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Back from Santa Fe

W. H. Braley returned Sunday from attending the state democratic committee meeting. Mr. Braley says that he has attended quite a few gatherings of this character, but that never before did he attend one more harmonious, or meet with a committee that was so unanimous in their determination to put up a strong fight for success at the polls. He says that the sentiment was entirely for strong, clean men for state, county and district offices, regardless of all questions of locality or personal claims to recognition. He says that he was very strongly impressed with the personnel of the meeting. That in point of ability and native intelligence, he never met with a gathering more able. That he had no idea that New Mexico could boast of men so big mentally. In the selection of Judge Laughlin for chairman of the committee, a real big man was chosen, one whose integrity and whose democracy will stand unchallenged by any man; in fact, Mr. Braley appeared to think that in the newly elected chairman, the democratic party possessed excellent timber for gubernatorial honors, however, he thought that with so many big men to select from, that the liability to error was very slight. Governor McDonald was given much credit for his wise and clear administration and there were none but would say that he had made the best governor New Mexico ever had, bar none. Mr. Braley was highly pleased with the meeting in every respect, and has promised to have something to say to the democrats of Roosevelt county along these lines in the near future.

J. B. Sledge Buys Hardy Stock.

This week J. B. Sledge bought the Hardy stock of hardware and implements. This was quite a large bunch of goods but Mr. Sledge says that he brought them right and that he expected to put a price on them that will prove so attractive that he will not have to find room for it long. Mr. Sledge is one business man that knows a good thing when he sees it and he also likes to pass it along to his customers.

It's Now Alderman Goodloe.

The board of town trustees, at its meetings Tuesday night, appointed Charles Goodloe a member of the board to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of Mr. D. Hardy to Fort Worth, Texas. Mr. Goodloe is a progressive capable man and the town board could not make a better selection. The News hereby nominates him for one of the new board that will be elected in April.

McRea Moves to Town

J. D. McRea has purchased the Faggard residence and moved to town. Mr. McRea is one of our prosperous stock farmers who has made his little pile and decided to live in town from now on. He is a good citizen and the people of Portales are sure glad that he has decided to cast his lot with them.

JIM Burleson Killed

There is a report to the effect that Jim Burleson was shot and killed by a man who was camping near Ranger Lake. It appears that Burleson had been drinking and that his assailant shot him believing him to have been a burglar.

A kid on a corner can see more in five minutes than an adult and discover in an hour of rubbernecking.

Cozy Theater Burns

Last Friday night the Cozy theater was almost totally destroyed by fire, the origin of which is unknown. The alarm was turned in about 11:30 o'clock and the fire boys responded promptly. The roof of the building caved in and most of the contents were destroyed. There was two thousand dollars insurance on the building and five hundred on the inside stuff. Mr. Beaver, the owner of the theater, is the heaviest loser, he having an electric piano destroyed that, alone, cost as much as his insurance amounted to. The building is owned by Louis Kirby.

Shot His Brother.

It is reported that one day last week a certain boy, about twelve years of age, ran away from home taking with him a shotgun. A younger brother about twelve, was sent after him on a horse. Upon coming up with the runaway, he informed him that he had been sent after him, whereupon the older one turned the gun on him and fired, hitting him on the arm. The parties live in town. No arrests have been made.

New Millinery Store

Mrs. Mahaffey will open a first class and up-to-date millinery store in the building next door to the News office. She has purchased and installed fixtures and will leave this week for Kansas City to buy her spring and summer stock. She promises to have all the new creations in ladies' headwear, and will open her place for business about March first.

Though golf is a cure for insanity it is believed to be demonstrable that some perfectly sane people play the game.

Every time a man does a charitable act some vinegar visaged misanthrope is ready to swear he has an ax to grind.

An inquisitive person wants to know what bathing beach guards do all winter. Maybe they pose for clothing ads.

After a man has shaved himself for a long time almost any barber into whose hands he falls seems to be an expert.

Doubtless the old fashioned "mat lighter up" has pulled in the ladder and escaped as one never hears of him any more.

About the only justifiable passport plot we can think of is one that enables the perpetrator to forge his way out of Europe.

Ten-cent baseball is creating considerable discussion, but much of the baseball afforded this year was not worth a jitney.

Scientists inform us the higher we go the colder it gets. Perhaps that is why more of us do not struggle to reach the top.

For every would-be humorist there is in the world there are at least a thousand women who are unable to appreciate his jokes.

Having evolved the nonskidding banana peel, perhaps Luther Burbank can now be induced to turn his attention to the Culebra cut.

The Lord may help those who help themselves—providing they do not overdo it by trying to help themselves to more than their share.

Our navy department is pleased with its experiments in wireless telephony, but it is not likely that the next war will be fought vocally.

It is perfectly plain that the alleged and so-called canals on Mars are where the embattled Martians have been digging themselves in.

At the age of twenty-one the average man starts in to reform the world, but at fifty he is busy trying to keep the world from reforming him.

What has become of the old fashioned man who considered it a distinction to have a tooth pulled without taking anything to deaden the pain?

Cited for Disbarment

Manuel U. Vigil and Elfego Baca have been cited to appear in the federal court at Santa Fe, before Judge William H. Pope, on April 1st, and show cause, if any there be, why they should not be debarred from the practice of law in the court aforesaid. The citation recites the indictment, arrest and subsequent escape of one, Hose Inez Salazaar, charged with the crime of perjury in the said court. The perjury charge grew out of the trial of the said Salazaar, in which he, testifying in his own behalf, is alleged to have falsified in his evidence as to facts of matters material to the issues in the case. There has never been any question of Salazaar's guilt of all the crimes charged against him and much unfavorable comment has been passed upon the conduct of the different trials by Elfego Baca, however, the citation to appear and show cause why they should not be disbarred came rather as a surprise.

The President's Tour

President Wilson's recent speech making tour has been one continuous ovation from the time he began in New York, until he returned to Washington from the west.

If anyone had a doubt as to the power of the hold that President Wilson has on the people of this country, that doubt was surely dispelled by this trip. The president was more than delighted to find such an overwhelming volume of enthusiasm in Milwaukee which is the greatest stronghold of German blood in the United States. It was most gratifying to him to know that these people are Americans first; and Germans afterward.

We see by the papers that the Kaiser who is dying in Berlin has returned to the front.

Work that Must Be Done

It's not the work you'd like to do, The work that pleases most, Or represents the best in you, Of which you really boast; It's work that's done from loyalty, That means a triumph won; And one's best work must ever be The work that must be done. For time and tide wait for no man. And Duty's clarion call Rings out; you do the best you can; You give your heart and all; Tho' oft the heart is full of tears, And hidden be the sun, The world will judge you, it appears, By the work that must be done. What though the task heart-breaking be, Or scarce seems worth the while? The painted clown you sometimes see Might reason in this style. His sorrows—what are they to you? His to provide the fun; And thus he does, as you must do, The work that must be done.

Germany protests against the arming of Italian Liners, and it does not seem strange that a notion doesn't want her women and children to be drowned if she can help it.

"Who will be the first to meet Willard"? asks a headline' somebody can have our proxy.

Though she won't join in, the Allies must admit that Hellas is paved good intentions.

Of course madam, you did not raise your son to be a soldier. Your neighbor's son should be the one to protect you from the ruthless hand of the invader when he comes.

We suppose Wilhelm has come to feel that a boil on the stove is worth two on the neck.

Better Oil Than Water.

While considering the advisability of putting on a street sprinkler, why not inquire into the feasibility of going the proposition one better and putting on oil. At the least calculation, one must one must have something better than one hundred dollars per month to street sprinkling purposes. Allowing for six months in the year, this would amount to six hundred dollars alone. Adding to this the extra cost to the city for running the pumps over time to furnish the water necessary, would amount to another twenty-five dollars per month, or a total of seven hundred and fifty dollar for six months service. The remainder of the year our streets would be dry. It is estimated that with one car of crude oil the street around the square could be oiled, to gether with the streets leading off in all directions for at least one block, with two cars of oil the streets could be put in a dustless condition and would remain so for at least one year and possibly, longer than that. This oil could be bought for about half the money the water sprinkling would cost, and would be a permanent improvement. It has been suggested to the News that a business man's meeting be called and this matter taken up and discussed. It would also be proper to appoint a committee to take up the matter of the cost of the oil, and to get into communication with some authority on the amount of oil necessary to put a given amount of road in good condition. It is believed that the town board would find some way to put some of the occupation tax money into oil for this purpose, at least as much as would be the extra cost in pumping for the water proposition. The columns of the News are often for the discussion of this proposition and all who are interested are invited to give their views on this matter. Oiled roads are no longer an experiment. In the North and East they are very common, and wherever in use, are given the very highest praise. Why not have them in Portales?

Keep Off the Grass

The public has been notified that it must not walk across the grass at the court house lawn. This is as it should be, and, furthermore, it is very probable that the room formerly used by pedestrians has all been taken up by drays and wagons that are still permitted to be driven across this same plot of grass.

Every time we dish up a genuine 18-karet joke some self styled wag anblems along and wants to know what exchange we cowed it from. And still we haven't the slightest inclination to commit murder.

Having bought from the creditors of the Hardy Hardware Co. all notes and accounts, would be pleased if all parties owing same would call and settle.

142 J. B. Sledge.

It is a peculiar coincidence that in tax assessment blanks furnished the various counties for parties to make their returns that only the white faced cow and her mate is discriminated against. It has a special place for the listing of all registered Hereford cattle, while no such distinction is made for the Durham, Holstein, Jersey, Sheep, Hog, or ass. Was this an oversight or just a little package for the registered Hereford breeders?

Who Will It Be?

Flowers, plants and shrubbery will beautify any yard or any home. A systematic cultivation of them by the people at large will make a veritable garden of beauty out of any town.

A few seeds, a little elbow exercise, and the work is done. The principal occupation then is to watch them grow.

Women invariably take the lead in the beautifying of the home and its surroundings, and we have many women in this town who are experts in this line.

This summer some one of these women is going to have the most beautiful yard in town. Who will she be? We would like to see every woman in town strive to be that one. We would like to see every woman make of her place a spot that is pleasing to the eye, a spot that attracts the attention and compels the admiration of people as they pass by.

We would like to see husbands encourage the wives in such a laudable undertaking by securing the manual labor necessary, slight tho it be.

We would like to see this town converted this summer into one of the show spots of the state, and we'll personally join the procession any time it is formed.

What do you say, brother, or sister? Are you game?

Movement to Sprinkle Streets

T. V. Denton has made a proposition to the business men of the town to put on a street sprinkler and keep the streets around the square wet enough to prevent the dust from blowing when "the Springtime Comes, Gentle Annie." This is a meritorious movement and Mr. Denton should receive the needed encouragement necessary to make a go of the proposition.

Would Move National Capital to Milwaukee

Washington, Feb. 8.—Representative Cary of Wisconsin today introduced a resolution for transfer of United States capital to Milwaukee. He said he did it because of pending legislation which might make the District of Columbia dry. Prohibition, he said, was a "menace to society and good government."

Arthur Jones Buys Home

Arthur Jones this week bought the Bascom Howard residence property from C. V. Harris. This is one of the most desirable residence properties in the city and will make a splendid home for Mr. Jones and family.

Johnson Delivers Cattle

Big Johnson this week passed through town with four hundred head of white faced cattle recently purchased by the Williamson-Oldham Cattle Co. They are to be delivered to the Campbell ranch recently purchased by the above company.

Elliott Buys Bulls

Wm. Elliott this week bought fifty head of bulls from the Williamson-Oldham Cattle Co. They are all full blooded stock and he will put them on his ranch west of Portales.

Court Draws Jury

This week Judge John T. McClure arrived from Roswell to draw the grand and petit juries. He was accompanied by Court Stenographer McGee.

Of course your excessive modesty would prevent your answering the question, but we would really like to know the name of the smartest man in this community.

Tax Payers ATTENTION

Property Valuation for 1916

(Under the Law)

Fix the Classification of our county, and the amount of our Taxes for four years to come. Fix, also, official salaries.

Public Meeting

to be held at Court House in Portales

Saturday, February 12th

at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

"Vigilance is the price of liberty"

BE PRESENT

Executive Committee Taxpayers Ass'n.

THE PORTALES VALLEY NEWS

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Whither Goest Thou, Gasoline?

There is no such thing as a gasoline trust. The Standard Oil Company is a benefactor of mankind and John D. Rockefeller is the high priest of this philanthropic aggregation commonly known as the oil trust. Not long since gasoline retailed in many of the states for from six to eight cents per gallon, delivered at your door, now it is thirty cents per and you can come after it; also, it is confidently predicted that within the next few days the price will have gone to forty cents the gallon. Of course the advance in price does not hold any terrors for the editor of the News, or the average country newspaper man, yet he cannot help but feel a deep sympathy for his less fortunate brethren who are compelled to work for their daily supply of this commodity in order that their buzz wagon shall perform its duty. Before we got rich in the newspaper business and while we were plodding along in the same class with the sore oppressed and overburdened banker man, this sudden advance in the price of mobile juice would have been a sad blow and it is possible that the buzz wagon would have been sacrificed and our humble self been reduced to the straits of a couple of broom tails and a dilapidated buckboard, however, it does look just a little suspicious when gasoline goes from six per to forty, and especially so, when petroleum wells are being daily brought in. There is no such thing as an oil trust, but this gas sure does perform some funny stunts when its keepers lose control, don't you think?

The Appointment of Brandeis.

The appointment of Mr. Brandeis to the supreme bench by Mr. Wilson was, probably, the happiest and most important act of his administration. For the first time in the history of the nation it can be said that the great common people have a friend at court. Since the foundation of our government, each succeeding president has appointed as supreme court justices only those who had spent the greater portion of their lives in the employ of the corporations. These men have not been dishonest; on the contrary they have, for the most part, been gentlemen of high moral character and great ability as jurists, but their lives having been spent apart from the interests of the citizenship and having been in such close touch with corporate greed and corporate control, it has been impossible for them to view matters from any angle other than that in consonance with their life training. The principal occupation of the United States Supreme court has always been to find some technicality through which the acts of congress might be set aside rather than to seek some hypothesis by which they might be sustained. It has been a court of, through and by the interests and not a court in which the bread winners of the nation might look for comfort and relief from the extortion of the higher ups. With the confirmation of Mr. Brandeis as one of the supreme court justices, the toilers of the republic will have a most powerful and fearless friend in the highest court in the land. He has devoted his life to the study of the law and its application to the affairs of the country. He it is who has conducted some of the most iniquitous trusts that ever harassed an overburdened people. In all the world, today, there is not another man so peculiarly fitted for the appointment tendered him. The very fight that is now being waged against his confirmation furnishes ample proof that he should be confirmed. The time is past when nice distinctions should be drawn between judges who are trained to thwart the will of the people and those individuals who commit crimes with impunity because their friends hold high judicial positions. There is but little difference between the malefactor, himself, and he who uses his judicial power to save him from paying the penalty of his frailties. A supreme court judge is a hired man in every sense and in every way as is the farm hand who draws his twenty dollars per month for plowing the soil, and he should be held to the same strict accountability to his employer. If he is faithful and zealous, he should be commended, and, if otherwise, he should be condemned. There is no reason why any citizen of the United States should speak the name of our supreme court with awe, nor shrink from any just criticism of its acts. President Wilson exercised the acme of good judgment when he sent the name of Mr. Brandeis to the senate for confirmation as one of the associate justices of the supreme court of the United States, and he may be depended upon to see to it that he is confirmed.

Why not call a business men's meeting for the purpose of considering the advisability and practicability of oiling the streets around the public square? It seems to the News that this would be the wise thing to do. If it should be decided to oil these streets it would eliminate much of the temporary and oft recurring expense of keeping the dust laid, and would be of a permanent nature.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The News is authorized to make the following announcements subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

SHERIFF
Ed B. Hawkins
B. B. Clayton
C. W. Terry
A. L. (Arch) Gregg

COUNTY CLERK
S. A. Morrison
Guy P. Mitchell
S. B. Owen

COUNTY TREASURER
J. A. Tinsley
John W. Ballow

COUNTY ASSESSOR
Burl Johnson

SURVEYOR
A. U. Kearns

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT
Robert A. Deen
Sam J. Stinnett

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 1
J. H. Sandefer
Carl Turner
Monroe Honea

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 2
Ed Wall

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MARCH 7-9, 1916

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...MONUMENTS

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..Inda Humphrey..

Notice of Foreclosure Sale

In the District Court in and For Roosevelt County, New Mexico.
C. N. SELLERS, Plaintiff
JOSEPH M. MANES and MARTHA V. MANES, Defendants.
No. 1069.
In pursuance of a decree of foreclosure and sale, made and entered in the above entitled action on the 9th day of November, 1915, the nature of which action was and is, to foreclose a mortgage deed, made and executed by the above named defendants, conveying to the above named plaintiff, the land and premises hereinafter described, to secure payment of the promissory notes of said defendants to said plaintiff, in the aggregate principal amount of One Thousand Dollars. To sell the said land and premises and to collect the said indebtedness, the interest thereon and costs of suit and attorney's fees. The amount of said debt as decreed, and the interest thereon to the date of sale, February 19th, 1916, being the sum and amount of \$1080.52.
I, the undersigned Special Commissioner, in said decree named and appointed, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the northeast front door of the Court house, in the town of Portales, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, on the 18th day of February, 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, all and every of the following described premises:
The northeast quarter of Section Twenty-seven in Township Five South of Range Thirty-six East of the New Mexico Meridian in New Mexico, containing One Hundred and Sixty Acres.
WITNESS, my hand, at Portales, New Mexico, this 18th day of January 1916.
Joseph B. Sledge
Special Commissioner

Notice of the Pendency of Suit

The State of New Mexico, To C. J. Jones, defendant, Greeting:
You will take notice that a suit has been filed against you in the District court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, in and for Roosevelt County, wherein Dallas M. D. McDaniel is plaintiff and you, the said C. J. Jones are defendant, said cause being numbered 1144 upon the Civil Docket of said court.
The general object of said court action are as follows: The plaintiff seeks to recover the sum of \$1400.00 with interest, upon a written contract executed by the plaintiff and defendant on the 9th day of May 1914, for services performed by the plaintiff for the defendant, and for the purchase price of four horses and one saddle, harness and bridle sold and delivered to the defendant by the plaintiff pursuant to said contract.
You are further notified that your property, to-wit: One buffalo bull about four years old, four calves, cows, from six to twelve years old, and one buffalo calf from four to five months old, has been attached upon a writ of attachment issued against you in said cause, and that unless you appear and plead or answer in said cause on or before the 15th day of January, 1916, judgement will be rendered against you by default and your said property will be sold to satisfy the same.
You are further notified that Geo. L. Reese is a lawyer for the plaintiff and his address is Portales, New Mexico.
Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 24th day of November, 1915.
(SEAL) J. W. BALLOW, Clerk.
By Guy P. Mitchell, Deputy.

Administrator's Notice.

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico.
In re the Estate of Atlas Hall, deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the estate of Atlas Hall, deceased, issued to Benjamin Hall, of Doreno, New Mexico, on the 12th day of January, A. D. 1916.
All persons having claims against the said estate must file same, with the Probate Judge of Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico, within one year from the date of issuance of said letters as after that time all claims will be barred.
BENJAMIN HALL
Administrator

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" 10.00 " "	7.50	" 11.00 " "	8.00
" 8.50 " "	6.35	" 10.00 " "	7.25
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" 5.00 " "	3.75	" 6.00 " "	4.50
Ladies' 8.50 Silk Sweaters at	\$5.00	Girls' 5.00 " "	3.75
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THE HOME OF GOOD GOODS

Local and Personal

Mrs. Pat Wolfforth was in from the old Lem Chesher ranch, the first of the week.

J. B. Sledge and W. S. Merrill have exchanged residence properties this week. W. S. wanted more garden room and the new location will put J. B. closer to the store.

Don't forget to attend the taxpayers meeting, Saturday.

Miss Sally Bryant of Red Lake, is visiting in Portales this week.

Mr. Beavers has fitted up one of the rooms in the Howard block as a temporary location for his picture show. The show will be open Saturday night.

Mrs. H. J. Wolfe, who has been visiting different points in Texas for the past five weeks, returned home Saturday.

Miss Ida Wolfe and brother left a few days ago for Lake Valley, for an extended visit.

Attention is once more called to the reckless auto speeder and the danger to children that is caused by his reckless driving. Portales has a speed ordinance and it might be well for speeders to look into it a little.

A new socialist in Roosevelt county, Walter Debs Page arrived at the home of Amos R. Page, January 29th, weight ten pounds.

Mrs. G. L. Reese left this week for a visit with relatives and friends near Norman, Oklahoma. Judge Reese accompanying her as far as Amarillo.

J. J. Pinson, the Democratic wheel horse and precinct committeeman from the Arch community, was in town Wednesday. Joe says that the outlook for good crops in his neighborhood were never any better.

The editor of the News was in Hereford Tuesday on the hunt for a printer and he is glad to inform the News readers that he secured a good one, Mr. Wood. Hereafter this paper will be enabled to get out earlier in the week and to give to its readers a larger and better paper.

Mr. George Reese, who managed the Dr. Miller farm, died last Monday, in Blackwell, Oklahoma, of fever.

And soon, now, the long haired, spindle shanked, short trousersed, eye glassed city youth will be out on the farm again telling dad how to make a million out of a penny.

Don't fail to attend the taxpayer's meeting at the court house Saturday. If you are interested in keeping down taxes and of not raising the present high county salaries you will learn something to your advantage at this meeting. Come.

A few months ago we noted an enormous amount of newspaper gab about "America absorbing the commerce of the world." Just gab.

We don't care how much you cuss us, but don't profane our sensitive ears with such discordant noises.

WANTED Board and room in private family. Must be first-class. Call Wood, at News office.

Baptist Notes.

Last Sunday was a good day with our Church. Subject for next Sunday morning: "The Law of Sacrifice," evening subject: "Christian Citizenship", discussed by Rev. G. W. Strand. We are glad to see a growing interest in our Baptist Union. Come thou with us.

W. E. Dawn, Pastor.

Methodist Church.

Brother Fous preached at the Methodist Church last Sunday, to the delight of all. The congregation, in keeping with its record, was fine. We invite you to come and worship with us again, next Sunday, you will surely be welcome at our church. Our subject next Sunday will be: "Soul Winning;" at night: "The Horses and Chariots of God."

A co-operative, or rather a union meeting will begin at the Methodist Church the fourth Sunday in this month under the leadership of Rev. W. M. McIntosh. We are praying and hoping for a great meeting.

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School Notes

Among the new pupils enrolled in school during the past week, are, George Kinnie, Dan Jackson, Willie Laxon, Marion Jones, Nobie Harris, Leslie Brown, Lncia and Mary Lee Knoles.

Some of the school visitors of the past week were: Mesdames Pitts, McDonald, Doyal, Beavers, Siegner, Fowler, Sanders, Wilson and Fay. Misses McMinn, Wallace and Bryant.

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Dr. Swearingin's Dates

Dr. Swearingin, of the firm of Doctors Presley & Swearingin, specialists, Roswell, New Mexico, will be in Portales, at Neer's drug store, on the 20th, 21st and 22d of each month, to treat diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, and to fit glasses.

Will, also, be in Elida the 25th of each month. 1-tf

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