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IS THERE ROOM IN PORTALES VALLEY FOR POTATO CANNERY?

Much has been said of the needs of a cannery for the Portales Valley, but the sights seem to be set too high—that is the public and promoters both want a big thing at the start. Would it not be wiser to start a small cannery in a rented building for the first season? Something on the order of the community canneries? Such a cannery can be installed at a cost of from \$1000 to \$1500, which would take care of the surplus sweet potato crop, besides canning a large amount of vegetables.

This season there were left in the fields around Portales over 20 carloads of sweet potatoes which would have made first class canning stock. This loss would have put up 228,000 cans of potatoes. These at 12 1/2¢ a can would have brought in \$28,500.00 from what went to waste in the field.

In addition to this would be the No. 2 and cut potatoes which would be sorted out in the house. On his year's crop this would have been over double the above which would be with the above \$85,500 for canned sweet potatoes alone.

Again on any manufacturing proposition the profit is on the by-products, or what would be waste in the ordinary method of handling. This cannery would take care of the by-product and the peeling and trimmings would go into hog feed which would be a by-product of the cannery. The above amount would fatten or produce 20,000 pounds of pork, which at 5 cents would bring in an additional \$1,000.00 on the foot or a greater amount if slaughtered and dressed.

The Association could handle the canned products as they do the sweet potatoes—pay for them when they are sold, thus saving a large operating capital.

The only thing is for the sweet potato growers of the Portales Valley to decide whether they could use an additional \$85,000.00 to \$100,000.00 a year from a side issue with the sweet potato business. If they can now is the time to get busy and have it installed and ready for operation before the next crop is even planted.

FAVORABLE REPORT ON BILL TO CREATE 23 MORE JUDGES

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Favorable report on the Walsh bill to create 23 additional federal district judges was ordered today by the house judiciary committee.

Similar legislation is pending before a senate committee and has been recommended by Attorney General Daugherty and Chief Justice Taft.

The bill which authorizes transfer of judges to other districts to relieve docket congestion creates two new district judgeships in Massachusetts and in southern New York district and one each in eastern New York and eastern Pennsylvania, western Pennsylvania, eastern Michigan, northern Ohio, northern Illinois, eastern Illinois, Minnesota, eastern Missouri, western Missouri, eastern Oklahoma, Montana, northern California, southern California, Arizona, eastern Virginia, middle Tennessee, southern Florida and northern Texas.

YEE HING TREATS HIS CUSTOMERS

Saturday of last week Yee Hing treated his customers to some Chinese Sacred Lily bulbs and also some nuts peculiar to China.

MESSES JONES AND TUCKER VISIT IN TEXAS

C. B. Jones and L. B. Tucker returned Tuesday from a visit to Matador, Owen Springs and Hale Center, Texas. Mr. Tucker visited his son, L. B., at Matador and Mr. Jones his parents at Hale Center. They report conditions as improving on the plains, and received many inquiries as to the Portales Valley.

SUBJECTS AT THE REVIVAL

Fri. "Why I Am What I Am."
Sat. "The World's Greatest Detective."
Sunday, 11 a. m. "A Mighty Work."
3:00 p. m. "Sermon for Women Only."
7:00 p. m. "Mother."
Mon. "Boulders on Hell's Highway."
Tues. "Ten Portales Girls."
Thurs. "Action of Baptism."
Come in work clothes or "Sunday" clothes, come late if you cannot be on time, come alone if you cannot bring someone, but come.
Meetings at the Band hall.
NORRIS J. REASONER
Minister-Evangelist

THANKSGIVING

As Thanksgiving comes on press day, the next issue of the Portales Valley News will be published on Wednesday of next week. All copy for advertising must be in early in the week and also all copy of social announcements and programs. Please get copy in on Tuesday for this issue.

POTATO GROWERS COULD BENEFIT

It has been suggested to the Portales Valley News that the Sweet Potato Growers Association could take advantage of the agricultural government loan and secure part of this money on their warehouse receipts. This would be of great advantage to all, as it would enable them to meet their obligations and secure the best marketing advantages at the same time.

TAYLOR-STEVENSON

On last Saturday night Mr. A. B. Taylor, the popular Cozy manager, pulled a surprise on his friends by capturing the hand and heart of one of Clovis' young ladies, Miss Zelma Stevens. They were quietly married at Farwell, and kept it from their friends till Monday, when the surprise was sprung and congratulations received.

MRS. FRANK M. CULBERSON

The funeral of Mrs. Frank M. Culbertson was held at the Methodist church, Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, with the local order of the Eastern Star, assisted by Rev. Richards, in charge. The beautiful casket was banked in flowers, typifying expressions of love and sympathy for the bereaved and a fitting tribute to the deceased.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. Leo Braley, Milton Greaves, Temple Molinari, Jim Warnica and Howard Leach, representing the "American Legion." They wore their khaki uniforms making a profound impression of their respect for Lieut. Culbertson, the bereaved husband.

The sympathy of the entire community is extended to those who knew and loved her best. It isn't ours to question God's great plan, some day we will understand the meaning of our tears and it will be a joy to do His will.

Mrs. J. P. McDonald of Bovina, Texas came in Thursday for a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Priddy.

"The Home Town Paper"

Many good things have been printed the past month about the Home Town Paper, but one of the best was a bit of poetry sent out by the Democratic Union of Oneida, N. Y.

This was printed in quotations, which showed that it was not original—but it is so good that it is printed again for the benefit of those who love the dear old Home Town Paper.

Can anyone read this poem—it seems to come from the heart—without a dream vision of the old burg and the good old times in the "days of youth."

When the evenin' shade is fallin' at the endin' o' the day,
An' a feller rests from labor smokin' at his pipe o' clay,
There's nothin' does him so much good, be fortune up or down,
As the little weekly paper from his ol' home town.

If it ain't a thing of beauty an' its print ain't always clean,
Yet it straightens out his temper when a feller's feelin' mean;
It takes the wrinkles off his face and drives away the frown,
That little weekly paper from his ol' home town.

It tells of all the parties an' the balls of Squash Pie Row,
'Bout who spent Sunday with his girl, an' how the crops'll grow
How it keeps a feller posted 'bout who's up an' 'bout who's down!
That little weekly paper from his ol' home town.

Now I like to read the dailies an' the story papers, too,
An' at times the yaller novels an' some other trash—don't you?
But when I want some readin' that will drive away a frown,
I want that good ol' paper from my ol' home town.

RAIL UNION HEADS PLAN REPLIES FOR PAY CUT DEMANDS

CHICAGO, Nov. 15.—Plans of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers to meet the demands of the railroads for revision of rules and working condition agreements and for further wage cuts were completed today at the close of a two-day session of 650 general chairmen and officials.

W. S. Stone, grand chief of the engineers and William S. Carter, president of the firemen and engineers explained the situation under the recent general strike order was cancelled received the following indorsement of their action.

Requests from ninety-eight railroads for revision of rules and working conditions were considered and counter demands formulated. Mr. Stone announced to-night the unions were agreed on concerted program in the rules cases.

The majority of the General Chairmen departed for their homes early to-night to explain their program to their men.

Announcement was made today that the four big brotherhoods have signed agreements with the roads in the Eastern, Western and Southwestern district for setting up adjustment boards, provided for in the Esch-Cummings transportation act. Two assistant grand chiefs will represent the engineers on the board—F. A. Bur-

Stock Judging Team Left This Morning

The Portales Valley Stock Judging Team consisting of five boys of the local High school and their instructor, R. A. Young, left early this morning for Hagerman, where they will enter the District Judging Contest beginning Friday. The purpose of this contest is to pick a team to represent Eastern New Mexico in the state contest which will be held some time in December, the date and place to be announced later.

Six classes of livestock will be judged in the district contest including brood sows, young pigs, draft horses, breeding beef cattle and breeding ewes.

The five boys making the trip are: Cloy Tipton, Clifton Morgan, Leonard Barton, Ted Townsend and Ralph Warnica. The above boys are from the Sophomore class and their average ages are about sixteen years.

U. S. PROPOSAL FOR DISARMAMENT ACCEPTED BY POWERS

UNITED STATES GIVING SERVICES

Union Thanksgiving services at the Baptist church at ten o'clock in the morning of Thanksgiving day. Bro. J. J. Richards will preach the sermon and all the churches will participate.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15th.—France took the first step today toward bringing the question of land disarmaments and armies, before the Washington conference. In concurring for France in the essential principles of the American proposals regarding naval establishments, Premier Briand touched upon the army problem as far more vital to France.

There was no intimation in the remarks of M. Briand that he had a definite plan for reduction of armaments to suggest.

M. Briand's statements were construed generally as showing his purpose to explain fully why France regards it necessary to retain the great force in her armies.

ICE PLANT BURNS AT LUBBOCK WITH \$200,000 DAMAGE

LUBBOCK, Texas, Nov. 15.—Fire tonight totally destroyed the ice and electric light plant of the Texas Utility Company here. The loss was estimated at \$200,000. The origin was unknown.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—The sweeping American proposal for reduction of naval armament became the accepted fundamental policy of the armament conference today by the unanimous assent of the five great powers.

Seconding the bold lead of the United States the accredited spokesman of Great Britain, Japan, Italy and France rose in their places at today's plenary session of the conference, and after another declared the readiness of their governments to accept the American proposal in spirit and in principle, but with the reservation of a right to suggest modifications of details.

TWO ROSWELL BANKS MERGE; CITIZENS NATIONAL TO BE 2ND IN STATE

ROSWELL, Nov. 15.—One of the largest financial deals ever consummated in this part of the state went into effect last week when the American National and Citizens National banks consolidated. The new institution will in the future be known as the Citizen's National Bank and will be the second largest financial institution in New Mexico.

The consolidated institution will have a capital stock of \$200,000 and a surplus of \$200,000 and a total invested capital of \$620,000, making it the second largest financial institution in New Mexico. The board of directors in composed of: John W. Poe, John W. Hhea, J. S. Lea, H. B. Smyrl, H. V. Watson, O. H. Smith, Clark Dille, R. K. Fleming, C. S. Lusk, H. R. Sanders, W. H. Johnson, Mrs. J. E. Hhea, O. W. White, F. L. Austin and S. E. Allison.

Would Stop Ship Building

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—A resolution directing the secretary of the navy to stop all work and expenditures on nine battleships and six battle cruisers now in various states of construction at private and government ship yards was introduced today by Representative Britten, Illinois, ranking Republican on the House naval committee.

RETURN FROM CONVENTION

Last Sunday, Rev. J. F. Nix, Mrs. Wollard and Miss Fonville returned from Albuquerque where they had been in attendance to the State Baptist Convention.

NEW MEXICO CORN MAKES 60 BUSHELS

H. A. Nobles has returned from a business visit in eastern New Mexico, and states that during a stay in Clovis, he saw corn from a number of fields that made 60 bushels per acre. This corn was selling for thirty and thirty-five cents per bushel, a condition that always makes for advantage in feeding hogs, of which many cars have been shipped from Curry county capital in the last few weeks.

"POOR DUCKS!"

Hardware dealers are experiencing difficulty in disposing of their surplus stock of shotgun shells since Tuesday, when S. N. Hancock went out duck hunting. It would be interesting to hear the account of the hunt as he would tell it to the game warden. However, there is a move on-foot to import a few ducks for next year's shooting.

D. D. Tucker is in Canyon City, Texas, this week on business.

GIRLS PLEDGE TO PUT END TO FLAPPER WEARS

SOUTH BEND, Nov. 15.—"No more kissing, no more mush, no more love notes, no more crush."

Five hundred girls in the South Bend school took the "no petting" pledge and determined upon a reform in school girl dress.

Rolled sox must go. Rouge is taboo. Dresses must be longer and the lip stick is banished. Neither can they powder, except for a tiny bit on the nose.

Dr. Charles R. Barker, former physical adviser to William Howard Taft, brought the climax to a growing aversion against the flippant things which the flapper wears and does.

Following a lecture by Dr. Barker, the 500 girls rose from their seats and as one resolved to keep th opposite sex at a proper distance.

NOTICE!

While the Portales Valley News is glad to publish accounts of all social events, same should be in this office as early in the week as possible. Contributions received on Thursday morning have no assurance of being published.

POULTRY PREMIUMS ANNOUNCED BY DUKE

TRI-STATE SPECIALS SAID TO BE LARGEST EVER OFFERED IN PANHANDLE.

BUSH OFFERS SPECIALS

Twenty-Five Dollars Will Be Paid For Best Twenty Birds By One Exhibitor.

The regular and special premiums to be awarded at the Panhandle Plains Tri-State Poultry Show to be held at Amarillo, on December 7 to 11, inclusive, and the rules and regulations governing the show, have been announced by H. W. Duke, secretary of the Tri-State Association.

These premiums are declared to be among the most liberal ever offered at a poultry show in this section of the state of Texas and some of the specials are said to be even larger than those paid for winning birds at the Texas State Fair at Dallas.

The premium list is not yet complete for specials, it is announced, as there are persons interested in the poultry industry who will make additional special premium offers, which will be announced by Mr. Duke when they are offered.

A large number of the specials announced by Mr. Duke are offered by W. H. Bush of Chicago. Regular premiums will be paid on all standard bred fowls, as follows:

Singles—First prize \$2; second prize, \$1; third prize, 50 cents; fourth prize, ribbon.
Pens—First prize, \$3; second prize, \$2; third prize, \$1; fourth prize, ribbon.

Special premiums: Twenty-five dollars will be paid on the best twenty birds in the show by one exhibitor. (This award will be made by the judge on quality.)

Twenty dollars will be paid on the largest and best display by one exhibitor. (This award will be made on the point system as follows: Each entry will count one point, each first prize will count four points, each second prize three points, each third prize two points, and each fourth prize, one point.)

Fifteen dollars will be paid on the Grand Champion pen of the show, all breeds competing. Ten dollars will be paid on the Grand Champion male of the show, all breeds competing. Ten dollars will be paid on the Grand Champion Female of the show, all breeds competing. Five dollars will be paid on the largest and best display in the American class; five dollars for the largest and best display in the English class; five dollars for the best display in the Mediterranean class; five dollars for the largest and best display in the Asiatic class.

Regular premiums will be paid on single entries of turkeys and also pen money will be paid on tricos. A \$10 premium will be paid for the largest and best display by one exhibitor and \$5 will be paid on the best trio of turkeys by one exhibitor.

W. H. Bush of Chicago offers the following special premiums:

Five dollars on the largest and best display by one exhibitor from Randall and Potter counties; \$5 on the best pen of birds shown by an exhibitor from Randall and Potter counties; \$2.50 on the best male bird, all breeds competing, by one exhibitor from Randall and Potter counties; \$2.50 on the best female bird, all breeds competing, by one exhibitor from Randall and Potter counties; \$5 on the best pen of birds shown by one exhibitor living within twelve miles of Bushland; \$2.50 on the best male bird shown by one exhibitor living within twelve miles of Bushland. \$2.50 on the best

female bird shown by an exhibitor living twelve miles from Bushland.

Other special premiums are to be announced at a future date.

Following are the rules and regulations to be in effect at the show:

Except as otherwise stated, all awards will be made by the comparison system and the standard of perfection will be the guide of the judge making the awards.

The entry fee will be 50 cents for single entries and \$1 for pen entries.

All birds competing must first be entered as singles before they can be entered as pens. A pen consists of one male, either cock or cockerel, and four females, either hens or pullets. The birds comprising the pen do not have to be the same age.

Entry fees must accompany the entries which will close at noon December 5, and the birds must be in the show room not later than 9 a. m. December 7.

There must be three entries in a class to receive first money, and if only two entries are made in a class first money will be withheld and second money will revert to first prize winner. If only one entry is made in a class only the ribbon will be awarded.

Birds showing signs of disease will be excluded from the show room and promptly returned to the owner.

Any faking by an exhibitor will be the cause of having his entire exhibit disqualified.

The superintendent reserves the right to arrange the birds as he sees fit in the show room.

No exhibit will be removed from the show room before the close of the show only in case the birds show signs of disease.

Definition of terms: Cock, a male bird twelve months old or older; cockerel, a male bird under twelve months old; hen, a female bird twelve months old or older; pullet, a female bird under twelve months old; pen, one male bird and four females; pair, one male and one female; trio, one male and two females.

After the judging is completed the name and address of the breeder will be placed on the coops for the information of the public.

Premiums will be paid on both light and dark barred rocks.

ROUNDAABOUT MT. ZION

Buying and selling broomcorn is the topic of the day.

Mrs. Henry Bewley's father arrived from Oklahoma last week to make his home with her.

Walter Fullerton and Miss Opal Watkins were guests of Miss Marjorie Capps Sunday.

The revival meeting which was being held at Dora by Rev. Mickey of Clovis, came to a close Friday night. Rev. Mickey is indeed an able speaker and you missed something worth while if you failed to hear him.

The Atkinson and John Lackey families were visiting the George Lackey family Sunday.

Willis Capps and sister were transacting business in Elida last Saturday.

Harley Watkins purchased himself a Ford car last week from Roscoe Creek.

Miss Bertha Stinnett has changed her boarding place from J. T. Thompson's to George Lackey's.

Misses Loyce Graham, Marjorie

Capps, Lucile Lackey and Willis Capps attended singing at Rogers Sunday night.

CHRISTIAN UNITY

We are all human and find it difficult in the extreme to follow God's Holy Word instead of trying to apologize with the arguments of purely human wisdom, for conditions as they exist. Still, when we ask a sinner to accept Jesus Christ, what do we do? We ask him to surrender to Christ to sink his own will in the divine. Later, when we have become accustomed to a certain manner of worshipping the Lord and of working for him, either among ourselves or with the non-Christian world, instead of making a careful investigation to learn just what the Word does teach wherein there are differences between ourselves and our religious neighbors, we resent any imputation that it is at all possible for us to be in error. Then we go to God's Word with our glasses or prejudice upon our eyes to read into it what we desire to find there. Of course, this is not universally true, but it is human nature. Let us rather open our minds and keep them open. It is not the source of a statement that makes or mars it, but the truth of it. In the matter of Christian unity the first essential is the desire for unity, and back of the desire must lie an understanding of the Lord's will. We know Christ desires to rule the entire world—for its own sake. We know "Peace on earth" will be

only an iridescent dream until the ethical system of Jesus Christ shall have been adopted with practical unanimity by the nations of earth. Until a motive is supplied that reaches beyond the tomb man will continue to hold to the "First law of nature"—self preservation. There is no appeal, aside from the inherent hope in the breast of man, that an immortal life of unalloyed bliss awaits us, in the religions of earth with all their philosophies. But in the unassailable FACT of the resurrection of Jesus of Nazareth, coupled with His marvelous life, works, and teachings, we have a basis for hope that has already justified many, many millions in surrendering life itself, and countless millions more in living a "new" life in harmony with the teachings of the Master and His last will and testament. A united Christendom held together by

force—man's system—instead of love—Christ's plan, was a failure. A divided Christendom has likewise failed and will continue to fail. A little over 500,000,000 in Christendom—many not nominally Christian—and probably without doubt a much greater population in other lands than the total of the world at the time of the reformation, spells failure. A united consecrated, concentrated church could win the world in a generation. What IS the Lord's will? NORRIS J. REASONER.

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YOUR DEPOSITS WANTED

WHETHER YOU ARE TRYING TO SAVE MONEY TO BUILD OR PAY FOR A HOME, OR JUST FIGHTIN' TO GET A START IN LIFE, YOU ARE STILL IN HE RUNNING—IF YOU DON'T QUIT.

OUR FACILITIES FOR ASSISTING YOU ARE VERY ADEQUATE, AND OUR INCLINATIONS ARE IN HARMONY WITH OUR FACILITIES. WE WILL HELP YOU. TWO KINDS OF INTEREST: "YOURS AND OURS."

The Security State Bank
"THE PEOPLE'S BANK"

MICKIE SAYS—

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GIVE US YOUR PRINTING ORDER.

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Keeping Production's Wheels Running

To keep industry's wheels running steadily keep your advertising campaigns running steadily—for advertising helps maintain demand for your products, by which industry's wheels are turned.

"Go out and get the business!" is the demand made of advertising literature today. Good advertising, like good salesmen, meets that demand. It does get the business.

Keep on advertising. Keep calling on your trade with persuasive literature. Vigorous, interesting sales copy—illustrations that command attention. Constant advertising of this quality will wear away the strongest sales resistance.

Portales Valley News.
Portales, New Mexico

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OLD TIME STOCK DRIVE

Several Thousand Head To Be Traded From Central Texas.

Mart Servis and Earl Erwin have secured a contract to drive a herd of several thousand head of cattle from the central part of Texas, to a point north of Fort Sumner.

Last week was a busy one for the boys, making preparations for the long drive, such as gathering the best cow-ponies, making a "chuck-wagon," (something almost obsolete). This was the old way of handling large herds when fences were beyond the horizon and there were no obstacles outside those made by nature. Now it is different; the country has been cross-sectioned and fenced, leaving only narrow lanes, where-by to pass, and then, we have broad gauge, railroads which carry their burdens quickly.

All this activity caused several old-time cow men to open their eyes and come out of their lethargy of the past, and commence to tell stories of their early day drives.

Messrs. Servis and Erwin are old hands on the trail—Mart especially, having started in as a boy in Texas and Oklahoma. Earl is a product of this section of the short-grass country and lots of the folks, hereabouts, are of the opinion that the saddle was his cradle. We shall view with interest this herd, as it passes through with these gentlemen in charge.—Ft. Sumner Review.

CLOVIS CITY MANAGER RESIGNS HIS POSITION

CLOVIS, N. M., Nov. 12.—City Manager Oscar Dobbs, has offered his resignation to the City Council to take effect December first. As yet the matter has not been acted upon, due to the absence of a quorum at the regular meeting of the Council last week. Mr. Dobbs expects to remain in Clovis and do private engineering work. He has been awarded the engineering contract on thirteen blocks of paving to be put down in Portales, and will begin the work as soon as he is relieved of his duties as City Manager.

TO THE PUBLIC!

I wish to express my appreciation to the public for the liberal patronage which they have given during the time I have been in the coal business in Portales.

I have sold my interest in the firm of Ballow & Johnson to J. M. (Mitt) Price, of Floyd, and ask that you continue your patronage to the firm. All accounts due the old firm are payable to the new firm.

Yours truly,
BURL JOHNSON.
Advertisement—1tp

Joyce-Fruit Company will be closed all day Thanksgiving Day. 3-lt-c advertisement.

ALWAYS STIR THE SUGAR IN YOUR CUP

Following is a poem written especially for Mr. H. R. Mills, while on the Chautauqua circuit this year. Paul J. Barnady of the Barnady Entertainers, is the author, and since it contains so much of logic and good sense we republish it:

I've heard a lot of fellers talk about good things to eat; Each feller seems to think his wife has got the whole town beat. When it comes to fixin' victuals; but give me buckwheat cakes. With maple syrup, and some coffee like Mirandy makes.

Just take some cakes and sausage, and some coffee good and hot, And you've got a combination that will surely hit the spot. But it sorta spoils my breakfast, and surely riles me up. When I find I left some sugar in the bottom of my cup.

And you know, I see folks every day, that's gettin' old and gray With worryin' 'bout the cares of life, and goin' round each day With a face as sour and grouchy as Bill Hodgins' bulldog pup, Just because they leave the sugar in the bottom of their cup.

Life's cup is sometimes bitter, friend, but let me tell you sir, You'll find there's sweetness in it if you'll only make a stir; And you can laugh all clouds away that fate can conjure up. If you'll always stir the sugar from the bottom of your cup!

WON'T PASS ON MRS. MILLER'S REQUEST UNTIL BOARD MEETS

State School Superintendent Conway said today he would not act upon Mrs. Ruth C. Miller's request for a hearing on formal charges, after refusing to resign as director of vocational education upon the state board of education's demand, until the next meeting of the board which he today called for November 16. Vocational Board Will Send Auditors

Mr. Conway today was advised that C. H. Lane and Frank J. Clayton, officials of the federal board for vocational education, were coming here November 15 to go over the vocational department's affairs.

He said he didn't believe their visit had any connection with Traveling Auditor Whittier's report on Mrs. Miller, head of the vocational department, as the annual audit of the department had not yet been made.—Santa Fe New Mexican.

PEA DISEASES FOUND IN MOST WESTERN STATES

Does pea root-rot so destructive in the pea-canning sections of the Eastern and Central States, occur in the important seed-producing sections of the West, or is there some basis for the belief of the growers there that their climate and soil safeguard them in some way from loss? Is there any danger of the spread of pea disease with western seed?

DAUGHTERS CONFEDERACY PLAN TO PERPETUATE OLD DIXIE LAND

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 12.—The five-day national convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy ended here tonight following the installment of Mrs. Livingston Roe Schuyler of New York, as president. General officers were chosen for the year. Tomorrow the executive committee and the officers will hold a joint meeting to plan their work for the next twelve months.

Adoption of plans furthering the perpetuation of the Old South providing for the erection of monuments and extending the organization's constructive work, was the chief subject of today's session. A fund of \$100,000 will be raised by a special collection in every state division for the erection of a group building of the Washington-Lee University at Lexington, Va.

A committee headed by Mrs. J. A. Roundtree, a delegate of Alabama, submitted a report showing that 75 per cent of the volunteer soldiers in the world war in the United States army, were from the South.

WOMAN IN DAZED CONDITION LEFT AT HOME OF NEGROES

DALLAS, Nov. 10.—Police today were endeavoring to locate a man who at 8 o'clock left an unidentified girl at a negro house on Floyd street. The girl, aged about 20, was unconscious when a man persuaded a negro family to permit him to leave her on his declaration that she was taken suddenly ill and that he would bring in a doctor.

The negroes notified the police when the man failed to return promptly. Physicians said the young woman, who is well dressed probably had been poisoned. She still was unconscious at noon.

SHOOT TO KILL IS ORDER GIVEN OUT TO GUARDS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 8.—With

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There is no "cure," but wheezy breathing may oftentimes be relieved by inhaling the soothing medicated vapors of—

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Portales, N. M. 2-4tc

orders to shoot to kill, if necessary, to prevent mail robberies, one thousand marines were ordered to duty today as guards of mail trains and trucks and at postoffices in 15 cities. The men will be armed with pistols and sawed off shot-guns. Postmaster General Hays announced, after a conference with Major General LeJeune, commandant of the marine corps. The marines are to be replaced eventually, he said, by special forces recruited from the postal service.

Arrangements for the services of marines the postmaster general aid, were made with the secretary of the navy. The matter was discussed at today's cabinet meeting, and President Harding is said to have expressed approval of Mr. Hays' plan to check looting of the mails.

SOY-BEAN STRAW IS GOOD ROUGHAGE

The Tennessee station compared soy-bean straw and corn stover as roughage in the production of milk and butter. The ration containing soy-bean straw was found superior to that containing corn stover. This ration produced more pounds of milk and butter fat and produced them more cheaply than the corn-stover ration. In every case there was less loss in milk and butter fat during the feeding of corn stover. It was concluded from these tests that soy-bean straw is a valuable addition to the roughage in the feeding of dairy cows.

Joyce-Fruit Company will be closed all day Thanksgiving Day. 3-lt-c advertisement.

BEHIND THE DEAD LINE

The editor of an American newspaper dropped into a special afternoon service for the first time for many years. He listened to the sermon for awhile and then rushed to his office.

"What are you fellows doing?" he shouted. "How about the news from the seat of war?"

"What news?" "Why, all this about the Egyptian army being drowned in the Red Sea. The minister up at the church knows all about it, and you haven't got a single word in our latest edition. Bustle 'round, you fellows, and get out an extra special, sharp!" — London Tit-Bits.

CARBON PAPER
A full line of non-smut Carbon paper now in stock—Black and purple. Portales Valley News.

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Clovis, N. M.
Musical Electrical Athletic

Thanksgiving
Thanksgiving Day is the day set aside for everyone to give thanks for the good that has come to them in the past year. We are thankful for the liberal patronage his Bank has received in the past year and hope you are thankful for the service we have given you. You will be thankful—if you place your surplus money in this bank, where you have two things needful—**SAFETY AND PROFIT**

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ROOSEVELT COUNTY BROOM CORN GROWERS HAVE SOLD THEIR 1921 CROP FOR A GOOD PRICE—THE QUALITY OF BROOM CORN IS LARGELY DUE TO THE SOIL ON WHICH IT IS GROWN.

THERE IS NO BETTER SOIL IN ROOSEVELT COUNTY FOR BROOM CORN GROWING THAN THIS FARM OF 1280 ACRES, AND EVERY FOOT CAN BE PUT IN CULTIVATION. IT IS ONE OF THE BEST IMPROVED PLACES IN THE COUNTY. PLENTY OF LIMB FOR POSTS AND SHADE.

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DEMOCRATIC IN POLITICS

The map of the United States Associated Chamber of Commerce places the Portales Valley and Roosevelt county in the best business section of the United States.

The broomcorn market at Portales has proven an eye-opener this season and the prospects for a triple acreage the coming season is good.

WHERE IS THE WASTE?

The Taxpayers' Association of New Mexico has as its primary purpose to assist in bringing about efficiency in governmental administration.

ARE YOU A WEATHER PROPHET?

If not then you can become one by the following plan: In the issue of the Portales Journal of November 19, 1920, appeared the following:

mission as the traveling expenses of the sheriffs and their deputies. The sheriffs must travel in the interest of peace and order, but some can secure these at a considerably lower cost than others.

5. The Wild Animal Bounty Fund should be abolished, and the work of destroying predatory animals turned over to federal and state authorities.

AMERICAN LEGION WEEKLY NEWS

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 15.—Roy Phillips, member of the American Legion at Nashville, Tenn., received a five-pound box of candy in the mail and wondered who loved him.

Des Moines, Iowa, Nov. 15.—A chicken that came into the world "shimmying" and grew to full size in spite of its affliction, was one of the attractions at the "Joy Day" celebration of the Hedrick, Iowa post of the American Legion.

Flying a kite "to keep the wolf from the door" is the occupation of a World War veteran who during the war flew an airplane in France.

The home in which the daughter of Betty Ross, maker of the first American flag, lived at Fort Madison, Ia., has been purchased by the Fort Madison post of their American Legion for a club-house.

LOCAL MARKETS

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Milo and Kafir, Shelled corn, Cream, Eggs, Hens, Fryers, Turkeys.

The News is only \$1.50 a year.

FACT

Local Evidence. Evidence that can be verified. Fact is what we want. Opinion is not enough. Opinions differ.

Here's a Portales fact. You can test it. J. P. Voyles, farmer, says: "I know Doan's Kidney Pills are a good kidney medicine and I am glad to recommend them."

The mayor and chief of police of Lincoln, Neb., have endorsed a plan for the employment of jobless ex-service men at night watch men to aid the police department in suppressing crime.

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An old timer on the plains uses the following plan for forecasting the weather: For every snow before Christmas, another snow will fall within ninety days and a rain within six months.

According to the files of the Portales Valley News, a heavy snow fell on February 5, and in the issue of the Portales Valley News of May 19, under the heading of "Friday 13th" was an account of the rains which broke the drouth all over the county, and a

CONTINUAL SUFFERING IS A MODERN ORIGIN

Now That Robust Health Can Be Enjoyed Through Use of New Product.

You can't go on indefinitely feeling bad all the time. Don't you realize that the longer you go just that much worse the cause of your trouble will grow.

Very often headaches, backaches, nervousness, irritability, loss of weight, sleeplessness, etc., are just the beginning of severe sickness. These "warnings" are Nature's way of telling you that something is wrong in your delicate system.

People who suffer from those constantly nagging and distressing ailments can get surprisingly quick relief from them through the faithful use of Garren's Tonic the new medicine which thousands of people are now praising.

Garren's Tonic will put your stomach and blood in the condition it must be to get nourishment in the form of iron and vitamins from the food you eat. That is what you need to strengthen your nerve and build healthy tissue which puts sound flesh on your thin and weakened body to resist the fatal effect that overwork, strain and worry otherwise has on your system.

Garren's Tonic is sold in Portales by the Portales Drug Store and the leading druggists in every city.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The revival services still continue with good sermons, good music and good audiences. Are you attending? To those out of Christ the invitation is extended to come and learn the way of salvation; to those who have grown careless and indifferent in His service, to come and renew their allegiance to Him, and there is nothing in any part of the services to harm those actively engaged in following the Master-Come!

THANKSGIVING SHOPPERS

The Portales Valley News asks that before doing your Thanksgiving shopping, that you read carefully the ads in this paper, and make your purchases from our advertisers, before sending away for your Thanksgiving supplies.

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WITH THE CHURCHES

METHODIST CHURCH

Services at the Methodist church next Sunday will be as follows: Sunday school at 10 a. m., Prof. Krattli superintendent. We fell below our mark of attendance last Sunday. Let's make up for the loss by having not less than two hundred and twenty-five next Sunday. A class for everybody and everybody in a class. Every member of the church should come to Sunday school if at all possible and bring someone with them.

Morning services conducted by the pastor as follows: Instrumental Voluntary. Hymn No. 13. Apostles Creed and prayer. Anthem, "Rest From Your Labors," by Choir. Old Testament Lesson in Response. New Testament Lesson. Offertory. Hymn No. 100. Sermon. Hymn No. 1. Doxology and Apostolic Benediction.

There will be no evening services account the Christian revival.

JAMES J. RICHARDS, Pastor.

GRATIFYING INTEREST

The attendance and the attention at the series of revival meetings at the band hall, are pleasing and a few are responding to the gospel invitation already. We hope for many others. There should be a general turning to the Lord in Portales and vicinity, and there should be a reconsecration of all the Christian forces.

We double the strength of an army when we double its efficiency, just as surely as when we double its numbers. It is even more important, so let us all get closer to the Captain of our salvation.

The subjects we are to use, subject to change, follow: Friday, "Why I Am What I Am." Saturday, "The World's Greatest Detective." Sunday, 11 a. m., "A Mighty Work." 3:00 p. m., for women only, "Mother." Monday, "Boulders on Hell's Highway." Tuesday, "Ten Portales Girls." Wednesday, "The Two Poles of Salvation." Thursday, "Action of Baptism."

You are most cordially invited to attend all these services—not as a matter of accommodation to the evangelist, though we appreciate your presence, but because the things of the Great God, before whom we shall all stand to give account of the deeds done in the body, have the supreme call upon our attention. We neglect them at our own peril. These meetings are to be of assistance to YOU, personally. COME—NOW—REGULARLY.

BAPTIST CHURCH

We had 205 in Sunday school last Sunday. A congregation that well filled the house was present for the preaching services. Many of you who will read this have heard me often in public say "I wish to be sincere and a blessing in some way to the people of Portales." And now after more than twenty months of service, I trust my manner of living will speak for me. It is not a religious competition, but a heart devotion to God's great cause that will stand the test of the ages. I wish in my heart to do a work that will be standing long after I am forgotten. We welcome you to our services next Sunday and at all times. Our attendance is fine and the attention is wonderful.

J. F. NIX, Pastor.

THANKSGIVING SERVICES

Union Thanksgiving services will be held at the First Baptist church next Thursday, the 24th, from 10 until 11 o'clock a. m. A committee has been appointed from the various churches of the town to arrange for the music. Rev. James J. Richards has been selected to deliver the sermon, and the other part of the services will be in charge of the other ministers of the town. Rev. Richards' subject for the morning will be "Thanksgiving Every Day."

Let everyone come out and observe together that beautiful custom instituted by our fathers in the dawn of American history. We as a people have many things to give thanks for this year.

Joyce-Pruit Company will be closed all day Thanksgiving Day. 3-11-c advertisement.

Wesleyan 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.

A. K. SCOTT, Pastor.

ROGERS CIRCUIT

Rogers, July 4th Sunday. Floyd, August 1st Sunday. Causey, 3rd Sunday. Inez September 1st Sunday. Shady Grove, September 3rd Sunday. Rev. W. G. Fondren, P. C., Rogers, N. Mex.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Prayer meeting Thursday at 8 p. m. You are always welcome to come and worship with us.

A. C. BATES, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Rev. George Mickey of Clavis will preach at the Church of Christ on the north side of the railroad track next Saturday night and Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Also Bible class at 6 p. m. Sunday for young folks. Everyone cordially invited to be with us.

November 15, 1921.

DEAR PUBLIC:— WE BUY RIGHT—WE SELL RIGHT!

Goods bought right are half sold. We sell new and second hand goods, but we are selling more new goods than second hand because since the war, the price has declined some. In the last two years George & Manis have done 90 per cent of the buying and selling in our line, which assures you that this is the place to trade.

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SOCIETY

SOMETIMES DREAMING
 Sometimes when I am dreaming,
 I see the sky again;
 The sky a bowl of burning gold
 Turned o'er the jade green plain.
 I hear the glad wind send me,
 O'er fields of golden ripe,
 A thrilling note of beauty,
 From out his silver pipe.
 I see the gates of morning
 Swing wide to let the day
 Come in her shimmering beauty
 Across the dew bright way.
 I see the noon-time glory—
 Veiled sunset lambs at—
 Night brings her troops of shadows;
 The first bright pulsing star.
 I see the dark sky gardener
 A treasured flower disclose
 Of white and glistening petals
 Fairer than any rose.
 It makes of all the dusk hour
 A white and mystic June—
 Old earth bends knees to worship
 The white bright summer moon.
 Such visions when I'm dreaming
 Unfold in moving light;
 Dream pictures of the day time,
 Dream pictures of the night.
 —A. B. Leigh in K. C. Star.

Stewart Long Celebrates His Eighth Birthday
 Tuesday evening Stewart Long celebrated his eighth birthday, assisted by eight of his play mates. A delightful evening was enjoyed at the home of Stewart's parents, Prof. and Mrs. J. S. Long. Those present were, Kenneth Jones, Emmett White, Coy McCormack, Hubert and Harry Burke, James and Charles Compton and Phelps Armstrong.

The Woman's Club met with Mrs. Ribble last week. The debate proved to be a live issue. The judges played a real joke on the affirmative, however, giving their decision in favor of the negative. But everyone enjoyed it, even though the defeat was a real surprise to some of the participants. Refreshments consisted of cherry pie and coffee. Mrs. James J. R. Stone and C. S. Turner will entertain the Club next week with Mrs. Jim May leader. Subject for discussion, "Health."

Rev. and Mrs. Richards Entertain Choir
 Tuesday night the choir of the Methodist church were entertained at the parsonage after choir practice with a luncheon consisting of hot chocolate and fruit salad. All pronounce Rev. and Mrs. Richards royal entertainers.

LOCAL PERSONALS
 Revival tonight. Band Hall. Advertisement—1tc

A little daughter arrived at the Judge Reese home Monday.

Captain Molinari returned Tuesday from a trip to Albuquerque.

Joyce-Fruit Company will be closed all day Thanksgiving Day. 3-11-c advertisement.

Kenneth Bell entertained Maurine and Elizabeth Priddy at dinner Saturday evening.

O. S. Strickland was in Canyon City, Texas, on business the latter part of last week.

Try Sweet Shop candies with your Thanksgiving dinner. Advertisement—1tc

Mrs. S. F. Culberson of Taiban is the guest of Mrs. H. F. Jones this week.

If you are coming to the revival at all, do it now. Band hall. Advertisement—1tc

Mrs. T. A. Whitcomb of Albuquerque attended the funeral of her niece, Mrs. Frank Culberson, last Saturday.

Mrs. R. H. Todd and children of Slaton, Texas, are visiting the parents of R. H. near Elida this week.

Have you been in the crowds at the revival? It is your loss, then. Come. Band hall. Advertisement—1tc

Senator Seth A. Morrison made a trip to Albuquerque and other northern New Mexico points the latter part of last week feeling that the taste of he people in that part of the state on Portales Valley sweet potatoes.

Sweet Shop for Candies
 Advertisement—1tc

E. T. Moody returned Wednesday from a business trip to Amarillo, Texas.

Rev. Hendrix and Jack Calloway of Slaton, Texas, were in attendance of the funeral last Saturday.

You have as much right to be saved as any man living. Why not? Band hall tonight. Advertisement—1tc

A. L. Brookway left this week for his old home in Kansas where he was called to settle the estate of his father.

Mrs. Minnie Reynolds has purchased the Red Cross house now occupied by the Rupert Graham family.

The Gunn family moved to Upton Tuesday and the John Thornton family moved into the house vacated by them.

Miss Effie White of Farwell, Texas, is staying in the W. H. Catt home at present and attending school.

Why do you deliberately choose to be lost? Hear the message of salvation at the band hall. NOW! Advertisement—1tc

L. A. Taylor of Grandfield, Oklahoma, father of the popular Cosy manager, is in town this week visiting his son and new daughter-in-law.

Mrs. Whitcomb and daughter, Miss Beulah, of Rochester, Minn., came in last Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Whitcomb's daughter, Mrs. Frank Culberson.

Elizabeth and Maurine Priddy entertained Kenneth Bell, Mary McDonald and LeVon Brown with a quail dinner Friday evening. Then they all attended the show.

Mrs. E. C. Gunn was called to Floyd Thursday to make the acquaintance of her new granddaughter, who arrived in the Walter Griffith home that morning.

Saturday E. E. Tusha of Elida returned from Kansas City, where he had been with a shipment of cattle. Mr. Tusha says that the market was better on heifers than on steers.

Agent Brown, formerly of Elida but of Mountainair for the past two years, passed through Saturday on his way to Carlsbad, where he will be stationed as agent for the Santa Fe.

Have good, clean hardware stock value from ten to fifteen thousand dollars to trade for irrigated land with pumping plant ready for operation. For particulars please see us at once. New Mexico Cattle & Realty Co. Advertisement—1tc

Roselle Culberson and daughters, Mrs. Will Cox and Misses Lucy and Bess Culberson of Taiban, N. M., came in Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Frank Culberson.

Elizabeth and Maurine Priddy who are attending the Wayland College at Plainview came in Thursday to spend the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Priddy. They were accompanied by their grandmother, Mrs. Green.

All the criminals the moral defectives and delinquents, and degenerates are out of Christ. All those who are building character that endures in spite of all tests are in the church of Jesus Christ. Why should they have to carry the weight of your active or passive opposition too? The choice people of earth are real Christians. Why not stand with them instead of with their enemies? Advertisement—1tc

Representative Coe Howard was in town this week, with two cattle buyers in tow, from Wyoming and Montana. Mr. Howard found cattle prices in this neighborhood stiffening up and attributed it to the newly formed DeBaca County Stock Growers' Loan Co. He says his home town of Portales was never in better shape, as the farmers of that section have just harvested an abundant crop for which they are receiving fine prices.—Pt. Sumner Review.

ANNOUNCEMENT

To the Patrons of the Cosy:—As announced in another place in this paper on, Wednesday, November 23rd, I am bringing to Portales a musical company that has a reputation. Having played Albuquerque last week will play Clovis Monday and Tuesday, and Amarillo on December 5. In doing this the patrons have an opportunity to see the very best musical that is playing on the road. Hoping that I may have your support, I remain, Yours truly, A. B. TAYLOR, Manager Cosy Theater. Advertisement—1tc

Kodak Printing and Developing
 MARY L. STEDDOM. (At Dr. Williams' office.) 1-1tc Advertisement—1tc

FROM J. L. CONNER
 Ringgold, Texas, November 14, 1921.

Kind Sirs:—Please find enclosed check for \$1.50. Please keep the paper coming and remember me to all the old boys, Ed Neer, Arthur Jones, J. B. Sledge, also old Bert Priddy and many others there that I will be glad to meet again. Yours very truly, J. L. CONNER.

The Ballew twins of Echland visited their parents at New Hope last week end and took the Price girls with them. They motored to Richland Saturday afternoon with Emmett Ballew and without the aid of Miss Beulah's hairpin they would have had a happy time getting the Ford home.

TEXT BOOK MEN ARRIVING IN SANTA FE FOR A CONFERENCE

SANTA FE, N. M., Nov. 15.—Representatives of school text book publishing companies holding contracts with the state under the six-year text book adoption of 1920, are arriving in Santa Fe today to attend the conference on the text book situation called for tomorrow by John V. Conway, state superintendent of schools.

A number of the text book men called on Governor Mechem today to discuss with him the whole matter of the adoptions and prices of text books. The state board of education will be in session tomorrow at 1:30 and the text book matter will come before the board. It was expected today that a session of the board with the representatives of the publishers might be held.

There is a tremendous sweet potato crop over around Portales and the Valley News man declares that there is no danger of its starting out so long as the yams hold out. Incidentally, the News celebrated its twentieth birthday last week, though the present editor has been on the job but one of the twenty. We note that editor Greaves is offering to sell a perfectly good Roosevelt county ranch in order that he may devote more time to the upbuilding of the Portales Valley News. We can't understand what a man with 1,280 acres of land in the Portales Valley of New Mexico would want of a newspaper but there's no accounting for tastes. Anyway, the Greaves combination, J. G. and S. A., is making good with the News, but it wouldn't be a bad idea to keep about 80 acres of that yam patch just to fall back on when old age overtakes them.—Southwest Plainsman.

E. A. Herndon, traveling salesman, left this morning after a few days visit with his family.

NOTES!
 The Portales Valley News now has on hand a supply of standard notes bound in books of 25 each at 25c per book. Advertisement—1tc

CARBON PAPER
 A full line of non-smut Carbon paper now in stock—Black and purple. Portales Valley News.

STOP! LOOK!! LISTEN!!

Suits cleaned and pressed	\$1.25
Pants cleaned and pressed	.50
Overcoats cleaned and pressed	\$1.50
Suits Dyed	\$5.00
Overcoats Dyed	\$5.00
Pants Dyed	\$2.50
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We do alterations of all kinds. Call in and look our samples over before you order your Xmas Suit.
THE NEW WAY CLEANERS AND DYERS
 Next door to Owen's Shoe Repair Shop

WAGNER READY TO BEGIN WORK ON HIS DEFENSE

Normal University Regents Refuse Request That He Be Relieved Pending Hearing.

Jonathan H. Wagner, who returned from East Las Vegas last night, stated today he intended to begin work at once on his reply to the charges made by Traveling Auditor Whittier in his report to the state board of education.

Mr. Wagner added he asked the Normal University board of regents to relieve him of his duties as president of the institution until his hearing, but they said this wasn't necessary and told him to go ahead and take the time he wished to prepare his defense.—Santa Fe New Mexican.

OUT AFTER BIG GAME

Monday, J. B. and Mrs. Priddy, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ball, Jack Turner and Bill Kenyon left for the mountains on a hunting trip. A number of Portales people are anticipating venison for Thanksgiving.

WAGONS AND MONUMENTS

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Found can of Calumet contains full 16 oz. Some baking powders come in 12 oz. instead of 16 oz. cans. Beware you get a pound when you want it.

Calumet Gold Cake Recipe
 Yolks of 8 eggs,
 1 1/4 cups of granulated sugar,
 1/2 cup of water,
 1/2 cup of butter,
 2 1/2 cups pastry flour,
 3 level teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder,
 1 tablespoon of vanilla. The mix in the regular way.

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RED CROSS WORKING FOR HEALTHIER U. S.

Thousands Aided by Instruction in Care of the Sick, Food Selection and First Aid.

How the American Red Cross guides thousands of persons to health is shown in a summary of the society's activities in the health field based upon the annual report for the last fiscal year.

The work of the Red Cross during the war in its traditional field of nursing, furnishing the military and naval establishments of the nation with 19,877 nurses, is well known.

In addition to the nurses enrolled by the Red Cross for Government service, the Red Cross itself employed a total of 1,345 public health nurses in the United States and Europe.

Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick classes, giving thorough instruction in the proper care of the sick in instances where the illness is not so serious as to require professional nursing care.

What the Red Cross accomplished in giving proper instruction through its Nutrition Service is indicated by the following table:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Count. Includes: New classes formed during year (5,179), Classes completed during year (6,290), New students enrolled (101,068), Students completing course (73,432).

Through its 280 Health Centers, the Red Cross reached 90,293 persons. In these Health Centers, 4,015 health lectures were given and 780 health exhibits held.

In the United States last year, 75,482 persons were killed and 3,500,000 injured in industrial accidents. To prevent this enormous waste the Red Cross held 5,100 first aid classes with a total of 104,000 students enrolled.

RED CROSS RESCUED 600,000 FROM DEATH

Spent \$1,200,000 for Relief of Famine Sufferers in China Last Year.

To help overcome conditions of acute distress in five famine stricken provinces of Northern China, where millions of persons were affected by an unprecedented shortage of food, the American Red Cross during the last fiscal year spent more than \$1,200,000, \$1,000,000 of which was contributed directly by National Headquarters and the remainder by various groups interested in the welfare of China.

Through the wide relief operations thus made possible it is estimated that more than 600,000 famine sufferers were saved from starvation.

To the end that similar prompt relief measures by the organization may always be possible the Red Cross is asking continued support by the American people by universal renewal of membership at the Annual Red Cross Roll Call, November 11 to 24.

ONE DOLLAR ANNUAL DUES IN THE AMERICAN RED CROSS MAKES YOU A PARTICIPANT IN RELIEF WORK FOR THE HELPLESS THAT GIRDLES THE GLOBE. ANSWER THE ANNUAL RED CROSS ROLL CALL NOVEMBER 11-24, 1921.

RED CROSS GIVES ANNUAL BUDGET

\$19,361,657 Allotted for Current Program of Relief and Service.

MILLIONS FOR VETERAN AID

Medical Aid for European Children Will Cost \$6,000,000 This Year.

Washington.—Expenditures totalling \$19,361,657 for carrying through its program of relief and services in the United States and overseas are outlined in the budget of the American Red Cross for the current fiscal year.

Outstanding among the items of the domestic budget is the appropriation of \$3,000,256 for work in behalf of the disabled ex-service man and his family. This appropriation represents the amount allotted to this work from National Headquarters only and does not take into consideration the millions being spent in chapters for relief of the World War veteran.

Chief among the sub-divisions of the appropriation for work with veterans is that which concerns itself with assistance to disabled men and women in government hospitals.

Other items of the appropriation for veterans' relief are proportionately increased. An additional appropriation of \$400,000 has been made for Red Cross work in connection with regular Army and Navy hospitals and with the regular Army and Navy.

For disaster relief, the Red Cross has set aside for the current twelve months an appropriation of \$543,076, virtually doubling the appropriation for the same purpose for the fiscal year 1920-1921.

More than \$2,000,000 is provided for service and assistance to the 3,000 Red Cross chapters by the national organization.

Other items of the domestic budget include \$498,546 for miscellaneous activities, including contributions restricted for special purposes and \$768,000 for management. Each of these items represents large reductions over similar appropriations of the previous year.

From a fund of \$10,000,000, \$5,000,000 of which was contributed through the European Relief Council campaign and \$5,000,000 allotted by the Red Cross for child welfare work in Europe, there remains \$5,705,108 still available, of which it is estimated that \$8,000,000 will be required for this work during the current year.

In announcing the national budget, the Red Cross makes it clear that the figures do not include chapter expenditures or place any cash estimate on the invaluable service of volunteers in chapters.

TO START S. A. POST IN CLOVIS SHORTLY

CLOVIS, Nov. 12.—Adjutant L. Carl is in Clovis from army headquarters in El Paso to establish a Salvation Army post here. He explained his plans to the Chamber of Commerce and received its hearty endorsement.

POULTRY COMMITTEES TO MEET WEDNESDAY

Details Complete Except Sale of Advertising and Cooping Show.

(Amarillo Tribune) Members of several committees in charge of arrangements of details for the holding of the Panhandle-Plains Tri-State Poultry Show here December 7 to 11, will meet and make reports on their different phases of the work at the City Hall Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock.

A plan is now on foot by which the entire show can be cooped in uniformity in order that all birds will be well displayed, and the committee on cooping expects to announce by Wednesday night that this feature has been arranged.

H. W. Duke, secretary-treasurer, announced Monday morning that numbers of inquiries continue to arrive at his office, as well as numbers of letters from poultry raisers who express their intention of making entries in the show.

Joyce-Fruit Company will be closed all day Thanksgiving Day. 3-1-t-c advertisement.

Before profit appears there is the cost of running a machine; there is also the cost of maintaining it when it is not running.

The Portales Valley News now has on hand a supply of standard notes bound in books of 25 each at 25c per book. 11-Advertisement

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A Beverage Purifier CLARIFIES, STERILIZES and MELLOWS all DRINKS instantly. Makes Hard Water soft. Kills Germs. Takes POISONS out of liquids and dissolves Yeast. Equals 20 Years in Barrel.

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ROOMS TO RENT

TWO ROOMS for rent. See Mrs. Nora Johnston. Advertisement—1-tfc

FOR SALE—Twenty five choice Barred Plymouth Rock hens \$1.00 each. One new 2300 gallon supply tank for water \$85. Bundle cane 5c delivered. See W. F. Kenady, at Joyce-Fruit's Hardware department. 2-2tp

FOR SALE—Fresh pork. Phone Mrs. J. J. Ross. 2-tf-c

Legal Publications.

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico. In the Matter of the Estate of of) No. 238. Roland Beebe, Deceased.)

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the first day of November, 1921, appointed administrator of the estate of Roland Beebe, deceased, by Honorable A. J. Goodwin, Probate Judge of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

Therefore all persons having 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 day of appointment as provided by law, or same will be barred.

HENRY BEEBE, Administrator. G. L. REESE, Attorney. N. 10-D. 1-B

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico. In the Matter of the Estate of of) No. 237. Efel Kachel, Deceased.)

Notice is hereby given that I, M. R. Jones, was on the 7th day of November, 1921, at the regular November term of the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, duly appointed administrator over the estate of Efel Kachel, deceased.

THEREFORE, any and all persons having any claims against said estate and all interested parties, are hereby required to present the same to me, or file the same with the Clerk of this Court within one year from date hereof according to law, or the same will be forever barred.

Dated this 7th day of November, 1921. M. R. JONES, Administrator. N. 10-D. 1-C

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MONEY TO LOAN

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

NOTES!

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Land LOANS

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

Monday, Lee Wilson other Pecos gone Mr. V the Lakewood tigate same fishing a ca

Mr. and Mrs. B. Turner and of Clovis left a hunting party.

Legal NOTICE Department Land Office Nov. 2, 1921.

Notice is hereby given that O. Kelley, of Box 975, who made homestead 8 1/2 section 2 made addition 018447, for the 1/2 Meridian, section to make establish described before Judge, J. Gales, N. M. December, 1919.

Claimant Preston B. M.; James A. Adolph Am John B. Faw N. 17-D. 15

NOTICE OF The State-garet C. Skelmas, GREET You are hereby notified that you have been appointed District Court District of the in and for R. J. A. Price, Leland Rice, the estate of are plaintiffs formerly Ella Skelton, Irene Skelton Skelton, Les minor, and J. the said Les defendants, in 1716 on the C

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IN INTEREST OF CANNERY

Monday, Mr. and Mrs. James Lee Wilson left for Roswell and other Pecos Valley points. While going Mr. Wilson expects to visit the Lakewood cannery and investigate same with view of establishing a cannery at Portales.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Friddy, Mr. and Mrs. Ball, Bill Kenyon, Jack Turner and Dr. and Mrs. Wainner of Clovis left Monday morning for a hunting trip up in the mountains.

Legal Publications

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Ft. Sumner, N. M., Nov. 2, 1921.

Notice is hereby given that William O. Kelley, of Clovis, N. M., P. O. Box 975, who, on October 7, 1918, made homestead entry No. 018396, for 8 1/2 section 22, and on June 25, 1920, made additional homestead entry, 018447, for the N 1/2 of section 27, all in township 1 N., range 35 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, Roosevelt County, at Portales, N. M., on the 24th day of December, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Preston B. Copeland, of Clovis, N. M.; James Antle, of Clovis, N. M.; Adolph Amborn, of Clovis, N. M.; John B. Fewell, of Portales, N. M. W. R. McGILL, Register.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

The State of New Mexico, to Margaret C. Skelton and Hattie L. Whitman, 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 J. A. Price, James T. Pancoast and Leland Rice Skelton, administrators of the estate of L. S. Skelton, deceased, are plaintiffs and Ella R. Clapsadie, formerly Ella R. Skelton, Margaret C. Skelton, formerly Margaret C. Clark, Irene Skelton Pancoast, Leland Rice Skelton, Leslie Marion Skelton, a minor, and J. A. Price, guardian of the said Leslie Marion Skelton, are defendants, said cause being numbered 1716 on the Civil Docket of said Court.

The general objects of said action are as follows: The above named plaintiffs as administrators of the estate of L. S. Skelton, deceased, have filed their petition in the above styled cause against the above named defendants alleging that the personal estate of the said L. S. Skelton, deceased, is insufficient to discharge the debts allowed against said estate and the legacies charged thereon, and that it is necessary to resort to a sale of the real estate belonging to the estate of the said L. S. Skelton, deceased, for the purpose of discharging the debts and legacies against said estate; and the plaintiffs pray an order and decree of the court for a sale of the following described real estate located in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, for the purpose of obtaining funds to pay off and discharge the just debts and legacies against said estate, to-wit:

The east half of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section five in township one south of range thirty-three east, N. M. P. M., containing 20 acres.

The south thirty acres of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section thirteen in township two south of range thirty-four east, N. M. P. M., containing 30 acres more or less.

The northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section thirty in township one south of range thirty-four east, N. M. P. M., containing 40 acres, more or less.

The southeast quarter of section thirty-two in township one south of range thirty-five east, N. M. P. M., containing 160 acres, more or less.

The southeast quarter of section four in township two south of range thirty-five east, N. M. P. M., containing 160 acres, more or less.

The south one-fourth of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section five in township two south of range thirty-five east, N. M. P. M., containing 10 acres, more or less.

The northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty-five in township one south of range thirty-four east, N. M. P. M., containing 40 acres, more or less.

That certain tract of land beginning at a point on the section line 293 1-3 east of the southwest corner of section 22, in township one south of range 34 east of the New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico; thence north 600 yards; thence east 293 1-3 yards; thence south 600 yards; thence west 293 1-3 yards to the point of beginning, containing 40 acres, more or less.

That certain tract of land beginning at the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of section one in township two south of range thirty-four east, N. M. P. M., thence west twelve hundred forty feet to the Moss corner; thence south thirteen hundred twenty-three feet to a line south of the thirty-seven and one-half acre tract seventy-one feet east of the center of the northwest quarter of section one in township two south of range thirty-four east of the New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico; thence east twelve hundred forty feet; thence north thirteen hundred

and twenty-three feet to the place of beginning, containing thirty-seven and one-half acres, more or less.

The west half of the northwest quarter of section thirteen in township one south of range thirty-three east of the New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico, containing 80 acres.

All of section thirty-one in township one south of range thirty-one east of the New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico, containing 225.92 acres, more or less.

You are further notified that unless you appear and plead or answer in said cause on or before the 31st day of December, 1921, judgment by default will be taken against you and the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

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

Witness my hand and the seal of said court on this 9th day of November, 1921.

(Seal) R. H. GRISSOM, N. 10-D. 1-E. Clerk.

In the District Court of Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico.

J. W. Slaton, Plaintiff, vs. J. A. W. Bell, or Joseph A. W. Bell, Alice L. Bell or Lucy A. Bell, Lillie B. Bell, Robert H. Cavett, Mabel Cavett (his wife), H. G. Rowley, Harry H. Thomas, Great Western Oil & Refining Co., J. W. Cowart, Clovis Oil Co., Taiban-Tolse Oil & Gas Syndicate, A. E. Curran, H. F. Young, W. E. McAdoo, Caleb A. Sipple, A. J. Goodwin, John H. Ballow, George P. Baxter, and Kansas City Life Insurance Co., and all unknown heirs and claimants, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to an order of sale and judgment issued out of the District Court of Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico, on the 17th day of August, 1921, in an action wherein J. W. Slaton was plaintiff and J. A. W. Bell or Joseph A. W. Bell, Alice L. Bell or Lucy A. Bell, Lillie B. Bell, Robert H. Cavett, Mabel Cavett, H. G. Rowley, Harry H. Thomas, Great Western Oil & Refining Co., J. W. Cowart, Clovis Oil Co., Taiban-Tolse Oil & Gas Syndicate, A. E. Curran, H. F. Young, W. E. McAdoo, Caleb A. Sipple, A. J. Goodwin, John H. Ballow, George P. Baxter and Kansas City Life Insurance Co., and all unknown heirs and claimants were defendants, which said judgment was, on the 17th day of August, 1921, recorded in judgment Book I of said court at Page 112.

I am therefore commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece and parcel of land situate in the county of Roosevelt, State of New Mexico, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

The southwest quarter section twenty, the northwest quarter section twenty-nine, the south one-half section twenty-nine, the west half section thirty-two, southeast quarter and the east half of northeast quarter and southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section thirty-two, all in township four north of range twenty-nine east; the east one-half of section six, the west one-half of section five, the west half of the northeast quarter, the northeast quarter and the south half of the southeast quarter of section five; the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section four; the east one-half of the northwest quarter of section nine; the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter, the east one-half of the northwest quarter, the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section eight; the northeast quarter section eighteen; the south half of the northwest quarter section seventeen; the southwest quarter section seventeen; the northwest quarter of section fifteen, all in township three north of range twenty-nine east.

That the following portion of the above described real estate is sold subject to a mortgage now held by the Kansas City Life Insurance Co., Kansas City, Mo., in the sum of \$3800.00 to-wit:

The south half of section twenty-nine, township four north range twenty-nine east; all of section thirty-two, township four north of range twenty-nine east, except the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter; all of section five township three north of range twenty-nine east, except the north half of the southeast quarter and the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter; the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section four and the east half of section fifteen; the north half of the northeast quarter and the east half of the northwest; the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section eight, all in township three north of range twenty-nine east.

Property of the defendants above set forth, sufficient to satisfy said judgment rendered in said action, to-wit:

First: That judgment in favor of said plaintiff J. W. Slaton, in the principal sum of \$13,158.92, with interest, taxes, costs and fees, since the 23rd day of July, 1921, and the costs of this sale, and as in said judgment provided, and set forth.

Second: That judgment in favor of defendant J. W. Cowart, in the principal sum of \$3201.44, with interest, from December 11th, 1920, and costs as in said judgment provided, and set forth.

AND WHEREAS, in said decree, the undersigned, M. B. Jones, was appointed Special Commissioner by the Court and directed to advertise and sell

forth, but this said judgment in favor and inferior to the judgment of the plaintiff herein, and the judgment of plaintiff shall be paid first from the proceeds of said sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 6th day of December, 1921, at ten o'clock a. m. of that day, in front of the court house in the City of Portales, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, I will, in obedience to said order of sale, and judgment, sell the above described property as first herein set forth, conditioned as set forth, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's judgment, with interest, taxes costs and attorneys fees, to the highest bidder for cash in hand.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand as Special Master this 9th day of November, 1921.

COE HOWARD, N. 10-D. 1-E. Special Master.

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of Edward C. Price, Deceased.) No. 207.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Executor, John M. Price, has filed his final report in the above entitled cause, and that the 5th day of January, 1922, has been the day set by the Court for the hearing of such final report and accounting, and the settlement thereof.

THEREFORE, any heir, creditor, or other person interested in said estate, may, on or before the date aforesaid, file objections thereto, or any particular item thereof, and the same will be heard and considered by the Court together with the said final report.

R. H. GRISSOM, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Probate Clerk of Roosevelt County, New Mexico. N. 10-D.1-C

In the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

J. B. Paine, plaintiff, vs. A. A. Cribbs and Bertha Cribbs, Defendants.) No. 1688.

NOTICE OF SALE Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned Special Master, under and by virtue of a judgment and decree of foreclosure of the District Court in and for Roosevelt County, New Mexico, rendered on the 25th day of August, 1921, in said cause for the sum of \$1890.00 together with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from November 11th, 1917 until paid, and for an additional amount thereon of ten per cent as attorney's fees, and for the further sum of \$123.16 taxes paid by plaintiff, and \$60.00 interest paid by plaintiff, which judgment and decree was in favor of the plaintiff and against the defendants, ordering and directing the undersigned Special Master to sell at public auction the real estate hereinafter described, for the purpose of paying the judgment aforesaid, together with interest and cost of suit, which said judgment, together with interest thereon, excepting cost of suit, on the date of sale, to-wit: November 30th, 1921, amounts to \$2931.06, will, on the 30th day of November, 1921, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the court house in the Town of Portales, County and State aforesaid, offer and expose for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following described real estate situate in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, to-wit:

The southwest quarter of section three (3) in township one (1) south, range thirty-three (33) East, except sixty-one (61) acres out of the southwest corner of said tract, also lots seven (7), eight (8), nine (9) and ten (10), of section three (3), in township one (1) south of range thirty-three (33) east, New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico; containing two hundred fifty-nine (259) acres according to the Government survey of said land, subject to a prior mortgage upon said land in favor of the Federal Land Bank of Wichita, Kansas, securing one note in the principal sum of \$1200.00, for the purpose of paying said judgment in favor of said plaintiff.

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1921.

N. 2-24-C M. B. JONES, Special Master.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

WHEREAS, in case No. 1656 pending in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, in and for Roosevelt County, wherein C. V. Harris is plaintiff and H. B. Ryther, Mary E. Ryther and David Shapcott are defendants, the plaintiff, on the 24th day of August, 1921, recovered a judgment and decree against the above named defendants for the sum of \$393.60 and the foreclosure of a mortgage in favor of the plaintiff theretofore executed and delivered by the defendants H. B. Ryther and Mary E. Ryther, to Bertha L. Boswell, and duly assigned to the plaintiff upon the following described property, to-wit: Lots ten, eleven and twelve in block numbered six in East Portales, New Mexico, according to the plat thereof, plaintiff's said mortgage being declared a first and prior lien upon said described premises and superior to any claim of the defendant David Shapcott, who purchased said property from the defendants H. B. Ryther and Mary E. Ryther with due notice of plaintiff's said mortgage;

AND WHEREAS, in said decree, the undersigned, M. B. Jones, was appointed Special Commissioner by the Court and directed to advertise and sell

said described property as provided by law for the purpose of satisfying said judgment with interest and costs of said suit; that said judgment at the date of the sale hereinafter mentioned will amount to the sum of \$403.86, together with all costs in said cause expended by the plaintiff.

Therefore, pursuant to said judgment and decree and the authority vested in me as such special commissioner, I will, on the 5th day of December, 1921, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. at the northeast front door of the court house in the town of Portales, New Mexico, sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash the above described property for the purpose of satisfying said judgment with all costs accrued and accruing in said cause.

Witness my hand this 2nd day of November, 1921.

M. B. JONES, N. 2-24-E. Special Commissioner.

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico.

In the matter of the estate of Irwin L. Chaney, deceased.) No. 236.

NOTICE Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 15th day of October, 1921, appointed administrator of the estate of Irwin L. Chaney, deceased, by Hon. A. J. Goodwin, Probate Judge of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

Therefore all persons having 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 appointment as provided by law, or same will be barred.

W. B. OLDHAM, N. 3-N. 24-E. Administrator.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. Mex., Oct. 31, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that Elizabeth C. Gregory, of Causey, N. M., who on September 27th, 1916, made homestead entry No. 035681, for W 1/2 NW 1/4, N 1/4 SW 1/4, section 11, 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 County, N. M., at Portales, N. M., on the 14th day of December, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: William H. Seefeld, Jesse M. Campbell, Henry P. Croft, these of Causey, N. M.; John H. Kidd, of Lingo, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON, N. 10-D. 8. Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION ISOLATED TRACT.

PUBLIC LAND SALE 018948--'00' 10-24-21

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., October 29, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Sec. 2455, R. S., pursuant to the application of W. E. Lindsey, Serial No. 018948, we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$2.50 per acre, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the 17th day of December, 1921, next, at this office, the following tract of land:

Lots 1 and 2, Sec. 31, T. 2 S., R. 37 E., N. M. P. M.

The sale will not be kept open, but will be declared closed when those present at the hour named have ceased bidding. The person making the highest bid will be required to immediately pay to the Receiver the amount thereof.

Any person claiming adversely the above-described land is advised to file their claims, or objections, on or before the time designated for sale.

W. R. McGILL, N. 3-D. 1. Register.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR United States Land Office Fort Sumner, New Mexico October 6, 1921.

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, by virtue of acts of Congress, has selected, through this office, the following lands:

List 8709, Serial No. 020596, S 1/4 Sec. 25, T. 1 N., R. 33 E., N. M. P. M. Protests or contests against any or all of such selection may be filed in this office at any time before final approval.

W. R. McGILL, O. 13--Nov. 10 Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. Mex., Oct. 22, 1921.

Notice is hereby given that Sam L. Rogers, of Lingo, N. M., who, on July 18th, 1918, made Additional Homestead entry No. 041324, for W 1/2 SW 1/4, Sec. 25, S 2 1/4, E 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 26, township 7-S., Range 36-E., N. M. P. Meridian has filed notice of intention to make final 3-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before A. J. Goodwin, Judge of the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., at Portales, N. M., on Nov. 30, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Joseph H. Boteler, of Milnesand, N. M.; Charlie C. Smith, of Lingo, N. M.; Ollie P. Smith, of Lingo, N. M.; Willie B. Russell, of Lingo, N. M.

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THREE ITEMS

Our sewing class met in general session Nov. 9, and the result was two well made dress forms. They are already busy this morning, Nov. 16, making a new form. We would be glad if other ladies would join.

H. O. Belcher, a few days ago, went to Yesso. He returned Tuesday with a Yesso lady as his bride, to the surprise of many.

Mr. Greathouse's folks were absent from Sunday school last Sunday. Were they providentially hindered?

The picture show last week was well attended and some farm problems were discussed. A poultryman from Clovis visited the chicken house of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Williams this week.

PLEASANT VALLEY SCHOOL NEWS

The school started again last Thursday in the new school building, after more than four weeks of intermission for the carpenters, and is progressing nicely.

There will be a program next Friday, November 18th, by the literary society. Everybody be there. We have the promise of the presence of the County Superintendent and the County Agent. Also we will sell a nice collection of second hand lumber and shingles.

Vernon McRorey has given up his school work to help his brother with the home work. Everyone deeply regrets losing Vernon for he was a most delightful school mate and a diligent student.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnett's daughter, Mrs. Annie Ray, her husband and three children have moved back to Texline to make their home. We regret to lose them, but we wish them well in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan, their daughter, Bessie, and little son, Kenneth have returned from Quitaque, Texas. Glad to have them home.

Mr. Turnbull and some neighbors branded some yearlings at Mr. L. Johnson's one day last week.

Mr. W. D. McDorman finished gathering his crop last Saturday. We are glad to mention that our Sunday school is increasing since the new school house has been completed. We welcome everyone.

H. B. Lee got his nose broke one day last week while dehorning cattle and came near bleeding to death.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wall visited Mr. and Mrs. McDorman last Sunday.

Mr. Acker and family were out visiting the Tumbull and Burton families last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Judah came with them.

Earnest O'Neal came down from Clovis and spent last Sunday with his folks.

—The School Children.

CHRISTMAS ADVERTISERS

There will be only five more issues of the Portales Valley News before Christmas. Christmas shoppers are putting into effect the shop early plan. The merchant who wants his share of this business should begin his advertising at once, or he can not complain if the mail order houses get the business. Let's make this the most prosperous business month of the year for the entire town. Do your Christmas advertising early.

ROGERS BUMBLINGS

Friday, Nov. 11th, being Armistice Day, the school children and their teachers rendered a very interesting program. A number of visitors were present.

The little primary folks are rejoicing over their new playground equipment. Four brand new seesaws, all painted white. Their little hearts are overflowing with gladness.

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Ben Duke spent the day at his home near Tatum last Friday. Ben says all the little home needs to make it complete is "A little girl with a happy little smile."

Last Friday Mrs. Seignor was wearing the brightest, sweetest smile you ever saw. When asked why she was so happy she replied: "O, it's Friday and I'm going home to see Frank and Papa. Miss Wilson was also feeling gay. Guess she was going to see her papa and mamma."

Last week the following conversation took place:

Mamma—Nell, what is the name of the new teacher at Rogers?

Nell—I don't know for sure, mamma, but I think it's Miss Woodrow. (meaning Miss Wilson)

Brother Blair filled his appointment at Longs Sunday night.

Prof. Smith made a business trip to Clovis Friday.

Quite a number of the Longs men folks have gone over to Post City with the view of selling their farms.

Milton Blair and Miss Gussie Escue attended church at Longs Sunday night.

Next Sunday, November 20th, Mr. Webb will fill his appointment at Rogers. There will also be dinner on the ground. Every body cordially invited to come.

Mr. Herndon and Mr. Post made a trip to town Monday afternoon. On the way home they had a serious breakdown. The result being a six mile walk to Charles Maxwell's. Here they fell by the wayside, being unable to walk farther without food. After partaking of a hearty supper and toasting their toes by the fireside, they, with Mr. Maxwell, decided to go back and get the broke-down Henry.

Mr. Philipps is still heading kafir. He says he hopes to have finished by Xmas.

The Monday morning chappel exercises were conducted by Bro. Blair. Even the little children were quiet and attentive and seemed interested in the good things he said. We feel very grateful that such a good man has been sent to our neighborhood. Let us show our appreciation by attending his services.

AN APPRECIATION

We wish to thank the many friends of Portales for their many kindnesses shown when our beloved one was laid to rest, especially do we thank you for the beautiful flowers which were so emblematic of her virtues. We shall mourn her loss for many months but we have the assurance that our Heavenly Father doeth all things well and that we will ever long see her smiling face again never to be separated, but dwell in eternal happiness.

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FOOTBALL

Portales was defeated by a score of 33 to 0 last Friday by the Roswell High school team. The Roswell team holds the State Championship for High school teams. They have, as yet, not been scored on this season. Portales played a good game as it was, being defeated by the least score of any team that Roswell has played. At least they are second only to the champions. The entire team showed up well but Dupuy and Bedinger deserve mention for their splendid tackling. The game by plays is as follows:

Portales kicked to Roswell. Half back, 35 yards around left end, quarter back, no gain. Fumble, gained five yards, quarter back 5, half back no gain, half back 7, full back no gain, full back 7, dropped the ball, recovered by Austin, 20, dropped ball but recovered. Dixon 1, Boone 1, Dixon no gain, Crow, punt, 12, Austin 5, Boone no gain, Boone no gain, Crow punts 40, brought back 5, half back 5, full back 38, half back 2, full back no gain, quarter back lost 2, pass to left end 18, half back no gain, quarter back lost 1, half back 6, half back touchdown. Goal kicked. Score 7 to 0.

Roswell to Austin, Boone no gain, Dixon 5, Austin 4, Dixon lost 1, ball over, full back 11, half back 3. End of period.

Right end, touchdown, no goal. Score 13 to 0.

Roswell to Boone, dropped ball, recovered by Austin, Austin no gain, incomplete pass. Boone 1, Crow no gain, Crow punts 40 yards, returned 30. Pass over line, 3. Nelson substituted for Tipton, left tackle, half back, no gain, pass over line, 5. Full back no gain, half back 2, quarter back no gain. Half back 2, ball goes over to Portales. Crow punts 45 yards, returned 15. Pass to left end, 30. Pass to center, touchdown, no goal. Score 19 to 0.

Roswell to Price, Austin lost 1, Dixon no gain, Boone 1, Crow 2, Crow punts out of bounds, Roswell's ball. Incomplete pass to right end. Pass over left end 12, pass over left end 17. End of half.

Half back 3, half back lost 1, punt to Price, Crow 1, Dixon 1, Crow 4, Austin 1, Crow 1, Austin 4, Crow punts out of bounds, Roswell's ball. Roswell punts out of bounds, Portales' ball. Crow 5, Dixon 4, Crow 1, Crow lost 1, Crow no gain, Austin lost 1, Crow drop-kicked outside of goal posts. Roswell's ball. Pass to left end 10, quarter back 40, half back 17, pass to left end for touchdown. Goal kicked, score 26 to 0.

Crow ran 60 yards on the kick off, Crow 1, Crow 1, Dixon 4, Crow punts over goal line, Roswell's ball. Punt to Austin. Crow no gain, incomplete pass to right end, Crow punts out of bounds, Roswell's ball. Pass to right end, intercepted by Nelson. Austin no gain, Crow 2, Crow drop-kicked out. Half back 12, half back lost 2, half back no gain, Roswell left half back substituted, punt to Austin, Crow 1, Austin 1, end of period.

period.

Crow punts to quarterback half back 4, pass over line 37. Incomplete pass to left end. Half back no gain, quarter back touchdown, goal made. Score 33 to 0.

Stobb substituted for Bostick, left guard. Roswell to Crow, 25.

Crow 4, Austin 4, Crow 1, Crow 5, Dixon 2, Crow 3, Crow 1, Crow punts to quarter back. Roswell's original left half back put back in. Half back 10. Incomplete pass to right end quarter back no gain, half back 6, punt to Austin 25, Crow punt to quarterback.

pass to right end 11, full back substituted, half back 2, half back 3, incomplete pass to left end, quarter back no gain, Portales ball. Crow punts out of bounds, quarter back punts out of bounds, Crow punts to quarter back, game over. Score 33 to 0.



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