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## Warren-Fooshee & Company

LEADERS IN LOW PRICES

### Portales, New Mexico.

### ...HEADQUARTERS FOR SANTA CLAUS...

Just received, a large stock of CHRISTMAS GOODS. You can find anything you want for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS, from Toys for the Children to Pictures, Toilet Sets, Cuff and Collar Boxes, Manicure Sets, Work Baskets, Smoking Sets, Albums, Jardinières, Vases, Silk Handkerchiefs, Ties and an hundred and one other things, too numerous to mention.



### 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 Cravette 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 \$5.00 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**



### MEN'S PATRIOT SHOES

### Shoes

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 ball only and is a good, every day, cheap shoe..... \$1.50

**GOLD BOND**—A Satin Calf Shoe, made in cap ball 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, 1.00  
Corduroy Coats, blanket lined, extra heavy..... 4.00  
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.

**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 ingredients for fruit cakes at Faggard's.

Christmas goods at Neer's.

Highest market price paid for butter and eggs at Goodwin's.

Just what you want and at prices to suit, at Neer's.

Tickets for "The Deacon" on sale at Pearce & Dobbs' drug store.

Millinery—The latest and most popular styles, to be had at Mrs. Coates.

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.

I guarantee every picture and make to be just as good as samples. S. E. Moore.

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 carload of furniture at Neer's. We can save you money.

Dr. Bryan reports the arrival of a fine boy at the home of Mr and Mrs Ed Brown.

Don't fail to see "the Deacon" at court house Dec 23. Tickets on sale at Pearce & Dobbs'.

If its candy you want see Laster, he has the finest assortment ever brought to Portales.

W E Chambliss and family left last week for Mountain View, Oklahoma, to spend the winter.

Come and see us for furniture, queensware, glassware and cooking utensils. HANES & WILSFORD.

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.

Get your gun repairing done at Johnston's photograph gallery.

R. A. Bain will give you satisfaction on your blacksmithing, carriage and wagon work. Slover's old stand.

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.

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 us, boys. Arc Light Saloon.

Will pay 25c per dozen for eggs at Faggard's.

To arrive Dec. 15.—Our new furniture. See us before you buy. HANES & WILSFORD.

Wilsford & 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.

Last week, at Texico, John Hamlin made a murderous assault with a knife upon officer Johnson and he now has an arm hung in a sling as a consequence thereof.

Christmas Holiday rates one and one third fare for round trip, for dates and lines see B F Pearman, Ticket Ag't.

The Woman's Home Mission Society will have their Xmas Bazaar Dec. 19 and 20 at the court house. All kinds of Christmas goods for sale.

Why do you go to Ft. Worth or other cities to have your pictures made when you can get them at home just as good. Moore is up-to-date.

Will Breeding returned this week from Ft worth, Texas, where he graduated from the Polytechnic business college. Out of a large class will be the only one who received a diploma.

There will be some good horse racing on Saturday preceding Christmas. Also racing and tournament riding on Christmas day. Don't miss them.

S. E. Moore the Elite photographer has arrived in our midst and will be located here permanently. Will be open for work in a few days, opposite Vendome hotel. Call and see samples whether you want work or not.

The piano which was raffled by J X Dunlap recently was won by Mr. Dunlap. The chances were not all sold and of course, Mr Dunlap had to take what remained. The numbers were all marked on a wheel and the wheel spun then a disinterested party shot out the winning number which was 118.

W E Lindsey, who represented a Chicago firm of brokers purchased the school bonds last week, paying a premium of \$50.00 and expenses. The bonds brought \$11,050.00 and will bear date of January 1, 1906, but may be delivered on or before May 1, the purchaser to pay interest from date of issue to date of delivery, also to pay for lithographing bonds and all other necessary expense of issue. The bid of Mr Lindsey was very liberal and the price received is fully as much as the friends of the school expected to receive.

The evangelistic services at the Presbyterian church began Tuesday night as advertised and will continue over two Sundays. Those who waded through the mud to the first services were amply repaid for the inconvenience suffered. Rev John N Steele is a talented forcible preacher and is ably reinforced in his work by Paul R Hoppy whose singing only needs to be heard once to insure your repeated attendance. A special invitation to men and women who feel the need of the power of God in their lives. Strangers in town are cordially invited to drop in.

Following is a list of the presents and the donors to Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Puckett. The list was not obtained in time for last week's publication:

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Harris, lemonade pitcher; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Morris, carving set; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Puckett, bedstead; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Puckett, set of dishes; Mr. and Mrs. Ed J. Neer, rocking chair; Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Leach, dessert set and table linen; Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Nixon, tea set; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Baker, water set; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Carr, table spoons; Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Morrison, tea spoons; Mr. J. T. Rhodes, range stove; Mrs. C. E. Puckett, table linen and counter pane; Miss Dollie Puckett, table linen; Mrs. Charles Mitchell and Mrs. Will Franklin, sofa pillow; Wiley Franklin, Arthur Jones and Dr. Camp, dinner plates and berry bowls; Miss Allie Breeding, nut bowl; Mr. Will Kuykendall, dinner set; Donohoe Mercantile Co, set silver knives and forks; Blankenship & Woodcock, set of dishes; Miss Mae Byrd, cream and sugar set; Miss Donie Culbertson, comb and brush; Miss Emma Camp, cake stand.

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 condition these trains will operate Pullman sleepers between Ft. Worth and Amarillo, maintaining close connection with the Feeco 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.

We do all kinds of photo work. Nothing but the best leave our gallery. Call at Moore's gallery and be convinced.

Hanes & Wilsford have just unloaded a car of furniture. Don't buy until you examine their stock and learn prices.

**Obituary.**

On Friday, December 8, the final summons came to J. Walter Bundy the young man who accompanied by his mother came here a few weeks ago for his health. The funeral was conducted next day by Rev John Meeker, with interments at local cemetery.

Deceased was born Nov. 21, 1882, became a child of God in his eleventh year, lived most of his life in Tennessee, Arkansas and Texas and it was while struggling to finish his education that his health was seriously threatened until books had to be laid aside and a final effort was made to combat the disease.

To his bereaved mother we extend the sympathy of the community and commend her to the gracious love of the all wise Father. Mrs. Bundy returned to Waxahachie Thursday of this week. J. M.

Kansas City, Mo. Dec. 7, 1905. Warren-Fooshee & Company, Portales, N. M.

Gentlemen:—We are pleased to advise you that your store has been the fortunate winner of one of our prize watches. The watch will come forward to you within the next ten days by registered letter and you will find it a little beauty. We are much gratified that you have been one of the fortunate ones and we know you have ever been a faithful worker for our little pattern.

Please convey our personal congratulations and appreciation of the success of your pattern department to the lady in charge. Pardon us for taking the time to tell you that out of twenty-five watches given, Kansas City Branch agencies will get twenty-one of these watches. Yours very truly,

MAY MANTON PATTERN CO.

The above letter is self explanatory and indicates that Portales, as a trading point, is rapidly coming to the front. Kansas City won twenty-one out of twenty-five of these premiums and of the remaining four Portales gets one.

**Notice for Publication.**

Homestead Application No. 1903. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 11, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register or Receiver at Roswell, New Mexico, on January 29, 1906, viz:

Benjamin F. Hardin, of Portales, New Mexico, for the southeast quarter of section 20, T. 1 S., R. 34 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

W. T. Roberts, Claud Lawrence, James Dumas and John Bushong all of Portales N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

**M. E. Church South.**

There will be no preaching next Sunday on account of work on the inside. We will have Sunday school as usual in the morning at the parsonage if so we can't at the church. Home mission society will meet at parsonage Saturday afternoon.

S. E. WILSON, Pastor.

**A Certain Cure for Group.**

When a child shows symptoms of group there is no time to experiment with new remedies, no matter how highly they may be recommended. There is one preparation that can always be depended upon. It has been in use for many years and has never been known to fail, viz: Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. M. F. Compton of Market, Texas, says of it: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in severe cases of group with my children and can truthfully say it always gives prompt relief." For sale by Pearce & Dobbs.

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.....	14,121 05
Banking House, Fur & Fix.....	4,896 15	Circulation.....	6,250 00
Cash and sight exchange.....	50,636 47	Deposits.....	101,888 98
Total.....	\$146,412 52	Total.....	\$146,412 52

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. Rochester, Ed. J. Neer, G. W. Carr.

## N. S. M'GEE & CO

DEALERS IN

### Coal, Hay, Grain and Field Seeds

Agents for Celebrated Matland 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.

## N. S. McGee & Company

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Roswell, N. M., Sept. 28, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that Township 19 south, range 37 east, has been surveyed and that the plat thereof will be filed in this office November 15, 1905, and on and after that day we will be prepared to receive application for entry of lands in said township.

HOWARD LELAND, Register. DAVID L. GEXER, Receiver.

**Earn an Ousting with Kodak or Pan.**

Berth, the new journal of the Southwest, generously offers \$3,000 worth of free railroad rides for the best photos of Southwestern scenes, and the best letters about that region written by those who live there. Why not enter the contest? You may win one of the many prizes.

Write to-day for circular, to THE EARTH, 1118 Railway Exchange, Chicago.



# Hold Cotton and Plant Less.

President Jordan and Secretary Chatham Are Out in Letters to Cotton Farmers.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 11.—President Harris Jordan of the Southern Cotton Association has issued a circular letter to the farmers of the South regarding a reduction in cotton acreage for 1906. The letter says in part:

"The Southern Cotton Association will not ask the farmers of the South to reduce the cotton acreage for 1906 to less than that planned in 1905."

The association does ask and insist with all the force at its command, however, that the acreage planted in cotton throughout the belt in 1906 be not increased during the planting season of 1906. Let the watchword of every Southern farmer be, "Diversification" and through that agency produce an abundance of food supplies to maintain each farm.

The present estimate of 27,000,000 planted in cotton is sufficient under normal climatic conditions to produce enough cotton to meet the demands of spinners of the American staple. Any material increase in the cotton acreage for 1906 will tend to stagnate the cotton market and depress prices below their legitimate value. The legitimate law of supply and demand is the only medium of regulating fair and legitimate prices for our great staple product.

President Jordan closes the letter with a strong appeal to the farmers to plant an abundance of small grain, corn and side crops, and urges them to raise more hay, cattle and hogs, etc., that the farmers may become more self-sustaining.

Richard Chatham, secretary of the Southern Cotton Association has issued an open letter to the cotton growers of the South Saturday in which he urges them to hold for 15c cotton. He says in part:

"The cotton growers of the South, through and with the assistance of

their organization, the Southern Cotton Association, are slowly but surely winning the greatest commercial battle ever known to the world.

"On Sept. 7 the association advised the farmers to ask 15cents for their cotton, as conditions fully warranted that price and it is the only price that price. Many fixed that price and sold for it."

"Now, on Dec. 1, the fact that the crop is very short has been established beyond the shadow of a doubt and only a small remnant of that is left unsold; also that the markets are bare of dry goods, with future prices formally advanced, cotton mills loading down with contracts and orders for goods for several months ahead, and with only about half enough cotton in sight to fill them. Will they pay 15c for cotton? Why, of course they will, if you ask it. If you do not, they will take it at 5c as they have done in the past."

"Decide for yourselves—let them have it at its actual value, 15c, or let them take it at their price, 5c. It is yours, do as you please, but remember that if you sell it for less than its value, 15c, you are injuring yourself, but every other owner of cotton is being denied his price while you are giving yours away, which prevents the advance as long as they can get it at less than its value."

"Hundreds of thousands of bales are being pledged to the Southern Cotton Association for 15c, enough to force its value very soon, unless buyers can continue to get yours, that is not pledged at that price; in this event the price cannot reach its value until yours has been taken out of the way and at their price, then the loyal ones will again reap the benefit of their association's hard work in their behalf."

### Everything in Cotton Bullish.

Charlotte, N. C., Dec. 10.—Secretary A. C. Hutchinson has sent the following telegram to each member of the Soft Yarn Spinners' Association:

"In view of the fact that the market is bare of stocks of yarn and that the demand is unprecedented, you are earnestly requested to hold for higher prices. There is no necessity whatever of any decline from the highest price you have obtained the present season. You can get more if you will ask for it."

Saturday night a den on Main street, Dallas, was raided and 18 men were arrested for gambling. They put up tendollars each.

Arthur Carter, son of O. L. Carter, capitalist, and one of Houston's prominent young men, was killed Saturday while directing the setting of a boiler at a Houston Heights plant. It slipped and fell, crushing him.

Discouraged and in a drunken frenzy August Rittenberg, at Beaumont, smashed Mrs. Shannon, his boarding housekeeper across the face with a razor rushed to his own room and inflicted probably fatal wounds upon himself.

A local option election was held Saturday in Rosen Heights, a Fort Worth suburb, at which it was decided that the people were satisfied with the present conditions, there being 38 votes cast for anti-prohibition, and 13 for prohibition.

### Young Man Found Dead.

Bonham: Saturday night near Ivanhoe, twelve miles north of here, Sim Waites, a young man, was found dead in the road. His skull was crushed and he was otherwise bruised. Waites and a man named Hull passed through Ivanhoe in a wagon about dark, going north. Hull states the team ran away, throwing Waites out of the wagon. Waites was a son of Dr. Waites, a prominent citizen of Elwood.

Jim Harris, a negro, was shot and killed by Night Policeman Peter Walker at Texarkana Saturday night. Walker claims self-defense. Harris was out driving with some women and became boisterous.

An unknown Mexican who came to Paris a few days ago, was found dead in a cabin in the rear of West Kaufman Street. Justice of the Peace Boyett held an inquest and returned a verdict that death was due to natural causes.

High Not Favorable to Hanging. Topeka, Kas.: "I would resign my position, however high it might be, before I would be the one to execute a death sentence, whether the condemned person was a man or a woman," said Gov. Hoch in talking of the execution at Windsor, Vt., of Mrs. Rogers. "The hanging of a human being, whether it be legalized or not, is a relic of barbarism." He did not say what he would call cold-blooded murder.

### All for a Gilt Shout.

Marshall: In the famous hog suit that was recently disposed of here in the case of F. G. Barker vs. Charles and Bud Parker, over the payment for a hog valued at \$7.50, which was disposed of at the cost of the plaintiff, County Clerk Roberg figures up the cost as follows: Witness fees \$284.82, cost in Justice Court \$48.17, sheriff and constable fees \$43.20, clerk's cost \$26.35, county judge and jury fee \$6, making a total of \$408.64.

# NATIONAL FARMERS' UNION IS FULLY ORGANIZED.

O. P. Pyle is President and R. L. McCullough, Secretary.

Texarkana, Ark., Dec. 9.—The convention of the Farmers' Educational and National Union adopted a constitution and elected officers yesterday.

The constitution as brought in by the committee on constitution and by-laws was debated for six hours and then adopted, with only a few slight alterations. Among the provisions in one placing the per capita tax of members at 5 mills instead of 1 per cent, as was at first proposed. The article on membership provides that in addition to farmers, lawyers and doctors living in the country and in the towns that are not incorporated may become members, but lawyers and doctors living in cities and incorporated towns are not eligible to membership. Newspaper men may become members on taking the required obligation.

At the noon hour after the constitution had been adopted, the Texas delegation held a caucus and resolved to vote as a unit on all further questions coming before the convention.

It also resolved to support T. A. Calvin of Collin County for National president, New Gresham of Point for National Organizer, and W. S. Miller for National committeeman.

When the afternoon session of the convention was called to order, however, Mr. Calvin withdrew his name and another Texas man, O. P. Pyle was elected president of the National body by acclamation.

The success of Mr. Pyle is said to be due largely to the efforts of F. V. Evans of Fort Worth, who is lecturer for the Twelfth Texas district, who has been on the ground hard at work for his man since the opening day of the convention.

W. A. Morris of Sulligent, Ala., was elected vice-president; R. L. McCullough, Arkansas, secretary-treasurer; New Gresham, Texas, national organizer; J. H. Rea, Neesho, Mo., doorkeeper; Z. R. Bell, of Bogoria, sergeant-at-arms.

The executive committee as elected is as follows: E. J. Cook, Guin, Alabama; J. H. Reynolds, Appleton, Ark.; I. N. McAlister, Rattan, La.; C. S. Barrett, Atwater, Ga.; Campbell Russell, Hereford, T. T.; W. S. Miller, Lake Creek, Texas.

The executive committee will have the naming of the headquarters for the officers of the National Union. It will probably decide the matter before leaving here.

Dallas, Little Rock and Texarkana are the little places mentioned, and it is believed that one of these will certainly be chosen.

The convention practically completed its work yesterday afternoon and a night session held for the purpose of clearing up the odds and ends of unfinished business.

### English Towns in France.

"La Monde Moderne," of Paris, describes two little English cities near Paris. Chantilly and Maisons-Lafitte have become Anglicized because of the racing establishments there. Their streets are filled with English sportsmen. English horse trainers and English jockeys. A great stable is labeled in capitals "Box Hall"; a bar has the sign "English Tavern," and there is an English Protestant Episcopal church. The English rector and curate are familiar figures in the town. Altogether these cities have become about as English as anything in England.

### Vermont Woman Hanged.

Windsor, Vt.: The final chapter in the life-story of Mrs. Mary Rogers, was written Friday when the unfortunate young woman—she was only 23 years old—was hanged for the murder of the man she had sworn at the altar to love and cherish. To the very end the woman displayed much of that stocial indifference which had marked her demeanor during the three years she had spent in prison.

### Wants Mayorship Only.

New York: William Randolph Hearst, according to statements made by him to his admirers, will not be a candidate for President, neither does he want to be Governor. But, he assured them, he wants to be Mayor of New York City. In this connection it is announced that former Governor Black will make final argument for Mr. Hearst and Alton B. Parker will perform a similar service for Mr. McClellan.

### Said He Was Going to Heaven.

Columbus: Henry Bates was hanged for the crime of robbery, committed by use of deadly weapons. He ate a sparing dinner and smoked a cigar from the jail to the scaffold. He said nothing at the gallows, but before leaving his cell stated that he was guilty of the offense, but had made his peace with God. He thanked Sheriff Bridge for his kind treatment of him and said he would soon be in heaven.

# Railroads Beat Penalty Clause.

Austin: The railroads, which were defendants in the proceedings instituted by the Attorney General for the collection of the gross receipts tax, won a notable victory in the Twenty-Sixth District Court here Friday.

Judge Victor Brooks rendered his decision on the 8th. He sustained the contention of the railroads in some material respects, holding that they are liable under the Love law for the 1 per cent tax upon their gross receipts upon freight, passenger and baggage only, and that the proposed penalties should not be assessed against them.

Judge Brooks, in response to questions privately asked by defendants and representatives of the State, said that the effect of his decision was not to hold the roads exempt from paying taxes derived from transportation of mail and express.

The total amount which the State sued for aggregated \$385,000, of which approximately \$645,000 were taxes and the remainder penalties. The total which the roads will have to pay under Judge Brooks decision is about \$285,000.

### Parker is Acquitted.

Dallas: Robert R. Parker has been adjudged not guilty of the murder of Frank J. Bell, Friday, for the first time in more than eight months, he walked out upon the streets a free man, with no restrictions of court about him.

The jury had deliberated on the matter for about six hours. Three ballots had been taken. The verdict was read in open court and the proceedings, which have covered the entire time for more than six weeks and engaged the various functions of the county government during much of the time for eight months, were at an end.

Judge E. B. Muse, before reading the verdict, had Ambrose Hughes, Deputy Sheriff, in the service of the court, request of the great crowd in the courtroom that no demonstration should follow the reading.

### Senator John Mitchell Dead.

Portland, Ore.: United States Senator John B. Mitchell died at the Good Samaritan Hospital in this city at 11:40 o'clock Friday morning, death resulting from the removal of four teeth at a dental office Thursday morning. A hemorrhage of unusual severity followed the result of the operation, and despite the application of the most powerful styptics known to dental science, the flow of blood could not be stayed.

When the Senator reached the hospital he was in a very weakened condition and it became apparent that unless the flow of blood was soon stopped life would pass out.

Senator Mitchell had long been a sufferer from diabetes and other vitiating diseases and in his weakened physical condition rapidly succumbed to inevitable weakness following such violent hemorrhages and lapsed into a state of semi-consciousness from which he never rallied.

### Wild West Show Horses Killed.

Marselles, Iowa: All the horses belonging to the Wild West Show of Col. William F. Cody were killed Friday. Although the Government veterinarians had certified that glanders had been entirely eradicated from the stud, Col. Cody and his partner, Jas. A. Bailey, decided on this measure in order to allay the fears of the farmers regarding the spread of the disease. The saddles, bridles and other articles of equipment were burned.

### Coming of the Motor Car.

New Orleans: The use of electric motor cars by roads in the East and West has proved of such utility that the big Harriman system has decided to adopt them on the Southern Pacific railroad in Louisiana and Texas. These motor trains will not be used on the main line, but on the branch and "stab" lines, the first being put into operation recently between Galveston and Houston.

### Three Times Winner for Neatness.

Paris: President E. H. R. Green of the Texas Midland, awards a handsome cash prize at the end of every year to the wife of the section foreman who maintains the neatest premises and prettiest flower park around the section house. The competition is open to every section keeper along all lines. The prize has just been awarded to Mrs. J. H. Talbot, the wife of the foreman of the Paris section, for the third time in succession.

### Sudden Death of a Farmer.

Clarksville: Ephraim Igo, one of the best known citizens in the county, who lived on Blossom Prairie, about fourteen miles southwest of here, dropped dead Tuesday morning. He was killing hogs and had been working very hard. He raised up and said to some one standing close by that he was sick, and immediately fell over. He was carried into the house, but died before they had laid him down.

### Talk of Big Improvements.

Fort Worth: It is the intention of the Rock Island to make improvements on property on the line at Dallas in the sum approximating \$1,200,000. Vice President Hovey made the statement recently. It is planned to build a union depot and freight house for the use of the Rock Island, Frisco and Brazos Valley, with perhaps other lines joining in. In all probability the property will be improved within the next twelve months.

# Nut Growers In Session.

It Is Revealed That Texas Easily Leads and That Crop Is Very Valuable.

1. Texas is the greatest pecan growing section in the world.
2. Pecans are a valuable food product.
3. Cultivations of pecans is a profitable industry, the trees in many orchards being valued at \$100 each.
4. Experts declare the crop will pay more in proportion to the care given and money invested than any other crop.
5. There are pecan orchards in Texas more than 1,000 acres in extent and even larger ones are to be created.

The fourth annual convention of the National Nut Growers Association was begun at the rooms of the Dallas Commercial Club Thursday morning and will continue in session for three days. The principal object of the meeting is a discussion of the different methods of cultivating and propagating the several varieties of edible nuts which may be grown in this country and prominent nut raisers are present from different parts of the United States.

During the meeting special attention is to be given to the cultivation of pecans which grow abundantly in the State of Texas. The few Texans interested in pecan culture have already aroused enthusiasm among those present concerning the possibilities of pecan culture, in Texas and it is indicated that the present meeting will be worth much to the extension of this industry in Texas.

Stories of the beginning of pecan culture in Texas were told and the results were such as to provoke wonder and surprise at the success attained. Several of those present expressed an intention of embarking in the pecan raising business or enlarging commercial orchards already started. Texas already ships out more pecans than all the other states combined, but the production is declared to be but a very small per cent of what it should be.

A feature of the convention worth of special notice and which attracts many outsiders is the excellent display of nuts which is on exhibition at the rooms of the Commercial Club. Exhibitors from every portion of the state have contributed fine specimens of pecans and there are many exhibitors from other states. A shelf extended across the auditorium is covered with every variety of pecan grown in this country and the immense size of some of them is a revelation to those who are accustomed to get the kernel from nuts no larger than a man's thumb end. The different uses to which the nut is put are displayed on a pyramid loaded with preserved nut candies, sweet pickles of nuts and pecan and nut candies, as well as other delicacies.

### Nine Were Killed.

Green River, Wyo.: The "Overland Limited" on the Union Pacific collided with a freight train head-on at Wilkins Station early Thursday morning, demolishing the engine, and the dynamo and mail and dining cars to be killed, including two mail clerks and four cooks in the dining car, two electricians in the dynamo car and one engineer. Several bodies of the dead were incinerated. The dead are all train employees who lived west.

### To "Domesticate" the Army.

San Francisco: Capt. Henry T. Ferguson of the commissary department, will leave for Fort Riley, Kan., the first of next week to take a full course in the school for cooks and bakers at that post. Upon the completion of his course Capt. Ferguson will return to this coast and conduct a school of instruction for army officers and will give them a thorough course in the art of making bread.

### Oyama is Welcomed.

Tokio: Field Marshal Oyama and his staff made a triumphal entry into Tokio Thursday morning. The enthusiasm of Marquis Oyama's reception equalled that given to Admiral Togo. Despite the inclement weather, crowds of students and representatives of various classes and interests thickly lined the streets and although exposed to rain, lustily cheered the marshal and his staff while en route to the imperial palace.

### Judge A. W. Terrell of Austin, Father of the resolution in the Texas legislature commending Roosevelt's stand on rate legislation, took dinner with the President Tuesday afternoon. Judge Terrell is attending the American Red Cross meeting.

Maurice Grau, the impresario and former manager of the Metropolitan Opera Company, according to a private cable dispatch, is seriously ill at his home in Paris.

Willie Fitzgerald of Brooklyn, and Willie Lewis of New York, were matched to box twenty-five rounds at Coma on the night of January 10. They will fight at 138 pounds, and weigh in at 6 o'clock on the day of the battle.

Bernhardt said Canada had made great progress in agriculture, but not in literature and art. And icate Canadians pelted her with eggs, thus demonstrating that the great French actress had stated facts.

# IN THE HALLS OF THE SOLONS AT WASHINGTON.

The Boys Are Getting Busy, Canal Appropriation.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The subject of campaign contributions by insurance companies occupied the major part of the time of the senate yesterday. It came up in connection with Mr. Tillman's resolution calling for an investigation of National banks' aid in politics and was exploited by the South Carolina senator in a speech of some length. The address dealt with the President's recommendations for the punishment of bribes in elections, with Senator Platt's testimony before the New York investigating committee and with other pertinent matters. It was couched in characteristic language and attracted considerable attention.

The resolution directing the Secretary of the Treasury to report whether or not the reports of the National Examiners show that the banks have made campaign contributions in recent years was adopted at the close of Mr. Tillman's remarks.

A large number of bills were introduced, among them being the joint stock-hold-bill. The senate granted a request made by Mr. Culberson for the printing of a document prepared by Allison Mayfield, a member of the Railroad Commission of Texas, in reply to attacks made before the Interstate Railroad Committee on the laws of Texas by Victor Morris of New York when the latter gentleman was before the committee as a witness.

Mr. Tillman called up his resolution calling upon Secretary of the Treasury for information whether the reports of bank examiners show the payment of campaign contributions by National banks, and addressed the senate.

An appropriation of \$11,000,000 was voted yesterday toward the construction of the Panama Canal. The amount was a compromise between the \$16,500,000 carried in the bill under consideration and an estimate of something over \$6,000,000 recommended by Mr. Williams the democratic leader, to carry on the work until the middle of January. Mr. Hobburn, in charge of the bill, suggested that something over \$11,000,000 would carry the work until March.

Texas representatives introduced the following building bills: Mr. Garner—To appropriate \$100,000 each for buildings at Eagle Pass and Del Rio. Mr. Gregg—To appropriate \$75,000 for a building at Palestine.

President Roosevelt has removed from office C. Pettijohn, register of the land office at Valentine, Neb., for participation in the alleged land frauds in that state, and demanded the immediate resignation of Receiver Albert Towle.

C. D. Crawford, who was convicted of the murder of Helms Lundin in a box car near Elk River, Minn., on November 20, 1904, was hanged Tuesday. Sheriff Ward of Elk River collapsed and was unable to pull the trap. Sheriff Bernick of St. Cloud then pulled the trap.

The Houston and Texas Central Railroad Land Agency sold over \$100,000 worth of land at Channing Thursday.

Miss Addie Reynolds, a young lady whose home was ten miles south of Bonham, while making a fire under a washpot was set on fire and so badly burned that she died in a few hours.

The Mexican Central Railway company has a 15-year contract with the Mexican Petroleum Company for an oil supply for engines, amounting to some 45,000,000 barrels, at about 60 cents per barrel.

### Texas Leads in Banks.

Washington: The annual report of the secretary of the treasury shows that Texas is an easy leader in the matter of new organization of national banks from March 14, 1900, to Sept. 30, 1905. In that time 300 of less than \$50,000 each, and with a combined capital of \$5,451,000 and eighty-eight of more than \$50,000 capital each, and a combined capital of \$7,150,000 have been organized.

The committee, representing the members of the Baptist church at Hynum, has let the contract for the erection of a new Baptist church at that place. The building will be rushed to completion.

All of Norway celebrated the half anniversary of the dissolution June 7, of the union with Sweden, Thursday. There were thanksgiving services at all churches and the people enjoyed a general holiday.

Leo McNally, 24 years old, who was injured in a football game between local teams at Hartford, Conn., on Thanksgiving Day, died Wednesday. His back was broken in a mass play.

A bill prohibiting the use of the money of insurance companies in Federal elections was introduced by Senator Culberson. The offense is made a felony and the punishment is fixed at from two to twenty years imprisonment.



This remarkable maiden name was Lynn, Mass. F. For many years during her career came known as and investigated seeker after knowledge she was possessed of a special knowledge of the human body and the roots and as a wife, friend, and knowledge of preparing medicinal friends.

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Joint Statehood Meeting.

Pursuant to a call in the papers, citizens of Roosevelt county met at the court house in Portales at 2:30 p. m. Saturday, December 9, 1905.

Judge Jones stated the object of the meeting and read the published call. He called for the election of a chairman. On motion G. L. Reese was elected chairman and A. S. Hornbeck was elected secretary of the meeting.

On motion a committee of three consisting of Judge, McGill, Professor Skinner and Judge Jones, was appointed to draft resolutions of the sense of the meeting. After a short conference Judge McGill reported for the committee as follows:

To the Hon. G. L. Reese, chairman: We, your committee on resolutions, beg leave to report as follows:

Resolved, That the citizens of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, in convention assembled, heartily endorse that part of President Roosevelt's message to Congress recommending joint statehood of the territories of New Mexico and Arizona, and that we use our best efforts to secure the passage of a statehood bill for the territories of New Mexico and Arizona as recommended by the president.

Resolved 2nd., That we are advised by the press that the Hamilton bill introduced into the house is the same as passed the house of last congress, and our recollection of that bill is that it provided for the apportionment of delegates to a constitutional convention to be apportioned according to census of 1900 which would be unjust to Roosevelt county, because by the census of 1900 it was a portion of Chaves county and had but little or no population, whereas now it is an organized county with a population of 7,500.

Therefore we respectfully petition congress to modify clause, appertaining to the apportionment of delegates to constitutional convention, so as to ensure representation in said convention to counties created and organized since the census of 1900.

Adopted. On motion it was decided that committee deliver the resolutions to the papers of the county, with request that they be published.

G. L. REESE, Chairman. A. S. HORNBECK, Secretary.

Grip Quickly Knocked out.

"Some weeks ago during the severe winter weather both my wife and myself contracted severe colds which speedily developed into the worst kind of a grippe with all of its miserable symptoms," says Mr. J. S. Eggleston, of Maple Landing, Iowa. "Knees and joints aching, muscles sore, head stopped up, eyes and nose running, with alternate spells of chills and fever. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, using the same with a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and by its liberal use soon completely knocked out the grip."

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At court house Dec. 22. Reserved seats for general admission 35c, children 25c. Tickets on sale at Pearce & Dobbs' drug store.

Masses Elect Officers.

Last Saturday night occurred the annual election of officers for the Masonic lodge. Following are the officers elected:

C. O. Leach, W. M.; J. P. Stone, S. W.; J. B. Friddy, J. W.; J. A. Fairly, Treas.; H. E. Johnston, Rec.; M. M. Standa, Tyler.

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Our First Cotton.

C. M. Compton on last Saturday brought the first load of cotton raised in Roosevelt county to Portales. Mr. Compton says that had the bolls all opened he would have made three-fourths of a bale to the acre. He had only a small piece of land in cotton and will gather, at least calculation, three standard bales. His farm is twelve miles southwest of Portales. B. B. Barr, a real estate man, at once started a subscription paper for money to buy this, the first bale of cotton raised in our county. Following is a list of the subscribers:

Table listing subscribers and amounts for the first cotton. Includes names like Donohoe Mercantile company, White & Barr, W. E. Lindsey, J. B. Crawford, etc.

U. N. Hall started another paper to raise money for a premium to be paid Mr. Compton for his first bale of the white staple. Following is the result of his labor:

Table listing subscribers and amounts for the white staple. Includes names like U. N. Hall, W. E. Stewart, Jim Huffman, etc.

Blacktower Items.

Mr. Editor:—As I have not seen anything from this place for some time, I thought that I would give you a few dots.

Health is very good, weather cool and pleasant to those who are eliminated. The big railroad well is over 100 feet deep.

We are expecting the county to lay off a townsite very soon.

The vacant land is getting scarce in this community.

Mr. Hobbs' well is about completed. T. J. Gamble has come in home for the winter.

The Blacktower school is progressing nicely. The patrons are well pleased with Miss White as teacher.

Brother Wheeler will preach at our school house the 3rd Sunday at 3 p. m.

There will be a Farmers' Union organized in our community soon.

Mr. Griffith moved in his new house last week.

K. H. Bruce filed seven men the last few days. Resp't. B.

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Notice for Publication.

H. E. No. 2429. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, Nov. 21, 1905. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Portales, N. M., on January 8, 1906, viz: Charles W. Fuller of Portales, New Mexico, for the SW 1/4 NE 1/4 SE 1/4 NW 1/4 NE 1/4 SW 1/4 sec. 32 T. 2 N. R. 31 East.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Seth A. Morrison, Todd Atkinson, Joseph Lang and Charles Mitchell, all of Portales, New Mexico.

41-46 EDWARD W. FOX, Register.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead Application No. 1653. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, November 25, 1905. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Portales, New Mexico, on January 8, 1906, viz: Charles L. Carter, of Portales, New Mexico, for the SW 1/4 NE 1/4 NW 1/4 SE 1/4 NE 1/4 SW 1/4 sec. 29, T. 1 S. R. 34 East.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: James G. Barnes, Thomas J. Davis, C. W. Morris and H. B. Massengale, all of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead Application No. 4112. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, January 25, 1905. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Portales, New Mexico on January 9, 1906, viz: Louis Cass Alexander, of Portales, New Mexico, for the south west quarter of section 23, township 1 south, range 34 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Enoch Boren, George Stall, Littleton C. Freeman and A. J. Stewart, all of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead Application No. 3520. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, November 25, 1905. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office at Portales, New Mexico, on January 8, 1906, viz: Jennie E. Carter, of Portales, New Mexico, for the pt 1/2 and pt 1/2 section 29, township 1 south, range 34 east.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: James G. Barnes, Thomas J. Davis, C. W. Morris and H. B. Massengale, all of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead Application No. 4223. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, November 25, 1905. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office at Portales, New Mexico, on January 8, 1906, viz: Daniel W. Hooper, of Portales, New Mexico, for the w 1/2 ne 1/4 and w 1/2 ne 1/4 section 15, township 1 south, range 36 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Richard E. Coats and Charles H. Hunter, all of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, November 17, 1905. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by S. P. Davis, contestant, against homestead entry No. 2611, made June 9, 1902, for the northeast quarter of section 25, Township 1 S., Range 32 E., by Thomas F. Doak, contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Thomas F. Doak has wholly abandoned said tract, that he has resigned his residence therefor for more than six months since making said entry, and next prior to the date of filing of said affidavit; that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law; and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine corps of the United States in time of war; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 31, 1906 before U. S. Commissioner, W. E. Lindsey, at his office in Portales, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 14, 1906 before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, New Mexico.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed December 1, 1905, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead Application No. 4460. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, November 25, 1905. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office at Portales, New Mexico, on January 8, 1906, viz: Edward G. Walker, of Bethel, New Mexico, for the northwest quarter of section 13, township 1 south, range 32 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Joe Lewis, of Portales, N. M., Roland Phillips, of Bethel, N. M., Frank Dunham, of Floyd, N. M., and Lawson Terrell, of Portales, N. M.

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W. B. HILL.

Notice for Publication. Homestead Application No. 1654. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, November 25, 1905. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office at Portales, New Mexico, on January 8, 1906, viz: Eva Kate Carter, of Portales, New Mexico, for the ne 1/4 sec. e 1/2 and w 1/2 ne 1/4 section 29, township 1 south, range 34 east.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: James G. Barnes, Thomas J. Davis, C. W. Morris and H. B. Massengale, all of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead Application No. 1581. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, November 25, 1905. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office at Portales, New Mexico, on January 8, 1906, viz: James G. Barnes, of Portales, New Mexico, for the southeast quarter of section 30, township 1 south, R 34 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Robert Hicks, Charles L. Carter, Enoch Boren and George Turner, all of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.