



Read Every Word—Don't Skip a Line—Don't Miss a Price—Here is News of a Stirring Nature

# ...SACRIFICE SALE...

OF

## 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 out without a dollar of insurance. This is plain talk and we are going to close out here. You cannot 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. You will then pay \$1.00 for 14 pounds of sugar; \$1.00 for 5 pounds of coffee; 7 cents a yard for calico; \$3.50 for a pair of shoes that we sell you for \$1.98. A hint to the wise is sufficient, hence be wise, come to this sale prepared to lay in your supply for the year. Don't be misled by unscrupulous people who may try to keep you away from this sale. Our stock is all fresh and new, bought cheap for cash, and is strictly up-to-date.

### 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 good shoes; \$5,000.00 worth of high grade clothing; \$8,000.00 worth of fresh groceries; and everything else in proportion, all of which must go in this sale. THE GREATEST SALE EVER HELD IN PORTALES. FOLLOWING ARE A FEW OF THE MANY LOW PRICES OFFERED DURING THIS SALE.

From 1 until 2 o'clock every day we will sell you 20 pounds of best granulated sugar..... **\$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..... **49**

Yard wide domestic, per..... **05c**  
Bleached domestic, per yard..... **05c**

5000 Yards reasonable dress goods, percales, gingham, etc, 5c per yard and up.

5000 Yards assorted patterns in gingham percales, etc., per yard, 5c and up.

20000 Yards laces and embroideries, 5c per yard and up.

An immense line of handkerchiefs, hosiery of all kinds, notions, etc. at half price.

Clothing, a special feature, \$5,000.00 worth of High Grade Clothing at less than half price.

All our \$15.00 and \$25.00 mens suits go in this sale at..... **\$9.49**

All our \$10.00 and \$12.50 mens suits, go in this sale at..... **\$7.48**

All our \$8.00 to \$10.00 mens suits go in this sale at..... **\$4.98**

All our \$2.50 to \$5.00 boys suits go in this sale at..... **\$2.98**

3000 Pairs of bran new shoes, men, women and childrens, all go in this sale at 25c per pair, and up.

5000 Mens and boys hats and caps, 6c each, and up.

1000 Pairs men and boys pants, from \$2.50 to \$6.00, go at 90c per pair, and up.

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

Auction Sale  
Every Saturday  
11 Until 2 P. M.

## PORTALES TRADING COMPANY

Few Doors North of Court House, Near Depot.

Auction Sale  
Every Saturday  
11 Until 2 P. M.



### COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

#### BETHEL BUDGET.

C. T. Cotton returned from Clovis last Sunday, where he has been working for some time.

Alfred Dukemore who has been at Lockney, Texas, for some time, is here looking after his interests, and visiting some.

Let the commission men find the best prices possible for the enormous crop of maize and beans which will be harvested this fall.

Several people from Portales attended preaching here last Sunday and there was dinner on the ground for all who stayed.

Elders Jones, Smith and Broyles have gone to Texico, where they will conduct a protracted meeting, preaching at other places around there also.

Carol Phillips, a young preacher of Bronco, arrived last Tuesday and assisted some in the meeting at this place. He is now engaged in a meeting at the Lacy school house.

Will Hooper and family and Mr. Clark, who have been on an extended trip to the southwestern part of the territory and Arizona, came in a few days ago. They will not stay here long, but contemplate going down on the plains of Texas.

That long looked for rain came last Friday, followed by two more the first of this week. Everybody is rejoicing exceedingly, and extensive crops of

maize, millet, beans, etc, will be planted. If the season is favorable the rest of the year, we predict bounteous crops.

Summer coughs and colds are obstinate and difficult to cure. The most prompt method is to take something pleasant which will gently move the bowels; a good laxative cough syrup Bees Laxative Cough Syrup will surely and promptly cure your cold. Sold by the Portales Drug Store.

#### INEZ ITEMS.

Mr. Madison is digging a well on his farm one and a half miles north of Inez.

John Harth and R. C. Shepard purchased a well drill and intend to dig their own wells.

Misses Olive Henry and Nora Shepard enrolled Monday for the last two weeks of Normal.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Adams has been quite poorly with erysipelas but is much improved at present writing.

Mr. Teel McClannahan returned from his sad trip. He intends to remain only a few days and will go back to Billings to work until fall.

The first application of ManZan, the great Nile remedy, will almost instantly give relief. Continued use of ManZan for a few days will effect a cure. The tube in which it is put up has a small nozzle attached, so there is no inconvenience whatever. ManZan is for the cure of any kind of Piles. Sold by Portales Drug Store.

I am now prepared to give you the finest up-to-date work in the photographic line. Try the new process and be convinced. S. E. Moore, Photographer.

**Farm Loans.**  
I am now prepared to negotiate loans on farm lands.  
T. J. MOLINARI.

**Brooms Brooms.**  
If you want new brooms out of new corn cull on your grocer for J. B. Pruett's brooms. If they do not handle them call at my shop south of the Times office. Every broom guaranteed.  
J. B. PRUITT, Portales, N. M.

**Notice.**  
Beginning with the first of April, all scavenger work must be paid for in advance.  
J. M. Medlock,  
Town Scavenger.



### Kermit

KERMIT was sired by imported Chevalier (46774), dam by imported Magellan (10442) He is a dappled black Percheron Stallion, 16 1/2 hands high, weight 1450 pounds, age 5 years. Good action and disposition and a thoroughly good individual.

KERMIT will make the season of 1909 as follows: Mondays and Saturdays at Osborn's feed yard, Portales; Tuesdays and Fridays at my place, six miles southeast of Portales; Wednesdays and Thursdays at large. Terms reasonable.  
RUSH STEWARD

**Notice of Suit.**  
In the district court, Roosevelt county, New Mexico.  
Wiley Gross, plaintiff,  
vs.  
Elizabeth Gross, defendant.  
No. 497.

To the defendant, Elizabeth Gross, in the above suit. You will take notice that a suit has been filed against you in the district court for the Fifth judicial district of the territory of New Mexico, for the county of Roosevelt, by Wiley Gross is the plaintiff and Elizabeth Gross is the defendant, and numbered 497 on the docket of said court. That the general object of the suit are as follows: The plaintiff asks for an absolute divorce from you on the ground of abandonment, and prays that he may be restored to the status of a single person and for other and further relief as the nature of the case may require and the court shall direct. You are further notified that if you fail to appear and plead or answer in this cause on or before the 1st day of July, 1909, judgment by default will be rendered against you in this suit and the allegations in plaintiff's complaint will be taken as confessed and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint. Reese, Carter & Reese are the attorneys for the plaintiff and their business address is Portales, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 28th day of April, 1909.  
S. I. ROBERTS, Clerk.  
By LEWELLYN CARTER, Deputy.

**Notice of Pendancy of Action.**  
District Court, Roosevelt county,  
David O. Hunter, Plaintiff  
vs.  
Hattie Hunter, Defendant.  
No. 496.

To Hattie Hunter, defendant in the above entitled cause: You will take notice that a suit has been filed against you in the district court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, by David O. Hunter, plaintiff, in said cause, and that the general object of said suit and action is for the dissolution of the bonds of matrimony existing between the plaintiff and defendant, and the plaintiff seeks a total divorce from you, the said defendant, and alleges abandonment of the plaintiff by the defendant.

You are further notified that unless you appear and answer plaintiff's complaint in said cause on or before the 1st day of June, 1909, judgment by default may be rendered against you, and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Sam J. Nixon is attorney for plaintiff and his post office address is Portales, New Mexico. Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 23rd day of April, 1909.  
S. I. ROBERTS, Clerk.  
By LEWELLYN CARTER, Deputy.

**CONTEST NOTICE.**  
Department of the Interior, United States land office, Roswell, New Mexico, April 22, 1909.  
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Jasper B. Pruett, contestant, against homestead entry No. 6644, made January 18th, 1886, for south half of the southwest quarter (S 1/2 of S W 1/4), section 8, township 2 south, range 34 east, New Mexico principal meridian, by George W. Beauchamp contestee, in which it is alleged, under date September 7, 1906, that said George W. Beauchamp died on or about March 8th, 1906, leaving no widow. The only living heir, whose whereabouts are known, is N. T. Beauchamp, who it is believed resides at Caddo, Oklahoma. The entryman never established residence upon the land, and his heirs have never resided upon nor kept up the improvements since his decease, and the same has been wholly abandoned for six months last past. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond, and offer evidence touching said allegations at 10 o'clock a. m. on June 7, 1909, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, N. M. and that final hearing will be held at 2 o'clock p. m. on June 14, 1909, before the Register and Receiver at the United States land office in Roswell, N. M.

**Notice of Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.**  
In the District Court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico.  
James I. Davis, Administrator,  
vs.  
Mrs. S. A. Tipton, et al.  
No. 460.

Whereas, on the 18th day of May, 1909, the court in the above entitled cause, ordered that James I. Davis, plaintiff in said cause and administrator of the estate of P. S. Tipton, deceased, sell and convey block No. twelve (12) in the Bogard addition to the town of Portales, N. M., said block of land being a part of the estate of said P. S. Tipton deceased, which said sale was ordered to be made for the purpose of applying the proceeds of said sale to the satisfaction and discharge of the debts against said estate and the expense of administration. Therefore, by virtue of said order, I, the said James I. Davis, administrator of said estate, will, on the 26th day of June, 1909, sell at the front door of the court house at Portales, New Mexico, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, all right, title, and interest of the defendants, Mrs. S. A. Tipton, Emma Hall, Frankie Tipton, Willie Tipton, Edward Tipton, Vera Tipton, Howell Carr and Ida M. Dyer, in and to block No. twelve (12) in the Bogard addition to the town of Portales, N. M., which sale will be made at public auction and sold to the highest and best bidder for cash, for the purpose of discharging the debts against said estate and the expenses of administration.

Witness my hand this 19th day of May, 1909  
JAMES I. DAVIS, Administrator.

**Notice of Suit.**  
In the district court, Roosevelt county, New Mexico.  
Thompson-Letton Lumber Company,  
et al, plaintiffs,  
vs.  
H. A. Shannon, et al, defendants.  
No. 461.

To the defendants, H. A. Shannon, et al, in the above suit: You will take notice that a suit has been filed against you in the district court for the Fifth judicial district of the territory of New Mexico, for the county of Roosevelt, in which the Thompson-Letton Lumber Company, et al, are the plaintiffs and H. A. Shannon, et al, are the defendants, and numbered 461 on the docket of said court. That the general object of said suit are as follows: To foreclose a material man's lien for the sum of \$2025.34, in favor of the Thompson-Letton Lumber Company, and a material man's lien for the sum of \$2025.34, in favor of Johnson Brothers, on lots No. 1 and 2, block No. 11, in the town of Elida, New Mexico, with interest, and for costs of suit and such other and further relief as the nature of the case may require and as the court shall direct. You are further notified that if you fail to appear and answer or plead in this cause on or before July 19, 1909, judgment by default will be rendered against you in this suit and the allegations in plaintiff's complaint will be taken as confessed and plaintiff will apply to the court for such relief as is demanded in the complaint. Reese, Carter & Reese are the attorneys of the plaintiffs and their business address is Portales, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 14th day of May, 1909.  
S. I. ROBERTS, Clerk.  
By LEWELLYN CARTER, Deputy.

C. M. DOBBS C. F. ANDERSON J. E. CAMP

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Fine Perfumes and Toilet Articles.  
Wall Paper, Paints and Glass a Specialty.

Prescriptions Accurately Compounded. Portales, New Mexico

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We kill only the very choicest young cattle and are always in the market for this class of butcher stuff. Try OUR ALL FORK SAUSAGE and CORN FED beef. You'll LIKE it.

Telephone 57, Goodwin's Old Stand.





**Local and Personal.**

Dr. Bryan was in Clovis Monday.

Jim Martin was in Clovis Sunday and Monday.

Mr. Shelton of Lubbock, Texas, was here Monday.

J. O. Long was in Roswell Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Morris left Saturday for Yesso on a short visit.

Lee Huddleston arrived Saturday from Clovis to visit his folks.

Fred Crosby left Tuesday for Albuquerque on a business trip.

Slip Freeman came down Tuesday from Clovis to visit his folks.

Hubbard Morris returned from Roswell where he had been on business.

A. L. Chesher returned Friday from Fort Worth and other Texas points.

Prof. T. W. Conway arrived Saturday from Raton to conduct the normal.

Mrs. M. J. Faggard went to Bovina Saturday for a short visit with relatives.

Dr. Presley will only be in Portales four hours, Monday June the 21st.

Ray Maxwell returned Saturday from Roswell where he had been a few days.

Sam J. Nixon returned Saturday from Roswell where he had been on business.

Rev. E. P. Alldredge was at Roswell the latter part of last week on business.

Miss Nettie Chesher accompanied Miss Vestal Ware as far as Clovis Tuesday.

T. E. Landers handles the celebrated Fred Kaufman line of tailor made clothes.

Cliff Parrish has been transferred from Clovis to Portales by the telephone company.

Oscar Bain left Friday for Childress, Texas, to make a short visit at his old home.

Mrs. J. P. Stone and children left Tuesday for Plainview, Texas, to visit a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Hall of Elida arrived Monday to stay a few days in Portales.

Bring your eggs and poultry to Fred Crosby at Newsom's old stand and get the cash.

All desiring to see Dr. Presley be at Neer's drug store at 11 o'clock Monday, June 21st.

A. A. Beeman, cashier of the First National Bank of Elida, was here Monday on business.

Mrs. S. P. Moody and children left Saturday for El Dorado, Oklahoma, on an extended visit.

Call up the Portales Bottling Works and have ice cream delivered to your residence. Phone No. 41.

Glenn Blankenship, who has been working on a ranch near Carlsbad, returned home last week.

Money, money, for your poultry and eggs at Newsom's old stand. Always see me before selling. — Fred Crosby.

H. M. Law returned Monday from Georgetown, Texas, where he has been attending the Southwestern University.

Master Cecil and Miss Edna Copeland returned to Clovis Tuesday after a few days' visit with Mrs. G. W. Carr.

I. R. Greathouse and wife of near Pearson were in Portales the latter part of last week visiting and on business.

Mrs. B. Blankenship returned Saturday from Pecos, Texas, where she has been attending her father, who has been sick.

Why pay more than 5 per cent for money? See or write me for loans on city or country property. James A. Hall, Elida, N. M.

Geo. M. Slaughter of Roswell was here the first part of the week.

C. M. Compton Jr went to Melrose the first of the week on business.

Dr. H. F. Vandever of Elida was in Portales on business last Thursday.

Miss Cora Walker, who has been working in the clerk's office here, left Thursday for Clovis.

Mrs. E. H. Robinson of Clovis came in Thursday to visit her parents, Judge Carter and family.

O. N. McBride left Monday for Waco, Texas, to visit relatives and to attend commencement exercises of Baylor university.

Dr. T. E. Presley, specialist, eye, ear, nose and throat, of Roswell, will be at the office of Drs. Patterson and Bryan, at Neer's.

Ice cream delivered to your residence at 85 cents a gallon or 50 cents for half a gallon, by Portales Bottling Works. Phone No. 41.

Mr. and Mrs. Ova Austin, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Huffman of Rogers, left Sunday for their home in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Rockefeller of El Paso, Texas, are here this week visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Howard, and friends.

N. H. Deahl, of the Portales Bottling works, is now making first class ice cream and will deliver to any part of town. Phone in your order, phone No. 41.

The XIT ranch, one of the oldest and most noted outfits in north Texas, has started a wild west show. A four days performance was given in Albuquerque this week.

Ed J. Neer went to Fort Worth Sunday and returned Wednesday accompanied by his mother, Mrs. N. C. Neer, who has been there being treated in St. Francis hospital, and is much better.

Train schedule changed, Dr. Presley will be in Portales on 11:05 A. M. train, Monday, June 21st. Those who desire to see him should be promptly at the office at Neer's drug store.

J. W. Ware and family left Tuesday for Moriarity where Mr. Ware will engage in the same business that he had here. Mr. and Mrs. Ware's many friends regret to see them leave but wish them success in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Mears returned Monday from Sterling, Colorado, where they had been a couple weeks on account of the sickness and death of his brother-in-law, W. J. Weir. His sister, Mrs. Weir, came to Portales with them.

Eli Ingham, traveling representative for the Cudahy Packing company of Wichita, Kansas, was a business visitor in Portales Thursday of last week. Mr. Ingham says Portales is one of the best towns for business in his territory.

R. D. Childs commenced work this week on a concrete barn on the site where his barn burned. The building is to be 32x60 with walls 12 feet high. It will be built of Elida cement and E. E. Jessup is in charge of the work. This will be a good building.

John D. McClure of Knoxville, Illinois, who recently bought the Harbert stone residence near the Methodist church, last week traded it to Ed. Brown for his farm south of town. Mr. Brown will take possession of the house soon. Mr. McClure was here a few days last week.

T. J. Molinari returned Wednesday from New York where he had been visiting his mother, and had also been in Washington boosting for the irrigation project. Mr. Molinari is very enthusiastic and thinks the irrigation project will be put through by proper pushing.

**WANTS**

Items under this head, not over five lines, one time, 25c; two times, 35c; four times, 50c.

**FOR SALE**—A pair of good mares, enquire of W. O. Dunlap.

**RESIDENCE**—of three rooms for rent or for sale. Will take small monthly payments so one can get it like paying rent.

J. A. FAIRLY,  
Portales Bank and Trust Co.

**DWARF MAIZE SEED**—Three weeks earlier than the maize generally grown here. Call at my place 12 miles south of Portales. Or address me at Portales.

J. E. CALLAHAN.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, N. M., May 10, 1929.

Notice is hereby given that William J. Turner, of Rosh, N. M. who on Nov. 18, 1922, made homestead entry No. 3229, serial No. 8876, for northeast quarter, section 24, township 2 south, range 26 east, New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, N. M., on the 20th day of July, 1929.

Claimant names as witnesses: William M. Nickless, William E. Foster, Harrison C. Trammel, Henry P. Townsend, all of Arch, N. M.

T. C. Tiltonson, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, N. M., May 6, 1929.

Notice is hereby given that John I. Temple, of Portales, N. M., who on Nov. 18, 1922, made homestead entry No. 3227, serial No. 8868, for northeast quarter section 4, township 2 south, range 26 east, New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, N. M., on the 20th day of July, 1929.

Claimant names as witnesses: Weeden D. Marchbanks, John H. Martin, Samuel E. Turner, of Portales, N. M.; Charles P. Stones, of Talban, New Mexico.

T. C. Tiltonson, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, N. M., May 3, 1929.

Notice is hereby given that Samuel J. Stanseth, of Portales New Mexico, who on August 20, 1922, made homestead entry No. 3296, serial No. 8987, for southwest quarter, section 12, township 1 south, range 25 east, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on the 21st day of July, 1929.

Claimant names as witnesses: Jada Humphrey, Floyd R. Stone, John R. Geyer, George F. Stevenson, all of Portales, N. M.

T. C. Tiltonson, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**

Department of the Interior, United States land office, Roswell, N. M., April 29, 1929.

Notice is hereby given that William L. White, father of David H. White, deceased, of Brownsville, Tenn., who on March 14, 1922, made homestead entry No. 2382, serial No. 8138, for south half northeast quarter and south half southwest quarter section 8, township 1 north, range 34 east, N. M. principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on the 21th day of July, 1929.

Claimant names as witnesses: Hobson F. Jones, Robert Y. Gregg, Peter E. Brooks, Felix R. Holmes, all of Portales, N. M.

T. C. Tiltonson, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, N. M., April 19, 1929.

Notice is hereby given that Joshua Shay, of Macy, N. M., who on April 11, 1923, made homestead entry No. 3480, serial No. 8998, for southeast quarter section 14, township 2 south, range 23 east, N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before A. J. Maxwell, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Macy, N. M., on the 12th day of July, 1929.

Claimant names as witnesses: John J. Tomlin, Alexander A. Aston, Byron M. McCall, James H. McCall, all of Portales, N. M.

T. C. Tiltonson, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**

Department of the Interior, United States land office at Roswell, N. M., April 24, 1929.

Notice is hereby given that Clarence C. Hutchinson, of Long, N. M., who on October 15, 1922, made homestead entry No. 1205, serial No. 8928, for northwest quarter section 3, township 5 south, range 26 east, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Joseph M. Kanes, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Long, New Mexico, on the 12th day of July, 1929.

Claimant names as witnesses: Henry H. Zaley, Joel J. Garrison, Frank N. Slough, William S. Slough, all of Long, N. M.

T. C. Tiltonson, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, N. M., April 22, 1929.

Notice is hereby given that Annetta L. Shepard of Jess, New Mexico, who on May 4, 1926, made homestead entry No. 2638, serial No. 8928, for southeast quarter, section 14, township 4 south, range 26 east, N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, United States Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on the 12th day of July, 1929.

Claimant names as witnesses: Cora E. Shepard, Charley E. Potter, Joana M. Pease, Edith M. Sanders, all of Jess, N. M.

T. C. Tiltonson, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, N. M., April 22, 1929.

Notice is hereby given that Guido M. Dunleavy, of Crosby, N. M., who on Jan. 20, 1926, made homestead entry No. 1962, serial No. 81397, for northeast quarter section 14, township 3 south, range 26 east, N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before F. S. North, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Hobe, N. M., on the 14th day of July, 1929.

Claimant names as witnesses: Samuel Junkins, Robert H. Hobe, Howard W. Derision of Crosby, N. M.; Jacob O. Sellenberger of Hobe, N. M.; Ray R. Hubbard, Crosby, N. M.

T. C. Tiltonson, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, New Mexico, April 23, 1929.

Notice is hereby given that John A. Bricker, of Dora, N. M., who on September 11, 1926, made homestead entry No. 3275, serial No. 81398, for southwest quarter, section 24, township 4 south, range 34 east, New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on the 12th day of July, 1929.

Claimant names as witnesses: Robert L. Youchem, Jess S. Payne, James F. Ball all of Dora, N. M.; Anderson L. Husholts of Portales, N. M.

T. C. Tiltonson, Register.

**Notice.**

To all whom this may concern: I hereby take this method of notifying all parties that I have my property listed with for sale that it is off the market now.

J. B. HEXT,  
McLean, Texas.

J. P. STONE, President  
S. A. MORRISON, Cashier

B. BLANKENSHIP, Vice-President  
G. M. WILLIAMSON, Vice-President  
A. F. JONES, Assistant Cashier

Condensed Report of Condition of  
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RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$118,906 24	Capital Stock	\$ 50,000 00
U. S. Bonds and Premiums	51,990 00	Surplus and Profits	11,063 63
Banking House, Furniture and Fix.	7,313 77	Circulation	50,000 00
Cash and due from Banks	84,647 40	Deposits	181,814 78
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$262,857 41</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$262,857 41</b>

I certify the above statement to be correct.

S. A. MORRISON, Cashier.


**The Red Cross Drug Store**

*Rubber! Rubber!*

And you had better rubber this way if you would secure the best bargains in medicinal rubber goods of all kinds Here you will find a line of

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## COALS of FIRE

By ALFRED STODDART

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The sun had mounted high in the heavens and was shining indulgently upon the pomp and glory of the Meadowthrope Hunt club's annual horse show when Ralph Goring's dog-cart drew up by the ring-side. The groom sprang to the horse's head and Ralph and Satterlee leaped down, the former to join a group of horsemen who were inspecting the horses in the ring, and the latter to look for Grace Rawlings.

Satterlee was stopping with Goring for the horse show at Oak Lodge, Ralph's jolly little "hunting box," as he liked to call it. The first time Satterlee had visited Meadowthrope he had felt keenly his lack of horsemanship, for Meadowthrope is a sporting community. On this occasion, however, he felt more at ease, having taken a tedious course of lessons in a New York riding school during the past winter.

To tell the truth, he was horribly afraid of horses and hated the very sight of them, but Grace Rawlings, the Chicago heiress, was staying with the Bradburys—Bradbury was the M. F. H.—and Satterlee's fortunes were at such a point that his only hope lay in heiresses. Besides, in Rome one must do as the Romans do, and here at Meadowthrope horse-show Satterlee's horse attire was quite as pronounced, if not more so, as that of any of the other men.

He wore a snuff-colored coat with a red waistcoat, brown riding breeches and leggings. Indeed, he was very smartly turned out. At the last moment, however, he had welcomed the opportunity of driving over to the show with Goring in his dog-cart instead of cantering over on a polo pony, the conveyance adopted by most of Goring's guests.

Satterlee found Miss Rawlings occupying a cogn of vantage on the box seat of the Bradbury's drag, and was welcomed by her with a gracious smile.

"Good morning, Mr. Satterlee," she cried; "I am greatly flattered that you should speak to me at all."  
"Flattered?" repeated Satterlee. "How could I flatter you? I don't understand."

"Oh, I expected to be entirely neglected to-day. With such an imposing array of beautiful horses, a mere girl ought not to expect any attention at all."

"But I assure you, Miss Rawlings, that if all the horses in the world were assembled in one place I could not see them while you were near."  
"Very nicely said, indeed," said Miss Rawlings, with a smile. "But, alas! I see that you are in your riding clothes, and you will probably leave me in five minutes to ride someone's horse in the saddle class."

Satterlee smiled. "Just to show you how wrong you are I intend to remain here by you all day. I had promised to ride one or two horses, but I will cancel my engagements."

"Indeed, you must not do anything of the sort; I cannot allow it," insisted Miss Rawlings. She was visibly pleased, however, much to the disgust of Harding, who had come up just in time to hear part of their conversation.

Wentworth Harding was from Chicago also, and was known to admire Miss Rawlings immensely. He and Grace had known each other since they were both children, and it was not very strange, therefore, that he rather resented Satterlee's cool appropriation of the heiress.

"I did not know you were such a keen horseman, Satterlee," he said, mischievously. But Satterlee was not to be taken off his guard.

"Oh, I ride a good deal," he said, carelessly. "But I don't care much for anything but 'cross-country' riding; it gets rather tiresome on the flat." He had made his bluff and determined to stand by it.

Harding did not know whether to be angry or amused. He knew that Satterlee could barely stick on a horse, and it made him rage inwardly to hear that enterprising youth boast of his prowess to Grace. He realized, however, that it would never do to ridicule Satterlee in her presence, for she seemed more than favorably impressed with him, so he choked his wrath and hastened off to where Ralph Goring and a group of his friends were standing. To them he related Satterlee's remarks, much to their delectation. Harding's wrath, however, was unabated, and he cast about in his mind for some means of felling the hateful rival who was, for the present, at least, triumphant over him; for Grace Rawlings had let him go without a word while she listened to Satterlee's boasting. He and Grace were friends of long standing, but she did not encourage his love-making. In his despair he sought Mrs. Bradbury, with whom he was a great favorite, and forthwith a plan of campaign was outlined between them for the discomfiture of Satterlee.

Beatrice Halliday, who had once given Percival Satterlee a little lesson in horsemanship, was sought by the conspirators and urged to enter into their plot. They found her only too

willing to do so. Her horse, Rocket, was entered in the class for hunters, and Rocket had carved out a name for himself in the Meadowthrope country. A few minutes later, just as Satterlee had excused himself and left Miss Rawlings, "just long enough," as he explained, "to beg off riding those horses," Mrs. Bradbury and Beatrice, arm in arm, approached the Bradbury drag, upon which the heiress was sitting.

Beatrice's countenance wore a look of anxiety which admirably concealed the diabolical plot which she was forwarding, while both Mrs. Bradbury and Harding, who assisted them to mount the drag, looked innocently unconcerned.

"Grace, dear," said Mrs. Bradbury, sweetly, "it seems you are favored above all other women, and Beatrice has come to ask your influence."

"My influence!" laughed Miss Rawlings. "With whom, pray?"  
"Why, Percy Satterlee, of course. You know he is considered the best 'cross-country' rider in New York."

"No, really!" exclaimed the heiress; then, remembering Satterlee's careless remarks, "To be sure, I have heard that he rode very well."

"Of course you have," said Beatrice, her eyes sparkling with mischief.

"Well, the favor I want to ask is simply this. I am dying to have Mr. Satterlee ride my horse, Rocket, in the hunter class, but I dare not ask him. Rocket is a good horse but a little headstrong, and it takes a good rider like Mr. Satterlee to show him to advantage."

"I am sure," said Miss Rawlings, "that Mr. Satterlee would be only too delighted to ride for you if you asked him. Why don't you?"  
"No, no! He would refuse, I am sure. He is so modest about his horsemanship. You would think he couldn't ride at all. Please, Miss Rawlings, do this for me, I beg of you," cried Beatrice. "I am going to drive home for luncheon, but will come back here in about an hour for the answer. Remember, I depend upon your influence."

So saying, Beatrice got down from the drag and went with Harding to seek her own carriage. Presently Satterlee returned, and luncheon having been spread by the servants from the spacious hampers which were carried in the boot of the drag, a merry party assembled to dispatch it.

Satterlee paid devoted court to the heiress throughout the informal meal. When it was finished and the men had lighted their pipes and cigars, he and Grace strolled away from the rest of the party.

They talked of many things, and finally their conversation turned to the coming race.

"I want you to do something for me. I want you to ride a certain horse in the hunter class," said Grace.

"Why, of course," replied Satterlee, "but whose horse is it?"  
"Satterlee's heart had almost stopped beating, and it was all he could do to

prevent his knees from smiting each other, but it would never do to betray such tendencies.

"I am not going to tell you just now," answered Miss Rawlings as they rejoined the party. She was delighted with her success in persuading Satterlee to do something which he would not do for such a favorite as Beatrice Halliday.

So when that charming young sportsman joined them after lunch, Grace was all smiles.

"I have secured your rider for you, Miss Halliday," she cried triumphantly. "Mr. Satterlee says he will be delighted to ride Rocket. Won't you, Mr. Satterlee?"

"Ride Rocket! Great heavens!" ejaculated Satterlee mentally. Ride Rocket, the brute that had nearly done for him once, a horse known and feared as a terror even among the hard riders of the Meadowthrope set! Was the woman mad?"

But he pulled himself together with a might effort. He saw that Beatrice was looking at him with eyes full of ill-disguised mirth; but he knew it was his only chance to win the heiress. So he set his teeth and braced himself to murmur with an easy nonchalance:

"Of course. Delighted, I'm sure."

Then he treated Miss Halliday to a look of deliberate defiance, which almost disconcerted her. She could afford to yield him a point, however. The plot was progressing merrily.

"It is awfully good of you," Beatrice murmured. "Now I am sure of the blue ribbon."

Presently the rumor commenced to spread that Satterlee was going to ride Rocket in the hunter class. People began coming up to the Bradbury drag by twos and threes to congratulate him on his nerve; some of them to pretend to dissuade him from his purpose.

But Satterlee was not to be daunted. He knew as well as anyone that he was the victim of general mirth, but fortunately Grace, a comparative stranger to Meadowthrope, knew nothing about horses in general or Rocket in particular. Hearing of the latter's reputation from every side, however, she now became alarmed on Satterlee's account and begged him not to ride such an ill-tempered brute.

Satterlee only laughed and gently reassured her. If it were intended that any horse should kill him, he would have been dead years ago, he told her.

To the others who came up Satterlee vouchsafed few replies, but contented himself by staring at them defiantly through his monocle. As the report spread and the time for the hunter class drew near he became the object of even more general interest. He saw himself being pointed out from a distance, and little groups of people, entire strangers to him, congregated in front of the drag to gaze at him and point him out to each other. Really, he was quite the hero of

the hour, and he began to enjoy the sensation.

But his enjoyment received a sudden shock when he beheld the attendants dragging a number of formidable-looking hurdles into the ring. There was a stiff post-and-rail fence, an ugly in-and-out, and a hedge.

The time had come when he must do or die, and he almost wished that he might choose the latter alternative. Only he wanted to die comfortably in a bed, not to have his brains kicked out by a diabolical brute on the tank-bark of the ring.

It was now or never. Sink or swim, come what might, the die was cast, so he bade Miss Rawlings a touching adieu and went to mount Rocket.

Beatrice Halliday was standing by Rocket's head. A groom assisted Satterlee to mount.

"You don't know how much I appreciate this," she said to the latter, sweetly.  
"Oh, yes, I do," he returned from beneath his set teeth. "I know just exactly how much you appreciate it, and some day I will return the favor."

With which sinister threat he set off for the entrance to the ring, the groom holding Rocket tightly by the head. The bugle played a fan-fare as Satterlee entered.

In another moment, however, she had given vent to a piercing shriek and covered her face with her hands; for the moment the groom had released Rocket's head, that enterprising animal had whirled himself around and thrown himself high into the air on his hind legs, pawing frantically at the atmosphere with his fore-feet. Satterlee grabbed at the reins, but one of them was lost. He could only tug desperately with the other, and the result was that in an instant man and horse were both sprawling in the tank-bark.

Fortunately Satterlee had fallen clear of the horse, but he lay absolutely motionless, as though dead. When Grace looked again he was being borne from the ring in this condition by a number of men who had rushed to his assistance.

In a very short time she was bending over him where he lay on a couch in the club-house. He was breathing quite regularly, but his eyes were closed and he appeared to be insensible. A doctor was making a hasty examination of him, but beyond a slight cut on his forehead, which was bleeding quite freely, he did not seem to be seriously injured.

Satterlee, who knew this as well as anyone, lay quite still, keeping his eyes closed by a mighty effort.

"They have ruled Rocket out for bad manners," he heard someone say from the club-house porch.

"Do you think he will die, doctor?" inquired Grace in an agonized tone.

"Oh, no," returned the physician cheerfully; "at least not this time. With careful treatment I am sure he will recover. But I can't understand why he does not regain consciousness."

I think perhaps I had better bleed him."

"The deuce you do," said Satterlee, and he opened his eyes. A glad cry escaped Grace, and the doctor's eyes twinkled.

"I will leave him in your care a few minutes, Miss Rawlings," he said. "He needs rest and quiet. You must keep people away from him."

"But I must ride that horse," said Satterlee, making a motion as though to get up. Grace's hand gently detained him.

"You cannot," she said. "Rocket is ruled out, and so he ought to be. What a dreadful, dreadful horse! How can I ever atone to you for asking you to ride him?"

Satterlee smiled. "You can atone for it, but I am afraid the penance will be too great."

"Nothing can be too great. I am wretched about it."

Then said Satterlee tenderly, seizing her hand, "You can atone, Grace, by becoming my wife."

Miss Rawling's face became suddenly rosy-red, and to conceal her embarrassment she buried it in her dainty handkerchief.

"Oh, Mr. Satterlee," she whispered, "you are such a dashing knight."

Satterlee extricated her mouse-tail from beneath his red waistcoat and once again kissed it tenderly. The heiress was touched and her eyes filled with tears.

"If I do, Percy," she said, leaning over him, "will you make me one promise?"

"I will promise anything, everything, my darling—only say you will be mine."

"Then promise me on your sacred word of honor that you will never again ride horseback."

Satterlee pretended to hesitate. "You have asked me to give up a great deal," he said, "but I promise—I promise."

Then, forgetting his wounded condition, he jumped to his feet and kissed her, much to the dismay of Wentworth Harding and Beatrice Halliday, who chanced to look in from the clubhouse porch at that moment.

It was not until after his marriage that Satterlee took his threatened revenge on Beatrice. One day she received a package from a fashionable jeweler, and upon opening it she found that it contained a pin in the form of a dainty gold horse-shoe, upon the arch of which the word "Rocket" was spelled in letters of pearls and diamonds.

Satterlee's card came with it, and over the name he had scribbled "Coals of Fire."

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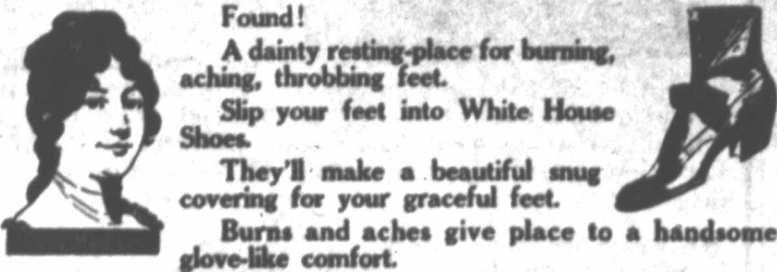
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Notice is hereby given that William A. Painter, New Mexico, who, on Nov. 1, 1907, made homestead entry, No. 13128, serial No. 91382, for southwest quarter, section 2, township 1 south, range 31 east, New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office, at Portales, N.M., on the 16th day of June, 1909.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Miles Manning, James S. York, Rev. E. Farnley, John M. Price, all of Painter, New Mexico.  
T. C. Tillotson, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, New Mexico, April 20, 1909.  
Notice is hereby given that Andrew J. Hoidy of Macy, N. M., who on August 11, 1908, made homestead entry No. 8613, serial No. 010796, for southwest quarter, section 11, township 2 south, range 33 east, New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before A. I. Maxwell, U. S. commissioner, at his office in Macy, N.M., on the 16th day of June, 1909.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Oscar O. EIGHT, Joe Rich, J. B. Patton, Hutton N. Prichard, all of Macy, New Mexico.  
T. C. Tillotson, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
Department of the Interior, United States land office at Roswell, New Mexico, April 12, 1909.  
Notice is hereby given that James L. Meek of Delphos, New Mexico, who, on Feb. 17, 1908, made homestead entry No. 14169, serial No. 014029, for southwest quarter, section 18, township 2 south, range 33 east, New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on the 16th day of June, 1909.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Overton E. Martin, William C. Thornton, William T. Weaver, Joseph B. Patton, all of Delphos, N.M.  
T. C. Tillotson, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. land office, at Roswell, N. M., April 16, 1909.  
Notice is hereby given that William E. Williams of Arch, N. M., who, on Oct. 28, 1902, made homestead entry No. 3023, serial No. 00845, for southeast quarter section 26, township 2 south, range 36 east, New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office at Portales, N. M., on the 17th day of June, 1909.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Lee Trammell, Gibbs W. Dyer, William H. Williams, Levi Bonter, all of Arch, New Mexico.  
T. C. Tillotson, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, N. M., April 17, 1909.  
Notice is hereby given that Joseph W. Hampton of Casey, N. M., who, on April 14, 1908, made homestead entry No. 14848, serial No. 014660, for northwest quarter section 34, township 5 south, range 36 east, N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, N. M., on the 16th day of June, 1909.  
Claimant names as witnesses: James D. Williams, Max Oliver, Taylor D. Little, Fred Snider, all of Casey, New Mexico.  
T. C. Tillotson, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, N. M., April 7, 1909.  
Notice is hereby given that William D. Milling, of Floyd, N. M., who, on August 22, 1908, made homestead entry No. 4499, serial No. 00906 for 5/8 southwest 1/4 section 12, township 1 south, range 32 east, N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner at his office at Portales, N. M., on the 15th day of June, 1909.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Enock F. Dunham, Frank B. Hearne, both of Floyd, N. M., Caswell T. Cotton, of Lacey, N. M., Samuel C. Hekel, of Portales, N. M.  
T. C. Tillotson, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, N. M., April 3, 1909.  
Notice is hereby given that Richard O. McNeely of Portales, N. M., who, on Nov. 1, 1908, made homestead entry No. 1823, serial No. 011431, for southwest quarter section 8, township 2 south, range 33 east, N. M. principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, N. M., on the 15th day of June, 1909.  
Claimant names as witnesses: William H. Snell, Harry H. Clifton, Joseph Rich, James L. May, all of Portales, N. M.  
T. C. Tillotson, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, New Mexico, April 16, 1909.  
Notice is hereby given that Walter Horton, of Portales, New Mexico, who, on June 8, 1904, made homestead entry, No. 3108, serial No. 02293, for southwest quarter, section 15, township 2 south, range 34 east, New Mexico, principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on the 16th day of June, 1909.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Royal J. Noble, Noah H. Clayton, Joe Howard, H. Clay Bedinger all of Portales, N. M.  
T. C. Tillotson, Register.

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