

Warren-Fooshee & Company

LEADERS IN LOW PRICES

Portales, New Mexico.

New Goods arrive Daily. Stock new, seasonable and up-to-date. Recognized headquarters for Everything carried in an up-to-date Dry Goods House. Call for what you want, if we haven't it, we'll get it.



Clothing

Our stock of Clothing is well assorted and of the latest fall styles. When you get ready for that new suit don't fail to see us.

Clothing

OVERCOATS.

Our stock of Men's and Boys' Overcoats is broken in sizes and lot numbers. To clean up the lot we will make a big reduction in prices. Men's Overcoats either long or short..... \$5.00
Boys' Overcoats..... 3.50

Ladies' Jackets.

Our stock of Jackets and Long Coats is somewhat broken. To clean up by January 1st and be ready for our annual inventory, we propose to make some prices that will clean us up in this department. The long Cravenette Coats from \$10.00 to \$20.00, to go at 20 per cent discount.

The \$12.50, three quarter length coats to go at..... \$10.00
The \$5 short Jackets, all shades, special at..... 4.00

NOVELTIES

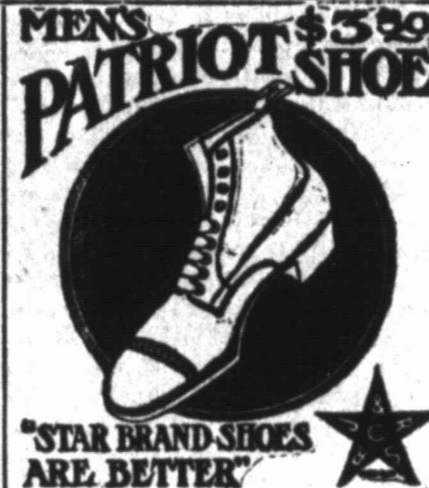
We have just received a large line of the very latest patterns in ladies hand bags, belts, neckwear, hair ornaments, etc., also a complete line of handkerchiefs for Christmas.

TRUNKS.

We carry a large stock of trunks, telescopes, suit cases and satchels at all prices and of all sizes. See them.

If It's New, We Have It

Shoes



Our stock of Shoes is at all times complete, the product of the best factories in the United States. We also carry a large line of Boots, Booties and Leggings.

PATRIOT—This Shoe comes in all the late lasts and in Kid, Box Calf and Velour, sizes 5 to 10, price..... \$3.50

PLUCK—This is a very staple shoe and is made in congress, plain toe or cap ball. The best thing going at..... \$2.50

VICTORY—A Satin Calf Shoe, comes in cap bal only and is a good, every day, cheap shoe..... \$1.50

GOLD BOND—A Satin Calf Shoe, made in cap bal only, others get \$1.50, price..... \$1.25

..HATS..

We have about twenty-five boxes of \$2.00 Hats that the sizes are broken. In order to clean up this line before New Year's Inventory, we will make a SPECIAL PRICE of..... \$1.50

WORK COATS

Duck Coats in medium weight, brown duck..... \$1.25
Heavy Covert Coats in grey, blanket lined, 34 to 42, 1.50
Corduroy Coats, blanket lined, extra heavy..... 4.50
Corduroy Coats, medium weight..... 2.75

Holiday Goods

We will receive in a few days a large stock of Christmas Goods, well assorted and can give you just what you want. Don't fail to see us.

We Have the Best.
We Have it for Less.

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No Trouble to Show Goods.

Local and Personal

Save money on Xmas toys at Neer's. Are you buying Roosevelt county brooms? If not, try one. All kinds of nuts at Faggard's. Santa Clause at Neer's. If your property is for sale I can sell it. Joe Howard. Toys furniture and drugs at Neer's. Joe Howard can sell your property, list it immediately. All fruit ingredients at Faggard's. Christmas goods at Neer's. Just what you want and at prices to suit, at Neer's. Millinery—The latest and most popular styles, to be had at Mrs. Coates. Mr. Tucker, who has been in eastern Texas, returned last Saturday. List your property with Joe Howard, immigration agent. For best locations and information about the country see county surveyor, J. D. Hurley. Just received a nice lot of queensware and glassware, see us before you buy. HANES & WILSFORD. See Bain for your blacksmithing and wood work. Slover's old stand. Neer's drug and furniture store has the largest line of Xmas goods ever brought to Portales. Leave orders for hand made boots at Portales Leather House. Hand made harness a specialty at the Portales Leather House. All kinds of leather work at Portales Leather House. Just received a oarload of furniture at Neer's. We can save you money. If its candy you want see Laster, he has the finest assortment ever brought to Portales. R. J. Montgomery, of Young county, Texas, arrived last week and will locate with us. Come and see us for furniture, queensware, glassware and cooking utensils. HANES & WILSFORD. R. A. Bain will give you satisfaction on your blacksmithing, carriage and wagon work. Slover's old stand. The Women's Home Mission Society will have their regular monthly meeting Dec. 13 at the Methodist church. Thanksgiving & Woodcock will buy all your chickens, butter, snap beans, okra and all kinds of vegetables. The Women's Home Mission Society will have their Xmas Bazaar, Dec. 19 and 20 at the court house. All kinds of Christmas goods for sale.

Fresh mince meat at Faggard's. We will save you money on new furniture, come and see us. HANES & WILSFORD. Wanted—At once—A girl who is not afraid to work. NEWSOM. Best flour at \$2.75 per hundred at Faggard's. Miss Callie Fires visited Miss May Byrd last week. E. D. Reeves left Tuesday for Texico where he has employment on the railroad. Get your gun repairing done at Johnston's photograph gallery. Remember that we have the celebrated Harper flour, the best flour that comes to New Mexico. John Goodwin. Lemon peel, orange peel, citron, raisins and currants at Faggard's. Joe Howard & Sons located about thirty homeseekers this week. Still they come and there is a few good pieces of land yet subject to entry. Pay from 20 to 30 cents for frying chickens. Faggard. Just received, twenty-five cases of Paul Jones, the best rye whisky on earth. Also Dripping Springs, pure bottled in bond. Call in, boys. Will pay 25c per dozen for eggs at Faggard's. J. H. Puckett, of Maricopa, Arizona, brother of J. W. and R. K. Puckett, was visiting in Portales this week. Mr. Puckett has a large interest in the Detroit Copper Mining Company of that place. To arrive Dec. 15—Our new furniture. See us before you buy. HANES & WILSFORD. Wilford & Davis bought a load of hogs from J. R. Stephens the first of the week that averaged 200 pounds. For Sale—A \$450 piano. Will take \$250 cash or \$275 on easy payments. Joe Howard & Sons. Charles Woodcock left this week for Hot Springs, Arkansas, in response to a telegram which stated that his mother was very ill. Organizer Peters instituted a lodge of the Farmers' Union here Thursday night. Mr. Peters is an earnest and enthusiastic worker in the of the betterment of the farmers' condition. W. H. Garrett, the immigration agent arrived Wednesday night with a bunch of thirty homeseekers from Kansas. Mr. Garrett says that every crowd he brings here makes it easier for him to get another. Everyone falls in love with Inland Valley and every settler is an advertiser. Mr. Garrett is a hustler after business and keeps things lively in the old town when here.

Attorney J. S. Fitzhugh who for the past six months has held a responsible position in the office of W. W. Gatewood, at Roswell, has returned to Portales and has again engaged in the practice of law. Mr. Fitzhugh is a lawyer of known reputation and ability, having practiced for a considerable time in Waco, Texas, he is studious, hard working and capable and devotes his best energies to the interests of his clients. H. Vesoh, of Durant, I. T. arrived this week and will build a fine residence on his farm two miles east of town. Mr. Vesoh is a gentleman of much means and will be a great addition to our rapidly growing county. He expects to move his family here in the spring. J. B. Friddy this week purchased the lots adjoining the Warren-Fooshee & Company store from J. T. Coleman and in the spring will erect thereon a large stone business house to be occupied by the above firm. This is a further evidence of the prosperity and progressiveness of this firm. B. C. McDaniel arrived Thursday night from Fort Worth, Texas, with a large crowd of home hunters. This is Barney's first trip but judging from the number of his crowd, he has not been idle. Barney will be a success as an immigration agent. Pearce & Dobbs have torn down the old adobe and are now doing business in the new stone building recently erected by them. This building is quite an improvement and adds greatly to the appearance of our city. Attorney G. F. Ellis had a preliminary hearing Tuesday on the charge of attempting to draw a pistol on John Stockton. He was discharged, the evidence not being sufficient to bind him over. There will be some good horse racing on Saturday preceding Christmas. Also racing and tournament riding on Christmas day. Don't miss them. T. B. Roby, of Alva, Oklahoma, is visiting the Times man this week. To the People of Roosevelt County. You are requested to meet in the district court room, at Portales, on the 9th day of December 1905, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of organizing a "Joint Statehood League" in Roosevelt county, to act in concert with other counties and towns of New Mexico. In getting before the coming congress and keeping before the coming congress the ever present and pressing necessity of the people of New Mexico and Arizona for local self government. Let every voter come and bring his neighbor. COMMITTEE.

Fort Worth & Denver Change of Train for Winter is announced. After October 14, under a readjustment of the schedules for the winter season, the Fort Worth & Denver City railroad trains Nos 7 and 8 will be operated between Fort Worth and Dalhart, Texas, only, instead of being carried through to Denver as heretofore. Under these new conditions these trains will operate Pullman sleepers between Ft. Worth and Amarillo, maintaining close connection with the Fecos Valley Railroad and other lines connecting at that point and intermediate junctions. This service in being established through to Dalhart is eighty miles greater than has been afforded during previous winter seasons, but is at present justified through the immense increase in the local as well as through travel to the Dalhart-Amarillo country by the influx of homeseekers and prospectors. It is the policy of the Denver road to facilitate the further growth of that section of the country as much as possible by giving the homeseeker and prospector an excellent train service to Dalhart, which connects with the Rock Island for points east and west. It also gives Dalhart somewhat of a precedent as a growing city. The distance from Ft Worth to Amarillo, the terminus of this train in former winter seasons, is 335 miles and from Ft Worth to Dalhart the present terminus of the run, is 416 miles. The Best Papers. The papers you want are the papers that will suit your entire family best. A combination that will answer this requirement is this paper and the Fort Worth Semi-Weekly Record. The Record is a general newspaper of the best type. Ably edited, splendidly illustrated, it carries a news service which is the best that knowledge and experience can suggest. Special features of The Record appeal to the housewife, the farmer, the stockraiser and the artisan. The colored comic pictures printed in the Friday issue are a rare treat for the young folks. Its market news alone is worth the money. You will surely be a constant reader of the Record once you try it, and the favorable clubbing offer made below is an opportunity not to be missed: Semi-Weekly Record 1 year.....\$1.00. The Times 1 year.....\$1.00. Both papers 1 year.....\$1.75. There will be a meeting of breeders Saturday at 2 o'clock p. m. to decide on a show for next year. There will be a contribution box placed in the show room and those who want to give something can do so, it will make the expenses lighter and be appreciated. Everybody invited to come and bring your neighbors.

Notice to Shippers. Beginning Saturday, August 26th and continuing thereafter on every Monday and Saturday up to and including December 23rd, 1905, we will run regular stock trains for Kansas City, St. Joseph and Chicago markets on the following schedule: Leave Bovins 8:40 a. m. Mon Sat. Hereford 10:30 a. m. " " Canyon 12 noon " " Amarillo 2:00 p. m. " " Washburn 2:40 p. m. " " Panhandle 3:30 p. m. " " Pampa 4:50 p. m. " " Miami 5:40 p. m. " " Canadian 7:00 p. m. " " Higgins 8:30 p. m. " " Shattuck 9:15 p. m. " " Gage 9:40 p. m. " " Arrive Woodward 11:00 p. m. " " Wellington 8:00 a. m. Tues Sun On arrival at Wellington or Emporia shipments that cannot make destination within the 28 hour limit will be unloaded for the required feed, water and rest as provided for by U. S. Government regulations. They will be reloaded in p. m. and reach Kansas City and St. Joseph markets on the following day. These trains are intended to take care of the small shipments which would otherwise have to be handled on way freight trains, but on account of the necessity of gathering these shipments all along the line we cannot guarantee the above schedule at all times. We will continue to handle trainload shipments, with proper notice, on any day of the week as suits the shipper. Shippers will file orders for cars at least three days before date on which they intend to load, and longer notice should be given whenever possible. A. L. CONRAD, Traffic Manager. Poultry Show. A number of subscriptions to one of the best poultry journals published, will be given as prizes on pure bred fowls. For best pair of ducks, geese, largest tom turkey, largest hen turkey. First and second pens (four females and one male in each breed of chickens except games.) One prize will be given for best pen of games. Should there be any subscriptions left after above awards are made prizes will be given on single fowls, cock, cockerel, hen and pullet. All coops will be numbered and no other mark or name allowed on them until the fowls are all judged then exhibitors may put their names on their own coops. Fowls must be entered in name of actual owner. Fowls to compete for prizes must be entered Friday Dec. 15 before 1 o'clock when judging will begin. Notice. On and after December 1, 1905 the undersigned will receive bids for grazing permit on the forest reserve. A. L. Chesher, office at court house.

C. O. Leach, Pres. W. O. Oldham, Cashier. W. E. Lindsey, Vice-Pres. W. A. Davis, Assistant Cashier.

THE First National Bank

Portales, New Mexico.

Condensed statement from report to the comptroller of currency, at close of business November 9, 1905.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans.....	\$84,074 87	Capital.....	\$25,000 00
U. S. Bonds and Premiums.....	6,832 03	Surplus and Profits.....	14,131 06
Banking House, Fur & Fix.....	4,869 15	Circulation.....	6,250 00
Cash and sight exchange.....	50,636 47	Deposits.....	181,839 86
Total.....	\$146,412 52	Total.....	\$146,412 82

I certify the above statement to be true and correct. W. O. OLDHAM, CASHIER.

We are the only National Bank within a radius of seventy-five miles, and our policy is to be liberal, to be safe, to hold our customers' interests as identical with our own, protecting them accordingly, to do business with you today on the principle that we expect to do business with you always. Let us hear from you when we can serve you.

DIRECTORS—C. O. Leach, W. E. Lindsey, W. O. Oldham, A. W. Rockefeller, Ed. J. Neer, G. W. Carr.

N. S. M'GEE & CO

DEALERS IN

Coal, Hay, Grain and Field Seeds

Agents for Celebrated Maitland Coal.

We have the largest and most complete stock of Grain and Coal of any house in Portales. We can and do undersell any house in the county. Come and see what we have; no trouble to show you and price our goods. Bring your Hides and Furs to us, we pay the highest cash prices.

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HOTEL VENDOME,

The Vendome is the only really first-class hotel in the city. The rooms are large and well ventilated, the service is the best that can be had. The home of the traveling public.

The Big Hotel Near the Railroad, Portales, New Mexico.

The roller-skating rink is coming in again. Will it also bring back the "hoop"?

Japan is enjoying the fact that "poor" has become a synonym for "rich" since Russia.

Up to date, the Audubon society hasn't taken any steps for the protection of the turkey.

King Edward's birthday cake, with the sixty-four blazing candles on it, must have been a sight.

Automobile riding, according to the doctors, is good for digestion. When taken, to be well shaken?

Chicago is said to contain 15,000 deserted wives. Somebody will have to start another cooking-school.

Norway may recall that the first king to reign over the children of Israel also was chosen by the people.

With call money at 20 on the New York stock exchange, dear old Uncle Russell Sage must be doing tolerably well.

Even though Henry Labouchere approves the corset, no one will accuse him of wearing one. He is anything but staid.

China is talking of having a constitution. It must have devils that the ways of the foreign devils are not so bad, after all.

Public-domestrol is done for in Russia. Ho goes down with the bureaucrats. The newspaper compositors will be glad he is gone.

That Minnesota boy who has had 4,000 bits of rock taken out of his body must have had as much fun as if he had played football.

The British Medical Journal says men's necks are longer than they used to be. Before the introduction of the peek-a-boo shirtwaist?

It is to be hoped that the New York society ladies took their fiancés work along when they were invited out to meet Prince Henry of Battenberg.

New York's new national theater, directed by Herr Corried, will be a great institution. Perhaps some time some other dreams also may come true.

The Pawtucket girl who twisted her neck out of joint in a nightmare probably dreamed that she was examining the latest fashions during a street promenade.

The latest "holy war" is about to be waged on Armenian Christians by Turks and Tartars. The Moslem means to get even for the crusades, if it takes all summer.

Lieut. Burbank, who has been trying to graft a scandal on the army, should not be confounded with the California wizard of the same name who does commendable kinds of grafting.

It is asserted, on the other hand, that big hats for women are not going out of fashion. The report that they were, doubtless, was started by some designing mischievous person.

Port Arthur, Hell, and England should not be too cock-sure about the Rock of Gibraltar. Nothing in this world is invulnerable. Last week a Missouri mule was blown up by dynamite.

Royal Arch Masons Meet. The Grand Lodge in Session in the Geyser City. A Great Meeting of Texas Masons.

Waco, Tex., Dec. 4.—The Texas Masons of the grand royal arch chapter and grand lodge are gathering here for the annual assembly, which will begin tomorrow and continue all the week.

The following are the officers of the grand lodge: A. W. Campbell, Dallas, grand master; S. M. Bradley, Denton, deputy grand master; John P. Bell, Bellville, grand senior warden; W. Lee Moore, grand junior warden; E. V. Frymer, Waco, grand treasurer; John Watson, Waco, grand secretary; A. C. Garrett, Dallas, grand chaplain; M. Y. Cowden, Bonham, grand orator; J. J. Davis, Galveston, grand marshal; J. M. Strayhorn, Waco, grand deacon; J. D. Foster, grand junior deacon; John Hughes, Houston, grand senior steward; J. R. Whitaker, grand burseward; W. A. Alexander, Waco, grand treasurer. Besides these are more than fifty district deputy grand masters.

Grand Secretary Watson supplied the press with the following historical data: "The Grand Lodge of the Republic of Texas was organized by a convention of the representatives of several constituted lodges then working within the confines of the Republic of Texas, held in the city of Houston, Dec. 20, 1853. The convention had for its president that distinguished Mason, soldier and statesman, Gen. Sam Houston, who was the first President of the Republic of Texas, and for its secretary the eminent scholar, physician and statesman, Anson Jones, who was the last President of the Republic of Texas.

"The officers chosen to preside at this meeting of the grand lodge were Anson Jones, most worshipful grand master; G. H. Winchell, grand secretary; G. H. Winchell, grand secretary. The constitution of the Louisiana grand lodge was adopted as the temporary government.

"It was in 1853 before the constitution was finally adopted, it being patterned very much after the constitution of Tennessee. The grand lodge has had annual meetings since that time. Until 1860 it met in different cities in the state. In that year Houston was selected as the permanent headquarters and the Bayou City continued as the permanent headquarters until 1900, when a resolution was adopted to have the annual meetings at some city more centrally located. The next year, 1901, Waco was selected, and it was decided to erect a grand temple in that city. As soon as practicable, work was commenced on this building, and it was completed in time to be dedicated in the last session of the grand lodge. The ceremonies were largely attended. The grand temple, which cost approximately \$125,000, is paid for, and is a building of which every Mason in Texas is proud."

The Grand Royal Arch Chapter was first organized in Austin, December, 1841. On account of some trouble with the general Grand Chapter of the United States, the Grand Chapter of Texas lost its charter. It was not until 1859 that these differences were healed, but since that time the Grand Chapter has been growing, and its annual conventions have been well attended since.

A lie will live as long as a truth if we do it up in an equally neat epigram.

Boy Bitten by a Rattler. Paris: While a little son of Joe Ward, a farmer near Fulbright, Red River county, was in the pasture about ten days ago he was bitten on the ankle by a ground rattlesnake that had crawled out of its hole to warm in the sunshine. The boy's leg was badly swollen from the bite and it was feared for awhile that the limb might have to be amputated. He is out of danger, but has to crawl around.

Daughters of Revolution. Temple: The State Convention of the Daughters of the Revolution today formally commenced here Sunday afternoon with annual memorial services at the First Methodist Church, with Mrs. Cornelia B. Stone of Galveston as eulogist. The convention closed Tuesday. Many prominent women of the state arrived in advance to be in attendance and others reported on later trains.

Carrollton Bank Robbed. Carrollton: The Bank of Carrollton was broken into and robbed Saturday morning between \$1500 and \$2,000. The safe successfully blown open and the bank building and furniture was badly wrecked by the explosion, which was heard by a number of residents of the town. The explosion was heard at three o'clock. The robber, or robbers, it is thought, drove away in a buggy which was stolen some two miles from Carrollton.

New York: The thirteenth annual six-day bicycle race was started in Madison Square Garden tonight with sixteen teams of two riders each competing. Five of the teams are composed of foreigners and many of the riders, both from this country and abroad, are making their first appearance. The prizes this year amount to the aggregate of \$4,550. A large crowd gathered when shortly before midnight the riders were called to the start.

RECOUNT OF THE VOTES. HAS AT LAST COMMENCED.

The Count So Far is Favorable to Mr. Hearst. New York, Dec. 2.—The recount of ballots in five ballot boxes used in New York's contested majority election was ordered to begin by Justice Amend in the Supreme Court. The original order to open these five boxes was granted a few days ago. Today Justice Amend, in ordering the recount to begin, modified his original order so as to limit the canvassing to the candidates for Mayor, Controller and President of the Board of Aldermen, and also to eliminate from the count the void ballots.

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Flagman Crushed by Wheels. Texarkana: John Rendleman, a flagman on a Cotton Belt local between here and Pine Bluff, fell from his train twenty miles east of here and was instantly killed, being caught under the wheels and terribly crushed. The remains were brought here. Deceased came here about a year ago from Carbondale, Ill., and was a brother-in-law to Conductor Farrell of the Kansas City Southern.

Cuban Patriots to Get Pay. Havana: President Palma issued a decree ordering payment of the second half of the revolutionary soldiers claims to begin on December 4. Bonds will be issued to the veterans and will be taken up as congress may dictate. The treasury already contains money to pay the entire balance due the soldiers, which amounts to \$19,000,000, and has \$6,000,000 to spare for current needs.

Work Going Forward on the Orient. Fort Worth: Large forces of men are at work on the construction of the Great railroad both north and south-east from Sweetwater. Large quantities of construction material are arriving constantly at Sweetwater to be used in building the road in both directions. Information received here is that the work on the line is being pushed with vigor.

State Orchardists Plans. Austin: A. W. Orr, State orchardist, states that the ground has about been covered and that he found it necessary to condemn some nursery stock and some few orchards. He further stated that until transplanting time next fall and winter he would watch the orchards for fruit tree diseases, and a year hence examine nursery stock etc. In this way it is hoped to keep the orchards of the State free from disease.

Cotton Growers Meeting. Dallas: On Jan 2 in each of the capitals of the Southern States annual meetings will be held for the election of officers for the various divisions of the Southern Cotton Growers Association. The Texas division of the Association will convene at Austin, but it seems no special program has been outlined. The Southern Cotton Growers Association will meet at Hot Springs Jan. 16.

Socialist Accepts Gifts. Herr Bebel, the leader of the German Socialists, does not let his war on capital hinder his accepting the large sums left him by admirers. The last bequest just received by him will, it is estimated, give him \$50,000 after gifts by him of \$50,000 more to the relatives of his benefactor, Lieutenant von Kollmann, and to the Socialist party.

Families of Arctic Sailors. The extent of New Bedford's interest in the whale ships that are believed to be caught in the Arctic ice trap, between Bullie Island and Point Barrow, can be measured by the fact that of the 440 men on the whalers, about 100 live in New Bedford and neighboring towns. The winter bids fair to be a most anxious one for the families concerned.

Dogs in Paris must wear muzzles, hydrophobia having broken out in several places in North Texas. The A. M. E. Conference met at Hillsboro Wednesday, Bishop Tyree presiding.

Jim Hammond's gin at Dowell burned Sunday morning about 5 o'clock, supposed to be the work of an incendiary, as the gin did not run Saturday. Six bales of cotton were lost in the fire. There was no insurance on the property, which was valued at \$5,000.

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Flagman Crushed by Wheels. Texarkana: John Rendleman, a flagman on a Cotton Belt local between here and Pine Bluff, fell from his train twenty miles east of here and was instantly killed, being caught under the wheels and terribly crushed. The remains were brought here. Deceased came here about a year ago from Carbondale, Ill., and was a brother-in-law to Conductor Farrell of the Kansas City Southern.

Cuban Patriots to Get Pay. Havana: President Palma issued a decree ordering payment of the second half of the revolutionary soldiers claims to begin on December 4. Bonds will be issued to the veterans and will be taken up as congress may dictate. The treasury already contains money to pay the entire balance due the soldiers, which amounts to \$19,000,000, and has \$6,000,000 to spare for current needs.

Work Going Forward on the Orient. Fort Worth: Large forces of men are at work on the construction of the Great railroad both north and south-east from Sweetwater. Large quantities of construction material are arriving constantly at Sweetwater to be used in building the road in both directions. Information received here is that the work on the line is being pushed with vigor.

State Orchardists Plans. Austin: A. W. Orr, State orchardist, states that the ground has about been covered and that he found it necessary to condemn some nursery stock and some few orchards. He further stated that until transplanting time next fall and winter he would watch the orchards for fruit tree diseases, and a year hence examine nursery stock etc. In this way it is hoped to keep the orchards of the State free from disease.

Cotton Growers Meeting. Dallas: On Jan 2 in each of the capitals of the Southern States annual meetings will be held for the election of officers for the various divisions of the Southern Cotton Growers Association. The Texas division of the Association will convene at Austin, but it seems no special program has been outlined. The Southern Cotton Growers Association will meet at Hot Springs Jan. 16.

Socialist Accepts Gifts. Herr Bebel, the leader of the German Socialists, does not let his war on capital hinder his accepting the large sums left him by admirers. The last bequest just received by him will, it is estimated, give him \$50,000 after gifts by him of \$50,000 more to the relatives of his benefactor, Lieutenant von Kollmann, and to the Socialist party.

Families of Arctic Sailors. The extent of New Bedford's interest in the whale ships that are believed to be caught in the Arctic ice trap, between Bullie Island and Point Barrow, can be measured by the fact that of the 440 men on the whalers, about 100 live in New Bedford and neighboring towns. The winter bids fair to be a most anxious one for the families concerned.

Dogs in Paris must wear muzzles, hydrophobia having broken out in several places in North Texas. The A. M. E. Conference met at Hillsboro Wednesday, Bishop Tyree presiding.

Jim Hammond's gin at Dowell burned Sunday morning about 5 o'clock, supposed to be the work of an incendiary, as the gin did not run Saturday. Six bales of cotton were lost in the fire. There was no insurance on the property, which was valued at \$5,000.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 4.—The Texas Masons of the grand royal arch chapter and grand lodge are gathering here for the annual assembly, which will begin tomorrow and continue all the week.

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A West Virginian's Awful Distress Through Kidney Trouble.

W. L. Jackson, merchant, of Parkersburg, W. Va., says: "Driving about in bad weather brought kidney trouble on me, and I suffered 20 years with sharp, cramping pains in the back and urinary disorders. I often had to get up a dozen times at night to urinate. Retention set in, and I was obliged to use the catheter. I took to my bed, and the doctors failing to help, began using Doan's Kidney Pills. The urine soon came freely again, and the pain gradually disappeared. I have been cured eight years, and though over 70, am as active as a boy."

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Plot Against Hearst.

Tammany pressure is really being exerted, according to Washington reports to Southwestern papers, to have Hearst barred from the Democratic congressional caucus. This is one of the questions the Southern members are really facing. The feeling among them is said to be a strong indignation to make a martyr of Hearst by putting him out of the party. No other feeling would be sane or sensible. Exclusion from the Democratic caucus would be but another prodigious "ad."

Snubbed Our Carrie.

Carrie Nation was in St. Louis the other day on her way to fill a lecture engagement. Hearing that Miss Phoebe Cousins, the noted woman suffragist, was at one of the hotels there, Mrs. Nation called and sent her card. Miss Cousins told the bell-boy: "I do not want either to see or talk with Mrs. Nation." Carrie Couzins was afraid of an interview. The latter dryly coincided in this view on hearing of the saloon smasher's remark.

Kitchener Tall and Wiry.

Lord Kitchener, whose recent appointment as military autocrat in India caused Lord Curzon to resign his position as viceroy, has been thus described by G. W. Stevens, war correspondent: "He stands several inches over six feet, straight as a lance, and looks out imperiously above most men's heads; his motions are deliberate and strong; slender, but firmly knit, he seems built for tireless, steel-wire endurance rather than for power or agility."

Eight Vegetarian Octogenarians.

Eight octogenarians of ages ranging from 80 to 91, one of them a woman, were the principal figures at a recent meeting convened by the London Vegetarian Association. The hall was crowded, but not altogether by vegetarians, one or two skeptical interjections suggesting the presence of some carnivorous Philistines among the audience. The chairman was C. P. Newcombe, who, despite his 80 years, spoke at considerable length in a loud, clear voice and with much vigor. The burden of his address was that one is not too old at 80 or even 100 if he enjoys the blessings of health, which can be secured by a non-flesh diet.

Oldest Locomotive Engineer.

Archibald Sturrock, formerly locomotive engineer on the Great Northern railway in England, has just entered his ninetyeth year. Mr. Sturrock joined the Great Northern railway in 1850, and practically revolutionized the locomotive narrow-gauge system. Mr. Sturrock is now the oldest locomotive engineer in the world. He is also the oldest volunteer field officer in Great Britain, having joined the force in 1859. He served upwards of twenty-one years as captain, three as major, and possesses the long service decoration.

THE "COFFEE HEART."

It is as Dangerous as the Tobacco or Whisky Heart. "Coffee heart" is common to many coffee users and is liable to send the owner to his or her long home if the drug is persisted in. You can run 30 or 40 yards and find out if your heart is troubled. A lady who was once a victim of the "coffee heart" writes from Oregon: "I have been a habitual user of coffee all my life and have suffered very much in recent years from ailments which I became satisfied were directly due to the poison in the beverage, which in turn made my complexion blotchy and muddly. Then my heart became affected. It would beat most rapidly just after I drank my coffee, and go below normal as the coffee effect wore off. Sometimes my pulse would go as high as 120 beats to the minute. My family were greatly alarmed at my condition and at last mother persuaded me to begin the use of Postum Food-Coffee."

"I gave up the old coffee entirely and absolutely, and made Postum my sole table beverage. This was six months ago, and all my ills, the indigestion, inactive liver and sickly heart action, have passed away, and my complexion has become clear and natural. The improvement set in very soon after I made the change, just as soon as the coffee poison had time to work out of my system. My husband has also been greatly benefited by the use of Postum, and we find that a simple breakfast with Postum is as satisfying and more strengthening than the old heavier meal we used to have with the other kind of coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pigs.

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Portales Times

BY H. B. RYTHER. "Entered as second-class matter...

United States Land Office, Roswell, N. M., Sept. 23, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that Township 19 north, range 37 east, has been surveyed...

If the parents of children would see to it that their boys and girls were at home nights...

A Pretty Church Wedding. On the night of the 6th of December 1905, at the M. E. Church of Portales...

M. E. Church South. Regular preaching Sunday morning and night. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m.

The gentleman came in at the right, the bridesmaids at the left and the bride and groom came down the middle aisle...

Joe Rich and family, of Celina, Tenn., arrived Wednesday and have moved to their farm, formerly owned by W. D. Coursey.

Remember that we have the celebrated Harper flour, the best flour that comes to New Mexico.

W. R. Johnston is prepared to fix your gun. Choke boring and re-stocking a specialty. Shop at Photo Gallery.

Department of the Interior United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, November 17, 1905.

Mr. Puckett and his young bride are very popular in our community and have a host of friends who join the writer in wishing them a long life of happiness and prosperity.

Frederician Church. Cottage prayermeeting met Thursday night at the home of Mr and Mrs. W. E. Lindsey.

Only Quickly Knocked out. "His weather both my wife and myself contracted severe colds which speedily developed into the worst kind of a gripe with all of its miserable symptoms."

White frost these mornings and pretty cool too. Miss Eva Smith commenced her school last Monday at the Hawkins school house with a good attendance.

Harve Newman gave the young folks a party last Friday night. W. C. Wharton has gone to take his son-in-law to Santa Rosa where he has a job in the machine shops of the Rock Island railroad.

T. E. Green has sold his claim and departed with his family for Texas. H. A. Covington preached at the Floyd school house last Sunday at 11 a. m. and at the Neel school house in the evening.

A Certain Cure for Croup. When a child shows symptoms of croup there is no time to experiment with new remedies, no matter how highly they may be recommended.

Regular preaching Sunday morning and night. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Epworth League 3:30 p. m. Choir practice Friday night.

Mr. S. J. Nixon kindly requests the presence of patrons and friends at the recital of her music class given at the court house Thursday, Dec. 21st, 8:30 p. m.

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A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by S. P. Davis, contestant, against homestead entry No. 2811, made June 9, 1902, for the northeast quarter of section 25, Township 1 S., range 32 E., by Thomas F. Doak, contestee...

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Notice for Publication. Homestead Application No. 4460. Department of the Interior Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, November 25, 1905.

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