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Many Western Congressmen Witness Presidents Act

to Homesteaders Here Washington, June 6-Following is the text of the three year homestead law signed by the president today in the presence In the house of representaives, U. S., March 27, 1912. Resolved that the bill in the senate 3867 entitled "An Act" to amend the United States relating to homesteads do pass with the out all after the enacting clause and insert: That section 2291 and section 2297 be amended to read ever, shall be given or patent issued therefore until the expira time within two years thereafter the person making such entry, or if he be dead, his widow, or in case of her death, his heirs or devisee, or in case of a widow making such entry his heirs, or devisees, in case of her death, proved by himself and by two creditable witnesses, that, she or they, have a habitable house upon the land and have actually resided upon and cultivated the same for the term of three years succeeding the time of filing the affidavit, and makes affidavit that no part of such land has been alienated except as provided in

section 2258, and that he, she or

they will bear true allegiance to

to the government of the United

States, then in such case he, she

the United States, shall be en-

of the beginning of such act, the

ing five months in each year af-

upon the termination of such ab-

sence the entryman shall file a

notice of termination in the local

land office, but in case of commu-

tation, the fourteen months actual

a citizen of the United States,

provided that when the person

making entry dies before the of-

show that the entryman had

man, had he lived, excepting that

they are relieved from any re-

or they, if at the time citizens of where there may be climatic titled to a patent as in other reasons, sickness or other unacases provided by law; that upon voidable cause, the commissionfiling in the case land office notice ers of the general land office may, in his discretion allow the settler entryman shall be entitled to a twelve months from the date continuous leave of absence from of the filing in which to comthe land for a period not exceedmence his residence on said land under such rules and reguter establishing residence, and lations as he may prescribe.

County Salary Bill

Last Friday afternoon the senate passed the county salary bill residence as now required by law and sent it to Gov. McDonald for commuting must be at the time and salaries are as follows for this county:

County Commissioners, \$400.00 ceeding to the entry must obey sheriffs, \$1,000; county clerk the law in all respects to \$2,500; probate judge, \$400; school superintendent, \$1,500; county surveyor, \$10 per day complied date of his death and when working on official busi-

that they have since complied ness. with the law in respects as would Judicial districts are classihave been required of the entry. fied into first, having four counties; second having three counties; third, two counties; District attorneys in first judical districts quirements of residence upon recieve \$4,000; second class, the entryman shall in order to tual traveling expenses.

comply with the requirements of Severe penalties are provided transportation. In Mora, San has a very dry climate, noted for that it is already organized and for planting, with an abundant for failure to account for and turn Miguel and Colfax counties, dry its very favorable effect on tuber- could doutless do better with the cultivation herein provided for, cultivate not less than one-sixover fees, commissions and monteenth of the area of his entry, duties of the office, or false swearbeginning with the second year ing to itemize accounts.

of the entry and not less than AS OTHERS one-eighth beginning with the third year of the entryman, had he lived, except that in case of entry under section 6 of the enlarged homestead laws, double the area of cultivation herein provided shall be required, but the secretary of the interior may, upon a satisfactory showing, under rules and regulations prescribed by him, reduce the required area of cultivation; pro-Law Will be of Much Benefit vided that the above provisions 155,000 Acres of Land Can be Irrigated in This Valley as to cultivation shall not apply to entry commonly known as the Kincaid Act, or entry under the act of June 17, 1902, a reclamation act, and that the provisions zine for May the New Mexico and where scientific methods artificial applications of water. of this section, relative to the Irrigation projects are written are rigidly followed, is successhomestead period shall apply to up by Mr. J. B. Dugger, a mem- ful, crop failures occurring in over the eastern New Mexico. of many western congressmen: all unprotected entries as well as ber of the state board of immi- few instances. entries hereafter made, upon gration at Alburquerque, New, vided that the secretary of the ing:

> the provisions of this act. Section 2297. If at any time after the filing of the affidavit as required in section 2290 and beyears mentioned in sections 2291 if it is proved after due notice to the settler to the satisfaction of the register of the land office, that the person having filed such residence, within six months after the date of entry or abanmonths at any time, then and in that event, the land so entered shall revert to the government provided that the three years period of residence herein fixed shall date from the establishment of actaul permanent restdence upon the land.

And provided, further, that

each: treasurer, \$2.500; assesor persons to every square mile, as for profitable investment, health, fer of the final proof, these suc- \$2,500; sheriff \$2.000; deputy against 400 to 600 persons to the pleasure or home cannot go far

eastern states.

to this form of of farming. Of the near future. this latter area about one half "Being located at an altitude crowd on that date. the land, provided further that \$3,500; third class \$2,500 and ac is public domain and in most ranging from 3,000 to 7,000 feet This celebration was turned spring comes the land will al cases lies some distance from above sea-level, the new state over to the band for the reason ready have been broken an fixed farming has been very success- cular, rheumatic and other de- celebration than the committee ful. In the Estancia Valley and seases contracted in damp cli- elected to take charge of the cel- two or three times during the parts of eastern New Mexico, mates.

With the Aid of Pumps

which residence is required; pro- Mexico. We quote the follow- New Mexico, is located the Por- did much damage to the fruit interior shall within sixty days "After a struggle for statehood, of what was formerly dry land It is estimated that one tenth of section 20 to 191 and section 20 after the passage of this act, send extending over a period of fifty is now irrigated by pumping, the the fruit crop is spoiled by the to 197 of the revised statues of in a copy of the same to each years. New Mexico has been ad power being furnished by an hail storm which lasted more hemestead entryman of record, mitted to the Union and is now a immense central plant. This than an hour. who may be affected thereby, by full-fledged state. Here is offer plant produces electricity and following amendments: Strike ordinary mail to his last known ed the last opportunity in sends it out over seventy-eight came in early Monday morning address, and any such entryman the profitable work of building miles of transmission lines ex- showing that between two and may, by giving notice within one a new commonwealth. The in- tending throughout the valley. three inches of rain had fell there. hundred and twenty days, after crease in population, in develop. Each farmer has his individual as follows: Ne certificate, how- the passage of this act, by regis- ment and in investments which well, pump and motor, and when that a good heavy rain fell and tered letter to the register and came with statehood in Oregon, he desires to irrigate all that prospects are better for receiver of the local land office, Washington, Oklahoma and many is necessary for him to do is to them than they have been for tion of three years from the date elect to make proof upon his en- other western states is bound to turn on the current. This plant some time. of such entry; and if at the ex- try, under the law which the come in New Mexico. Why? and system was erected by the One and three-fourth inches of piration of said time or at any same was made without regard Because New Mexico has equal farmers of the valley, the inand in many cases superior ad stallation being done by the up to Tuesday afternoon two and vantages to offer. Opportunities Westinghouse Electric Company three fourths inches had fallen have been overlooked because of for a consideration of \$350,000, Farmess all over the eastern lack of confidence in the terri- or \$35 per acre. Land under fore the expiration of the three torial form of government. That this project may be had at as to the outcome of crops on ban has now been lifted and a prices ranging from \$65 to \$125 dry land, as the same amount of new field has been opened up to per acre. As many as ten tons moisture fell on all farms. Winthe man looking to the west as a of alfalfa have been cut to the ter seasons were exceptionally place for home and investment, acres and the crop has never good, and in fact, crops have not In size New Mexico is fourth fallen below six tons. Canta- suffered for moisture to any exaffidavit has failed to establish state in the union, Texas, Califor- loupes are being grown in hun- tent this year and present indinia and Montana coming first, dred-acre tracts and orchards cations bid fair for more rain in second and third respectively, are being planted all over the the near future. doned the land, for more than six There are 122,469 square miles, valley. There are many private or 78,390,160 acres, and of this pumping plants, that is, plants tions make the statement that vast area, according to the last not under the project. and there if the same amount of rain which annual report of the state irrigal is room for many more. The fell Sunday evening covld be had tion engineer, only 750,000 acres irrigation engineer's report show every three or four weeks that are now under irrigation. The that 155,000 acres, including farm products this year will exengineer's report shows that in that already reclamed, can be cel anything that Roosevelt counaddition to this, 4,000,000 acres irrigated in this valley with the ty has ever produced. can be irrigated by surface wat- aid of the pump. er (actual measurement); that "It has been clearly established of the irrigation crops as most 640,000 acres can be irrigated by careful experiments extend of the alfalfa has been cut and by pumping, the lift, in no case ing over a period of many years baled. Inrigation farmars are

gallons per minute; that 76,000 economically profitable, and from kilowat power. acres can be irrigated from arte-the developments that have alsian wells, and 100,000 acres by ready taken place, especially in came and added another half around El Paso are sandy and drainage, or a total of 4,815,300 the states of California, New inch of moisture. This makes a have very little soil, yet, people acres of land subject to irrigation Mexico, Texas, Kansas and many total of three and one fourth in are paying as high as one hunat nominal expense and suitable others, it is certain that the area of rainfall since last Thursday. dred and fifty dollars for unim for the very finest class of far lirrigated in this way will increase very rapidly in the near future, "The average irrigated farm and that there is an immense onsists of forty acres. At this territory and a vast number of rate, New Mexico can offer 40 people that may be benefited by committee last Monday night it must be shown, and the person his signature. Roosevel County acre irrigable tracts to 120,375 the use of pumps for irrigation. is classed as a third class county, heads of families. The present "As a whole, New Mexico is of July celebration over to the land located in the Portales Valpopulation of the state is less still in her virgin state and the Portales Concert Band.

than 328,000, or less than three man who is looking to the west square mile in several of the wrong in making a thorough investigation. All the convenience baseball game' dinner and other "A census of the dry farming of life enjoyed in some of the old- amusments, and will furnish the districts of New Mexico, taken er states may not be found at music for the occasion. by the state immigration bureau, present, but those who are willshows that 718,000 acres were ing will have an opportunity to how much money will be donated under cultivation in 1911, and profit by the growth and advancs- to the celebration by the people, that 1,730,000 acres are subject ment which is bound to come in but all monies collected will go

An Abundance of Rain

The rainy spell began on Thursday afternoon and evening when a shower of rain fell. Saturday afternoon this shower was tollowed by a still harder rain and on Sunday the bottom fell out and between two and three The Electical and Private Pumping Plants are Best for inches of rain fell. The fall was Dr. Bailey Installing New Plant slow and steady, with very little wind. On Monday morning the ground was soaking wet, with water standing several inches deep in the streets and in fields. Monday afternoon and night a slight shower fell. Irrigation was at a standstill as lands In the Mid Continent Maga dry farming is being practiced were wet enough without any

This seems to be a general rain Reports from Roswell show that "In Roosevelt county, eastern a heavy rain, hail and wind storm tales Valley, where 10,000 acres crop there on Sunday afternoon.

Reports from Portries Springs

From Clovis comes the report

part of the county are optimistic

Farmers from different sec

The rain did not damage any being greater than fifty feet and that irrigation by pumping is well pleased with the rain as it the wellflow never less than 500 mechanically practicable and saves the cost of gasoline and

Fourth of July Celebration

At the meeting of the executive was decided to turn the fourth irrigation he would rather have

Members of the band are now seeing business men and citizen to get the necessary expenses.

The band expects to have a farmer. It has not been given out, yet

toward the entertainment of the

ING PLANTS BEING PUT ON VALUABLE FARM LAND

to Irrigate 40 Acres

Dietert Says Portales has Good Irrigation Project

Dr. Bailey, of Tiaban, New Mexico, came to Portales some time ago and purchased some of the irrigable lands and since has proceeded to develop it. He has just about completed installing a twenty-two horse power engine and a number six centrifugal pump. Dr. Bailey expects to irrigate forty acres of his place, which is about one mile north west of Portales. His land has all the necessary requirements for good cultivation, having shallow and an abundant supply of water, the land being fertile and tillable. Dr. Bailey has not yet given out what he expects to plant on his land.

C. R. Johnson, is another man who sees the advantages of irrigation in Portales. He owns one hundred and sixty acres of good evel land and is now engaged putting in a twenty-two horse power gasoline engine to run his number six centrifugal pump. Mr. Johnsons land lies about six miles west of town. This year he expects to plant kaffir corn, milo maize, bean and cantaloupes. His land lies well and he expects to make an ideal farm of the

C. Dietert, the machine man, who is installing the pumps informed a Herald representative that he has been engaged in putting in private pumping plants for the past few years in the southwest, and that Portales has a better show than most of the projects that he has visited. He says that land will soon be worth from two hundred to five hundred dollars per acre. All that Portales needs, says Mr. Dietert is an advertising campaign to let the people know that this land is as good as it is and that the water is pure and shallow. He Tuesday night another rain made the statement that the land proved lands.

He made the statement that he had visited the Wilcox and Dem ing districts and had examined the projects very carefully and if he were going to buy land for

lay. He says that the water lift is not so great here as in the other irrigable places in the greater part of the state and that this is a great saving to the

He emphsized the fact that the is water pure and free from all forms of alkali, making it much better for irrigation than river water. Pumping systems are much better than ditch systems because the farmer can get as much water as he wants at any time, he says, and futher, in a few years farmers are going to begin winter irrigation so when supply of water already in the land which will do away with watering the land, more than growing season.

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When Mr. Goldberg inscribed the words, "Every apple I raise in my orchard is big enough to to make twenty carloads of apple sauce" and , 'last year we divided oneofour cantaloupes into different sections and rented them as apartment houses", in a cartoon, we feel sure that he recieved the apple and cantaloupe from Portales.

Three Year Homestead Law

our last run, we recieved a tele- the lobbyists for the interests, gram from congressman, H. B. such men as Bursum, Springer, Ferguson, stating that the presi- Spiess, Hawkins and others. dent had signed the three year Senator Holt majority leader, had way that the board can fathom homestead law.

unable to get it in last week's ers, would fall in line and follow all interested in the new law.

as the new law itself is too lengthy measures. At the same time, to publish.

Fall's Reelection

house of representatives came Because they desired to keep would and for less than what last Thursday when a resolution everything open, letting the peo- they could obtain elsewhere. was introduced by Llewellyn, re | ple know of the work being done, | The school term just closed has scinding the resolutions formerly the Democrats were much cen. been the most successful the dispassed declaring against election sured by the bosses whom they trict has had in a great many of United States senator during exposed. Not since the days years, or perhaps ever has had this session of the legislature to when A. H. Hudspeth was in the and it has been run as econisucceed Senator Fall. The action | legislature has the old machine | cally as any previous school, and of Llewellyn was clearly contrary met with such determined oppo- more so than some not nearly so to all his former agreements not sition. In the house, Represent successful. While a few patrons The Largest Circulation South of to insist upon the election for tatives Rogers, Smith and Car- have shown dissatisfaction it is the reason that it would take up ter. Democrats and Clancy and not probable that any school anythe time needed for legislative M. C. de Baca, progressive Re. where ever did, or ever will enwork and it was really not the publicans, and in the senate, tirely please all the patrons. A time to have the election, Repre- Barth, Mabry, Evans and Al- certain amount of dissatisfacsentatives Rogers and Carter dredge, were continually on the tion is something that every Semi-Weekly, branded him as a falsifier and firing line. They contended that teacher and school board must proved him to be such on the legislation should be enacted count on. It is something that floor of the house. Extraordinary free from the influence of old goes with the business of runthings have often been done in political bosses; the good laws ning a school just as poultry state legislature, but the action would never come from the ma- raising is attended with lice, taken in the re-election, Mr. Fall chine controlled politicians, de- agriculture withobnoxious weeds surpasses anything ever known. claring the people should know and merchandising with dead It is enough to put New Mexico from the stump and through the beats. Any teacher or school solutely owned by the political been dealt with. the Democrats, proving the action voter in the state, now as we asof Liewellyn and others have sume the duties and privileges less the board and every membeen in contravention of all pledg. of statehood, may study the many ber of the faculty have made es, was endorsed by all who favor measures which have been conclean government without regard sidered by the legislature and to party affiliations. This all goes will probably be taken up next too, for we are all human. to prove that the corrupt methods session, and learn how the repof the leaders of the old guard resentatives have stood on them. will soon meet defeat. All who The voters should take more in the school section for prolonging and Shade Trees. Every tree favor good government have reterest in the matter of making the lately closed session to a is guaranteed. Our prices are solved to keep up the struggle laws. If they would be more nine months term will say it was lower than any of the Eastern until machines are killed and the watchful of the conduct of the the unanimous judgment of the people come to their own. And representatives, the legislature school board as well as the rethis machine will never be killed would not be so recreant to the until the people of the New Mexi- trust and confidence reposed in it. co vote for men who are Democrats and are willing to fight for ferent crowd in the next legisla. advantages as any future generthe people as have Rogers, Car- lative body elected dy the people ation that will likely ever live in ter, Evans, Barth, Aldredge and of the state.

Mabry. As long as such men as Bursum, Springer, Speiss, Holt, Hawkins and others less important in the gang, as elected the legislatures will be a disgrace to herself and the United States. The proud old American Eagle will hang her head in shame, regretting that New Mexico has become a state and fervently wishing that she were not in the union at all, even as a territory.

The legislature has been the laughing stock of the world ever since it convened, and the re-election of Senator Fall at this time only adds more disgrace upon the good citizenship of the people of our state.

Legislature Closes

The first state legislature clos-

bills considered by the assembly employed two or more, or any and the election of a United States number, of teachers who are senator. Many of the most im- physically incapacitated with portant measures were held in tuberculosis or any other contacommittees until near the close gious deseases we do not know of the session in order to push it. It certainly is not the wish them through without the bad of the board to engage any teachfeatures being detected and op- er so afflicted or that is incompe- W. E. PATTERSON, M.D. posed. However, there were the tent and if we have done such a several Democrats and progres- thing we don't know who the sive Republicans who were all teachers are, and the editorials ways alert in watching for such. above referred to fail to enlighten Nothing could draw them from us on that point. Every memtheir work of vigilence. Although ber of the teaching corps of the they could not always defeat the year just closed held a health undesirable measures, they were certificate issued by a reputable found protesting by voice and physician of Portales. These vote. The majority branch of the health certificates would indisenate, following the dictates of cate that there was no such phythe gang bosses, passed no other sical incapacity as alleged. Last week, just after finishing legislation than that desired by We are sorry that we were followers, Pankey, Page and othwill be found the text of the law, regard to the merits of their by the manner in which they

And we acticipate a very dif-

The School Question The Portales Herald:

in a vague and indefinite way PORTALES about the Portales schools. The gist of the criticism seemed to be that the board has employed some teachers who are unfit because they are both incompetent and physically incapacitated. As to the competency of the teachers will say that all of them have been examined by the proper authorities and nearly all have been granted first grade certificates which would seem to indicate that in the judgment of the county and state superintendent they are competent. We feel sure that the criticism was not directed at the one or two teached Saturday noon after a ninety ers who hold second grade cerday session. The closing days tificates and have had a great of the session were full of excite- many years of actual experience. ment, owing to the number of If the present board has ever

Now the board invites honest, frank criticism and suggestion may be helpful it must be just and fair and be extended in a only to give the signal and his out what is actually intended. The board has tendered to the members of the teacher corps of paper, and we are printing it this blindly. The old gang was in last year on certain terms places week, as the homesteaders are clined to oppose everything ad on the faculty for next year. vocated by the minority of either One has declined this offer and In another place in the paper branch of the legislature without no contracts have been formally hope to be able to run a nine the minority was ready to assist months school next year and It was expected that the presi- the majority in such work as was with the additional five mill levy dent would sign this bill on considered for the good of the should be able to, if the tax is Thursday, but as we try to get state and in the enactment of paid, but we cannot run a school the Herald out on time, we did wholesale legislation without con. on delinquent taxes. We have not wait to hear whether or not sidering the source whence it competent teachers whose homes Mr. Taft signed it and made it a came. This was domonstrated are right in our midst and we feel an inclination to employ worked for good laws with the them and they actually give same diligence as they protested their services for less than equal-The all exciting scene in the against the passage of the bad. ly competent imported teachers ed with a public school. Doubt-

> With reference to using a part of the proceeds from the sale of tired town board that the preas deserving and needy of school the agent for the

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Christ's Witness to John the Baptist. Matt. x1:2-19. Golden Text-Among them that are born of women there is none greater than John, yet he that is but tittle in the kingdom of God is greater than

be. Luke vii:28. (1.) Verse 2-What had John done

(2.) Verse 8-What do you think had produced doubt in the mind of John concerning the Messiahship of Christ? (3.) What, if anything, was there in Christ's manner of fife that would be fiable to make John doubt?

(4.) What are the causes which of ten produce doubt in the minds of good men on matters of which at other times they have been certain, as in the cases of Elijah and John? John need most to be strengthened?

(6.) What did Jesus consider to be the supreme proof of his mission? (7.) What today are the proofs for in your vest pocket. Sells the divinity of Christ's mission and (8.) Verses 7-8-What special scenes

preaching in the wilderness? (9.) In what respect was John unlike "a reed shaken with the wind?" (10.) What sort of clothing did John

(11.) What significance is there in the fact that Jesus and John were not alike in their manner of dress?

(12.) Verses 9-10-In what respect was John more than a prophet? (This is one of the questions which may be answered in writing by members of the

(13.) What is the evidence that Mal. iii:1, from which Jesus quotes, refers to John and Jesus? (14.) As a matter of fact how did John prepare the way for Jesus?

by saying that there had not arisen one greater than John the Baptist, but that the least in the kingdom of heav-

(15.) Verse 11-What did Jesus mean

en was greater than he? (16.) Verses 12-13-How did the great revival produced by John's preaching resemble soldiers storming a city? (17.) Why can no power in heaven or

(18.) Verse 14-John no doubt had surprisingly liberal conditions. planned by God to be the forerunner of Christ. What, if any evidence is

there that God plans every man for a specific work and gives him the power

sight-to hear God and see him-possible for all?

(21.) Verses 16-19-Why does God direct or allow equally good men to adopt such different outward modes of

(22). What was the real reason which caused so many to reject the preaching

of both John and Jesus?

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Plenty of Them in Portales, And Good Reason for It

Would n't any woman be happy, After years of backache suffer-

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years ago I was troubled for the in a letter addressed to "Frank L. first time with backacke. It an- Wilder, President, Woodstock, Ill.," noyed me greatly and made my say, "Mail me your Free Offers." housework a burden. This trouble lasted for some time until I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and commenced using them. Relief quickly followed and I am now seldom troubled. Another member of the family has also found tion and especially suitable for people Doan's Kidney Pills good for of middle age and older. For sale by

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If you have a farm for trade, either dry land or shallow water, send full description, giving trading price, encumbrance, etc., state in Gamma Valley. Also four what you will take in exchange to good work mules, one extra heavy BOX 65, Clovis, N. M. work horse. S. A. CRABB.

Portales Springi

Miss Marie Graves of Bethel spent the first part of the week Portales, and we are hopeful visiting with Miss Orma Sander- that the future will remove the

Miss Gladys and Ida Nash ting very irregular. King.

Claude and Robert Hester, remarks and editorials that seem Jonnie and Mattie Hinton and to be contradicted by the facts Hattie Maxwell of Portales spent are of little service to us. Saturday and Sunday as guest of J. H. Sanderfer.

Automatic Needle Threader Commissioner's Proceedings

she sees it operate. Threads A. D., 1912. needle in a flash. Carry sample Present: where er you can find a SEW-ING M. VINE; Cities illages, er demonstrations had attended John's | Mud hut

> The price admits no argument; The price admits no argument; if your prospect HAS a dollar IN county ing compelled under tomatic Needlethreader Co. Socorro, New Mexico.

YPEWRITERS GIVEN AW

of Woodstock, Ill., have recently given away over 400 of the highest grade, wholly visible Emerson Typewriters made in the world. They have gone or cause to be added to the Santa into every state and territory in the Fe rolls all property on the un-United States. There may be some in your town. They are giving them earth or hell keep a really determined away everywhere to men, women, boys and girls, over 18 years of age, on

typewriter, providing it did not cost the chairman you even one cent, then in a letter or Signed: on a postal card addressed to Frank L. Wilder, President, Woodstock, Ill., (19.) Verse 15-What qualities are simply say, "Mail me all your Free necessary to understand spiritual Offers," and by return mail you will receive their Free Offers, the names of (20.) Why are spiritual hearing and over 400 who have recently received typewriters free, and you will learn on what easy conditions you can get one of their typewriters free right

The Emerson Typewriter is one of the highest grade, wholly visible typewho have used the "EMERSON" and Lesson for Sunday, June 23, 1912 other makes pronounce the "EMER-The Penitent Woman. Luke vii:36-50. SON" superior to any \$100.00 typewriter on the market. It is a wholly visible machine, has every new, upto-date feature, looks like other high grade \$100.00 typewriters, though it is selling just now at an astonishingly low price and on terms of no money with order, trial free in your own home. Nothing to pay at first, and tion board. after a thorough trial, 10 cents a day until paid. The "EMERSON" has every new improvement, universal keyboard, back spacer, tabulator, two-color ribbon, everything the best; is the ideal machine for beginners as stenographers; just the typewriter for

If you could possibly make any use Many readers will prout by the money, or if you would like the agency in your town on a plan by which Mrs.T.E. Morrow, 404 N. 4th, you could make big money, or if you St., Raton, N. M., says: "Two would like a position with the company, then be sure, on a postal card or of this board.

> Each age of our lives has its joys. Old people should be happy, and they will be if Chamberlain's Tablets are taken to strengthen the digestion and keep the bowels regular. These tablets are mild and gentle in their acall dealers.

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The best section of school land

The School Board

Continued from second page financial difficulties the boards Rev. Edwards with the help of the past few years have had of Rev Cassaday, both of Portales, to contend with won't exist. are holding aprotracted meeting The schools had been closing at the Portales Springs school with short terms for several years and the grades were get-

spent Sunday with Miss Nettie | We welcome fair criticism and advice, but vague and indefinite

WILL SMITH. W.M. Cox. *

You may easily make FIVE Proceedings of the board of DOLLARS per DAY selling our county commissioners of Roose-Automatic Needlethreader. Re- velt county, State of New Mexico, tails for ONE DOLLAR. No at a call session thereof, held in woman will permit you to re- the court house in Portales, New (5.) Verses 4-6-At what point did move it from her machine when Mexico, on the 18th day of May,

C. V. Harris, chairman,

D. K. Smith, commissioner C. P. Mitchell, clerk.

The following business was

the HOUSE you GET it. No law to send one of tax rolls to capital required, just WORK. Santa Fe, on or before the first We will assist you to a start. September of each year, and fail-Write at once and YOU will be ing to get a great deal of propermaking good money inside TEN ty of said Roosevelt county on DAYS. Address-Agency, Au- said rolls by that time, and a large amount having been added to said rolls since that time by the said assessor and the present treasurer. It is the order of the board that M. B. Jones, The Emerson Typewriter Company treasurer, be and he is hereby ordered to take said rolls to Santa Fe, New Mexico, and add rendered roll of Roosevelt county.

No further business appearing the board adjourned to meet at Mrs. Ward and Dr. Hough its next regular session if not the spirit and power of Elijah and was | If you could make any use of a \$100 sooner convened by the call of Hymn 191; 1, 2, 3,

C. V. HARRIS, Chm. of Board,

C.P.MITCHELL, Clerk of Board, D. K. SMITH, Com. Prec. No. 3.

Commissioner's Proceedings

Proceedings of the board of county commissioners of Roosevelt county, State of New Mexico, writers made in the world. Many at a session thereof, held in the court house on the 6th day of June, A. D., 1912.

C. V. Harris, chairman, D. K. Smith, commissioner,

S. E. Johnson, commissioner,

S. A. Morrison, deputy clerk. The board met as an equaliza-

The board rose as an exualization board and sat as a board of county commissioners, when the following business was had to wit

It is the order of the board well as for the most expert typist and that T. M. Despain be and ne is hereby appointed justice of the peace in and for precinct No. 8 of a high grade typewriter, even Roosevelt county, New Mexico; though it didn't cost you one cent on said appointment to be effective upon the said T. M. Despain filing a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$500.00 with the clerk

> The following accounts wer examined, allowed and county warrants ordered drawn in pay ment of same, to wit:

> J. E. Morrison, commission on tax collected, \$372.79.

> B. J. Reagan, amount overpaid traveling auditor, \$28.30. Kimmons & Van Winkle, sup-

plies for county jail, \$68.40. S. E. Johnson, supplies furpished county roads, \$10.60.

No further business appearinr the board adjourned to meet at the regular July session, if not sooner convened by the call of the chairman. Signed: Attest:

C. V. Harris, C. P. Mitchell, Chairman. By S. A. Morrison, Deputy.

Notice to Teachers

The summer normal of Roesevelt county, New Mexico, will be-

gin a term of four weeks on July 22nd, and close August 17th, 1912, at Portales, the "Irrigated City" of eastern New Mexico. Institute circulars will soon be ready to mail to the teachers of the county and all others interested in the success of the normal. Reading Circle books may be secured by teachers from the county superintendent, Portales, New Mexico.

A limited number of manuals for this coming institute session have been sent to the county superintendent for distribution among teachers, who are going to attend the Roosevelt county institute. Teachers may call or send for the manuals; if sent by mail an additional charge of six

cents will be required. The largest summer normal held in New Mexico, for the year 1911, was that of Roosevelt county, and we safely venture the assertion that the 1912 session of the normal will be in advance in attendance and methods of that of last year. Write the county superintendent for further information. Respectfully,

MRS. S. F. CULBERSON, County Superintendent.

Order of Services

At the Methodist church Sun day, June 16, 1912

MORNING Silent Prayer Hymn 269; 1, 2, 3, Apostles Creed Solo, Mr. Beatty Psalms 139; 1-12 Gloria Patri Luke, 3, 1-20 Notices and Offering Hymn 393; 1, 2, 3, 4 Sermon by the Pastor Hymn 272; 1, 2, 3, 4 Benediction

EVENING Prelude Hymn 331; 1, ,2 3, 4

Prayer Anthem, "Not Far From the Gate," (repeated by request) by

Notices and Offering Sermon by the Pastor Hymn 397; 1, 2, 3, 4 Prayer

Benediction

FAMILY TELEPHONE ORGANIZATION

Modern conditions have brought about the need for what might be called a long distance telephone organization of the family. "When in doubt, telephone" is an axiom that ought to be impressed upon every member of the family going on a journey, or to live at a distance. The mother can reach her children at school, and children should be required to telephone home occasionally. When husband or wife set out on a journey a telephone itinerary should be jotted down and left behind.

Members of the family traveling should not be content with providing means by which those left at home may reach them quickly, but should communicate with the home frequently, and particularly when there is bad weather, trans tation delay, disturbance blic order, or any other was ual condition where the to very happens to be. Bad 1 --flies fast, and is magnified by distance. These things cause apprehension at home.

No other medium conveys the personal assurance and causes such peace of mind as the long distance telephone talk can give.

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Eastern Star.

Eastern Star Chapter No 26 meets every second and fourth Thursday night at 7,30 p. m. all members are requested to attend.

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The Local Field

Dr. T. E. Presly at Neer' drug store 22 and 23.

When you want your grocery orders filled and delivered call Will Smith. 48 or 21-

J. R. Darnell of Elida spent part of Friday in the city trans acting business.

Dr. Roberts, who has been spending a few days here left for Roswell Sunday.

Diamond K and Peek a Boo flour the best on earth at Fag-

J. W. Yates of this place left the first of the week for Roswell kinds, S. R. Herdman. on business.

are the White Swan at C. V

Mr. Greathouse of Inez spent Monday and Tuesday in the city transacting business.

If you are looking for all kinds of trees, S. R. Herdman sells 'em. - A. J. Smith and family have moved to the H- ranch where they will remain during the sum mer months.

See G. W. Hill before selling your chickens.

Jim Burleson left Sunday for Dayton, after spending several days visiting this city.

For Sale at a Bargain: Ward robe, dresser, Buffet, iron bed, springs, mattresses, rugs, linoleum. All good. Inquire at

Reagan Connally left Monday morning for Lubbock Texas in the interest of the Portales Irrigation Co.

Who said American Lady flour was good? Everybody—at C. V

A. T. Monroe left Suuday for Trinidab, Denverand other points Biscuit goods. Will Smith. in Colorado and will be away for several months time.

More cash for your hens and frying chickens at Faggards.

Mr. Martin, of the real estate firm of Martin and Ball, left Monday for points further east to get in touch with prospec-

For Sale-New \$105.00 number 5 Oliver typewriter. Herald Office.

Coe Howard, traveling represenative of the Portales Irrigation Co. left Saturday for points in the east

Walk into A. B. Austin's and quench your thirst at his fount-

Mrs. M. J. Faggard and her grand daughter, Charlotte, left Smith. Tuesday for Oklahoma where they will visit with relatives.

chickens to G. W. Hill and get very glad to be back in Portales. more money for them.

Mr. and Mrs, Ed Webb left Tuesday on a visit to the east.

The best candies in town, made in the Clovis candy kitchen, can be found at Austin's.

Little Bessie Culbersou re-Las Vegas.

Try a sack of Peek a Boo flour G. W. Hill's. Every sack guar-

A. A. Williams returned home from Roswell where he has been at work and will visit his family a few days.

Try some White Swan coffie. C. V. Harris.

Nice sweet potato plants for sale. inquire at this office.

Misses Mattie Doss Hightower. Fannie Williamson and Pearl Leach returned from St. Marys Academy and will spend the sum-

Ice cream bricks at Austin's. has been at shool at Baylor Uni- of acquring some irrigated lands versity at Waco, Texas, returned and is favorably impressed with Sunday and will spend the sum- the country. Martin and Ball mer with her parents.

Anyone wanting trees, write purchase. me. I have some bargains. Al Guaranteed irrigation outfits kinds of trees. Plenty of time for sale, complete, on one and to plant yet.

100 acre improved farm for rent, nine miles southeast of Portales, known as the P. F. Bryan homestead. Will irrigate. Write Frank E. Summers, Memhis, Mo.

Reagan Connally spent the greater part of last week in Amarillo endeavoring to get in touch with prospectors.

Pure fruit preserves in quart ars 35 cts. at Faggards... Ed. Johnson returned to his

home in Red Lake, Friday. We get fresh bread every day

Mr. Kelly of Kansas returned to his home after visiting here for several days looking over the country.

Fruit and shade trees of all

D. K. Smith returned to La All kind of can goods. They Lande, Friday after visiting this city for one week.

Who handles White Swan can goods? C. V. Harris.

We handle Cudahays Sunlight Will Smith. Breakfast bacon. W. M. Bruce and family left Friday for Bay City Texas. Austin will make your mon

ades better. Try one. Mrs. F. R. Smith left Wednes day for Palisade, Nebraska, to visit her brother who is very

try Walter Baker. Will Smith. Did you ever eat anything good? Not until you tried some of those White Swan can goods.

C. V. Harris. Dr. H. R. Gibson will still be in Portales on Monday, Wednsday and Friday of each week and will treat his patients on those days. He will be located at the same office.

to Faggards and get more cash

I handle a full line of Natoinal

W. I. Luikart, member of the firm of Miller and Luikart of this city, left Wededsday morning for Oklahoma City and expects to return Sunday.

drinks. Try a lemonade—makes by all dealers. you want another one.

Better than ever; a mill to grind out lemonades. Come and see them at C. M. Dobbs.

Walter Fulsher and Robert Anderson, former residents of days in the city visiting relatives | solicited. and friends.

We have just recieved a fresh shipment of peanut butter. Will

Mrs. Dan Vinson and daughter arrived Tuesday and Mrs. Vin-Bring your hens and frying son expresses herself as being

If you want a good cup of coffee, call up 48 or 21 an order the Alamo Brand Coffee of Will Smith.

Dr. T. E. Presly specialist at

Neers drug store 22 and 23. T. E. Mears made a business turned the first of the week from | trip to Clovis Tuesday returning Wednesday.

When you come home at night and your wife is cross, just call 48 or 21 and order a sack of red star flour of Will Smith. The flour will instantly restore peace in the family-

W. A. Gillenwater returned to Clovis yesterday, after transactingbusiness here for the past

few days. Just unloaded a car of Ameri can Lady flour at C. V. Harris',

For Sale—New\$75.00 Emerson Typewriter for sale. Enquire at Herald office for information.

Frank Nicholson of Kansas returned home Friday after spend ing several days here. Mr. Miss Vera Humphrey who Nicholson came here with a view expects him to return soon and

two years time at six per cent these books will be sent to every interest. Write Frank E. Sum- applicant as long as they last and Aulne, Kansas. mers, Memphis, Mo.



The library department of the Womans club met with Mrs. T. E. Mears May 31st and acted in the recomendation of the board of managers to add doors to the appropriated twelve dollars. Regular library days were instituted Wedensdays and Saturdays of each week with a member of the club in charge. The library is to be moved to Mr. Neers drug score, where the space for same was kindly allowed. Twentyfive dollars worth of new books are to be added an once. The library department will be conducted on a systematic business basis and we hope will prove satisfactory to all members and

LIBRARY REPORTER.

JUNIOR EPWORTH LEASUE The Irls Junior Epworth meets every Sunday at o'clock in the afternoon. Last Sunday we had a very interesting meeting.

The league girls have made about fifty-six visits to the sick in the last three months, and as a whole are doing very good If you want chocolate or cocoa work in the league. We have twenty five members, a good majority of whom attend every meeting.

We will have our library finished by next Sunday, and we will meet next Saturday afternoon at Mss. W. O. Oldham's home to cover the books.

Next Sunday we will have a Mite Box' meeting and we would be glad to have as many old mem Bring your eggs and chickens bers present as possible, as well as a good many new members.

PRESS REPORTER.

When you child has whooping ough be careful to keep the coug loose and expectoration easy by giving Chambelain's Cough Remedy as may be required. This remedy will also liquify the tough mucus and nake it easy to expectorate. It has been used successfully in many epi-Austin makes all the fancy demics and is safe and sure. For sale market. Try it.

A. B. Austin has opened an up-to-date confectionary store on the east side of the square. In connection with this he will make 10,000 Pumping Plants ice cream and bottle pop. Cream this city, returned to their home to families at the rate of one dolin Arizona after spending a few lar per gallon. Your patronage

> A sprained ankle may as a rule be cured in three are four days by appling Chamberlain's Liniment and observing the direction with each bottle. For sale by all dealers.

The Pension Bill

Congessmen Curry and Fergusson have forwarded the New Mexico Bureau of Immigrotion of Albuquerque a good supply of pension blanks which it is necessary for those entitled to pensions to fill out ond return to the pension department at Washington in order to receive the increase recently granted by congress. These blanks have been sent to the Immigration Bureau for distribution to those who have been overlooked by the different grand army posts throughout the state and to old soldiers living in remote sections and have ing no opportunity to procure the proper form of application for this increase. The application blank will of course in time be sent to all persons drawing pensions, but this will be rather slow and as the increase starts at the time the application is filled out, old soldiers and grand army posts desiring these application blanks will do well to write or call for a supply at once. The Immigration Bureau is al-

as the supply is limited, those

so in receipt of agriculture year books for 1911, which contains very valuable information and a copy of which every farmer in the state should have. One of Pu

desiring the publication will do well to give the matter immediate attention.

Any farmer in the state desir-

ing a list of the bulletins published by the agricultural depart ment can procure same by addressing his representative in congress or the Immigration Bureau. This list contains the names and numbers of several hundred bulletins, many of which library case, for which the club are very valuable to New Mexico farmers and which may be had upon written request to any con gressman or senator.

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There is no real need of anyone being troubled with constipation. Chamberlain,s Tablets will cause an agreeable movement of the bowels without any unpleasant effect. Give them a trail. For sale by all dealers.

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After other remedies had failed, Thed ford's Black-Draught restored me to health. I would not feel safe without Black-Draught in the house. I consider it worth its weight in gold.

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good health do not go together. Thedford's Black-Draught will thoroughly cleanse and set in order your digestive system.

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Baptist Church

Sunday school at 9:45 a. r. vites all not affiliated with other added. schools to meet with us Sunday. Sermon at 11:00 a. m. by the

The evening service at eight o'clock will be under the direcwill lead. The subject: The legal aspects of the temperance question. Several brief addresses will be made discussing the gulation; (3) Local option; (4) State-wide prohibition, and (5) The things necessary to enforce temperance laws. The hour promises to be one of special in W.W. are earnestly invited to attend, Wednesday.

Notice

All tax not paid by July 1st, The superintendent cordially in- 1912 will be advertised and cost

M. B. JONES, Treas, and Collector.

It is now well known that not more than one case of rheumatism in ten requires any internal treatment whattion of the Baptist Young Peo- ever. All that is needed is a free a ple's union for a special temper- plication of Chambelain's Liniment ance program. Mr. D. P.Gaines and massaging the parts at each application. Try it and see how quickly it will relieve the pain and soreness. Sold by all dealers.

Miss Maude Mears returned following topics: (1) License for to Ft. Worth Texas, Wednsday revenue only; (2) License for re- after having visited several days with her brother, Hon, T. E.

W.W. Van Winkle of Rogers, terest and helpfulness, and all paid the city a visit Tuesday and