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#### PORTALES, NEW MEXICO, THURSDAY, JULY 20, 1911.

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he Caloric Fireless Stoves US DEMONSTRATE THE VALUE OF THESE FIRELESS WON-WILL ADD YEARS TO THE BUSY WIFE \_\_ COME AND SEE!

## STORY OF EMPIRE BUILDING farming country. The dry farming regions of

of the Homesteader in Eastern New Mexico Against Untoward Cirpumstances.

West Texas and New Mexico, in Human Interest Sketch of the Heroic Struggle fact, are just now going through

The story of the dry farmer in boom and the subsequent slump tern New Mexico; the tale of which occurred in Kansas have coming, of the burning been lacking in the new dry adding that of flavor, but Mr. rought, of his going, of the farming country. It is apparent Hopper only left us to guess at ounteous prosperity bringing that in West Texas and New this. He merely brought the ins, and the return of the dry Mexico dry farming has come peaches to the office in a grip, rmer is told succinctly but elo- to stay.

nently in the latest issue of the Six years ago a small colony his grip, turned around and ational Land and Irrigation of men, whose friends considered walked right out again. But we ournal by Secretary H. B. Hen- them crazy, undertook to farm know that the flavor is alright, g of the New Mexico Bureau without irrigation in the or rather we believe that they Immigration as follows:

Rain is falling again over the Mexico, near the Texas border. any other of the blushing peach reat upland country of western No one had ever tried to farm family. Mr. Hopper says that exas and Eastern New Mexico any of this land before, but these he has none to sell, as he only ter two years of the most per. men reasoned that if native grass stent drouth even the semi arid would grow knee high, other for- furnish enough for his own outhwest has ever known, age crops would flourish. They family use. One beauty about the treams are flooding; arroyos tried it and were astonished at culture of the peach in the Valley nd creeks that have been dry the result obtained. Huge yields as suggested by Mr. Hopper, is or many months are running were had of milo maize, kaffir ank full; the water holes are corn and other forage crops. lled again and the whole region Irish potatoes flourished: their s soaked from the staked plains truck patches did well and they o the Mexican border. The even secured half a bale of cotton rains of the past two months to the acre. The news spread have demonstrated again the like wild fire and the next year wonderful drouth resistence of an army of homeseekes marched the forage plants and native into New Mexico. In four years, growth of the far southwest, without advertising or land boom-

Three months ago this whole ing, in the face of persistent proreat area was as dry and as phecies of disaster, 40,000 homerown and bare of verdure, as a stead entries were made, coverast sheet of wrapping paper, ing over eight million acres of Now as far as the eye can see it land. The rainfall continued s carpeted with grass and abundant and the homeseekers sole duty it was to teach the size of the pumps range from nowers and dotted here and entirely ignorant of dry farming homesteaders what to plant and four to twelve inches. Most of there with growing crops. The methods of soil preparation, grew when and how to plant it. cattle and sheep growers who their crops as they had done in ave suffered heavy losses during the rain belts he past two years are only less. Then the long predicted drouth bilant than the thousands of came. It found a great majority omeseekers and dry farmers of the homesteaders without any to have been clinging to their knowledge of how to conserve aims with that marvelous per- the moisture in the soil and their stence characteristic of the crops burned up or failed to ger merican pioneer. The same minate. This condition contindomitable spirit has been mani ued for two seasons. Many of est in New Mexico during this the homesteaders were forced to ing period as was shown dur- give up and leave the country but ig the dark days of Western the large majority, with the per-towns continued to grow and new feet depth, will cost about \$3 a ansas, and which finally trans-sistence of the true pioneer, ormed Western Kansas, from a stuck to their claims and began esert into a thickly populated to learn the scientific methods of

### Hopper Has Fine Peaches.

John R. Hopper this week exhibited some fine specimens of peaches which he had grown on Irrigation by Pumping is Transforming the West and the same transition period as ochis place southwest of town, curred in Kansas save for the which for size, beauty and symfact that the disastrous land metry far exceeded anything we have seen this year. In enumerating the qualities of these peaches we were on the verge of

took them out and let us bok at them, and then placing them in country around Portales, New the Miss Elberta, Miss Rose or has a few trees of three or four different varieties which will that the fruit is uniformly free of worms and other forms of have now learned the superiority blemish. Of course the Herald might have been able to have said more about peacnes if Mr. advantage, and often to be had Hopper had only reserved his grip

of specimens for the office force instead of taking them around to gions which had never secured a bunch of strangers who were in the town prospecting.

dry farming. In this they were as a supplement to the rainfall assisted by experts put in the field by New Mexico and by the various railroads, which placed fifteen to forty horsepower and trained men in the field whose in some instances more and the

### the Southwest From a Semi-Arid Condition to A Garden of Marvelous Growth.

THE WELL IN THE DESERT.

Sinking wells into water-bear ing strata to secure domestic and irrigation supplies is now being resorted to as never before. New and broader conceptions of the relation of subterranean water to irrigation have recently prevailed. Individual irrigation undertakings have been recently establish ed very largely upon flowing wells, wherever they can be had. Dur ing the last three years there have been perhaps ten times as many pumping outfits set up for irrigation as had been employed during the whole earlier irriga tion of this state.

Large irrigation companies have sunk groups of wells and pumped from them into their distributing ditches and flumes. Individual irrigators have sunk wells and bought pumping plants when the ditch water failed and of home supply, to be drawn up just when it can be used to best for much less than the rates of the ditch companies. Large reirrigation systems have been forced by drouth to seek water and having found it below ground in ample quantities they will not moisture conservation known as fail in the future to use irrigation Many of these plants are centrifugal pumps run by steam. These are the larger plants,



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WILL BOOST THE NEW STATE ever known; the largest percent-age of increase in sheep flocks; the heaviest shipments of cattle, the greatest output of ore, the Santa Fe Officials to New Mexico Something More Than a Tour of hispection the most extensive timber operations, the largest sums expended for great irrigation and development projects ever known in the territory. Their enthusiasm was ill concealed, although even the publicity men of the Santa Fe feel in duty bound to main tain an appearance of conserva tism; and the influence of their visit on the volume of Santa Fe publicity for New Mexico cannot be exaggerated. The average man cannot help connecting, in his mind, this in spection trip, this thorough ex amination of Santa Fe properties and New Mexico resources, with the persistent rumor that the Santa Fe this year contemplates, the greatest expansion for many years in the southwest; and nothing but benefit can accrue from the splendid impress ion made on the officials by conditions in New Mexico this summer. That the people of the territory realize how much is to be gained by cordial co-operation with the railroad men has been shown by the warm reception which the visitors met and the pains to which the people of the various towns went to assure that the officals saw everything there was to be seen. The Santa Fe company's policy toward New Mexico is one of the broadest and most liberal ever adopted by any American railway; and 'teamwork' between the railroad men and the farmers and business men of New Mexico will rebound to the greatest benefit to both. Come again, gentlemen. — Albuquerque Journal.

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#### MISTAKE IF YOU FOL-S ADVICE.

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W. E. LINDSEY, Vice-Pres C O LEACH. Pres W. O. OLDHAM, Cashier - THE -**First National Bank** Portales, New Mexico Capital and Surplus, \$75,000.00

> THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK is the oldest financial institution in Roosevelt county. Its history has been the history of the country, a steady, sure onward movement from the first. It has met every demand that has ever been made upon it. Are your business transactions conducted through this institution? We make every reasonable effort to accommodate and please our patrons and extedd a cordial invitation to all to come to us with their business transactions. There is no transaction too large for our resources and none too small to secure respectful consideration at our hands. Our resources are large, our facilities are unsurpassed. We invite you to come in and renew old acquaintance and also to help us in establishing new friendships.

It Includes 10,000 Acres Irrigation Has Come! :-:-: and Costs \$350,000.00

The results of two years of crude oil and many of them are study and experiment are applalso centrifugal. Some of these parent this season over the whole are deep-well pumps and they southwestern dry farming re- are very satisfactory in raising that system are regular events, gion. During the period of 100 feet. From 100 to 300 feet that the one just completed by drouth the word went out over they work admirably. The cost the country that dry farming in of pumping differs materially the southwest had failed; just as with the different kinds of power, during the dark days in Kansas sizes of pumps and depth of wells. the news went out that Western Figuring from what may be a safe Kansas was an unredeemable average of the actual cost of fuel, are busy men; there are few desert. Yet, during the worst a No. 4 pump, centrifugal with of the drouth the dry farming gasoline as power, at seventy settlers continued to come in day. This should result in 600 tion agent and the editor of the The new men came with enough gallons a minute, 36,000 gallons Santa Fe's big development magmoney to tide them over a bad sea son, They were supplied with bun of ten hours.

dles of books and pamphlets, tell ing them how to farm the land culated to irrigate about five and the result of the campaign of acres a day to a depth of a little education was that even in the more than 21 inches. A better season of 1910 when the rainfall and saferestimate would probably reached its minimum the men be four acres a day to a depth of who followed dry farming prin about two inches. But, generaliples succeeded with their crops. ly speaking, it is safe to say that Santa Fe. There is hardly an In order to determine the exact at a cost of \$3 an acre land can be status of dry farming industry irrigated two or three times at the New Mexico Bureau of Immi | \$6 an acre annually and it is cergration at Albuquerque, with the tainly worth the money in dry assistance of a corps of experts, seasons like the present. The recently made a dry farming average cost of a plant is about census. The census shows that \$1200. In many cases the cost overlooked. The same is true of there are at present 715,000 acres will be only a fraction of that the "Employes Magazine" and actually under cultivation in New given. But even the higher fig Mexico by dry farming methods, uses are below the cost warrant and the conclusion of the experts ed by the saving of a crop, as the is that there are 17,300,000 acres experience of individuals has in twenty-three of New Mexico's shown. Over large areas of the twenty six counties over which country wind mills are used as the rainfall at normal is sufficient motors for irrigation pumps and for successful dry farming, careful accounts of their efficiency These men predict that the time are available. They unquestionwill come when this whole great ably serve an excellent purpose ties and as the focus of the vast area will be under cultivation under favorable conditions up to without irrigation. The bulk of the limits of their capacity. this acreage where dry farming Gasoline engines are being is practical, is public domain, used even up to a capacity of open to entry under the United 5,000 gallons of water a minute, States land laws. New Mexico but the ordinary plants are less has made no effort to encourage than one-tenth of that. Crudeimmigration into the dry farming oil engines are also used and districts, preferring to wait until steam plants using small stationdry farming methods and results ary and portable engines are had been more thoroughly dem pressed into service, while eleconstrated. That the system has tric motors, along long power survived the past two years of circuits from generators at wat extreme drouth-and survived erfalls or other great sources of with nearly three quarters of a power, are being fully employed million acres remaining in culti- Instances of the profitable emvation, is sufficient proof that ployment of all these agencies much of the so-called southwest are abundant all over the arid ern desert is not a desert; that region. Of course such an install-

ands of the land hungry.

an hour, or 360,000 gallons a day Such a stream of water is cal dry farming has come to stay ation calls for a reservoir so that

and Farm.

of Their Line of Railway. the smaller pumps are run by gasoline, although several use While inspection trips over the Santa Fe lines by the officials of water from a greater depth than there is good reason to believe General Manager Fox and party throughout New Mexico is of more than usual significance The Santa Fe publicity experts busieron the system; and a week's visit from the general colonizaazine must mean that there is something of peculiar interest to these gentlemen in New Mexico. For a year or more past New Mexico and her resources have occupied the leading place in the advertising campaign of the issue of "The Earth" that does not feature this or that irrigated valley, dry farming district, or other sections of this territory no phase of our development is of practically all the western literature published by the Santa Fe company in its nation wide advertising propaganda. Their is no conclusion but that the Atchison regards New Mexico as having the greatest traffic possibili-

development and upbuilding movement in the southwest; and the railroad company is probably accomplishing more to forward the materialization of these possibilities than most people fully realize.

Mr. Vandegrift and the careful last year, and that's goin' some. and thorough investigation into We are talking about the kind conditions, an inspection lasting that Dobbs makes. for a week, can mean nothing else than vastly increased publicity Mail your broken glasses to for New Mexico's opportunities. Their visit was well timed; they found New Mexico's hills and valleys green and moist and ferfurnishing homes to many thous always available. Denver Field tile from north to south and east 316 Main Street, Roswell, New Mexico to west; the largest fruit crops

The visit of Mr. Seagraves and i Better lemonades than we had

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Next Mail.

#### ROOSEVELT COUNTY HERALD Give Beet Crop the Right-of-Way.

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Lee Smith returned to Amarill Tuesday.

Fred Croshs went up to Texico to day on business. Jim Stone and family are spending

this week on the ranch W. D. McBee of Closs was a busi

ness visitor over Sunday Judge G. L. Reese went up to Clo is yesterday to attend some legal

himmer ---. J. C. Compton and wife returned

where they have been assiting rela- been attended to. Of course, 1131 4. Mrs. Mike Sappenfield, of Crandall,

Texas, arrived here Monday for a visit with her daughter. Mrs J. P. Dere

left today for Mountainair and Albu querqui

Robert Ballard and wife, of Roswell, visited W.S. Merrill and wife the latter part of last week. Mrs. Ballard and Mrs. Merrill are sisters. Mrs. Sarah E. Rector, who has

been usiting her son, C.A. Rector and family for the past two weeks, returned today to her home at Schroeder

Ciba, Mo., where he will inspect some property which has been offered him in exchange for some of his interests Lier.

Itos. Flick who has been for some time in the employ of the Irrigation Co., left Sunday, accompnied by his mother, for San Francisco, Cal.

Miss Llewellyn Carter is home from a visit at Claude, Texas. She spent the time while away on the canyon near there which is noted for its scenic are all getting fine returns for teauty

Mrs. Verge Heatly, who now resides at Artis. Okla, but who form rly led in Portales, arrived here is week and is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lai Hawkins.

hably seek a new location



#### MISS MARTIN ENTERTAINS.

Tuesday evening at their beau acreage to the culture of the crop, tiful home in west Portales Miss but also on the acreage of his own Mabel Martin entertained the MANAVER on the Ed Neer forty. This T. F. C. club and their young forty acres was taken this spring men friends. Miss Martin had in its raw state, plowed, har planned a very pleasing program rowed and leveled in such a short which was very successfully and time that it was a marvel of ac- delightfully carried through. complishment. It was then Perhaps the most amusing part seeded to sugar beets, and the was the horoscopes which were first specimen which Mr. Thrash compiled and read; but the myser produced was a tuber which terious. cold hand passed from weighed four pounds, the growth guest to guest under the mystic of only forty days. The super sheet caused the alarmed shricks visor is elated at the prospects and uncanny feelings. A very ahead of the Valley for the beet fine refreshment of two courses industry, and about the only com- was served. Near midnight, all plaint which has ever escaped bid Miss Martin and her mother tended him every opportunity to his lips is that the average farmer not good by but au revoir.

#### B. K. A.

On Tuesday evening of last present and future prospects of week, from ~ 30 to 12:00, the B. the Valley and its gigantic irri-K. A. club entertained their gation enterprise. Mr. Yoakum friends at the Sanders hall with stated to the business men with a combination informal reception, whom he conversed while here some neglected corner of the party and dance. There were that he was merely looking over field and only give it the attention about thirty invited guests on the Valley at the suggestion and this occasion and all declared invitation of Mr. Avery Turner, amusement, this particular endey Lines, though from what the other previous ones, which is said of his visit to that city, his have gone to Roswell to work. certainly saying a great deal in visit to this section at this time view of the said "others" A re may mean more than a casual ception committee received the sight-seeing venture. It may be ting the Judge W. E. Lindsey family should receive the best endeavors guests, introduced them promis- true, after all, "that great events cously and continued throughout cast their shadows before' and

eral welfare, comfort and pleas ure of all. After a little informal is is the shadow of some real rail reception, cards and other games road development in eastern New were indulged in for an hour or more, Mr. Edward Patterson The Register Tribune, of Tues winning the prize, a large box of King's chocolates, the kind our Yoakum's visit to Roswell, says Kandy Kid sells. At 9:30 Prine's "Mr. Yoakum's visit to Ros-

fun started for sure. The mer excepting Prof. Alexander, Mc ry hours tripped away until 11.30 Pherson, formerly confidential when a two course luncheon was agent for the Union Pacific, the served, consisting of sandwiches Northwestern and other railtied with pink and white, (the roads, but now expert agricul club colors) chicken salad, olives, turalist for the Berrendo Irrigat pink and white marshmallow ed Farms company.

repast the lights flickered, which ed at the Gilkeson, under the was a signal for all to "skiddoo" name of R. D. Young, St. Louis, missioners of Roosevelt county, -but they were not afraid to go Mo., taking one of the cheapest scepting the resignation of A home in the dark.

the farmers or by the manage PHILATHEA-BARAGAS TO GIVE ENTERTAINMENT Suspicion. The Philathea Baraca class of wanted, the expert agricultural hereby ordered recinded, and Les Carter, son of Judge C. L. Car- know a beet farmer who is not the Methodist Sunday school ist did not feel it a duty to give, said order is hereby declared the methodist Sunday school ist did not recrut a duty to give null and void and of no effect. the has just recently resigned his post-from his beet crop. The factory next Sunday night at the Metho- were somewhat strained, as a There being no further busihas been running in fine shape dist church and render the pro

### RAILROAD MAGNATE IN PORTALES

Scott, a fine boy. D. Yoakum, Vice President of the Frisco Railway System, Makes Visit to Portaies and Thoroubuly investigates the Valley and its Resources.

R. D. Yoakum, vice president the Frisco railroad, brother of ing her for a few days. he big railroad magnate, B. F. oakum, and confidential agent or Samuel Lazarus, the financial d of the Quanah, Acme & Paic and other roads belonging the Frisco system, was in Portales several days the past week. at Blanco, Monday morning. oming in Saturday and going to Roswell Sunday for a brief visit, after which he returned here Monday to continue his inspec

tion of the Valley. During his stay here, Mr. Yoakum was esorted over the Valley by a party of our business men, who exexpress his appreciation of the

the evening to look after the gen, that Mr. Yoakum's visit and interest in this section at this time Mexico in the very near future. day's issue, in speaking of Mr

orchestra arrived, and then the well was unbeknown to anyone

cream and nabiscos. During the The railroad financier register

#### Bethel News. Born to Mr. and Mrs. George

Mr. Dallas Green went away to work for a few days in Portales. Mrs. W.B. Anderson's mother, whose home is in Texas, is visit

Miss Schweikhard the nurse, was called to Portales at the bed side of Mr. Chambers.

Winnie and Cecil O'Neal started to school to Mr. Stinnett

Mrs. Yonce and John Green is visiting their brother A. D. Green.

The good rains that we have been having are making crops look as though we might have a good harvest this fall.

Mr.Cary Cotton, one of our ensee the Valley and its resources. terprisiug farmers, is selling out The gentleman was not slow to all of his stuff to move to Texas, the home of his boyhood.

> Mr. Cas Cotton returned a few days ago from Clovis where he had been at work, but left again last Sunday for Clovis to again engage in work.

Mr. McNeil, who has been in Portales for several weeks, has that for delightful and varied vice president of the Pecos Val his family out at Mr. George Smith's on the Yates place, and tertainment seemed to excel all Register Tribune, of Roswell, he together with Wesley Smith,

> Mr. Sam Stinnett, after having lain down his work as a teacher for a little better than a year during which time he has been busily engaged as an irrigator, has again taken up his old work and is now poring forth pedigogical thought into the minds of boys and girls in the Blanco community.

#### Commissioners' Court.

Proceedings of the board of county commissioners of Roose velt county, New Mexico, at a all session thereof, held at the court house in Portales, July 15, 911

Present, C. V. Harris, chairman, E. C. Price, commissioner, ' P. Mitchell, clerk.

The order made at the regular April term of the county comrooms in this classy hotel to avoid E. Wilson, Justice of the Peace in and for precinct No. 8, Roose-Much of the data Mr. Young velt county, New Mexico, is

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We have two hundred Misses and Ladies Slippers that we will discount 25c on the \$1.00

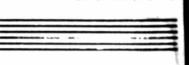
We also have a strong line of Mens Gloves that we are saving you 25c on the \$1.00 on. They're all right.

A large line of Laces and Embroideries that we are selling at a discount of 25 per cent.

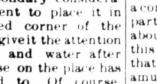
25c Ribbon for 15c per yard

Two hundred pairs of Mens Pants that will be sold at 25 per cent off.

Don't forget that we have the only guaranteed line of Men, Women and Childrens Shoes in town.



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this is not the universal rule, but

was this week called to a dispatch from Phoenix, Arizona, which

appeared in one of the state papers about the conditions which existed at that place where the sugar beet industry is being tried out. It is dated at Phoenix J. W. Tucker left vesterday for the 12th instant, and says: "In cluding yesterday's run, the Glendale sugar factory has

> turned out 2,500,000 pounds of as tine sugar as anybody would care to see, and before the season ends, which will probably be in the first week of August, 8.000.000 pounds more will have been made. The best growers

their season's work and a more satisfactory season in every way could not be asked for, either by

ment of the factory. We don't

is taking to the culture about like the typical cowman would take to planting cotton, which is but another way of saying that most of the farmers are treating the crop with secondary consideration-are content to place it in

days in not only directing the

of cultivation and water after home today from Canyos City, Texas, everything else on the place has

it is the appearance which presents itself to a man who knows the possibilities of the industry Miss E. M. Plant who has been vis- here and who knows that it

> of all the people in the Valley. The Herald man's attention

S. B. Dykes is visiting his old friend J. P. Deen, and may locate here or at cast usest in some land Mr. Deep tas been showing him the sights about the Valley and he is fairly carried away with the prospecthere

L. J. Savage, of Hamburg, Ark., is the grast of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Mears this work. Mr. Savage was here last January and losed the place so we that he decided to spend this summer acation here with his old-time fr territa

Frank Smith, the barber, is again at his oid place with the O. K. Barber cause our irrigation farmers to denote out on his farm for these many get busy with his sugar beet crop? How to Make Class Organization the city was not casual. It is Thomas C. White Jr. et al. defendants, the Successful known that the Santa Fe and the bis Satisfies and the bis at last decided white intervenors. at his old place with the O. K. Barber tenor of his trade

.I. H. Barr, of Reed, Okla., is her this work prospecting with every indi called of his falling a victim to th include the new arrightion field. He has been about the Valley at a pretty

dy rate since he landed here an thinks the it is immense.

W. H. Braby and family of Ada Obtahor a arrived here about a week ago and an susting with E. S. Bo ctor and family. Mr. Braley w restates locate here with his family ingage in some line of business the sabrother-in-law of Mr. Boucher

Lagle Herderson who has been vis past week returned foday to Irreti . Lexas - Lagle is a Portale boy who learned the printing trade in the local offices and now holds a rethe position on the staff of the Hereford Brand

12. te a good deal of street grading s a progress this week, being a con- says that he, is a believer in the old our prediction that we will have an nation of the work which was begun saying that "troubles never come other illustration this year of the of Menticy of last week. Some of single handed" as it was only a fort- saying to the effect that this countr the noted mud holes about the streets night ago that he received word of the can promise less and do more that are being tilled and the streets around the square as well as some of the brother, who resides at Hale Center, most sure of bounteous yields of a streets bailing into the residence sec- Texas. The young lady was handling ery form of crop which has been i tion are being graded and drainage a lamp to an incubator and in some in the ground and received anything

Quite a party of Portales folks went up to Covis yesterday to attend the nter-detominational Sunday School neet which convened there last even - of those going were on the program for addresses or papers, and t is expected that they will contribute largely to the interest of the meeting. the number were: F \mon T. J. Molinari, Earle Will-Burke Mesdames W. O. Oldham and iams. Molinari, Misses Jim Dobbs. TJ Salle Bryant and Cornie Smith.

Soreness of the muscles, wheather induced by violent exercise or injury, is quickly Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment is equally valuable for muscular rheumatism, and al-

and the quality of the sugar turned out is the equal of any body's sugar. It is even whiter than the cane sugar, as has been Invocation Rev. E. L. Young shown by careful comparison in Class Song Lead Kindly Light the Phoenix stores. We are ac Historical Sketch of the Class complishing all we could hope to and the beet growers are jubilant which also makes us feel good, for it means more and better beet farmers in the future, and more Philathea National Hymn prosperity for both the farmers

thing to kick about. What more could be wanting to

are of daily occurrence in the newspapers, and even "he who runs can read the gladsome song which others are singing

who have tested the pudding by eating some of it. We should not be slow to appreciate and co-

operate with Mr. Thrasher in the

store and will leave for Wichita, Kans. about the first of the coming month where he will engage with the Herman & Hess Co., clothiers. Mr. Twiggs is an Al salesman and as a designer and decorator is probably unsur-passed in many larger towns. His roing at this time will be an irrepara-devoted more or less to the culture of devoted more or less to the

as salesman.

R. A. Bain, high sheriff, went up to and if the farmers in the Portales

gram following Song The Class Scripture Reading

Miss Sara Monroe Miss Minnie Freeman Solo The Philathea Aim and Work Miss Cornie Smith

and factory. We haven't a single What Baracas are Doing Mrs. Roy Connally Earle E. Williams

Martin.

What we can do in Portales Miss Josephine Bell Benediction.

Almost the entire portion of the the coast Portales Valley seems to have been

killed Tuesday in some kind of an ac-cident. Mr. Kisor was not acquainted to take advantage of the opportunity with any of the details of the accident, only having received a message to the rainy season which usually comes only having received a message to the rainy season which usually comes

ble loss to the band as he has been the fleecy staple, but it is hardly probforemost in boosting this enterprise able that the owners of irrigated relieved by the free aplication of as well as contributing in no small lands will take to the idea very extenmeasure to the popularity of the com- sively. But cotton at present prices pany with which he has been engaged will put any farmer in position to rattle dollars where he is now trying to make a fuss with nickels and dimes,

ways affords quick relief. Sold Reveford, Texas, yesterday to attend Valley make a few bales on the side came in last Thursday for a month's this year it will be no bad day's work. visit with ber sister, Mrs. T. G. Lomax.

man will be under an assumed ness, the board adjourned to name. Mr. McPherson told him meet the first Monday in Octo this, so the visitor gave it out ber if not sooner convened by that his name was. Yoakum: that the call of the chairman. he wished to know the future of this country, and the possible Attest C. P. Mitchell, Clerk. tonnage that this country would produce by intensive farming Princess dresser, a toilet set and fruit raising, and many oth er things a rai'road magnate an ice cream freezer and a heat would ask. He stated that he was traveling incognito as he did not wish the newspapers to

get hold of his visit, and he did not wish publicity.

Frisco are on the best of terms, Duett Misses Freeman and and have agreed to facilitate traf fic of the two roads, the Santa Fe using the Frisco tracks into Theorem C. White Sr. St. Louis, and the Frisco run and ning over the Santa Fe tracks to the

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Signed C. V. HARRIS, Chm.

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No. 573 In the district court of Roosevelt county New The visit of Mr. Yoakum to Mexico Planuff

Whereas on the 16th day of September, 1910 the above enti- 1-04.0 a putyment and decree in the distric and a purchased and decree in the distric out of Koosevelt county. New Mexico again-be defendants. Thomas C. White, Jr., and becase C. White Sr., in the sum of two thous net nine hundred and twenty and 50 100 do its with twelve per court per anomin interes-account from date of same until paid, and the bitmest interest of same until paid, and the

additional sum of \$292.05 with six per cent pannum interest thereon from date until ba Following this arrangement, it for attorney - fees and a decree foreclosing operate with Mr. Thrasher in the work which he is doing, for we are not merely serving his interests, but our own.
C. M. Kisor, of Montezuma, Texas, was in Portales yesterilay to take the train for New Sharon, Iowa, where he goes to be present at the funeral of his only son. Earl, age 28, who was killed Tuesday in some kind of an actional some kind actional some actional actional some actiona El Paso part es to build the road ment at in said county of Roosevelt, and said



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#### NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT. No 731

In the district court of Roosevelt counts New Mexico

W. P. Dunkleberger, plaintiff

Jacob - and Jennie P. Snellenberger and Jacob A. Teeter defendants

A. Tester defendants To Jacob O and Jennis P. Snellenberger and Jacob A. Tester, defendants in the above en-titled action. You will take house that a su-has been filed against you by the above name bacon A. Decter, defendants in the above de titled action. You will take notice that a suf-has been filed against you by the above name plaintiff in the district court of the fifth u-dicial district of the territors of New Metio in and for Roosevelt county numbered on the decket of and court e sufdocket of said court as above The nature and objects of said suit are 10

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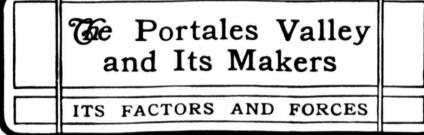
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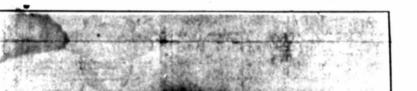
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Some one has said that a lawyer's first business with the law is to find the hole in it. His second business is to remember where he found it. His third business is to pull somebody through it But there is more to it than this. The tendencies of the profession, its sympathies, its inclinations, its prepossessions, its training, its point of view, its motives, are part of the stuff and substance of the destiny of the country. There never was a revolution, there never was a lick struck for liberty, for the cutting down of the pre rogative of kingly power, the oppression of the people, but the members of the bar were leaders in the great work. The present day lawyer should be made to feel that he belongs to a noble avocation, that they have the example of the greatest men the world ever produced running down the tide of time to emulate, to admire. It was Cicero's great fire that burned on the forum and the Senate at Rome; it was his fire that drove the traitor Cataline from Rome, and the infamous Claudius; it was the sacred fire of Demosthenes that aroused Athens; it was the eloquence of Philip that nerved Leonidas and his three hundred followers at Thermopylae for the salvation of their country; it was a lawyer, when the Apostles became alarmed and dispersed in the garden and deserted the blessed Messiah, that stood firm, his heart swelling with indignation at the treatment of Christ on Calvary and the Roman bayonets, and then took down our Savior, dressed him in linen and embalmed him in the sepulchre; it was the lawyers of England that rose up against the tyranny of the Tudors, the Stuarts and the Lancasters, and aroused the English to arms; it was Serewsbury and Lord Bolingbroke who put William and Mary on the throne in 1688. When George the Third sought to oppress the colonies of America, James Otis rose up and made a great speech against the bill of assessments. Old John Adams caught the fire of Otis. The ball was set in motion in Massachusetts, and brought out the celebrated speech of Patrick Henry, the great natural orator, in the Virginia House of Burgesses.

But there are lawyers, and then there are some more lawyers, Give a knave a smattering of legal training and he can dig up more stakes in a minute than a whole community can kill in a year Quicken and enrich a nobleman's intellect with the arm of the law and his life will be a benediction to his community, his state and his country, as beautiful as a placid river which runs along the lawn, kissing the grasses as its waters pass along. While it is for fign to my purpose to contend that lawyers as a class are better than other men, yet for their opportunities, from the whetting of heir intellects, from their constant looking into the history of the state and country, study of human nature, and rubbing up against then, I say that liberty is indebted to the true lawyer in every country.



born and where he had lived all his life, were having an old fashioned primary for the nomination of county and district officers. The subject of this sketch entered the race for representative and after a "stump speaking" campaign of some four weeks, was nom inated, being then barely 21 years of age, by a majority of all the votes cast, over three prominent citizens of the county, two of whom had been members of previous legislatures. He had been reading law for some time and as a nomination was equivalent to an election, he left the campaign to take care of itself and entered the law department of the University of Arkansas at Little Rock, remaining in same until the legislature convened, even then attending the night lectures of the law school. The following summer he returned to his home in Hamburg and entered actively into the practice of law. Was again elected representative of his county and after two years of service in the lower house, was overwhelm. ingly elected to the senate for a term of four years; during the first part of which, being offered the position of secretary for the then congressmen from his district, which carried with it the opportunities of using the library of the supreme court of the United States, and the further opportunity of taking a special course in law at the national capital, as well as the opportunity of becoming acquainted with the workings of the various departments of the nation al government. After a year's experience there, he resigned his position and returned home to again take up the practice of law and complete his term as senator.

During his legislative experience, among other legislation of local importance to his state, he was largely instrumental in placing up on the statute books an efficient and effective anti-trust law, which has been taken as a model by other states and in each case made to do effective service in behalf of the people. After eight years con tinuous service in the legislature, at the county in which he lived. alternated with the other county of the senatorial district, he remained constantly in the practice of law in his native town, until he became imbued with our great and growing West after a trip through this section in the latter part of 1908, moving to Portales in March, 1909, following.

The story has drifted out here from Arkansas, where Mr, Mears was reared and received his legal training, of his arguing a case when quite young before a typical Arkansas Judge, whose self-conceit was in inverse proportion to his knowledge of the law Young Mears was endeavoring to sustain a legal position he had taken in the case. He proceeded to quote Blackstone, when the court interrupted him by saying: "It is presumed, sir, that the court knows the law." "Yes, your honor, but the presumption of the court may be abutted," suggested Mears. "Sit down, sir, or the court will commit you for contempt. This court will not be dictated to with impunity; and if such an infringement be made on its dignity, it will immediately order the offender to jail." "Well, if your honor please," replied Mears, "I don't say my point is well taken. I have great respect for this court, but I'd just like to read a little from Blackstone to show what an infernal old idiot he must have been.'

In the event of early statehood it is the expressed wish of hundreds of the Judge's most intimate friends that he offer himself for a seat in the senate chamber of our new state. As one looks about him at the infinite complexities of the modern problems of the state to be, at the great tasks to be accomplished by law, at the issues of life and happiness and prospicity involved, these friends cannot but appreciate the part the lawyer must play in its organization. If such men as T. E. Mears will not forsake a lucrative practice at the bar and assume the role of **patriot and** statesman: if he will not lend all his learning to the service of the common life of the country, if he will not open his sympathies to the common weal and enlist his enthusiasm in those policies which will bring regeneration to the activities of the new state, then he must know that less expert hands than his must attempt the dificult and perilous task. If the best men of our country do not place tnemselves upon the altar of sacrifice at this stage of the development of the state they must be made to see that the work of organization and putting the new ship of state to sea will fall into the hands of men which will re sult in a reaction against the law itself. It will be done perhaps with brutal disregard to the niceties of justice, with clumsiness inst ead of skill. If he preseveres in the face of this appeal, these selfsame friends will probably place him on the bench as judge of this district for inefficiency. So it is only a matter of choice after all. But instead of aspiring as a mediator of the great process by which justice is led from one enlightenment and liberalization to another, we would rather think that his natural inclination would be toward the law-making avenue offered in the state senate, where he could better serve his country and his profession. In the first place, Mr. Mears, knows that there is the critical matter of the reform of legal procedure in the new state. He knows that unless the lawyers of the new state devote themselves with the knowledge and ability at their command to the utter simplification of judicial procedure, to the abolition of technical difficulties and pitfalls, to the removal of every unnecessary form, to the absolute subordination of methods of the object sought, that it must indeed be under taken by laymen and novices. With this parting shot at the judge we will have closed this sketch. It has been said that when a prospective client goes to Mears for advice, he tells him what he can do with safety, what he can do with risk, and what he can do with danger. And of course, if he is the right kind of a client he dose the dangerous thing and goes to Mears again.

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T. E. MEARS

Standing upon the pinnacle of statewide renown as a lawyer, recognized and deserving recognition for his statesmanship and philosophy; standing upon a summit of success accomplished, bottomed upon a foundation of moral worth, such is the choice apple of ambition's fulfillment in the character of our townsmen, the Hoporable T. E. Mears, lawyer, a fair sample of a man who has t den an oath to support the constitution and laws of the Territory of New Mexico and the United States and to see that his client has a fair and impartial trial under the law and constitution. He is the type of a lawyer who knows that he did not take an oath to suborn witnesses to perjury, to run witnesses out of the country, to be a party to the court's committing an error or to resort to skulduggery of any kind in order that a criminal might be turned loose on society, and he is too great a champion of the law and the ethics of his profession to resort to these sharp practices.

Born on a farm in southeast Arkansas, where he remained until about seventeen years of age, at which he had acquired what is ordinarily termed a "common school" education in the "deestrict skull" and around the "pine knot" fires during the long winter nights on the farm. At this age he entered college, where, by teaching a school each summer, was enabled to remain four years, graduating in the year 1897. He returned to the school room as teacher, as it was necessary at this time to recuperate his financial condition, his exchequer having gone considerably on the red side of the ledger for college expenses.

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