# PORTALES TIMES 

## HUMPHREY \& SLEDGE

fol Lavis a Home Luxary. reare now some very fine yards in Portales which What can be done in this There are only a few grass in town and many of our ns should proft by the exise. One of the nicest and do ise. One of the nicest yards
on is that of Mr , and Mrs. ankenship. The turf in their is white clover without beiixed with any other grass. $s$ just planted about a year sd they have a good stand. ms the white e clover makes her green turf than any grass. Floyd Stone also has $y$ fine lawn of blue grass g other nice grass lawns in may be noted that of C. O. , Charles Woodeock and J. edge. We hope the day will house in town will be sur led by green sward, tree rowing in every yard and sort of a walk be made on
ide of all the principal resi side of all the principal resistreets.
entertainment given by Whiteman's music class last day evening was a grand ss. The operetta, "Grandfection and showed great The songs by the pupils he recitation by Mrs. Hardy very entertaining. W. Hill is now clerking at
ortales Grocery company.

## 320 LAW

IN EFFECT

The Roswell land office Wednes day received instructions, blanks, etc, along with the order to re new law which permits home new law which permits home in certain arid belts. The instructions designate just what structions designate just what
lands may be entered under the 820 acre act, which is not general as to location like the old 160 law. The local office is now, accepting filings under the new law. -Roswell Record.
W. L. Maxwell, the popular arber employed at W. M. Twiggs shop, wants his folks to know what is going on in this grand country of New Mexico sis he ordered the Times sent to his father, J. L. Maxwell, at
Bluffton. Texas. Like $m$ an Blufton, Texas, Like many
others, his folks like to keep track of what is going on out in this country and there is nothing else that serves this purpose so well as a good local paper like m.
A. B. Austin has been fixing ap his room in fine shape and added new furniture for the ice
cream business. He is now serving ice eream which he makes

WE WANT YOUR TRADE, Can save you money on Implements, Wagoos, Wind Mills, Piping and all other
Lines of Hardware. Lines of Hardware.

## HUMPHREY \& SLEDGE

F. W. Swift of Blacktower, - D. A. Pamish was in town this formerly proprietor of the Ven- week, just arriving from the | $\begin{array}{l}\text { dome hotel, } \\ \text { this was heere on business }\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{l}\text { lower plains about Tahoke where } \\ \text { lhe has been teaching pen manship }\end{array}$ |
| :--- | :--- | The First National Bank Of Portales, New Mexico

...SEVEN YEARS...

We are approaching the seventh milestone of our existence as a Bank in Portales.

## 1902

Is the gear of our birth, and we can truthfully say "We have grown up with the country" thus far. Since our organization we have paid dividends to stockhoiders every six months and have built up a business recond to none in Eastem New mexico. At this time our
Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits. $\$ 70,00000$ Deposiis Cash End Exchange We do not owe a dollar of borrowed money. This shows confidence in our stability, as wiell as a very prosperous condition of the bank. We thank our friends for their patronage in
in the years gone by and, if we merit it, we hope to make in the years go,
the New Year,

## 1909

The best in our history; in the meantime, we wish to aid our customers towards making it the best for them. Remember we CAN and WILL handle your business, be it large or small
if you will permit us. if you will permit us.

## The First National Bank

PORTALES, NEW MEXICO.

- Constable in the Toile Thureday morning he
W. M. H Thursday morning he was again was convicunter of Fort Sumner brought before Judge Seay on in Portales W before Judge Seay the charge of larceny, but he ing a six ednesday for carry- waived preiminary. In this matcharged with lacter, and aiso terper before the grand jury at with with goes quite a'story. Hunter
came here last week represent-

promptly | came here last week represent- |
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| ing himself as a deputy constable | of Guadaloupe county, and hav ing papers from a justice of the peace at Fort"Sumner for the re A party left Portales Wedne plevin of a couple horses. He the sights and investigate the plevin of a couple horses. He the sights and investigate the

found the horses in this county, land, while he was oat of his ju- party consisted of J. B. Priddy, risdiction and without authority R. M. Sanders W. V. Nrida in this in this county, he took possession and C. S. Hart, all of Portales,
of them, under what he claimed accompanied by W. M. Silver, a of them, under what he claimed accompanied by W. M. Siver,
and probably thought to be au- representative of the Mexico Inand probably thought oo the au- representative of the mand company of
thority Fort Sumner. The horses had which W. O. Dunlap is local Fort Sumner. The horses had which W. O. Dunlap is local been traded for by John Osborn agent.
of Portales and he had sold them omeris which is south and east of to J, T. Bellington who lives at Mexico City. The fape for the Nobe, south of Elida, where the round trip including a Pullman Nobe, south of Elida, where the round both ways is $\$ 88.85$., The
horses were found by Hunter. berth both horses were found by Hunter. party went from here to Albu at Portales for. Hunter's arrest querque over the Cut-Off and and it was served on him at Fort thence to EI Paso over the Santa Sumner by deputy Charles Dun- Fe , and thence over the Mexican can and he was brought to Por- Central. Mr. Dunlap announces tales where a charge was brought that there will be a special car to against him before Judge Seay leave on June 1st. Those wantfor carrying a six shooter. A ing to make the trip should arjury was empanneled in the case range for tickets by May 25 th if Wednesday and the result was possible.

| the jury failed to agree. A n |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| agreement was then made for a | J. Freemont Osborne, of Ha- | agreement was then made for a german, formerly superintendent

retrial before Judge Seay, who retrial before Judge Seay, who
found him guilty and fined found him guilty and fined him

$\$ 50$ and costs. He appealed the | $\$ 50$ and costs, He appealed the |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| case to the district court. On | Wusiness. |

## SHREWD MEN...



D' not look for cheapness, but for the the best money will buy with the least outlay, They recognize the economy of buy-
ing the best made, most fashionable, mout perfect fitting
 in making

## ...Correct Clothes for Men...

And that in buying these clothes, you have the satisfaction of being stylithhly dressed at moderate cost. We are exclusive agents
 and figure-be you long or atout, short or Allim. Smart snarm styles for the chap ther or stout, short or stim. Smart, snapph


Shrewd Investors are Thrice Welcome

## Seasonable Furnishings...

We have an unusually large display of ladieg' and gent's furnishings, the best posible selections the market aforued, bought at the right tme, at er right price, rom the right people. Our long experience with of the puybicg and our buyers have made every provision to supply every desire. Thesest line wants and nemprise all the late styles, shades, colors, shapes and figures, and the prices are so moverate that yo wes wonder how goods of
this che this character can be supplied at so little expense. . Our clerks. will take pleasure in showing these goods.

We Have the Goods-Make Your Selections Now.
Ouir Best Advertisers Are Our Oldest Customers.

## Some Incidentals

Furnishings The newest and latest novelties for men and young men.
Hosiery A large display in plain and fancy effects, the kind that wear, guaranteed kind.
Shirts In attractive patterns, some are gay and sporty. others plain, the right fitting kind.
Neckwear The most complete line, the best effects, the kind you can appreciate.


## ..SHOES...

In shoes for men we carry the celebrated Walk-Over and Hanan \& Sons, the two best lines on earth. If you have never worn a maissed the best in shoes. We'll
have mall.
Ladies' Shoes The world-wide reputation enjoyed by the Dorothy Dodd shoe is so weil known that we
scarcely feel like taking up your time you to know that we've got 'em; that there is no "Just as good;" that it requires but one trial to convince you.
Cheaper Makes Yes, we have cheaper makes of shoe, in fact, we have shoes in all conceivable shapes,
styles and prices. If you need anything in the shoe line we can supply you at

From $\$ 1.00$ to $\$ 5.00$

THE LADIES' HOME JOURNAL PATTERNS
WE GOT 'EM BEST; WE'VE GOT 'EM FOR LESS
IT'S NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS

Warren-Toosheee $C_{0}$,
THE LADIES' HOME JOURNAL PATEERNS WE GOT THE BEST, WE'VE GOT 'EM FOR LESS IT'S NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS

# SACRIFICE SALE. <br> $=F^{F}=$ <br> The Portales Trading Company 

## Beginning Saturday, April 10, 1909

And continuing until every dollar's worth of our entire stock of Dry Goods, Groceries, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Hardware and Tinware is closed out. Every dollar's worth must go, including the fixtures, in this sale, regardless of price. We mean business. We are forced to quit business in Portales, as we cannot get insurance on our stock, and as we are in danger of being burned ont withont a dollar of insurance. This is plain talk and we are going to close out here. You cansot afford to miss this last opportunity to buy goods at your own price in Portales for, once we are out of Portales, the only competitors and low price makers ever before in Portales, you can see, at a glance, what the consequences will be. Yeu will then pay $\$ 1.00$ for 14 pounds of sugar,


## We Are Forced to Quit--Our Loss is Your Gain

50 Cents will do the work of $\$ 1.00$ and $\$ 1.00$ will do the work of $\$ 2.00$. $\$ 1,000.00$ Will be given to any church in Roosevelt County if this sale is not just as represented. We have just received $\$ 3,500.00$ worth of $\operatorname{sood}$ shoes; $\$ 5,000.00$ worth of high grade clothing; $\$ 8,000.00$ worth of fresh groceries; and everything
in this sale. THE GREATEST SALE EVER HELD IN PORTALES. FOLLOWING ARE A FLW OF THE MANY LOW PRICES OFFERED DURING THIS SALE

| From 1 until $2 o^{\circ}$ clock ev will sell you 20 pounds of best granulated sugar | y day we $\$ 1.00$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| 10 Pounds good coffee | \$1,00 |
| 20 Pounds good rice | 1.00 |
| 10 Bars good soap | 25 |
| 12 Cans best corn | 75 |
| 12 Cans best tomatoes | 1.00 |
| 10 Yards calico | 48 |

> Yard wide domestic, per Bleached domestic, per yard 5000 Yards seasonable dress 5000 Yards seasonable dress goods, per
cales, ginghams, etc, 5 c per yard and up. 5000 Yards assorted patterns in ginghams percales, ete., per yard, 5 e and up.
> 20000 Yards laces and embroideries, 5 Fe
> per yard and up.
> An immense line of handkerchiefs, hos-

Clothing, a special feature, $\mathbf{\$ 5 , 0 0 0} .00$ worth of High Grade Clothing at less than half price.

All our $\$ 15.00$ and $\$ 25.00$ mens $\$ 9.49$
All our $\$ 10.00$ and $\$ 12.50$ mens $\quad \mathbf{~ s u i t s , ~} \mathrm{go}$ in this sale at-.......... 48
suits, go in this sale at......... $\$ 8.00$ to $\$ 10.00$ mens 98
All our $\$ 2.50$ to $\$ 5.00$ boys suits $\mathbf{~ g o ~ i n ~ t h i s ~ s a l e ~ a t . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . ~}$

3000 Pairs of bran new shoes, men, wom en and childrens, all go in this sale at 25 c per pair, and up.
5000 Mens and boys hats and caps, 5e each, and up.
1000 Pairs" men "and Thoys pants, from $\$ 2.50$ to $\$ 6.00$, go at 90 c per pair, and up.

Remember that everything in this sale goes at about one-half the usual price.

Auction Sale
Every Saturday
IUntil 2 P. M.

## THE PORTALES TRADING COMPANY

Few Doors North of Court House, Near Depot.

Auction Sale Every saturday II Until 2. P. M.

TERRITORIAL NEWS place and make it jefreshing to drilled. The water is pumped
TERRITORIAL NEWS

A movement has been started
A movement has been starte 0 induce President Diaz of Mex ber at the time that Presiden Taft will be passing through th city.
A. Graham, secretary of Roswell's commercial club, has reat Cleveland, Ohio, sugar beet seed for free distribution, for test by farmers, which if successful will result in the location of beet sugar factory at Roswell.

The costly and magnificent Ma mplated fo New Mexico will be built at San ta Fe . That matter is now an absolute and settled fact. The structure will cost over two hun-
dred thousand dollars and no dred thousand dollars and
pains will be spared to make i pains will be spared to make it
one of the grandest in the Uni one of the
ted States.

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A six hundred foot seveneighth inch cable has been swung across the Canadian river at Logan, Union county, by J. B. Stewart, hydrographer of the Territorial Engineer's office, to A waster geuge has ham. in Ute Creek in that vicinity.
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E. A. Clayton, of Artesia, whe owns Spring Lake and the land surrounding it, is now mak iog preparations to turn the plake inove several acsort. The lake covers several acres, and houses and plant trees about the his land while waiting for the der $\$ 10,000$ bond. grounds so as to beautify the artesian well which
an ideal piace
 A base ball ground will also be the pump it refused to work, and made and arrangements made the supposition was that the

for sport. Mr. Clayton has al- valve had become dry, and for for sport. Mr. Clayton has al- valve had become dry, and for ready made an order for bathing an hour or so they carried water suits to be used at the lake. The and poured it in to soak up the \begin{tabular}{l|l|l}
lake is situated about three and \& valve. Not meeting with any <br>
a half miles northeast of Dayton. \& success in this way, they decided <br>
- Pecos Valley Echo. \& to investigate, and upon doing

 Pecos Valley Echo. success in this way, they decid El Paso county will build El so discovered, that a large Camino Real from E1 Paso to the lying in the pool with its tail tofeet wide, says the Santa, Fe drawn in until its tail had been New Mexican. It is expected $\mid$ through the valve, thus privent that Dona Ana county will con- ing its drawing, and all this time tinue the road to Las Cruces, the many pounds of water they and the Territory from there up had been taking up the bank had to Albuquerque and thence to a passed right through into the connection with the Santa Fe- river. Mr. Fish had found himLas legas and Raton stretches self to large to escape from the New Mexico road. While New pipe, and was fastened firmly hundred fec cannot make it one head down in a little hole made nt, especially wide for the pres- by the suction. Messrs. Taylor, lainous and hilly sections, yet, a finally suce two or three others hundred foot royal highway the fish which in extracting through the Territory, is a mag- great size made a desperate fight. 

\hline sincent project and perhaps, \& He was over four feet long and
\end{tabular} road will be that width. A good Every family in the pounds. roads system is the most immedi- hood dined in the neighbor ate need of the Territory and three days,-Lake Arthur Times overnor Curry and the present making the first syistration are Arrangements have been made ever made to give New Mexico general who now lives in the an adequate system of roads cons $\begin{aligned} & \text { Rio Grand valley, to make an } \\ & \text { necting with each other, and of } \\ & \text { itinerary through the Pecos val- }\end{aligned}$ necting with each other, and of Mr .

Mr. John R. Hodges has the itinerary through the Peeos valley, making lectures at different points next week.
In the distriet
In the district court at In Cruces next week, Wayne Brazel

## PHOTO'S,

Don't forget to come and get your Photo's taken while you get the discount allowed up to the inds of this month, I do all from of work. Prices ranging from 25 Per Dozen up to $\$ 7.50$ Per Dozen. Will come to your home and make pictures of your house. I guarantee satisfaction. Come and keep me busy.
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 flue a, anderson. Coal absolutely clear of slate all burns up.-Laster sells it.

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## Portales Drug Company

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Fine Perfumes and Toilet Articles
Wail Paper, Paints and Glasa a a Specialty,
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JOHN D. KERR BUTCHER. We kill only the yery choices Young cattle and ere alwan
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Telephone 57, Goodwin's Old Stand.

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dienaces of the Towr of Portale, Rooserelt Conty, New Mexico. ordinance no. 16.
An ondimineo amending No. 14 of the ordinanges of the town

Portales New Mexce, concerning the fxing of the fire limitsin | Poralaes |
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| datown. |

Beit ordained by the board of trustees of the cown of Portales,
w Mexico: Section 1 That ordinance No. 14 of the town of Portales. Now
 nee the number " 20 " and inaertring therein and in its place and Sece 2 This orrinance shall take effect from and after five ys after iat publication
Pased and approved this 2st day of April
W. . Lesing
 ordinance no.
An ordinance providing for the construction of sidewalks, the Be it ordiained by the board of trustees of the town of Por-
Now Mexico:
Section L. That all sidemalks hereafter constrycted in the
 Blacks $9,10,11,12,13,1,15,16,17,18,2,21,2,23,24$, shail tion three of this ordinanarce
Seec 2 The builiding of aill eement sidewalks shall be under the





1. Stakee shall be set by the direction of the engineer to deindicate the top of the walk at sidid line The trameverse stopen 2 The sidewack means be saidenginear shat direec
 er and muest firs-breide whenich hald be estidffectory to said enThe pavement shall consist of a foundation of gravel or crushed
 earing surfece of Portand dement mortaro ne inch thick ex exept 1 Alt materials not be thail be than sixix inche deo deep. toundataton thoved beo the en suineher. Thize that the ravel or rock used tin piece shall not exceed three inches, and ort the gamensions or ore sand or rock used dhall be of the best guality, sharp and clean 5. The cement used shall be Portland cement of good quality, Tage. The concrete thall consist of one part in volume of Port.
d cement, three parts sand and four parts crushed rock or 8. The cement and sand in the specifed proportions shall be
roughly mixed dry in a tight box or on a platiorm with shovels
 icient quantity to produce, martar of tho desired consisteney, ${ }_{9}{ }^{\text {ad }}$. The mortar, properaed as hereinatter speififed, shall be
 et imes and until every piece of gravel is completelely coated

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2. The eearing surface shall be composed of one part in volI5. cement to two parts of sand.
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 any lot or lots within the towin limits ahall hrat obtain a writh
perratit therefor from the engineer which shall be lisued with-
Sec. . Any percon violating any of the provitions of this or

such fine and imprisomment; and each day any sideovalk which has tand, and eeph dyy any sidewalk which has been or
Sec. 6. Hereot fie when any poperty, owner or other person
 wrner or oher person, such trees shar boe lanted or get out at a
iftence of seven feet trom the lot or block line towards he centre of the street adjueent thereto xecept in streets and biocks as See. 7. Any perroo or percrinans wis
Soe. ?. Any perroo or peroons who shall wilfully violate the provitions of this section and ghal oet out or plant trees at a
 three dayy' written notice, to remove paid trees and place them the
 neeanor and marrhal be fined in and town, anall be guilty of a misde see 8 , Thit ordinance shall tike effeet from and after five



## ORDINANCE NO. 18

An ordinanee declaring certain acts when committed in the in, and for other purpoesos, provaing a penaity for thei
Be it ordained by the board of trustes of the town of Portalase,
New Mexioo:
Section 1. Any peroon who my hereafter be found larking. ying in wait or ooncealed in any havise or other building or in any comeoi with the intention to do any mischief, or to pilter, or to ollars nor more than twenty-five dollaras, or impriseonment in the own or county jail for not less than five nor more than thirty dayss
orboth such Ine and imprisonment In the diseretion of the court. makec. 2 Any prison who shall oid, countenanco or ase asist to the
 Shavior in the streets or elewhhere in aidid town, or who may re



 crakert gunpowder or any camon, anvili, guo or pistol in iny part
 public proclamation sive pertiresenon to the e eitizenh of said town to
 withice. te limity peraon who thall be found druak or dioorderly,
 nor moresthent thirt daysw or or bounth suah fine and impribonment Sec. 5 . Any persion who shall make any indecent exposure of
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and

 Sec 6 A 1 the court.
See. 6. Any person who shall engage in any sport or exercise of persons or vehicles, shall be pumished by a fine of not less than or county jail for not less than two nor more than twenty days, or
by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the courr.
Sec. 7 . Any person who shall race horses or drive any horse, team or other animal through or who shall ride or hour, or any persown who shall leave any horse or horshes, or other
nimal attached to any conveyance in any ther
 vith some sutable person to prevent their running Awyy and any





 thie being so rida en, driven or led shall break any tree or Mitrub

 jail for not more than ten day or by both such fine and imprion--
ment; and the owner of such animal shall be fibble to the person inSen
 haira, benchea, seats, boxes, warrola, kegs, plows or other obstruc ons upon and along the walks; provided, that noo
 necessary delay. That any person guilty of the violation of this ve dollars, or by imprisonment in the town or county fail not exceed thirty days for each offense, or by both such fine and imsec. 10. It shall
See. 10. It shall be unlawful for any person under the age of
ineteen years to loiter or be found loitering on the streets, alleys
commons, public squares or on any unoccupied lot within the cor-


March 1st to September 1st, and later than seven o'clock p. $m$, , ac ess accom nive in cooclow th m from September 1si o or unless he or she shail have, and shall exhibit pupon demand theretor by any other person, a permisision in writitig therefor from hirs or her parentor or given; but no suec permission shail beot tany force for more than one day atter ched detet thereos or fifte theosme was igven Every

 nore than twenty days; and in event the ine and diawruit eosid. Four hours after juid sent, such erson may be com mitted to jail
by order of the justice trying the ease, and dhall be confined in jail y. order of the justice trying the case, and dhall be oenfined in jail
antil much fine and all costs are paid, provided that the limit of con. Hnil mueh fine and all coests are paido provided that the
Sec. I1. It shall be unlawful for any persan, persons or corhe limits of the or pownof Porrales, at a greater rate of pyeed than
 convietion thereoct fhaill be fined in iny iny sum not to exceed one houndred dolars, or by confinement in the town or county jaiil not less ying the case. climbec tuon the shatl be unlawful fog any person of persons to
 alleys of gaid town, anonoyign othere per ronse or with the intent to
 demeanor, and upoco conviction thereof shall be fined In any simm not to exceed ten dollars.
See. 18. This ordin
publication.
Passed and approved this 4th day of May 1909
Passed and approved this 4th day of May, 1909.
(sEAL) W. E. Lindsey, Chairman of the Town Board. Attest-H. B. Ryther, Town Clerk.
Published this 6 th day of May, 1909.

## Portales Grain and Coal Co.

 LEON JONES, Manager.Go to the Portales Grain and Coal Company for the BEST Coal at the very lowest prices.

NO LOOSE STOCK IN OUR WAGON YARD.
...Your Patronage is Respectfully Solicited..

## The Red Cross Drug Store



Rubber! Rubber! And you had better rubber the beet bargains in medici-
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rubber goods of all nal rubber goods of all kind Hot Water Bage And Syinges, as well as
Gloves, Mints, and the usiol line of rubber goods handled
by firstelass druggista The qualities are
be perfect.
THE RED CROSS DRUG STORE
eatly Loan and Realty Co.

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## Portales Furniture Emporium

When in need of new and second-hand Furniture, Coffins, Caskets, Burial Robes and Embalingng, call at the above store, opposite WILLIAMS \& LA WRENCE

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Coal, Grain and All Kinds of Feed. Yard West of Santa Fe Track.

## CITY MEAT MARKET

 The Best Fresh and Cured Meats
Peone 78 Fresh Fish and Oysters Every Tuesday

Portales Times the trutee of Pamingron at their last session denied a license
to the last saloon in town, and Farmington, like Aztec, the county seat, is now dry and prohibition
territory. There is now not single saloon in the entire county An organization ought to be started in this county to raise duced here in quality and quan tity and if proper arrangement are made they can be shippe and marketed to bring good prof
Portales citizens should not brand Portales as a dead town by voting down the water work
and sewer bonds on May 18th. Some states have passed laws roads be dragged with somat the of what is commonly known as the King road drag. This is a movement in the right direction. Some towns are also using this good results. $\qquad$
Announcement has been made in the grand old city of Boston
that a World's Exposition will be held there in 1920 to commemorate the three-hundreth anniversay of the landing of the Pi-
grims. The Bostonians a re commencing early to make their to produce one of the greatest
$\qquad$
The Santa Fe railroad has let
contract to extend their Plain-
vew branch from Plainview to
ubbock. L. N. Hoag of MaLubbock. L. N. Hoag of Ma-
laga, Eddy county of the con-
tract firm of Harrison \& Hoag. has been awarded the contract
for the construction of the road bed of this extension. There is
also talk of the Brownwood
branch of the Santa Fe being ex. branch of the Santa Fe be
tended on in this direction
Portales will on the 18 th vote
on the issuance of $\$ 25,000$ in bonds for a sewer system. and
$\$ 50,000$ ditto for water. The indications are strong that both
will pass, and if they do Portales
will be a city of 5000 people in non-irrigated farming section in New Mexico, and only needs
these modern features to become,
the city it should be. Roswell the eity it should be.-
Register-Tribune. A very good idea on woman
suffrage has been suggested by
the Artesia Advocate, which is that the matter shall be submitted the the women themselves, want it, then it shall be so or-
dained. If they don't. then discussion of the matter is to be
dropped altogether. The proposition is absolutely sound and
economically wise, so much so as to admit of no discussion.
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$\qquad$ A movement has been started count, taken from a Russian pa-
per, of a Russian general who H. Pickering, the astronomer, to He planted one grain of durum make arrangements for signaling
Mars from West Texas. It is the bottom of a funnel pointed out that the clarified at- As the grain sprouted he earthed uninhabited areas make conditions perfect for experiments, as mense reflectors, by which Pickthe Martians, will not be disturbed. The scientist h
$\qquad$ published in the Elida News last
week of the Mutural Relief As soeciation of New Mexico. The ton, J W Youngblood CingMurrell, and H. J. Anderson, all of Elida. The objects of the corporation, it is stated, is of a traternal character and prot members by levying assessment and paying indemnity in case

The Santa Fe New Mexican says that, almost daily, trains daded down to the guards with being carried through New Mexico on the Santa Fe. On Monday here was a train passed Lamy from the east, carrying one huncorps and tweers of the signal corps and twenty-seven cars of
infantry from Fort Wayne, Michigan, all bound for San Fran cisco, and from there to th
not pay to
but here are the rates charged by the Ladies Home Journa and the Saturday Evening Post: per line, 85,000 per inside page; 7,000 cover pages $\$ 5,500$ and Saturday Evening Post, $\$ 5$ page ine; $\$ 3,000$ per inside page; in side cover $\$ 3,300$ and back cove 3,600 . The rate "per line" hich are required to make inch. This makes the rate per in the Post Both Publication are full of advertising all the

President Taft has appointed
Alfred W. Cooley and Merritt C. Meacham, both of New Mexico, to be associate justices of the suHon. Merritt C. Meacham has the new seventh district. He is a man of high attainments, his about six years ago. He was member of the council of the last ture and is a staunch republican
Hon. Alfred W. Cooley was for merly assistant attorney gener the United States and was one He came to New Mexico for his He will succeed Jut Silver City. A. Mann whose retirement was foreshadowed when his friends him for the nomination of dele gate to Congress instead of W.
H. Andrews who was re-nomi nated and re-elected.

## The Earth publishe

 growth reached the surface, 19,638 stalks of wheat, of fine strong straw, and each stalk a forty kernels to each head of wheat, in round numbers, that one grain yielded a harvest of 800,000 grains of wheat, a record heretofore, if made, neverreported. Taking this as a suggestion, experiments are now bewheat in by planting durum the wheat planted in furrows, bottom of the furin drills in the plants grow, the furrow is as the ally filled up and, at last, hilled up like corn, which allows for ing experiment and may determine a valuable way to produce
this cereal.


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 Clifford Parrish of Clovis wa Attorny Faircloth of Taibe as a business visitor in Portal Mondey.Max Tabner returned Sautrday rrom a trip to Hot Springe, Mr
Mrs E. A. Prieet and little son eturned late week from their Wu Dans
Will Humble, who is working Painview, Texas, visited
Horry Iogen wh
Harry Logan, who lives south Angles to visit his brother.
Mrs. N. W, Clayton went t cerna Seturday to visit her son, slie Clayton, a few days,
Judge A. B. Seay was in Rosvell several days last week at
J. W. Wure left Sunday on a J. and utp to the Estincia val. hexico.
Mrs. T. J. Molinari and childen have been visiting last week ind this
T. N. Harris left Monday for
ega, Texas, where he has the ontract for putting up several uildings.
Dr. T. C. White returned Suny from Roswell where he had cen coaurt.
J. B. Sledge left this week for
ps Angles and will make quite viait at different points on the veifice coast.
J. A. Tinsley returned Sunday or Roswell. where he had
rved on the grand jury in the deral court.
Willey Franklin came in the
Eddy county to stay a few ys in Portales.
Miss Prue Harris returned turday from Sherman, Texas, ere she has been
dd Key seminary.
. B. Sledge has been setting quite an additional number
trees around his already beanal premises in Portales.
Claude Randet, who has been Ing near Rogers, has bought John MeGraw's residence
Portales and he and wife have Portales and
. B. Moore and wife and two le daughters, and Miss Effie vell and F.M. Price, all the sers neighborhood, were Por-
8 visitors Saturday. laster Jamee Stone
Stone, got severely hurt Sat-
ay. He was fixing a pigeon
up on the house and fell up on the house and fell,
tially fracturing both arms. . Hardy received a telegram day conveying the sad inforin Hardy, son of Dr. Walter dy, at Ardmore, Oklahoma, $n$ Wednesday, May 12th, W. Thurman will deliver alecture he DZ horse pasture. Every; and especially ladies ind to attend.
artin Brothers have comew building opposite the Salley hotel. They now a good room and have to equipped to do all kinds of
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meeting has been called in
01 District No. 13, on May for the purpose of considthe matter of adding more ory to the diatrict. Amos 1 in that distriet.
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George Reese Jr. and Maude
Amy, son and duughter of Judge G. L. Reese, have each received
this week a new juvenile bieycle this week a new juvenile bieycle
of which they are justly proud. of which they are justly proud. ing his premises in. Portales by putting out trees, also treated his cottage to a new coat of paint and papered the rooms, all add-
ing much to the appearance and ing much to the appearance and A. A. Wed home
A. A. Wood, who has been in the mercantile business in Porthe sq the southwest side of the square, packed his goods
last week and shipped them to Woodward, Oklahpered them to Woodward, Oklahoma, and le
himself for that place Friday. Ed MeMinn was thrown from a horse last week and his foot caught in the stirrup. He was severely hurt by being kicked in the side of the head. Fortu-
nately the stirrup strap broke which probably saved his life.
Judge and Mrs, C. L. Carter and son, Cash, returned Friday rom a couple weeks trip by
team over in Texas The trip was made partly for the benef was made partly for -the benefit
of Cash's health as heis recover ing from a long spell of the fever.
B. Blankenship bought a bankrupt stock of goods last week at
Fort Summer. He Fort Summer. He was back and arranged to shin more goods and grain to Fort Surmmer to replenish the stock. He went back to Fort Summer Sunday.
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We give some prices which are good only from May 1st to May 8th inclusive:


#### Abstract

Boys wool hats, worth soe, this sale......... Better grade boys' wool hats, worth 1.75 , at. Men's hats, worth $\$ 5.00$, in this sale at...... .81.25 Mens hats, worth s.00, in this sale at Work shirts, only a limited number left Boys shoes, worth $\$ 1.75$, limited number, $\$ 1.15$ to Old ladies shoes, $\$ 1.60$ line, will go at. as they lastat Outings will go for... Balbriggan drawers, only a few left, for Balbriggan drawers, only a fow left, for ............ 28 Claw hammers now for 15 c . Tumblers will go at 25 c : best goblets, 50 c . Covered bowls and everything in glase. ware will go in this sale. $1-8$ dozen eight day alarm clocks we will close out at the low price or $8 . .50$. Photo frames, worth 85 c , go at the low price of 35 c and 50 C


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Section 1. That any person who is a qualified entryman un der the homestead laws of th United States may enter, by gal subdivisions, under the pro visions of this act, in the state Oregon, Utah, Washing Nevada Oregon, Utah, Washington an Wyoming and the territories of Arizona and New Mexico, non irrigable, unreserved and unappropriated surveyed publie lands which do not contain mer chantable timber, located in reasonably compact body, not over one and one half miles in extreme length: Provided, that no lands shall be subject to entry under the provisions of this act until such lands shall have been designated by the secretary of
the interior, as not being, in his opinion, susceptible to irrigation at a reasonable cost from any known source of water supply. sec. 2. That any person applying to enter land under the and subscribe this act, shall make and subscribe before the proper
officer an affidavit as required by section 2290 of the revised stal shall make affidavit that the sought to be entered is of the character described in section 1 fees now required to be paid un der the homestead laws.
Sec. 3. That any homestead entryman of lands of the characfinal proof has not been made, lic lands, subject to the provis-
ions of this act, contiguous to his former entry which shall not, together with the original entry upon and cultivation of the orig-
inal entry shall be deemed as residence upon and cultivation Sec. 4. That at the time of
making final proofs, as proside in section 2291 of the revised statutes, the entryman under this act shall, in addition to the proors and affidavits required two creditable witnesses that at least one eighth of the area emcrops other than to agricultural beginning with the second year in the entry was so continuously cultivated beginning with the Sec. 5. That nothing herein
contained shall be held to affect the right of a qualified entryman states named in section 1 of this tion 2289 of the revised statuecbut no person who has made entry under this act shall be entitled to make homestead entry
under the provisions of said secact shall bo commuted. Sec. 6. That whenever the
secretary of the interior shall find that any tract of land in the
state of Utah is subject to entry under this act, do not have upon
them such a sufficient supply of water suitable for domestic purposes as would make continuous
residence upon the lands sible, he may, in his discretion, designate such tracts of land, not to exceed in the aggregate $2,000,000$ acres, and thereafter they shall be subject to entry under this act without the necessity of residence: Provided,
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on any such entry shall in good faith cultivate not lees the good
eighth of the entire area the sec- Sure Way to Make \$NO Land ond year, one fourth during the third year and one half during the fourth year after the date of such entry, and that after entry and until final proof the entry-
man shall reside within such disman shall reside within such dis-
tance of said land as. will - enable him suceessfully to farm the ame, as required by this section.

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Work is going ahead on the Altus, Roswell \& Ei Paso railroad. Edward Kennedy, the making an effort to secure part ta
of the bonus money subscribed by the towns. He was at Roswell last week and called a meeting of the business men to lay before them his proposition that a per cent of the Roswell bonus be placed so he could use it in per an has been 15 to 40 bushels the construction of the road as the land was handled."-Riek the work progressed, and to Bros., threshermeh.
make a report on the progress of the work.
This report, in brief, says the all the market in the west for Roswell Record, showed that the can raise. Western New Mexico greater number of the towns all of Arizona and Nevada, and which had subscribed bonuses the south half of California is our had placed about fifty per cent market. It only takes a little ordrawn on by Mr. Kennedy as the is nothing better for horses in the wrawn on by Mr. Kennedy as the is nothing better for horses in the to be paid as the steel is laid. In business manager Farmer's As Oklahoma 43 miles of grading sociation.
has been completed out from A1work has been done. In Chaves work has been done. In Chaves
county the amount spent to date for grading has been over ten thousand dollars. The total amount of completed grading is 138 miles. One mile of steel has ome thr out from Altus and some three miles has the ties down ready for the rails. The
road will be to the Denver Road in eight months.
Mr . Kenned
wanted to here so that he could start in pushing things from this end of the line. Efforts would now be Roswell and he wanted the right oswell and he wanted the right way and terminal matters reached the point where he wanted the support of the people of Roswell. Up to the present
he total amount of $\$ 198,000$ had been spent. He had in bank where he can draw on it for work to be done in certain places
along the line the sum of $\$ 300,000$ along the line the sum of $\$ 300,000$ loose when rail laying was reached. As he desired to push things from Roswell to Labbock, he would ask the people here
who had subscribed to pay a percentage of the amount to be applied on the work in this section. from the total bonus. The Roswell men. expressed Themselves favorable towards
Mr. Kennedy's proposition ar. Kennedy's proposition and a committee of seven was ap-
pointed to meet with the old railroad committee and Mr. Kenrangements in necessary arpayment of the installment of twenty-five per cent of the bonus and to arrange for its collection. it will pot he necessary to pay nedy dy before forty days.

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## Portales Times

Portales, New Mexico


## First Will Contested in This County Colorado and New Mexico Coil

 There was a case involving the at Laster'svalidity of a will heard in pro- I am paying 10 cents a pound bate court Wednesday which was cash for turkeys. - Austin. the first case of this kind ever Judge G. L. Reese left. Thursheard in this county. The case day for Amarillo on business, was one attacking the validity The little son of W. $\mathbf{O}$. Dunlap
of the will of Mrs. Susan K night who died at Blacktower last May. The suit was brought by relatives, consisting of an uncle, by Judge G. L. Reese The by Judge G. L. Reese. Th e
legatees of the will were Mrs. Ada Knight, the wife of a grandson of Mrs. Knight, her husband being dead, and Mrs. Coleman, the wife of a son of Mrs. Knight, he also being dead. The legatees were represented by Clovis attorneys. The will was what is called uncupative, that is it was made verbally and sworn to by witness. The property incountry, some money and Kentuckey property, representing a total value of about $\$ 6.000$. Judge Jones upheld the validity of the will.
Besiness Lots Changing Hands.
F. W. Swift yesterday sold the lots on which the Vendome hotel building burned to Robert Hicks. It is to be hoped a good hotel will be built on this site again. The First National Bank, W. E. Lindsey and G. L. Reese have
bought from
C. W. Morris bought from C. W. Moirris fifty feet fronting on Main street
and running 140 feet back. This and running 140 feet back. This
will give each purchaser a fifty will give each purchaser a fifty
foot extension to the rear of their lots on which their buildings are located fronting the square.
C. W. Morris expects mence Monday moving his feed store building. which is on the lot he sold, to his gin lots. He will go out of the wagon yard business and will offer his other ing on Main street for sale.
$\qquad$
Mr. John C. Harris of Roose velt county and Miss Laura Gibwere united in marriage at the residence of the groom's brother day afternoon, Rev. W. L. Heck officiating. The bride arrived that day on the south bound home on his claim fifteen miles south of town. John C. Harri
has been here about a year and has been living on and improving his ciaim. He is an energetic
and highly esteemed young The bride is a handsome and ac complished young lady. The Times joins with many friend
in extending congratulations.

A Moving Picture Show.
Portales is to have anoth moving picture show right away ordered a first-class outfit, whic They have leased the building on Main street owned by G. C. John son, formerly occupied by the
Eagle saloon, and are fitting it up in first-class shape for a thea ter. We are glad to see some of
our home folks go into this business, it being something we hould have in town as an amuse ment feature. They will, un
doubtedly do a good business.
Rural Rout No. 1. started fron
Portales, Saturday May ames L. May is the carrier an the distance of the rond trip the route is 292 miles. It goe west of town into what is known citizens of that vicinity seen highly pleased in having thi
route started as it will be agreat oute started as it will be a great heir mail 10 them in getting
U. N. Hall and family have moved here from Tolar and are again making Portales their in any business at present.
has been quite sick for some time ut is reported better.
Howard Lindsey and Roy
Smith returned Wednesday from Smith returned Wednesday from
Albuquerque where they have
Albuquerque where they have university the past school year. bethel budget.
Dallas Green is building an ad-
dition to his residence.
S. C. Hukel is back into the cairy business
Tom Morrison, of Broncho was up visiting his father J. P. Morrison a few days this week. G. F. Stevenson is at Portales
nost of the time now assisting at S. L. Boone's magnetic healing institute.
B. F. Morrison has bought sev.ral head of milk cows from $\mathbf{H}$. . Farnham and will embark in
the dairy business. J. T. Elliott is constructing a sorm house, but we think he ex-
peets to use it to store away fruit, vegetables, etc, mostly. H. W. Smithee and Lewie Anderson have leased Don Griffith's well drill, and will work at the well drilling business this sumWe have seen several mocking birds the last few days but have not heard them warble any yet.
Guess their throats are sandGuess
John Cockrell and family, who moved from here to Texas last year, came in a few days ago,
and are looking for a location John has seen a good deal of country since he left here, and he says this country is in much better shape than lots of it. He may locate at Portales for a
while he says. while he says.
Our rural route is no longer a dream, but an actual reality, and Some of us were considerably excited about it the first trip. and we learn that R. W. Jones actually rushed down to his box
two hours before the came along, because he saw a buggy pass and it looked like a
flag or two raised on that wheel Jim Green suffered that wheel. able loss a few nights ago, when some very unthoughted person, or persons, entered his shack and proceeded to tear up things in
general, breaking up the door genera, breaking up the door
and stove, mashing the stove pipe up and pouring out the coal oil, etc. The party who did this are surely so ashamed of it now that they will never let it be nown who they are, and will never do such a shameful trick

Excursion Rates. Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, Amarillo, Texas, 'May 11, Santa Fe will sell tickets to Amarillo and return for $\$ 4.95$. Dates of sale, May 10th and 11th. Re turn limit, May 14, 1909. W. S. Merrill, Agent.

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We are still crowded for room and must make a btg sacrifice on ail or our goods, so for the next eight days, Beginning Saturday morning, May 8th, and closing Suturday night, May 15th, we will make the following prices:

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wear, worth 50 c per garment, goes on sale at 756 Two suits to a customer Nice silk inished underwear
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Two suits to a customer

## Ladies Suits.

One special lot of Ladies Suits, values $\$ 17.50$, go is this sale, as long $\mathbf{~ a s ~ t h e y ~ l a s t . . . . . ~} \mathbf{1 2 , 6 5}$ Silk Petticoats in black and green, values $\$ 4.50$,
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| Straw Matting worth |
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| 15c per yard, on sale at | 1 C Special for Saturday Straw Matting worth 20c sale at. per yard, on 14 C

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sale at........... sale at........... 28 C and other union made Over-
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