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PORTALES BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AUG. 17

Will Meet in Portales—Many State Visitors Will Be Here—A Big Event for Our City.

The Portales Baptist Association will meet with the Portales church on August 17th. It is expected that this will be one of the best meetings for years. There will be people from different sections of the state.

This association will last for two or three days and will furnish a treat for all who will attend. Also many good people are asking about the irrigation proposition and this will be a fine time to show them what we have.

This is not a meeting of preachers only, but a number of the most prominent and substantial business and professional men of the state will be here. The meetings will be open to all and a cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

NEW MEXICO GAINS CONGRESSMAN BY NEW BILL IN THE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Reappointment legislation providing for a house of representatives of 460 members as compared with the present membership of 435 was agreed upon last night by the house census committee.

Under the reappointment legislation two states, Maine and Missouri would each lose a member and sixteen states would gain members as follows:

California 4; Michigan and Ohio 3 each; New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, and Texas 2 each; and Arkansas, Connecticut, Georgia, Illinois, Massachusetts, New Mexico, North Carolina, Oklahoma and Washington 1 each.

The census committee at the last session reported out a bill providing for a house of 483 members but the house voted to amend the bill so as to hold the membership to the present 435. The measure did not pass the senate.

SURPRISE PICNIC AT FLOYD.

On Tuesday of this week the patrons of the Floyd consolidated school met at the home of Prof. Hodges, with baskets loaded with eats and freezers of ice cream, and gave the professor and wife a real old fashioned surprise party. Almost the entire school district was out and a very enjoyable evening was spent by all.

FARM HOUSE BURNS

Sunday afternoon the farm residence of A. A. Wolford, who lives one mile out of Portales on the Elida highway, was destroyed by fire.

The fire broke out during the ball game, but by time help arrived it was in ashes. The fire was caused by the explosion of an oil stove.

MORE STREETS ARE BEING IMPROVED

The street running from the square at the Security State Bank to the city limits has been graded and put in to first class repair, culverts being placed at all crossings of streets and allies.

Along their residential property on this street Dr. Owens and W. B. Oldham have placed a curbing of 2x8 to hold the side walks in shape.

Colorado street has also been put in first class condition and culverts placed at all crossings. Mr. Webb, who resides on this street, deserves much credit for the success of this work.

The grading of these streets has all been done at the expense of the citizens living along same.

Steer Riding Will Be Feature of Floyd Rodeo

A rare treat for the easterners who visit the Floyd picnic on the 12th of this month will be the riding of two 4-year-old steers with sursingle. These steers have been trained from calves to pitch and now defy the best riders of the country.

Come on, you riders, and show what you can do. An emergency hospital will be provided to take care of the injured, and an airplane will pick you up out of the clouds. This event will be real fun for all but the riders.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION AT ALBUQUERQUE AUG. 18

Will Be Held Same Day as That of Republicans Here With 527 Delegates Attending.

The Democrats according to the official call issued today will hold their state convention at Albuquerque, August 18, the same day that the Republicans meet here to nominate H. O. Bursum for senator. There will be 527 delegates in the convention. The call follows:

CALL FOR DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION

A state democratic convention is hereby called to be held in the city of Albuquerque, New Mexico, on the eighteenth day of August, 1921, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day for the purpose of placing in nomination one candidate for the United States senate.

The chairman of the county central committee of each county in the state is hereby authorized and requested to promptly call a county convention or arrange for a primary election in his county, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the state convention in which the representation of the several counties will be as follows:

Bernalillo 57; Caron 10; Chaves 23; Colfax 29; Curry 23; DeBaca 7; Dona Ana 14; Eddy 17; Grant 19; Guadalupe 13; Harding 10; Hidalgo 6; Lea 9; Lincoln 12; Luna 19; McKinley 11; Mora 24; Otero 11; Quay 19; Rio Arriba 21; Roosevelt 13; Sandoval 10; San Juan 9; San Miguel 38; Santa Fe 23; Sierra 6; Socorro 18; Taos 14; Torrance 13; Union

24; Valencia 14. Total 527.

The fullest participation by women is urged and county and precinct chairmen are requested to invite all legal voters who may wish to support the principles of the democratic party regardless of party affiliations to take part in such primaries.

The credentials of all delegates to said state convention and any notice of contest should be in the hands of the secretary of the democratic state central committee at Albuquerque, New Mexico, on or before the sixteenth day of August, 1921.

Proxies of delegates to the state convention will not be recognized except when held by persons who are residents of the county from which the delegate-elect was chosen.

Further, a meeting of the democratic state central committee is hereby called to meeting in the city of Albuquerque, New Mexico, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of the seventeenth day of August, 1921, for the purpose of preparing the temporary roll call of the convention and the hearing of contests, if any exist, and for the transaction of such other business as may be properly considered by the said committee. It is urgently requested that every member of the state democratic central committee be present at the meeting.

By order of the State Democratic Central Committee.

ARTHUR SELIGMAN, Chairman.
Byron O. Beall, Secretary.
Santa Fe, New Mexico, first day of August, 1921.

The Old Settlers Reunion at Rogers

Wednesday of this week the Old Settlers' Reunion, which has been an annual affair for the past fifteen years, was held at Rogers, New Mexico. A good gathering of people from the eastern part of the county, as well as a good turnout from Portales was in attendance.

The program of the day started off with a parade led by the big bus containing the Portales Band was followed by a number of decorated cars bearing banners of welcome and trimmed with the products of the country. In the parade was a covered farm wagon bearing the inscription "Old Settlers' Reunion." This pictured the means of transportation fifteen years ago, when this celebration was first started. Bringing up the rear was a buggy drawn by a donkey, the occupants dressed in comical clown costumes which feature brought a laugh from everyone.

A nice shady arbor had been prepared for the speakers and the band concert.

Among the speakers of the day were: Gov. Lindsey of Portales, Rev. O. W. Carter, of Portales, and the Rev. Blair, of Plainview.

Perhaps the greatest interest was displayed in the ball games in the afternoon in which the Clovis shop team played the Portales team with a result of 7 to 3 in favor of Clovis. Then Rogers took on the winners with the result of a score of 7 to 0 in favor of Rogers.

FLOYD ITEMS

Misses Marjorie Ferrin and Ora Pearl Nash returned from the Las Vegas normal Saturday of last week.

Mrs. White of Stamford, Texas, is visiting her brother, L. A. Tolliver.

Messrs Paul and Clyde Haragan are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haragan, of this community.

Chas. Morrison and family of Oklahoma are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. K. Morrison of Floyd.

A large crowd of young people and quite a few of the older ones of this community were entertained royally in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robertson last Friday evening. Ice cream and cake was served before the guests departed. All reported a most enjoyable time.

Sunday school was well attended last Sunday. A larger crowd than usual being present. Rev. Nix preached a fine sermon.

The Methodist meeting begins here next Sunday, August 7th. Sunday school is regular at 1:30 p. m. Everybody is invited to attend.

On Tuesday of this week a large crowd gathered for an outing in the groves at Prof. Hodges. Ice cream was made and dinner was served picnic style. All reported a nice time.

MUST CUT TAXES OF LITTLE FELLOWS IF BIG INCOMES ARE EXEMPTED SAY DEMOCRATS

WASHINGTON, July 30.—The normal income tax rate and other levies on the "little fellows" must be cut down if any reduction is made in the taxes of the wealthy.

This was the ultimatum served today by Democrats on the House Ways and Means Committee now writing a new tax bill.

The development of the day in the tax revision situation was the definite statement by Chairman Fordney of the Ways and Means Committee that he would make every effort to have the transportation taxes, both freight and passenger repealed.

If this cannot be done, he said, he would seek to have the rates cut in half during the next year and repealed the following year.

The charges were made by Representative Oldfield, Arkansas Democratic whip, that the Republicans have decided to lift the tax burdens of the rich, but leave those of people of moderate means on the war basis.

He stated the Democratic leaders will fight to have the normal income tax rates, now four per cent, reduced to two or at least three per cent.

"The Republicans have virtually decided to repeal the excess profits tax on corporations and reduce sur-tax rates on wealthy individuals from a present maximum of 65 per cent to a maximum of 25 per cent," Oldfield said. "A few of the consumption taxes may be repealed but I find that virtually no consideration is being given to reduce the normal income tax rates."

"If the taxes on wealthy corporations and individuals are to be reduced I insist that the same reduction should apply to the little fellows. If the sur-tax on rates are cut in half the nominal income tax rate applying to income less than 50,000 should be reduced by the same preparation."

PORTALES BOY APPOINTED TO ANNAPOLIS NAVAL ACADEMY

Mike Roosevelt Lindsey Lindsey has received the appointment to the Annapolis Naval Academy from Senator A. A. Jones. Mike left Monday morning for Annapolis.

WARNICA-FIELDS GENTS FURNISHING EMPORIUM PUTS ON NEW DRESS

Warnica and Fields' Gents Furnishing Shop, the biggest little store in Portales, is brightening things up. They have installed new show cases and varnished things up which now gives the appearance of a big town store. Their stock is small, but what they offer is worth while and is steadily growing larger. These boys enjoy a good patronage and deserve it.

TWO-CENT TAX ON BANK CHECKS IS ALSO ADVOCATED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—A tax of two cents on bank checks, a flat license tax of \$10 on all automobiles, irrespective of cost or horsepower, an increase of first-class postage rates to three cents and an added levy on cigars, tobacco and cigarettes are understood to have been among tax revision suggestions presented today by Secretary Mellon to the House Ways and Means committee, meeting in executive session. Other suggestions were said to have included:

A reduction of 50 per cent in transportation taxes, both passenger and freight, next year, and their elimination the year following.

Repeal of the taxes on soda fountain drinks and ice cream.

Repeal of the excess profits tax and elimination of the \$2,000 exemption on corporations' incomes.

Increase of the normal income tax on corporations from the present 10 per cent to 15 per cent.

MT. ZION NEWS

Mrs. Bernie and son, Travis, and daughters, Mrs. Pearl Warn and Miss Rubie Bernie, arrived from Texas Saturday to visit in the home of Mrs. Bernie's daughter, Mrs. Talmage Carter.

Mrs. Finis Lott has been quite ill the past week.

Misses Della Mae and Norene Yoachim, of Portales, were the guest of the Misses Powells during the week end.

The Dora ball team motored to Causy to play the Causy team Saturday. The results were 14 to 4 in favor of Dora.

Mr. and Mrs. Tip Fullerton and children of Dora and S. G. Bridges of Elida, were guests in the Capps' home Sunday.

Rev. Blair, of Plainview, Tex., arrived Saturday to conduct a revival meeting at Mt. Zion.

Mrs. Pearl Warn visited Miss Luciel Lackey Sunday.

S. G. Bridges, of Elida, arrived Monday evening to conduct the singing service during the revival.

Miss Thyra Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Powell, of Dora, became the bride of "Chaffie" Palmer of Kansas, Monday, Aug. 1, at the home of the bride, Rev. Blair performing the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Palmer will leave the latter part of the week for their home in Kansas. We regret very much to lose Miss Powell from our midst, but nevertheless we wish them much happiness in their new life.

Mrs. Lillie Taylor returned Wednesday from an extended visit at Commerce, Texas.

CALL FOR DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION

The state central Democratic committee has issued a call for a state convention to be held at Albuquerque, New Mexico on August 18th, 1921. It is urgent that Roosevelt county have a full delegation at this convention.

Therefore, precinct chairmen of this county are directed to hold precinct conventions Saturday, August 13, 1921, to elect delegates to the county convention to be held at Portales, Monday, August 15th, 1921, at 1 o'clock p. m., to elect delegates to the state convention.

Each precinct is entitled to one delegate for each fifty democratic votes cast at last general election for governor, or fraction thereof.

No proxies of parties not qualified voters of precincts from which he may hold a proxy will be recognized.

J. A. FAIRLY,
County Chairman.

SOME RARE BARGAINS

Just glance through the Classified Ads on page 7, and you will be surprised at the bargains offered! When you have houses, rooms, land, or any thing you want to sell, trade, swap or rent, or any thing you need in your business, just insert a little classified ad and you get results. Try one.

BURSUM CLUB WILL BE ORGANIZED IN ROSWELL TONIGHT
Chaves County Supporters of Senator Expects a Big Membership.

ROSWELL, N. M., Aug. 1.—Members of both political parties who are supporting the election of Senator Holm O. Bursum in September, will meet tonight in the court house to organize a Chaves County Bursum club. A large attendance is expected. Chaves county republicans are unanimous in their support of Senator Bursum's nomination. The club, however, will be non-partisan and will receive republicans and also democrats who favor the return of the New Mexico junior senator, of whom there are considerable number throughout this county.

Sentiment in favor of Bursum's election is strong all through the Pecos Valley. The Bursum club at Portales has been organized with a membership reported to be considerable larger than the total republican vote in that town in the election last fall. The organization of Bursum clubs will be carried out by local supporters of the senator in Artesia and Carlsbad during the week.

If the Bursum clubs over the state are no stronger than the Portales club, the Bursumites will have to call on the socialists and farm labor party to furnish them enough to form a parade for the state. The News has been flooded with denials of membership by those whose names appeared as members last week.

Public Opinion

To whom Whom It May Concern:
Will the self appointed Chairman of the Republican party of Roosevelt county, kindly inform us who authorized the publication of the greater part of the alleged members of the "Bursum Club" which includes the names of Democrats and non-residents.
Why not properly advertise meetings of this nature, so that the rank and file of our party may come out and participate.
E. C. MURRELL.

To Whom It May Concern:
On Friday evening, July 22nd, a meeting of republicans was called by someone for the purpose of organizing a "Bursum Club" which meeting I attended and was at that meeting chosen secretary of the club. During the meeting the enrollment was polled and many persons who were not present were so enrolled, this roll was given me as secretary of the club as a part of the proceedings, and I, believing the same was bona fide and permission was granted by the persons themselves for their names to be placed upon the roll as members, gave this list together with the minutes of the organization to the press for publication.

I am practically a stranger in New Mexico, and am by no means a politician. I am not familiar with the politics of many people and relied solely upon being furnished with the names of persons who desired to join the club by person who do know or had solicited members for the club.

I am advised that many persons whose names appeared upon the roll as published in the Portales Valley News, did not enroll or give permission for any one to place their names upon the roll as members of the club, if that be true, I feel that a great injustice has been done them, and I humbly beg their pardon because I verily believed each name was used by the authority of the person enrolled, and should have withheld same had I known the facts.
Respectfully,
ALBERT MORGAN.

CALL FOR REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION

A convention will be held in the Court House Wednesday, August 10th at 1:30 p. m., for the purpose of selecting 5 delegates to attend the State Republican Convention at Santa Fe, N. M., to nominate a candidate for United States Senator. All republicans are invited to attend.
T. J. MOLINARI, Chairman.
W. H. BALL, Secretary.

In Santa Fe

There wasn't a man in Santa Fe
Who'd go to the mat with Shag Bronte.

He could ride a horse and shoot a gun
Like the Devil himself, and the deeds he'd done
Would put him in jail for a thousand years—
A changin' brands and rustlin' steers
And killin' men on the least pretext
Whenever his one-track mind was vexed.

His ineaqe ran in a tangled starin
To English, French and a dash of Spain—
With a trace of Scotch; and Indian tones
Were manifest in the high cheek bones—
The rest—pure hell and unrefined—
A nondescript with a mongrel mind.

He was hated and feared in every place
That knew his voice or evil face,
And even the ones who formed his clan
Cursed and despised him to a man.
But the curses never were voiced nor heard
By so much as the sign of a whispered word.

But there came a night when Shang Bronte
Made a mistake in Santa Fe.

A stranger leaned on the long-horn bar
And slowly puffed at a mild cigar—
A tenderfoot you would say at least,
Who ought to be back in the quiet East;
A man not meant for the turbulent way
Of frontier times in Santa Fe.

He dressed the West, but his clothes betrayed
To a normal mind they were tailor made;
And the guns that hung in the belt he wore
Were nickel-plate of a minor bore.
He paid no mind to the jibes and jeers
So plainly meant to reach his ears.

Then Shag walked in; and he quickly saw
The tenderfoot, when a loud guffaw
Boomed from his chest and he neatly drew
And shot the stranger's cigar in two.
But the stranger neither moved nor spoke
Except to call for another smoke.

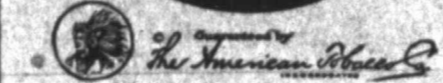
Shag stood watching the play begun,
His right hand holding the smoking gun;
The stranger placed the cigar with care
In his mouth; and then with a careless air
Made a motion as though to scratch,
In the masculine way, a ready match.
And all looked on—nor a soul divined
The move that the stranger had in mind.

As his hand swung up, a nicked gun
Crashed its shots and the game was done;
For Shag Bronte was dead before
His body fell to the barroom floor;
And he never knew he had matched his brains
With the man most feared on the western plains.

And Billy the Kid rode on his way
To the Texas line from Santa Fe.
—Griff Crawford in Kansas City Star.

Do you know why it's toasted?

To seal in the delicious Burley flavor. It's toasted.



Tularosa1,500 Mar. 16, 1921
Examinations to fill these vacancies will be held at the following places: Alamogordo, Albuquerque, Clayton, Clovis, Deming, East Las Vegas, Gallup, Raton, Roswell, Santa Fe, Silver City

and Tucumcari.
The examination is not under the civil service rules but under executive order of May 10, this year.—Albuquerque Herald.

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EXAMINATIONS TO FILL POSTMASTER JOBS IN THE STATE ARE ANNOUNCED

Postmaster Seligman and the local civil service board secretary W. L. Piatt today received notice of an open competitive examination to be held August 27 to fill the position of postmaster in 21 cities and towns in New Mexico. The names of the offices, the salary paid and the dates of the vacancies to be filled follow.

Des Moines	1,700	Jan. 23, 1921
Dexter	1,200	Jan. 1, 1921
Dulce	1,000	Apr. 1, 1921
E. Vaughn	1,100	Apr. 1, 1921
Elida	1,200	Jan. 25, 1920
Estancia	1,700	Mar. 16, 1921
Fort Stanton	1,200	Jan. 1, 1921
Gibson	1,200	Apr. 1, 1921
Grenville	1,200	Apr. 1, 1921
Hot Springs	1,100	July 1, 1920
Hurley	2,100	Feb. 6, 1920
Loveington	1,800	Mar. 16, 1921
Mills	1,200	July 1, 1920
Mora	1,200	Jan. 1, 1921
Nara Visa	1,300	Oct. 1, 1920
Old Alb'que	1,300	Apr. 1, 1920
San Marcial	1,600	Jan. 5, 1920
Bernalillo	1,200	Jan. 1, 1921
Clouderoft	1,300	Oct. 1, 1920
Corona	1,200	June 4, 1921

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Portales, N. M.

FORT SUMNER AND PORTALES STAGE HOT CONTESTED GAME

The game Sunday afternoon was the most interesting and hardest contested game played on the Portales diamond this season. Fort Sumner led with home-run and two scores in first inning, and things looked pretty gloomy for Portales the first part of the game. In the third inning Fort Sumner ran in five more, through errors and grand stand plays by Portales.

There were numerous costly errors on both sides, but both teams tightened up and played big league ball in latter half of the game. Graham's home run and another score tied the game in the eighth inning and air-tight ball predominated through to the last half of the 11th inning when Portales caused "curtains" by scoring the winning run.

Trout held down the mound in fine shape and Livingston's center fielding was perfect.

Following is the box score.

PORTALES		AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bralay, lf.	5	2	2	1	0	1	
Graham, 1b.	6	1	2	2	4	1	
Stevenson, ss.	6	1	1	0	4	2	
Langston, c.	5	0	3	1	2	0	
Siegner, 3b.	6	1	1	1	3	0	
Harris, 2b.	5	3	2	0	4	0	
Johnson, rf.	4	1	2	1	0	2	
Livingston, cf.	3	1	0	2	0	1	
Trout, p.	4	1	1	0	2	0	
Total	44	11	14	8	20	7	

FORT SUMNER		AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Chatman	5	2	1	3	0	1	
Dunlap	5	1	0	0	0	0	
Terry	5	3	2	0	4	0	
Laughlin	5	2	0	0	3	5	
Harrison	5	0	1	2	0	0	
Homburger	5	1	1	1	3	2	
Withers	4	1	0	2	0	0	
Merritt	5	0	0	0	2	4	
McHorse	5	0	1	0	2	3	
Total	42	10	6	8	14	15	

ELIDA DEFEATS FLOYD.

Last Friday the ball team of Elida composed of the second and first nine, defeated the Floyd team by a score of 7 to 5.

Floyd says that their regular pitcher was absent or they would have won the game.

OZARK TRAIL MONUMENT TO BE BUILT AT CARLSBAD; SIX NOW IN THE STATE

Carlsbad, July 27.—Contractor Kendrickson and his force of men arrived here the first of the week to begin work on the Ozark Trail Monument which will be erected at the corner of Canyon and Fox Streets. The new monument will be the same as all the rest which are being erected in towns along this route and when completed will make six that have been completed in this state, the others being at Clovis, Roswell, Dexter, Artesia, Lakewood and Loving. The monument will be twenty-four feet high and will be over six feet square at the base and all constructed of concrete and stone, lighted with electricity.

Wrong! There is an Ozark Trail Monument at Portales, and Portales extends every courtesy to the tourist. Convenient camp ground, freedom of the beautiful shady courthouse lawn, efficient and reasonable garages. Make your tour by way of Portales, the coming metropolis of New Mexico.

PORTALES TOMATOES NOW ON THE MARKET

Tuesday morning of this week the first of the Portales tomato crop was placed on the local market by T. B. Johnston.

JUST GOT OVER A COLD?

Look out for kidney troubles and backache. Colds overtax the kidneys and often leave them weak. For weak kidneys—well read what a Raton man says: George N. Wingo, 244 Terrill Ave., Raton, N. M., says: "Being exposed to rough weather and catching cold started my kidney trouble. My back became lame and very painful. My kidneys acted irregularly and I had to get up often during the night, to pass the kidney secretions. I bought Doan's Kidney Pills and used them. They regulated my kidneys, cured me of the lameness and pains in my back and I have not had such trouble since. I am always ready to say a good word for Doan's Kidney Pills."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Wingo had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

STORY OF A BUSINESS

The old adage that "Large Trees From Little Acorns Grow," appears to have been exemplified in the history of a business that came into being something like a year ago. Harve Baker came to Portales about four years since and commenced work in a shoe shop, being a saddle maker of many years' experience. The direct cause of the enterprise inaugurated by him was the fact that, during his long and varied experience making saddles he had never been able to discover an oil that would keep the leather in a saddle soft and pliable without injury to the leather. After much and many experimental attempts Baker's Leather Oil was the result. At first the factory was a very primitive affair, consisting of a galvanized iron pan of about two gallons capacity, an ordinary cook stove and an abiding faith in the product to be manufactured. Within a small space of time this oil attracted the attention of all men who handled leather, and many offers of capital to enlarge the business have been received, to all of which a deaf ear has been turned. At this time from this little galvanized iron pan has sprung a manufactory of one hundred gallons capacity and a rush of business that renders the present equipment totally inadequate. Mr. Baker attributes his success solely to the merit of the product, itself. Of the hundreds of gallons put on the market never a complaint has been heard; never a can returned. The body of this preparation is tallow, beeswax and petroleum jelly. An application of this oil will soften the hardest and driest leather, render it waterproof and preserve it. While it is the best known preparation for boots and shoes, harness and all leather articles, yet it is especially adapted to saddles, in fact, its equal for any of these products is not on the market.

Another output from this fast growing business is Baker's Foot Ease, a preparation that is guaranteed to stop the feet from sweating and from giving off that odor so offensive to all people. Every box is furnished on a positive guarantee to return the full purchase price if found not satisfactory. The title under which this business is conducted is Baker's Leather, Oil and Foot Ease Company, and a market has been established in practically every state in the southwest. It is not too much to anticipate a large and commodious factory in the near future that will go a long way towards helping to put Portales on the map for all big leather houses and boot and shoe makers. A communication addressed to this firm will bring samples of the products and full information. Write today for the two best sellers and the two commodities that you can safely put an iron clad guarantee behind.

Terms to suit purchaser on a DeLaval Separator. G. L. Hatcher, Floyd. 29-tfe

KENTUCKY VALLEY ITEMS.

We had a nice shower Wednesday of last week and were needing it, for it was getting too dry to farm.

Tom Reeves of Carlsbad was in this community last week after some stock he left here.

Miss Carrie Hendrix is visiting with her uncle who lives east of Elida.

Mrs. J. H. Fleming and family took Sunday dinner at the Beard home last Sunday.

Mrs. J. T. Hunter and children returned to their home at Elida last Friday after a week's visit in this community.

Mrs. J. H. Fleming called at the J. E. Kimbrel home Friday. Miss Mary Miller spent Sunday night with Miss Louise Beard.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Judah of Elida were visiting in the Kentucky Valley community Sunday.

The Kentucky Valley ball team will play the Floyd team Aug. 12th, the day of the picnic at Floyd, instead of the 4th as was slated in last weeks paper.

Miss Pearl Taylor returned to her home near Portales Friday, after a two weeks' visit among friends here.

C. M. Myers branded Thursday. There was a large crowd at the branding, about 40 in all for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cothern entertained the young people Thursday night with a party.

Dr. A. J. Evans was up from Elida last Friday.

MR. DAIRYMAN!

Ship your cream direct to us. We pay express charges and highest market price. At present we are paying not less than 35c per pound, subject to change without notice. Honest Test Guaranteed.

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Recent drastic reductions have brought Michelin Casings to practically pre-war prices, while Michelin Ring-shaped Tubes are now far below pre-war levels.

Here are actual comparisons on Michelin Tubes and on a few fabric sizes—Cord comparisons just as favorable.

	MICHELIN Ring-Shaped Tubes		MICHELIN Fabric Casings	
	1914	Today	1914	Today
30x3	\$3.50	\$2.65	\$13.00	\$14.30
30x3½	4.25	2.95	19.75	16.90
32x3½	4.50	3.20	20.75	20.90
31x4	---	3.60	---	23.90
32x4	6.00	4.20	26.50	27.90
33x4	5.25	4.20	27.00	29.20

We Carry a Complete Stock of Michelin High Quality CASINGS AND TUBES.

Vulcanizing Tires and Tubes. Battery Work.

City Service Station
PORTALES, NEW MEXICO

Don't stick with the prunes



MY DAD'S favorite yarn. WAS THE one about. THE OLD storekeeper. WHO WAS playing checkers. IN THE back of the store. AMONG THE coal oil. AND THE prunes. WHEN THE sheriff. WHO HAD just jumped his king. SAID "Si there's a customer. WAITIN' OUT front." AND Si said "Sh-b-h-t IF YOU'LL keep quiet. MESBE HE'LL go away." NOW HERE'S the big idea. WHEN A good thing. HAPPENS ALONG. DON'T LEAVE it to Georgia. TO GRAB the gravy. FRINSTANCE IF.

YOU HEAR of a smoke. OR READ about a smoke. THAT REALLY does more. THAN PLEASE the taste. THERE ARE no looks on you. THERE'S NO law against YOUR STEPPING up. WITH THE other live ones. AND SAYING right out. IN A loud, clear voice. "GIMME A pack of THOSE CIGARETTES. THAT SATISFY."

YOU'LL say you never tasted such flavor, such mild but full-bodied tobacco goodness. You're right, too, because they don't make other cigarettes like Chesterfields. The Chesterfield blend can't be copied.

Have you seen the new AIR-TIGHT tin of 50?

They Satisfy Chesterfield CIGARETTES

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Get the Habit--

of depositing your money in a HOME BANK. Money kept at home in an old clock or buried, doesn't help any one. Put it in the BANK, where it will help someone, then when you need help—you get it. THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK feels that it is under obligations to help its friends and customers.

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"A Home Bank." Portales, New Mexico

Plenty of Water for Stock and Garden

Why let the stock and garden suffer for water when for a small cost you can secure a good 4 1-2 horse gasoline engine which will do the work for you. A Bargain for cash.

See it at Portales Garage, or call at this office.

The Portales Valley News

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DEMOCRATIC IN POLITICS

Elsewhere in this issue will be found the story of a business which will mean much to Portales in the near future. The Baker's Leather Oil and Foot Ease Co. This is a business which is growing to such an extent that it will soon demand a larger manufacturing plant to take care of the business. And every package that goes out is an advertisement for Portales.

The News is for the entire county of Roosevelt and will do all in its power to help the development of the same, but it must insist on its patrons not trying to drag it into the local or factional fights of the different parts of the county. What we are after is for a better move for unity of the entire county for the development of the same and if the people of the county will stand by the News, the world will soon know that Roosevelt county is the best in the west.

The Mountain States Telephone company will increase their rates on the first of September. It seems that since the price of labor and materials have dropped that the cost of operation has increased. The Mountain States company is becoming top heavy with watered stock and are likely to strike a snag which will reduce them to reasonable rates and efficient service. The public is about fed up on the reduction price of everything that they have for sale and the increase on everything which they have to buy.

In regard to the Bursum club membership which was published in the last issue of the News, this list was furnished by the secretary of the club, and they were supplied to him by those whom he considered reliable. If you are not a member of this club, sign a statement to that effect and we will gladly publish same free of charge. The Portales Valley News is a newspaper in every sense of the word, and news is news, regardless as to what political, social or religious organization. We owe it to the public to give all the news, and the columns of this paper are not used to satisfy personal grudges. We are free to say that we were surprised to learn that there were 96 republicans in Roosevelt county, but if that is your belief you have nothing to be ashamed of. If you want to get into a real good crowd there is always room on the old band wagon which is drawn by the mule.

How are you going to vote on the school bond issue the 27th of this month? What will a new High school mean to Portales? At present the school is overcrowded and arrangements will probably have to be made for extra buildings to take care of the student body for the coming term. A High school building will take care of the congestion, remove the older pupils where they can have the best advantages to which they are entitled, leaving plenty of room for the grades. It is a proposition which should appeal to your civic pride, your business judgment and your sense of justice to the coming generation of citizenship. This school building will develop the town and country to such an extent that the few dollars of additional cost will soon be wiped away by the new capital and new developments which are sure to follow.

Saturday the people of Portales will vote in an unofficial election to express their desire as to whether Portales maintains a city marshal or not. This is not a personal matter as regards the present marshal, but will be to express their wish as to whether Portales has a marshal now or in the future. If the majority say no marshal, then the council will do away with the city marshal, and it will be up to the people to be good of their own accord. The maintaining a marshal does not

show that the town is a lawless community, but there are a number of disagreeable duties which must fall on some one and the marshal is the goat. If you do away with a marshal you should not complain if a neighbor's cow gets into your flower yard, or if a shipper brings a few car loads of loose stock to town and grazes them on the streets and lawns of the town for a few weeks while waiting for the market to get right for him to ship. But this is a matter for you to decide for yourselves Saturday. Come out and vote for or against. The election will be held at Whitcomb's Jewelry Store.

In the gathering of the Baptists of the state at Portales in the near future he Portales Valley will have another opportunity to show the world what she is doing in the way of development. Let every visitor to the town be entertained in a way that he or she will go away a booster for Portales and the Portales Valley.

No, Jasper, sticking a badly painted sign up in a show tent or on the elephant in a parade is not advertising. That is a donation from your hard earned dollars to the show outfit. People go to shows for the amusement they find. Since advertising was first conceived, slick guys have been inventing methods to get the money which ought to have been spent in the only pulling advertising way—the Newspaper.—Randall County (Texas) News.

Memphis has two good newspapers who are constantly supporting their city in everything that is undertaken in a commercial way. These newspapers have job plants capable of producing the ordinary line of job work. These newspapers are boosting the county fair. Yet when the fair officials wanted their catalogues printed, they send the job to Ft. Worth. These fair officials expect the Memphis newspapers to give the fair association page after page of free publicity. The newspapers will do so because they stand for Memphis. Yet these fair officials send away work which carries with it a little expenditure of money. This is a great old world. The harder the home man hammers for his community, the harder some business men will hammer the local man.—Randall County (Texas) News.

A CLASSIFIED AD GETS RESULTS

Last week Herbert Ryther found a ladies hand bag with some money in it, but no name or anything to identify the owner. He brought it to the News office and had it advertised in the classified columns. Late Thursday evening after the paper was out, Mr. Jack Wilcox called up and described the bag as belonging to a lady at Bovina, Texas. It was called for and the money left as a reward for the finder. It pays to advertise.

Prof. W. Krattli returned last Sunday from Ames, Iowa, where he had been on a visit to relatives before school starts. Mrs. Krattli and babies will return in the near future.

NEW MEXICO FARM NOTES

The condition of crops, ranges and livestock were never better all over the state. Generally the demand for farm and ranch products is light, and prices very low.

Chaves County—Wheat yield was from 25 to 40 bushels. Excessive rains damaged its quality. Much of first and second cutting of alfalfa damaged by rains which also makes conditions unfavorable for properly curing seed. Hay market very dull. Apple harvest will begin first week in August. Buyers paying \$1.20 per box for King David and Jonathans, and \$1.50 for Ben Davis, f.o.b. the orchards. Bees are doing well, honey selling at \$7.20 per case of six ten pound pails. All crops look good. Ranges and livestock in best of shape.

Colfax County—Wheat not yet harvested, condition good, but some small hail damage and quality not good. Exceptionally large yields of all crops now in prospect.

Curry County—Crops growing fast, ranges and livestock in good condition. Markets dull. Hogs 5 to 7 cents; beef cattle 4 cents;

wheat \$1 per bu.; grain sorghum \$3.00 per ton; old corn 45 cents per bushel. Heavy rains delaying harvest and reducing quality of wheat. Yield 10 to 15 bushels. Testing out 50 to 62 pounds.

Dona Ana—Crops and livestock in splendid condition. Shipments of pears in car lots started. Car shipments of cantaloupes begins Aug. 1. Floods resulting from heavy rains on the mesa have done considerable damage to crop in the valley. A survey of the cotton acreage just completed by the United States Federal Horticulture Board shows that while about 500 acres of cotton was planted this year, only 408 acres are now under cultivation. Some damage reported from bean beetle.

Eddy County—Too much rain for curing hay. Further damage to apple crop from hail. Crops generally growing fast. Stock and ranges in best of condition.

Grant and Sierra Counties—Abundant rainfall since July 8. Plenty of water in stock tanks, ranges rapidly improving. Cattle safe from further heavy losses. Crops look good, but acreage re-

duced. Rains came too late for much dry farming.

Harding County—Harvesting of this county's 80,000 acres of winter wheat is being delayed by excessive rains. The wheat is falling badly as a result.

Lincoln County—Favorable seasons have resulted in a condition above normal of all crops, livestock and ranges. Wheat not yet harvested. Too much rain for potatoes, but no blight so far.

Otero County—Seasons good. All crops in promising condition. Ranges and livestock in splendid shape.

Quay County—Harvesting of winter wheat progressing, yield normal, and quality fair. Crops late but good.

Rio Arriba and Santa Fe Counties—Frost killed practically all this year. Acreage of vegetables increased. Quality of grain poor in some places from lack of rain before crop matured. All crops ranges and livestock now in good condition.

Roosevelt County—Too much rain. Crops good, but in need of cultivation. Bud worms damaging corn. Stock and ranges in

WITH THE CHURCHES

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m.
Subject:—"Witness of the Spirit."
We will begin a meeting at Floyd Sunday night, August 7.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m.
Lords Supper at 11 o'clock a. m.
Preaching at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, subject, "The unpardonable sin."
Christian Endeavor at 6:30 in evening.

Nazarene Church

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Young People's Society at 6:15 p. m. Everybody invited to come and worship with us.
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Floyd, N. M.

14 MILES WEST AND THREE MILES NORTH OF PORTALES

FRIDAY, AUGUST 12, 1921

A BIG DAY AND A BIG TIME!

Everybody Come and Enjoy a Day of Recreation, Meet Old Friends and Renew Acquaintances. They Will All Be There!

Big Dance All Day and Night, Four Musicians, Nine Hundred Square Feet of Floor Space. Everybody Rag!

The Portales Band Will Furnish Music All Day!

BASKET DINNER—With Plenty of Nice Beef on the Side

<p>Entertainment For All Addresses by Prominent Orators and a Tournament Race at 10:00 o'clock will be the features of the morning's entertainment. Afternoon: Bronc Riding---the best string of bad horses in Eastern New Mexico. Entrance fee, \$2.50. Prizes, - \$15, \$10 and \$5</p>	<p>Steer Roping Contest This is a feature where the True Western Skill will be put to a test. Rope and break loose. ENTRANCE FEE, \$5.00 Prizes, - \$30, \$15, \$10, \$5 PLENTY OF SHADE!</p>
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GOOD BASEBALL GAME

For Information as to Concessions and Contests, See or Write

G. L. Hatcher, Mgr.
FLOYD, NEW MEXICO

COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION HAVE BUSY SESSION

The County Board of Education met in called session on Monday of this week and transacted the following business:

August 1, 1921. The Roosevelt County Board of Education met in called session to attend to matters pertaining to school affairs as the meeting of July 5, the same being the date of the regular meeting, but three members of the board could not be present on account of the heavy rains.

Stratton, Carmichael, Forrest, Palm and Reese being present.

Motion made and seconded that we do not divide Dist. No. 63, and that we advise the local board of directors to make the proper arrangements for holding school this term. 5 votes for, none against.

Motion made and seconded that we authorize Mr. Palm to make the necessary arrangements for transporting the pupils in district No. 73. 4 votes for, none against.

Motion made and seconded that we consolidate District No. 57, known as Parrish, and District No. 56, known as Oklahoma, the school to be maintained at the Oklahoma site. 4 votes for, none against.

Motion made and seconded to consolidate Arch and Elland as the pupils can all reach a centrally located school without transportation. 4 votes for, none against.

Motion made and seconded to advertise for bids for the building of new beds for trucks to be used in transporting pupils in consolidated schools. 4 votes for, none against.

Motion made and seconded to authorize Mr. Palm to take up the matter of transporting the pupils in District No. 17 to Elida. 4 votes for, none against.

Complaint attached to court order 1695 against the County Board having been served, the same was read by Supt. Palm.

Motion made and seconded that if the petitions mentioned in paragraph 6 of the plaintiff's complaint attached to court order No. 1695 were in the possession of Supt. Palm or any member of the County Board on the date June 13, 1921, or at the present time, that they be produced and read immediately. 4 votes for.

All members deny having in their possession the above petitions.

Motion made and seconded that after having read the above complaint in which the charge is made that only two members of the Roosevelt County Board were in favor of the consolidation of the schools mentioned in the complaint, and in order that there no question about the validity or legality of the consolidation of the above named districts, so that same shall constitute the consolidated school district Rogers No. 33, of Roosevelt County, New Mexico it is now declared by this board that the territory formally embraced in school districts Nos. 33, 34, 37, 91, 99 and 105 be and shall constitute a consolidated district, known as District No. 33, the school site to be located at Rogers, New Mexico.

Stratton, yes.
Carmichael, yes.
Co. Supt. Palm, yes.
Mrs. Reese, no.

Motion made and seconded that all petitions relating to the above consolidations, both for and against, be read and considered by the board. 5 votes for.

Motion made and seconded to hear Mr. Gillenwater on matters connected with Center District. 4 votes for.

Motion made and seconded that after reading petitions against the consolidation above referred to as the consolidated school of Rogers Dist. No. 33, that we as a board reind our action and not consolidat said district at this time.

Mrs. Reese, yes.
Mr. Carmichael, no.
Mr. Palm, no.
Mr. Forrest, no.

Motion made and seconded that in the matter of the petition in Dist. 27, (old Dist. No. 24) in regard to the moving of school house, that the matter be tabled until the question of consolidation of Shady Grove Dist. No. 60, is settled. 3 votes for.

Forrest yes.
Palm, yes.

Carmichael yes.
Mrs. Reese not voting.

Motion made and seconded that we advertise for bids on transportation in Districts Nos. 3, 17, 19, 22, 4 votes for.

Motion made and seconded that we advertise the Floyd school bonds immediately. 4 votes for.

Motion made and seconded to adjourn to meet Tuesday, Aug. 9, 1921, unless called by the chairman.

MRS. G. L. REESE, Sec.

August 1, 1921, 8 P. M.

The Roosevelt County Board of Education met in called session with the following members present: Forrest, Carmichael and Palm.

Motion made and seconded that in as much as the County Board of Education has made it a practice not to interfere in the employment of teachers by the local boards throughout the county, the County Board of Education does not feel justified in interfering in District No. 5 at the present time. 3 votes for, Carried.

Motion made and seconded that the County Superintendent arrange for the moving of houses at Rogers, Richland and Arch. 2 votes for, none against. Carried.

Motion made and seconded that we adjourn until August 9, 1921.

F. G. FORREST, Sec. Pro. Tem.

LOCAL PERSONALS

Will Ball was in from the Nobe community Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cooper were up from Kenna Monday.

Mrs. Walter Crow has returned from a months visit in Texas.

Mrs. M. B. Cummings, of Delphos, was a Portales visitor Saturday.

Last Sunday afternoon Rev. J. F. Nix preached to a full house at Floyd.

Dr. M. Byrne and wife left Sunday for a vacation to Hot Springs New Mexico.

Mrs. S. J. Nixon was over last week from Fort Sumner visiting with friends.

Commissioner Geo. T. Littlefield of Kenna was in town on official business Monday.

Hascal Todd, of Slayton, Texas, was the guest of J. G. Greaves and family over night last Friday.

Quite a delegation from Richland was in town Monday to confer with the County Board of Education.

M. M. Manus was in from the Kentucky Valley country Monday. He reports good crops in his locality.

Mr and Mrs. J. A. Saylor and son were down from Clovis Sunday the guests of the J. W. McMinn family.

J. E. Sturman was in from Olive Monday. Mr. Sturman reports a good rain out that way Sunday night.

Mrs. J. P. Stone and daughters Misses Gladys and Roma, returned last Saturday from a visit to Fort Sumner.

John Russell was in from Upton last Thursday, and reports thing fine and dandy in his section of the country.

Mrs. Wood, ne Miss Ora Crawford, came in from Oklahoma Monday to spend a few days visiting her parents.

G. R. Greathouse and family left Wednesday by automobile for Ohio, where they will visit the old home for about six weeks.

Mrs. J. H. Bond, of Plainview, Texas, who has been visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. F. Jones, for the past three weeks, will leave the first of the week for her home. Mrs. Bond is formerly of Portales.

Miss Beola McMinn left Sunday to spend her vacation with her brother, Edgar McMinn and family, at Fort Worth, Texas.

Mrs. Harve Beeman of Kentucky Valley and Mrs. A. A. Beeman and children of Elida, were Portales visitors the first of the week.

Mr. Hart of the Delphos community has leased the cottage recently completed by Mr. Forbes and will move his family to town for the school term.

L. M. Carmichael was up from Kenna Monday to attend the meeting of the County Board of Education. Mrs. Carmichael accompanied him.

Mr and Mrs. Lewis Roderick were over from Fort Sumner last Sunday attending the ball game and visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Roy W. Connally.

Mrs. W. R. Farris, of Carlsbad, an old time resident of Delphos and Portales, is visiting Mrs. M. B. Cummings and other friends at Delphos.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilcox, of Portales, have been visiting friends here for the past week. They are a jolly couple, and a visit with them is always to be enjoyed.—Ft. Sumner Leader.

T. V. Addington, one of the old timers of Portales, was here Sunday looking over the town and meeting old acquaintances. Mr. Addington is visiting his daughter Mrs. John Luikart at Clovis.

A J McNutt, of Uptin, was in town last Friday. Mr. McNutt has recently purchased a number of Jersey cows and says that dairying is what will put Roosevelt county to the front.

Miss Pearl Taylor, who has been visiting friends at Claudell and Kentucky Valley for the past two weeks returned home last Friday, accompanied by Miss Ollie Cothorn of Claudell.

Prof. and Mrs. J.-W. Taylor returned Saturday from the Las Vegas Normal College, where they have been attending the summer term. They left by auto for Lockney and other Texas points for a visit of several weeks before resuming their school duties in Roosevelt county.

John V. Miller returned Sunday July 24th, from an overland trip to visit his father, F. F. Miller, of Dallas, Texas. Mr. Miller has been rather feeble so accompanied his son home where he will spend some time trying to benefit his health. He was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. F. F. Miller Jr.

Prof. Sam J. Stinnett and family returned Saturday from a trip to West Texas points. Prof. Stinnett says that Roosevelt county looks mighty good to him since his return. He was accompanied home by his brother-in-law, N. H. Green of Childress. Mr. Green will probably locate in Roosevelt county.

Milton Hardy, son of Dr. Hardy of Ardmore, is visiting his grandfather, R. Hardy, this week. Mr. Hardy has been in Baltimore with his father in attendance of the Medical Society of America, which has been in session at that place. Clarence Bivins, another grandson of R. Hardy, returned to Ardmore Tuesday after several days visit here.

J. M. James, representing a number of trade journals published in Philadelphia, Pa., was in town Monday. Mr. James says that he has traveled over Louisiana, Arkansas and Texas in the past few weeks and that the conditions are rapidly improving. He

reports the sale of cars on the increase in New Mexico, and predicts a prosperous business in all lines this fall.

John Thornton of this city spent last Friday with his father L. B. Thornton of the Elland community.

Dr. J. F. Garmany of Mineral Wells, Texas, is spending this week with L. B. Thornton and family of Elland.

Geo. F. Williams and family returned Wednesday from a visit to Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Taylor and children of Clovis are visiting L. B. Thornton and family in the Elland community.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Morgan and two children, of Spur, Texas, are visiting Mrs. Morgan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Harris. They report crops and grass extra fine between here and Spur.

Dave Colligan left Thursday morning for Boston, Mass., in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Marshall and daughter, Miss Lillian of the Rogers community, will leave Saturday for Florida where they will spend the winter.

The Fry Cream Station has been moved from the old creamery building to the Howard block back of Joyce-Fruit. See their announcement in this paper.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Baker returned Saturday from a few months stay in California, and visited the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Henderson. Mr. and Mrs. Baker have lived too long in this part of the country to try and break away now. They say that there are plenty of sights and the climate is fine in California, but that they prefer living here. They left Tuesday for Tulsa, Texas, where they will visit with their children for awhile.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Pepper, a girl, August 3.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mulling of Inez, a girl, August 3.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cram a girl, August 1.

SOUR STOMACH INDIGESTION

Theford's Black-Draught Highly Recommended by a Tennessee Grocer for Troubles Resulting from Torpid Liver.

East Nashville, Tenn.—The efficiency of Theford's Black-Draught, the genuine, herb, liver medicine, is vouched for by Mr. W. N. Parsons, a grocer of this city. "It is without doubt the best liver medicine, and I don't believe I could get along without it. I take it for sour stomach, headache, bad liver, indigestion, and all other troubles that are the result of a torpid liver."

"I have known and used it for years, and can and do highly recommend it to every one. I won't go to bed without it in the house. It will do all it claims to do. I can't say enough for it."

Many other men and women throughout the country have found Black-Draught just as Mr. Parsons describes—valuable in regulating the liver to its normal functions, and in cleansing the bowels of impurities. Theford's Black-Draught liver medicine is the original and only genuine. Accept no imitations or substitutes. Always ask for Theford's. R. M.

WEDDING BELLS

Mr. Devine Cook and Miss Annie McCullough were married at the home of Allan Sanders Sunday afternoon. Rev. Vada Davis officiating.

Mr. Carson Pyle and Miss Dora Sherrod, both of Elida, were happily married at the Methodist parsonage at 3 p. m. Sunday. Rev. Vada Davis officiating. Congratulations to these young folks.

KILLS DOGS WITH AUTO GAS

R. G. Bryant is experimenting this week in the destruction of prairie dogs, with the gas from the exhaust of his automobile. Wednesday experiment proved very satisfactory, so Mr. Bryant says.

To County Superintendents:—

Notice is hereby given that a teachers' examination will be held throughout the State of New Mexico on Friday and Saturday, August 26th and 27th, 1921.

JOHN V. CONWAY,
State Superintendent.

WICHITA MARKET

WICHITA, Kans., Aug. 3.—Hogs, 400; market 15c lower; top \$10.95; bulk \$10.70@10.90. Cattle 300; market steady; beef steers \$3.50@7.50; beef cows and heifers \$1.50@4.00; stock cows and feeders \$2.00@6.00; bulls \$2.00@4.00; calves \$3.00@7.00.

Hamp Byrd returned today from White Deer, Texas, where he has been running a thrasher for the past several weeks.

BUSINESS LOCALS

We solicit your patronage, assuring you we pay highest market price for all produce. Give us a trial. C. W. Nelson. 38-3tp

FOR RENT—Five room cottage, with bath. Lots of shade, grass and garage, 1 mile from school house. Apply to G. W. Hancock, at Joyce-Fruit Co. 40-4tc

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Up-To-Date Equipment
Acetylene Welding Storage Battery Service
At Fernandes' Old Stand
LEE PERCIFULL, - - Prop.

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HARVE W. FRY

MONEY--

Am prepared to take care of some good land loans.
W. B. OLDHAM

..The Travelers Inn..

Portales, New Mexico
UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT
Clean Rooms, Clean Beds, and Will Serve You the Best Meals in Town. A Home Place. Service is Our Motto. Come in and get acquainted.
Yours to Please,
R. E. WILLIS, - - Proprietor

TAYLOR'S BUS LINE

PORTALES AND CLOVIS
Leave Portales...6:00 a. m. Leave Portales...1:00 p. m.
Arrive Clovis...7:00 a. m. Arrive Clovis...2:00 p. m.
Leave Clovis...8:30 a. m. Leave Clovis...3:00 p. m.
Arrive Portales...9:30 a. m. Arrive Portales...4:00 p. m.
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TELEPHONE NO. 112

PHONE COMPANY TO RAISE RATES ALL OVER STATE ON SEPTEMBER FIRST

SANTA FE, July 29.—Exchange rate increases that will bring \$20,000 additional annual revenue are listed in schedules effective on September 1, filed at the corporation commission's offices today by the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Company.

The company says these will not cover the deficit which for 1920 was \$53,000, based on 8 per cent return, although toll rates were increased during the year.

The Albuquerque residence rate for one, two, three and four party service is raised 25 cents per month and in Santa Fe and Roswell the one-party residence rate is raised 25 cents.

Clovis and Las Cruces get 50 cent raises on one and two party business rates and the one-party residence rate. The two-party residence rate is raised 25 cents at these exchanges.

The one-party residence rate is raised 25 cents and four-party residence service established in place of the two-party service at the same charge in Deming and Tucumcari.

For the following Class A exchanges the one-party business rate is increased 50 cents, and four-party residence service established at \$2:

Alamogordo, Belen, Bernalillo, Cimarron, Hagerman, Lake Arthur, Los Lunas, Portales, Santa Rosa, Springer, Texico, and Tularosa.

The one-party residence rate is raised 50 cents at four-party service established at \$2 for Artesia, Carrizozo (Fort Sumner, Magdalena and Socorro and the two-party business service for Socorro and Magdalena annulled and the \$60 contribution rate at Artesia eliminated.

The business rate is made \$3.50 and the one-party residence rate \$2.50 and four party service established at \$2 for San Antonio and San Marcial and the business rate increased 50 cents at Farmington and Aztec.

PLUG YOUR TREES NOW

Chlorosis is a term used in plant physiology to designate an abnormal condition in a green plant in which the natural green color is changed to a sickly yellow, or even to a nearly white color. The leaves and tender shoots are the part evidently affected. This condition may be temporary, affecting only parts of the plant; it may be sufficient to cause the death of the plants, the leaves turning brown in the later stages. As a rule, the sickly yellow may be distinguished from the tender yellow-green that denotes rapid normal growth in shoots. In the latter case the leaves darken up rapidly when the growth becomes slower.

Along the lines of investigation, a tentative remedy has been suggested in the application of ferrous sulphate of iron (green vitrol) to the plants, either as a spray or by plugging. The latter, of course, is not applicable to small plants.

To plug a tree, bore from 1 to 4 holes 1/4 to 1/2 inch in diameter, depending upon the size of the

Program Committees BIG ANNUAL PICNIC AT FLOYD, AUGUST 12 Program

10:00 to 10:30 A. M. Tournament Race 10:30 A. M. to 12 M. Speaking 12 M. to 1:00 P. M. DINNER 1:00 to 2:00 P. M. Roping Contest 2:00 to 3 P. M. Bronco Riding Contest 3:00 P. M. Base Ball Game 4:30 P. M. Band Concert

Concession, Publicity and Finance Committee: F. M. Robertson, chairman; Dan Smith, G. L. Hatcher, Frank Glover, Estes King, Ed Chavers.

Entertainment Committee: Flue Anderson, Loren Johnson, Bill Hawkins, Mack Toliver, Chas. Greathouse, Slim Snell, A. C. Woodburn, Ed Miller, Horace Cowart, N. B. Bingham, Ed McAlister, M. A. Dupuy, G. H. Clary.

Speaking Committee: J. I. Jones, Hugh King, John Russell, A. W. Ferrin, Rhea Robbins.

Dinner Committee: L. A. Toliver, Mose Hawkins, Bud Jones, Jim Jones, Hugh King, Frank Cranford, George Blue, J. P. Voyles, Melvin A. Dupuy, J. P. Nash, L. H. Heckathorn, N. B. Bingham, I. K. Morrison, Mitt Price, Walter Upton, G. H. Clary, Bill Borden, Flue Anderson, Kirk Thornton, John Russell, M. A. P. Walker, J. E. McCall.

Field Marshal Committee: A. Z. West, chief; Geo. Olson, Fred Messick, Dan Smith, J. D. Stork, Devine Cook, Wareham Bingham, Bert Johnston, Mc Earnest.

Roping Committee: Jack County, Fred Turner, Bert Armitage, Roy Roberts, Milton Korengay, Ralph McKowan, Chas. Toler, Dallas McDaniel, Bob Moore.

Bronco Riding Committee: H. A. McCall, Roy Roberts, R. Hamlett, Shorty Roberts, Jess Gunn, F. M. Robertson, Joe Hatfield, Ralph Voyles, Lee Cross, Guy Armitage.

Tournament Race Committee: H. A. McCall, Wesley Nichols, Paul McCafferty, Ross Armitage, Lee Jones, Marida McNutt, A. J. McNutt, John Russell, Shorty Roberts, Oakley Farnham.

Base Ball Committee: Rhea Robbins, J. C. Dodgins, Elmer Howard, L. L. Wharton, Dan Smith, D. W. Criswell, Leroy Cranford, Hollis Price, Jim Jones.

Tent Committee: A. W. Ferrin, Geo. Alford, Robert Compton, Prof. Hodges, W. D. Chapman, Clyde Haragan, A. L. Bacon, W. H. Haragan, J. P. Nash, Lee Jones, Bill Perry, L. H. Heckathorn, A. C. Woodburn, Hollis Price, Oakley Farnham.

Securing Steers for Roping Committee: Dallas McDaniel, Shorty Roberts, Frank Smith, Roy Roberts, A. G. Wilson, Fred Robertson.

Water Committee: Walter Griffith, Wesley Nichols, Hollis Price, G. L. Hatcher, Geo. Alford, Robert Morrison, Ed Spear.

tree to be treated, and deep enough to pierce the cambium layer and touch the heart wood. Into the holes put as much ferrous sulphate of iron as possible, and cover with ordinary grafting wax. These little wounds heal rapidly. The leaves will soon begin to show the effect of the treatment and recover the green color. Sometimes badly affected leaves turn brown soon after the treatment and may fall off. This condition is temporary as a rule. Plugging is applicable to all common fruit trees, having been used successfully at the experiment Station of the State Agricultural College upon apple and pear trees and upon grape vines and some shade trees. In a large majority of cases, recovery is permanent. Three seasons of observation show some treated trees still to be normally green.

The spraying of the foliage of plants, with a 1 per cent solution of the ferrous sulphate of iron will give beneficial results, though the recovery is not so marked as when trees are plugged. Two applications may be necessary if the first is made early in the season, since the new leaves

appearing after the spraying are usually yellow. Chlorosis is apt to show the next season after using this treatment. To give best results, the spray should be very fine, so as to wet the surface of the leaf uniformly.

Water, says an Illinois philosopher, is one of Nature's most lavish and cheapest gifts to the human family and should be employed without stint, internally, externally and eternally.

NEW WAY TO SELL CATTLE. Bisbee, Ariz., July 27.—Unusual methods for sale of cattle were resorted to by growers near Willcox. They pooled something over 1,000 head and loaded a train with them. They had various markets indexed and made the rounds, selling what they could where the best prices were offered. The tour ended in South Dakota, where they found good pasture for the remainder of cattle near a good market. It is claimed that the plan was a success.

DeLaval Separators repaired free of charge. G. L. Hatcher, Floyd.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt appreciation and thanks for the loving kindness of our many friends in the death of our loved one.

MRS. D. M. RUSSELL, and Brothers.

NOTICE

Any person or persons tampering with the telephone wires of 197 running to Bethel will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. EDWARD MILLER. 40-11-c

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., July 14, 1921.

Notice is hereby given that John B. Stephenson, father of Arch R. Stephenson, Decd., of Portales, N. M., who on September 17, 1917, made homestead entry No. 017810, for 8 1/4 section 22, township 1-S, range 36-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before A. J. Goodwin, Probate Judge in his office at Portales, N. M., on the 24th day of August, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Henry P. Townsend, Carlos L. Townsend, Marion K. Smith, Moses H. Chesher, all of Portales, N. M. W. B. McGILL, Register. July 21-Aug 18

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Roswell, N. Mex., July 30, 1921.

Notice is hereby given that John H. Kidd, of Lingo, N. M., who, on July 17, 1918, made additional homestead entry No. 040337, for N 1/4 NE 1/4; 8 1/4 SE 1/4 section 11, NE 1/4 section 14, township 7-S, range 36-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before A. J. Goodwin, Judge of the Probate Court of Roosevelt Co., N. M., at Portales, N. M., on the 6th day of September, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Esau S. Bilberry, Toliver J. Corder, these of Lingo, N. M., John W. Helmer, C. E. Massey, these of Richland, N. M. EMMETT PATTON, Register. A. 4-8. 1

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., July 25, 1921.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas F. Gravlee, of Arch, N. M., who, on August 7th, 1917, made homestead entry No. 017026, for Lots 1, 2, Sec. 27, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 22, township 3 south range 37 E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before A. J. Goodwin, Probate Judge, in his office at Portales, N. M., on the 30th day of August, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: James L. Robinson, Jesse C. Robinson, Louis W. Whitfield, Gus A. Oney, all of Arch, N. M. W. B. McGILL, Register. July 28-Aug. 25

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, on the 4th day of April, 1921, in cause No. 1630, pending in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District, now the Ninth Judicial District, of the State of New Mexico, in and for Roosevelt county, wherein R. B. Henderson is plaintiff and Lee A. Futeh and Susie L. Futeh are defendants, the plaintiff recovered a judgment upon a promissory note and a mortgage, and a decree of foreclosure of said mortgage for the total sum of Nine Hundred Fourteen and 96/100 (\$914.96) Dollars upon the following described real estate, to-wit: The Northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of section ten (10) in township two (2) south of range thirty (30) east of the New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico, which said judgment bears interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the date thereof until paid, and which said judgment at the date of sale hereinafter mentioned will amount to the sum of \$951.80; and

Whereas in said decree the undersigned was appointed Special Commissioner and directed to advertise and sell said property as provided by law, and to apply the proceeds of such sale to the satisfaction of plaintiff's said judgment, interest and costs of suit;

Therefore, in consideration of the premises, I, the said M. B. Jones, Special Commissioner, will on the 29th day of August, 1921, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the northeast front door of the court house in the Town of Portales, New Mexico, offer for sale said above described real estate to the highest bidder for cash for the purpose of applying the proceeds to the satisfaction of plaintiff's said judgment and costs;

Provided that the plaintiff in said cause may be a purchaser of said property if the highest bidder therefor and may have the amount of his bid credited upon his said judgment, or a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy the same.

Witness my hand this 26th day of July, 1921. M. B. JONES, Special Commissioner. J. 28-A. 18-B

Classified Ads

THE LITTLE JOKER THAT SUPPLIES YOUR WANTS. 25c minimum 1st insertion, 1c a word additional insertion. Cash in advance.

BOARD AND ROOM

WANTED—To board and room 4 girls during school term. 1 block of school house. Address Mrs. W.F.Hill, Box 41, Portales, 40-3tp

MISCELLANEOUS

HEMSTITCHING—12 1/2 cents a yard. Jessie Stephenson, near school house, Phone 135, Portales, New Mexico. 39-5t-p

Full line of DeLaval repairs in stock. Postage paid on all orders. G. L. Hatcher, Floyd. 29tfc

FOR A SMALL payment down I will sell you a New Singer Sewing Machine, as long as two years on balance. Will take cash payment in corn or maize. Henry George. 13-1f

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY—Am prepared to take care of some good land loans. W. B. Oldham. 33-tfc

SERVICE BULLS

FOR SERVICE—Registered Jersey bull, New Mexico Chief, No. 185176; sire, Maiden's Eminent Lad No. 135962; Dam, Ashmore Farm Gracie No. 328681. Will stand at J. W. Love's barn in North Portales. Fees \$2.50. J. B. Crow and W. J. Taylor. 37-tfc

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, on the 8th day of June, 1921, in cause No. 1671, Civil, pending in the District Court in and for Roosevelt County, New Mexico, wherein Sue J. Reid, is plaintiff and Calvin E. Wantland, George L. Reese and Joyce-Fruit Company, a corporation, are defendants, the plaintiff recovered a judgment on a promissory note and obtained a decree foreclosing a mortgage deed for the total sum of Four Hundred Twenty-One and 46/100 Dollars as of the 6th day of June, 1921, less as of the 6th day of June, 1921, including principal of the said note, the interest thereon to said date, taxes, attorney's fees and costs, the said judgment and decree of foreclosure being upon and against the following described real estate, to-wit: The southwest quarter of section twenty-two in township one north of range thirty-two east of the New Mexico Meridian in New Mexico, and which said decree of foreclosure directed that said described real estate and property and the improvements thereon, be sold, and the proceeds of such sale be applied to the satisfaction of plaintiff's judgment in the first instance, and

Whereas, Paul M. Jones, of Portales, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, was, by said decree, appointed Special Master, and as such, was directed to advertise and sell the said property as provided in said decree, and

Whereas, said judgment, at the date of the sale hereinafter mentioned will amount to the sum of Four Hundred Forty-One and 45/100 Dollars.

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to said judgment and decree, and the power vested in me as such Special Master, I will, on the 10th day of September, 1921, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the northeast front door of the court house in Portales, New Mexico, offer said described real estate and property for sale to the highest bidder for cash, for the purpose of satisfying said judgment and decree, as directed by the court, and the further costs of this action.

The plaintiff in this action has the right to bid at the sale of the said property, and may purchase the same, if the highest bidder, and may have credit on her judgment for the amount of her bid or in satisfaction of the same with costs.

PAUL M. JONES, Special Master. July 21-Aug. 11-L

ELECTION PROCLAMATION

Whereas the Board of Education of the Town of Portales, New Mexico, has requested the undersigned to call an election to be held in School District No. One, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of said district the question of issuing bonds of said Municipal district in the sum of \$80,000.00, for the purpose of building a school house in said district;

Therefore, pursuant to said request, I, G. L. Reese, Mayor of the Town of Portales, New Mexico, do hereby call a special election to be held in the Sheriff's office in the Court House in the Town of Portales, New Mexico, on Saturday, the 27th day of August, 1921, for the purpose of determining whether or not the bonds of said District in the sum of \$80,000.00 shall be issued, to run for a period of thirty years, redeemable at any time after ten years, at the pleasure of the Board of Education of said Town, in denominations of \$500.00 each, drawing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, from date of issuance, with interest payable semi-annually.

The following named persons shall be and are hereby appointed as judges of said election: J. B. Sledge, J. S. Long, and Leo Braley. G. L. REESE, Mayor. J. 28-A. 18

LAND FOR SALE

INVESTIGATE—320 acres, a cross road from school, 2 miles east Red Lake P. O., 4 room house, barn, sheds, horse stalls, shade trees, 2 cisterns, cellar, well and windmill. 80 acres in field. On mail route. J. E. Lee, Red Lake, N. M. 39-tf-c

FOR SALE—1 5-acre block inside corporation, \$300.00 and throw in 4 lots. See James Lee Wilson-Nash Hotel. 40-1t-p

FOR SALE—5-acre block inside corporation, \$250.00, a rare bargain. See James Lee Wilson, Nash Hotel. 40-1t-p

FOR SALE—S. E. 1/4 Sec. 22 and N. E. 1/4 Sec. 27, Township 2 South Range 33, 8 miles S. W. of Portales and in a half mile of the R. R., near Rev. H. Y. Freeman. Price \$5.00 per acre. Mrs. B. Pierce, Carbon, Texas. By Dr. Pierce. 40-3t-p

FOR SALE—490 acres at \$8.50 per acre, 50 acres growing crops, 4 good horses, 10 good Jersey cows, implements, all thrown in. Apply to James Lee Wilson, Nash Hotel. 40-1t-p

80 ACRES of land in shallow water belt near Portales to trade for good automobile. Good black land farm in Hill County, Texas, to trade for good land in Roosevelt county, New Mexico. Describe fully in first letter. Box 192, Portales, New Mexico. 1tp

HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two new five-room bungalows, just finished. See Arnold & Daniel. 39-tfc

MY HOME is for sale or trade. See J. A. Sisson. 39-tfc

ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three rooms one block of school house. E. T. Moody. 40-2t-p

PLEASE SEE Mrs. Jeff D. White for rooms for girls. 1 suite of light housekeeping. Call at the home. 39-tfc

HOUSES TO RENT.

FOR RENT—5 room house in Block 10, South Hill addition, Portales. Mrs. M. B. Cummings, Delphos, N. M. 40-2t-p

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Cucumbers for pickle, any size. H. G. Trospen, telephone 193-F3 40-tf-c

FOR SALE—The Ozark Cafe, located on corner of square, convenient for tourists by car or rail. Investigate at once. Mrs. I. N. Knight, Portales, N. M. 40-tf-c

GRAPES—10 cents pound, F. O. B. Portales, Floyd or Elida. Be ready about Aug. 15. J. F. Cranford, Floyd, N. M. 39-2t-p

FOR SALE—Extra good Durham milk cow, fresh now. H. V. Thompson. 39-tfc

FOR SALE—Almost new No. 10 Remington typewriter. Inquire at the News office. 1tc

FOR SALE—Mules, work horses and yearling Jersey heifers. Terms: Maynard Bartlett. 39-3tp

FOR SALE—10-foot windmill wheel, 1 hay rake, 1 mower, apply to G. W. Hancock, city, phone 134. 37-4tp

FOR SALE—One galvanized tank with frame for wagon or truck. Capacity 445 gal. See J. B. Crow or Universal Motor Co. 38-tf

DISC PLOW and Disc Harrow for sale. See Paul Morrison, at Clerk's office. 36-6c

4-Horse Gasoline Engine—Will sell at a bargain. Portales Valley News.

RAGS WANTED!

Will pay 5c per pound for good, clean, white, cotton rags. Bring them to the News Office.

Adobe ticks and bed bugs in the hen house, may be killed with the pure kerosene spray used for the roost-mite.

MICKIE SAYS—WHEN A FELLER WANTS SOMEBODY ELSE BANISHED OUT IN THE PAPER BUT SAYS, 'DON'T MENTION MY NAME,' I FEEL JUST LIKE CRACKIN' HIM ONE!

REAL NEWSPAPERS Think less of their rights and more of their duties. Softsoapers play to the grandstand. The Portales Valley News tells all the news and its circulation continues to grow!

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico. In the Matter of the Estate of Henry A. Covington, Deceased. (No. 233.)

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 25th day of July, 1921, appointed administrator of the estate of Henry A. Covington, deceased, by the Hon. A. J. Goodwin, Probate Judge of Roosevelt county, New Mexico.

Therefore all persons having any claim or claims against said estate are hereby notified to file the same with the County Clerk of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, within one year from the date of said appointment as provided by law, or the same will be barred.

JOHN W. BALLOW, Administrator. J. 28-A. 18-R

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas on the 5th day of April, 1921, in that certain cause pending in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, No. 1597, wherein F. B. Collins is plaintiff and Josie L. Palmer, Will A. Palmer and Carter Oil Company are defendants, the plaintiff recovered judgment upon a promissory note and obtained a decree foreclosing a mortgage for the total sum of Sixteen Hundred Thirty-Four and 95/100 (1634.95) Dollars, including principal, interest, attorney's fees and taxes against the defendants, which said judgment and foreclosure is against and upon the following described real estate, to-wit: The North Half (N 1/2) of Section Nineteen (19) in Township Two (2) South of Range Thirty-Seven (37) East of the New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico, and which said decree of foreclosure directed that said described property be sold and that the proceeds of such sale be applied in the first place to the satisfaction of plaintiff's said judgment and decree; and whereas in said decree the undersigned, Jess McCormack, Sheriff of Roosevelt county New Mexico, was appointed special commissioner and directed to advertise and sell said property as provided in said decree; that said decree at the date of the sale hereinafter mentioned will amount to the sum of \$1634.95.

Therefore pursuant to said judgment and decree and the power vested in me as special commissioner, I will on the 15th day of August, 1921, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., at the northeast front door of the Court House in the Town of Portales, New Mexico, offer said described real estate for sale to the highest bidder for cash, for the purpose of satisfying said judgment and decree as directed by the Court; provided that the plaintiff in said cause may be a bidder at such sale and may purchase said property, if the highest bidder therefor, and may have the amount of his bid credited upon said judgment to the extent of a satisfaction of the same with costs.

Witness my hand this the 13th day of July, 1921. JESS McCORMACK, Special Commissioner and Sheriff of Roosevelt County, July 14-Aug. 4.-R New Mexico.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

In the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico. C. L. Sullivan, Plaintiff. vs. J. J. Smith and Canary F. Smith, Defendants. (No. 1672)

To the Defendants above named: You and each of you are hereby notified that a suit in attachment has been commenced against you in said court, entitled as above, by the said plaintiff to recover judgment in the sum of \$467.98 on 2 certain notes, and for breach of covenant of deed, with interest and attorneys fees, and that your property has been attached and that unless you be and appear before this Court on or before the 27th day of August, 1921, and answer to said complaint herein, judgment will be rendered against you by default and your property so attached will be sold to satisfy the same and costs of suit as prayed herein, and that Walter W. Mayes, whose business address is Clovis, New Mexico, is attorney for plaintiff. Witness my hand as clerk and the seal of said Court at Portales, New Mexico, this 13th day of July, 1921. (seal) R. H. GRISSOM, Clerk. July 14-Aug. 4.

NOTICE OF ATTACHMENT SALE

Whereas on the 3rd day of June, 1921, in a certain cause pending in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico in and for Roosevelt County, wherein A. E. Want & Company, a corporation, is plaintiff and C. C. Knowles and S. F. Packer are defendants, said cause being numbered 1654 upon the Civil Docket of said court, the plaintiff obtained a judgment against the defendants in an action of debt, in the sum of \$507.37, with interest at six per cent per annum from Sept. 1, 1920, which said judgment is against the property hereinafter described; that in said judgment the court sustained an attachment heretofore issued in said action and levied upon the following described property: One Willys-Knight Automobile, Model 88-4-4506, Motor Number 355093; and the court foreclosed an attached lien upon said property in favor of the plaintiff therein for said amount and directed that the undersigned, Jess McCormack,

sheriff of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, proceed to advertise and sell said property as provided by law and to apply the proceeds to the satisfaction of plaintiff's said judgment and demands; that the amount of said judgment and decree at the date of the sale hereinafter mentioned will be \$536.71 plus cost of said action.

Therefore, in consideration of the premises, I will, on the 15th day of August, 1921, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., at the Northeast front door of the court house of the town of Portales, New Mexico, offer said property for sale to the highest bidder for cash, for the purpose of satisfying said judgment, interest and cost of suit. JESS McCORMACK, Sheriff. July 14 to Aug. 4.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., July 1, 1921.

Notice is hereby given that Joseph A. Hatfield, of Portales, N. M., who, on June 1st, 1918, made homestead entry No. 018164 for SW 1/4 section 35, township 1 N., range 33 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before A. J. Goodwin, Probate Judge, in his office at Portales, N. M., on the 18th day of August, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Enoch V. Dennington, George R. Dennington, Benjamin T. Miller, Joseph E. Hatfield, all of Portales, N. M. W. R. McGILL, Register. July 14-Aug. 11.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the provisions of a final decree entered on the 11th day of May, 1921, in a cause pending in the United States District Court for the District of New Mexico, entitled "Guaranty Trust Company of New York and Harold T. Clark, Trustees, Plaintiffs, vs. Roswell Gas & Electric Company, Defendant," the undersigned was appointed Special Master with instruction and authority to sell the property described in said decree in the event the indebtedness therein found to be due and owing should not be paid within ninety (90) days after the entry of said decree.

The undersigned, as such Special Master, does hereby, in compliance with the provisions of said decree, give notice that on the 15th day of August, A. D. 1921, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House of the County of Chaves, in the City of Roswell, County of Chaves and State of New Mexico, he will offer for sale and sell to the highest and best bidder therefor, as an entirety, all of the property, real and personal, described in said decree, as follows:

Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in Block 7 in Thurber's addition to the Town of Roswell, New Mexico, being part of the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 4 in Township 11 South of Range 24 East of the N. M. P. M.

The west half of Block nine (9), consisting of Lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 of the North Spring River addition to the Town of Roswell, the same being a part of the SW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 33 in Township 10 South of Range 24 East of the N. M. P. M.

Lots five (5), six (6) and seven (7) of Block fifteen (15) of the original townsite of Roswell, as the same appears from a plat of said townsite made by A. E. Lea, November 1st, 1895, and filed in the office of the Probate Clerk and ex-officio Recorder of said County on the first day of January, 1891.

Also all its plants, works, buildings, erections, superstructures, ponds, wells, springs, streams, ditches, sluices, and sluice gates, dams and dam sites, banks, races, canals, weirs, feeders, flumes, aqueducts, conduits, machinery, engines, boilers, electrical appliances, poles, wires, lights, dynamo, insulators, electrical apparatus, gas machines, tanks, transmission lines, lamp posts, lamps, pipes, mains, connections, gauges, valves, meters, meter testers, tools, implements, and all other appliances, apparatus and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Also all property and rights thereafter acquired with said bonds or their proceeds.

Also all rights, contracts, franchises and privileges owned, held or enjoyed by said Roswell Gas & Electric Company, or thereafter acquired by it with respect to said property, plants, rights, franchises, contracts and privileges; a more particular description of said franchises being as follows:

Franchise granted by Ordinance No. 62 passed by the Council of the City of Roswell, New Mexico, on February 14, 1906, recorded on pages 121 et seq. of City Ordinance, Book No. 1.

Franchise granted by the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Chaves, New Mexico, dated June 4, 1906, recorded in Book 2, Page 568, Record of Commissioners' Proceedings of Chaves County;

Franchise granted by Ordinance No. 13, of the Compiled Ordinances of the City of Roswell, approved March 29, 1904, recorded on Page 41 of the Ordinance Record of said city, the same having been assigned to The Roswell Gas & Electric Company by instrument dated November 28, 1904; said ordinance being identical with the ordinance known originally as Ordinance No. 202 of the City of Roswell, New Mexico;

Franchise granted by Ordinance No. 195 of the City of Roswell, approved January 5, 1910, recorded on Page 299 of the Ordinance Record of said City. And also all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurten-

ances belonging or in any wise appertaining unto the aforesaid property, rights, contracts, franchises and privileges, and the reversions, remainders, rents, issues, profits, income, revenues and proceeds thereof.

And also the estate, right, title, interest, property, possession, claim and demand whatsoever, as well in law as in equity of the Company, of, in and to the above described premises, property, rights, franchises and privileges, and every part thereof, with the appurtenances.

And also the south twenty five feet (25 ft.) of Lot Four (4) in Block fifteen (15) of the Original Town of Roswell, New Mexico, the same being a part of the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section Four (4) in Township Eleven (11) South, Range Twenty-Four (24) East of the N. M. P. M., in Chaves County, Territory of New Mexico, now the State of New Mexico.

And also the north seventy-five feet (75 ft.) of Lot 7 in Block No. 9 in the Town of Elida, N. M., according to the plat of said Town now of record in the Recorder's Office of Portales, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, the same lying, being and situate in the County of Roosevelt, State of New Mexico.

And also the Franchise granted by Ordinance No. 289 passed by the Council of the City of Roswell, New Mexico, on July 2, 1914, approved by the Mayor on the same date, and recorded in the Book of Ordinances of the City of Roswell, at Pages 468 to 474, inclusive.

Also the additional fixtures, equipment, apparatus, automobiles and other personal property used by the Roswell Gas & Electric Company in the conduct of its business, and now in the possession of said Company.

The amount of the indebtedness for which said property is advertised to be sold, as provided in said final decree, was on the date of its entry Seven Hundred Fifty-Seven Thousand Three Hundred Ten Dollars and Thirty-five Cents (\$757,310.35), which bears interest at the rate of six per centum (6 per centum) per annum from the date of entry, together with all costs, charges and expenses of the plaintiffs in said cause as Trustees and the costs of said suit, expenses of sale and Special Master's fees hereinafter to be fixed by the Court.

The Special Master will receive no bid from any one who shall not first deposit with him as a pledge to make good his bid in case of acceptance by the Special Master and confirmation by the Court, the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) in cash or by certified check acceptable to the Special Master and made or endorsed payable to his order. The deposit received from any unsuccessful bidder shall be returned to him when the property has been struck off. The deposit received from any successful bidder shall be held by the Special Master subject to the orders of the Court and upon confirmation of the sale shall be applied on account of the purchase price of the property for which said bid was made. The Special Master shall accept the highest and best bid received for the mortgaged property when offered as aforesaid, provided no upset bid for less than One Hundred Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$125,000.00) shall be accepted, and shall knock down the same to such bidder subject to confirmation of the sale by the Court. Any party to said cause or any owner or holder of said mortgaged bonds may bid or purchase at the same.

Payment of the balance of the purchase price in the manner herein provided shall be made within thirty (30) days after the confirmation of the sale unless the Court shall otherwise direct. In case any bidder, after the acceptance of his bid by the Special Master and confirmation by the Court, shall fail to make payment of said balance within said period, or shall fail to comply within twenty (20) days with any further order of the Court relating thereto, then the sums deposited by such accepted bidder or bidders, shall be forfeited as a penalty for such failure.

The purchaser or purchasers, after the confirmation of the sale by the Court, and within the period above provided, or as the Court may otherwise direct, shall make such further payment or payments, in cash, on account of the purchase price, as the Court may from time to time direct. So much of the purchase price as may not be required by the Court to be paid in cash may either be paid in cash or the purchaser may satisfy and make good such residue in whole or in part by turning over to the Special Master to be cancelled or credited mortgage bonds of the issue mentioned in said decree and the coupons thereunto appertaining, payable out of the proceeds upon distribution thereof.

Upon confirmation of such sale and the payment of the purchase price, a deed will be made and delivered to such purchaser or purchasers, or his or their successors and assigns, conveying the property in said decree and vesting the same in such purchaser or purchasers.

For a more detailed statement of the terms and conditions under which said sale will be made reference is hereby made to the above mentioned decree.

G. A. RICHARDSON, Special Master. June 30-Aug. 4.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., July 7, 1921.

Notice is hereby given that Enoch V. Dennington, of Portales, N. M., who, on May 6, 1918, made Original Homestead entry, No. 018110, for SW 1/4 E 1/4 NW 1/4 W 1/4 NE 1/4 and on March 10, 1919, made Add. Homestead entry 018111, SE 1/4 E 1/4 NE 1/4 W 1/4 NW 1/4, all in Section 23, Township 1N, Range 32 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before A. J. Goodwin, Probate Judge, in his office, at Portales, N. M., on the 18th day of August, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Hermon Douglas Creek, of Floyd, N. M.; Loyd Wharton, of Floyd, N. M.; Thomas Elmer Feland, of Floyd, N. M.; Frank J. Smith, of Portales, N. M. W. R. McGILL, Register. July 14, Aug. 11.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

The State of New Mexico to H. S. Lewis and J. F. Hallwegen, Greeting: You are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you in the District Court of the Ninth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, in and for Roosevelt county, wherein George L. Reese is plaintiff and Nu-Mex Oil Company, a corporation, and H. S. Lewis and J. F. Hallwegen are defendants, said cause being numbered 1696 upon the Civil Docket of said Court.

That the general objects of said suit are as follows: The plaintiff sues the defendant Nu-Mex Oil Company, and prays judgment in the sum of \$500.00 upon a promissory note, executed July 27, 1920, together with interest thereon at ten per cent per annum from the date of said note, ten per cent additional for attorney's fees, and for costs of suit; the plaintiff further prays that a chattel mortgage securing said note be foreclosed, which said mortgage was executed by the said defendant, Nu-Mex Oil Company, of even date with said promissory note and given upon the following described personal property, to-wit: 1306 feet of ten inch oil well casing, weighing thirty-five pounds to the foot, eight hundred feet of which is now placed in the Nu-Mex well No. 1, located on the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section four in township three south of range thirty-five east of the New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico, and 506 feet of which is on the surface at said well on said described tract;

That the plaintiff's said chattel mortgage upon said described property be declared a superior to any claim of the defendants, H. S. Lewis and J. F. Hallwegen, who are alleged upon information and belief to claim some interest or right to said property, and it being alleged in the complaint that such claim is without merit; the plaintiff seeks to sell said described property under such foreclosure and to have the proceeds of the sale of same applied to the satisfaction of his claims and judgment and for general relief.

You are further notified that if you fail to appear and plead or answer in said cause on or before the 24th day of September, 1921, judgment by default will be taken against you and the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

You are further notified that George L. Reese is attorney for the plaintiff and that his postoffice address is Portales, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court on this the 1st day of August, 1921. (seal) R. H. GRISSOM, Clerk. By PAUL E. MORRISON, Deputy. Aug. 4-Aug. 25-R

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RED CROSS HEALTH INFORMATION

The Itch.

During the last three years there has been a great increase in the number of cases of the "Itch" sometimes called the "Seven Years Itch," and properly termed scabies.

A little bug called the itch mite causes the disease. The mite burrows down under the skin and causes an acute itching which is worse at night. Most of the sores that appear on the body are due to the infection caused by scratching. The parts of the body where the skin is thinnest including those in front of the armpits, on and around the nipples, the lower half of the buttocks, the elbow and knee regions, between the fingers and toes are those which are chiefly attacked.

The malady is exceedingly infectious and those persons having it should be isolated until cured which is easy if properly carried out. Use a salve containing four parts of washed sulphur and one hundred parts of white vaseline. The patient should take a hot bath at night, scrubbing well with a soft brush and plenty of soap for about 20 minutes. Then dry thoroughly and rub the salve from neck to heels and from shoulders to finger tips. Next put on a union suit to sleep in. Wear it all the next day and take it off at night and without bathing rub in the salve again. Keep this up for four rubs, and on the fifth morning take a bath and put on clean underwear. For a month after treatment all soiled underwear and bed linen of the patient must be boiled for half an hour before being thrown in with the family wash. If this is done the disease will recur in the family. Use talcum powder or corn starch to relieve itching following the cure, but do not take more than four rubs. If the salve is used too much sulphur eczema may set in which is harder to cure than the itch.

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Notice is hereby given that the Roosevelt County Board of Education asks for sealed bids for one Ford Truck Driver to convey school children to school in school district No. 19, for a period of eight or nine months of school, beginning on or about September 4, 1921. Must understand Ford Trucks. Will be expected to keep truck in good running order. The County Board of Education will bear all necessary expense for repairs.

All bids must be in writing, sealed and submitted to Mrs. Geo. L. Reese, Secretary of said Board of Education, at Portales, New Mexico, not later than August 30, 1921, when said bids will be opened and contracts awarded to the lowest responsible bidder. The said County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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All bids must be in writing, sealed and submitted to Mrs. Geo. L. Reese, Secretary of said Board of Education,

Why Limit the Tax Rate?

In answer to the question "Why Limit the Tax Rate?" one may well ask another—What will be the result of we don't fix a limit? A taxpayer has only to look at his tax receipt to note that he is paying twice as much as he paid five or six years ago on the same property. In some of our incorporated cities, towns and villages, property owners are paying between four and five per cent of the assessed value of their property for state, county and local purposes. The state and county tax rate alone exceeds two per cent in nearly all the counties of the state and approaches three per cent in several counties.

A table is submitted below showing the following: Column I, the tax rate per \$1,000.00 of assessed value in 1915; Column II, the tax rate per \$1,000.00 of assessed value in 1920; Column III, the per cent increase in 1920 over 1915. In 1915 it will be noted that the rate for state and county purposes ranged from \$8.22 in McKinley to \$15.60 in Eddy County. In 1920, Grant county in spite of its wealth of resources bore a state and county rate of \$16.49, while San Juan county is burdened with the heavy rate of \$1.65. It should be remembered that city, town, village and school district levies are piled on the top of these extraordinary rates.

TAOX RATES PER \$1,000.00 VALUATION

	1915	1920	Per Ct. Increase
Bernalillo	\$14.83	\$27.65	87
Catron—created since 1920			
Chaves	11.80	22.70	93
Colfax	10.15	22.93	126
Curry	11.88	28.22	138
De Baca—created since 1915			
Dona Ana	10.35	23.58	128
Eddy	15.60	26.20	68
Grant	9.30	16.49	77
Guadalupe	11.14	21.92	97
Harding—created since 1920			
Hidalgo—created since 1915			
Lea—created since 1915			
Lincoln	11.50	27.27	137
Luna	10.85	22.73	109
McKinley	8.22	19.36	135
Mora	11.70	22.57	93
Otero	13.20	25.64	94
Quay	12.77	26.25	106
Rio Arriba	12.20	25.73	111
Roosevelt	11.40	23.65	108
Sandoval	12.78	19.75	55
San Juan	14.83	31.65	114
San Miguel	11.85	25.32	114
Santa Fe	14.70	26.00	77
Sierra	11.86	19.65	66
Socorro	13.12	25.52	94
Taos	12.38	23.75	92
Torrance	10.59	26.67	152
Union	12.75	24.05	88
Valencia	10.62	18.88	78

A taxpayer has only to study his tax receipts to discover how his tax burden has increased during the past five or six years. Will it stop increasing? In most counties of the state it will be higher in 1921 than ever before. Where will it stop? If the tax limitation amendment is ratified there will be a limit—a reasonable maximum which will offer some assurance against the confiscation of a man's property for taxes.

at Portales, New Mexico, not later than August 30, 1921, when said bids will be opened and contracts awarded to the lowest responsible bidder. The said County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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All bids must be in writing, sealed and submitted to Mrs. Geo. L. Reese, Secretary of said Board of Education, at Portales, New Mexico, not later than August 30, 1921, when said bids will be opened and contracts awarded to the lowest responsible bidder. The said County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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Notice is hereby given that the Roosevelt County Board of Education asks for bids for three one ton trucks without beds, all bids must be in writing, sealed and submitted to Mrs. Geo. L. Reese, Secretary of said County Board of Education, at Portales, New Mexico, not later than 3 p. m., August 30, 1921, when said bids will be opened and contract let to lowest responsible bidder. The County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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NOTICE FOR SEALED BIDS!

Notice is hereby given that the Roosevelt County Board of Education asks for sealed bids for one automobile mechanic to take care of five or six trucks in District No. 5, for a period of nine months of school. Must understand Ford Trucks. All bids must be in writing, sealed and submitted to Mrs. Geo. L. Reese, secretary of said Board of Education, not later than 3

ROSSELL NINE SEEKS TO OUST TEAM MANAGER

Members of the Roswell team which probably annexed the state title by defeating the Grays in the three-game series ending yesterday, have wired in to the secretary of the Roswell club that they will stop playing with the Roswell team unless Oberlin is removed as manager. Oberlin is the hurler using the emery ball who was pounded out of the box yesterday afternoon as soon as he stopped using it.

The members of the club last night bitterly expressed their disgust with Oberlin. They charged him with laying down and not trying to win their game for them. They insisted that his actions reflected upon the game and that they would have no more to do with the team if he managed it.

Many of the backers of the Duke City Grays feel that the Grays are entitled to a tie on the series. They contend that the game Saturday should be thrown out, since Pitcher Oberlin used the emery ball throughout the entire game. The emery ball has been banned from organized baseball for many years and is rarely encountered even on the sand lots.

During yesterday's encounter, the Grays became determined that Oberlin was using emery and Manager Dan Padilla made a run

out into the diamond with Umpire Bagley. Oberlin turned and threw a ball on the ground to one of the players. It is claimed that he disposed of his emery at that time.

Oberlin is reported to have promised Padilla that he would not use the emery again, and is said to have asked that nothing be said about it that it might cause a riot.

When he stopped using the emery, the Grays pounded him all over the lot until he quit cold and sought relief from the mound.—Albuquerque Journal.

Oberlin is the pitcher that worked against Portales in the game here a few Sundays ago, and gave us such a pounding, and on doubt it was the emery ball he used which turned the trick. Otherwise Portales would have made a good showing.

NOTICE OF GENERAL BROOM CORN MEETING

A general meeting of broom corn growers of Roosevelt county is called for Tuesday, August 9, at 2 o'clock, at the office of the County Agent, upstairs in the court house. Mr. C. A. McNabb of the Bureau of Markets, Department of Agriculture, will be present and conduct the meeting. At this meeting final decision as to the organization of broom corn growers for cooperative marketing will be made. If anything can be done a large attendance of growers must be had. All those interested are urged to be present.

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Kaffir, per cwt.	65c
Maize, per cwt.	70c
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Dry Hides, per lb.	4c

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our many thanks to our friends and neighbors of the Inez community who so kindly assisted in getting our crop cultivated during a recent illness. Your kindness will never be forgotten.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Thomas.

Leo Zumsteg, of Fort Smith, Ark., is visiting L. B. Thornton and family of the Biland neighborhood this week.

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