. Why not name the matters in which this "discrimination" was made? Why not? Simply because it is all a piece of the Compton Convention Bolters Combine campaign rot; they desire not only to bolt the convention which they ran over the people and tear up the democratic party, but also to array one part of the county against the other. And why employ this desperate effort? Why, the Compton Convention Bolters Combine by a vote of almost two to one, was annihilated in the precinct primary at Portales and "revenge is sweet." Accordingly the followers of the Combine, relying upon its statements, get together in a mass meeting addressed by Messrs. Hall, Compton and Goldsmith and agree to boycott Portales. Will the voters of Roosevelt county set their seal of approval upon men who get together and work up their convention scheme, then bolt and go out to tear up the democratic party and array one section of the county against another?

Are these men, their personal ambitions and unquenchable desire for office, greater than the democratic party and greater than Portales and Elida and the other sections of the county so that the people must hand over to them whatever offices they want or else have the democratic party torn in pieces and every section of the county arrayed against every other section of the county? We do not believe it.

**What Will Come of It?**

No matter what the county convention says, no matter what the District court says, no matter what the danger and the ruin which may come to the democratic party, it is now settled that we are to have, in reality, two democratic tickets—the regular ticket composed of Judge Wm. R. McGill of La Lande, G. L. Reese of Portales and W. W. Van Winkle of Rogers, and the bolters ticket. In addition to these, the republicans and socialists have each named three men. What will come of all this mix-up? That depends upon the people—what they will do next Tuesday. It depends upon (1) whether the people believe that one man has a right to rule and ruin the democracy of this county; (2) whether party lines are to be maintained and the regular democratic ticket supported or whether the democracy of Roosevelt county ought to be torn to pieces and the bolters ticket supported; (3) whether it will be best to nominate those men who fought the arrogant boss domination and convention method but were too loyal to bolt the decision of the majority or whether it is right to stand by men who ran the convention scheme over the people for their own personal gain, and then have not only bolted but refused to allow the Territorial Central committee to arbitrate it and have gone out to organize boycotts and continue the dirty personal mud-slinging campaign.

It is up to you, Mr. Voter, to save or to damn your party and your county and your state to be. Let us remember the words of Ben Hill of Georgia—  
"He who saves his country saves all, and all things saved shall bless him. He who loses his country, loses all, and all things lost shall curse him."

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3. Improved Farm, half mile east of No. 1, house, all fenced, 50 acres in cultivation, well and windmill.
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