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BLACKWATER DRAW AND MANN DISTRICT

These Places are Both Situated In Roosevelt County And Have Good Schools and Churches

THEY HAVE GOOD OPENINGS FOR PROSPECTIVE FARMERS

If You Have A Small Amount of Money And A Large Amount of Energy These Places Need You

Blackwater draw seems to have within it some of the most progressive farmers of the county of Roosevelt and the fact that they blow their own horns very little lends to their value. Reverend Carlton, the noted Jersey cow and dairyman is located in this draw, as they call it, and also one W. H. Beck. Mr. Beck is the gentleman about whom we wish to speak in particular this week.

Mr. Beck was in our office last Saturday afternoon with one of the best exhibits of fruits of all descriptions that has ever been shown in the county. Mr. Beck is a dry land farmer in the Blackwater draw and of the type of farmers who came here to make good. He has planted and bearing on his home place about forty plum trees, thirty-five peach trees, forty apple trees and about one quarter acre in grapes. Among this number of trees and vines may be found almost any variety of plums, peaches, apples and grapes that a man could name.

Among the varieties of plums shown in the gentleman's exhibit we might mention Burbank's Japan, which we think was the best, Apple, American Beauty, Wild Goose and Golden Beauty. Among the grapes we might mention the Concord and a large California variety. All of them being perfect specimens and as fine fruit as was ever raised anywhere.

Mr. Beck is an enthusiast over his country and also over locust trees planted as a forest. He states that if he had planted twenty acres of locust trees when he first came here instead of two that he would today be rich. It will do you good to talk to the gentleman if you are interested in the planting of trees of any sort.

Mann is another of the little districts in Roosevelt county that seem to blow their own horn very little but here lately they have as good and better reason than most of the inland districts to say something.

The Mann district is the heaviest shipper of cream in the county outside of Elida. They have only twenty-six families in the neighborhood who are shipping cream but their total cream checks this past month were over seven hundred dollars. Looks pretty good to us when you take into consideration the fact that all of these people are beginners in the business and part of them only milk two or three cows, none of them very many.

For the man who is interested in learning facts about this creamery business we suggest that he write Carl Moss, the man who handles all of the Mann cream at Mann, N. M., and get in line to come to Roosevelt county, New Mexico and make some good, clear money.

Fish Story

Mr. T. A. Bell, one of the old veterans who went from Portales to the Chattanooga encampment when seen by the editor stated that he certainly had some time while gone.

Among some of the things that he mentioned as giving him the most pleasure we might mention the giving away of special editions of the Herald of which he carried an arm full with him. These he stated had turned several people in this direction and that they would be guests of his this fall. He also tells quite a fisherman's story. The first day out on the "Old Tennessee", as he calls his old native river, he states that he caught one catfish, weighing twenty-eight pounds. When the fact was mentioned that this might be a fish story Mr. Bell insisted that the catch was made and furthermore stated that two other men helped pull the fish into the boat and he could prove that the fish did weigh twenty-eight pounds by these gentlemen. He caught numerous other fish and as a whole enjoyed the outing very much but is glad to get back to Portales with its cool breezes and fine crops.

Clvde Boucher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Boucher came in Monday from Ardmore, Oklahoma, where he has been for several weeks.

Another Fine Peach

Fred Crosby was exhibiting to his friends Monday a peach gathered from his own trees and raised by himself which measured nine and three quarter inches in circumference.

Fred states that the tree in his yard which bore this fine specimen was five years old and it had borne three crops of fruit. The crop of last year being over two bushels from the four year old tree. This year the crop was not quite so large but a better quality and would have been larger but for the late frost.

The variety of the peach is the Mamie Ross and this story was not written because the editor ate the peach. Fred ate it.

Court Met Friday

Judge Richardson and his Clerk were in Portales last Friday and Saturday hearing preliminary motions, demurrers and signing orders and decrees that had been left over from other terms of court.

No particular business was brought up except the case of Rogers versus Morrison.

Court will convene again the 22nd. of August.

Judge Richardson seems to be a very hard worker and is making many friends in Portales.

Reverend Ira Kiker



Rev. Ira C. Kiker, District Evangelist of the Amarillo district will hold a Union Revival in Portales beginning Sunday July 27th. All those who desire better moral and religious conditions in Portales are invited to join in these meetings. They are non-denominational and for the good of all.

Sidewalks Going In

The block from the square down Colorado street and meeting the park that is going to be put in by the railroad is gradually being finished in sidewalks.

Sam J. Nixon has just completed one hundred and fifty feet on his property on the east side of the street and Williamson and Jones have just completed seven feet on the west side. Reverend Heck has this week let a contract for eighty feet more on his lots on the west side. All of these walks going in along with the leveling and improving of the lots back of them will change the appearance very much indeed of the now main thoroughfare of our little town.

Company M to Las Vegas

Company M of the First Infantry of the National Guards of New Mexico, left Tuesday for camp McDonald, Las Vegas. There were 43 in the company including officers. Capt. Molinari is justly proud of his men as is also the town of Portales. The soldiers will be away 12 days.

Rev. Shepard has bought one of the best buggy and saddle horses that has been in Portales in quite a time. He says he is getting ready to be a missionary in the valley, and, incidentally inspect the cantaloupe fields after the melons ripen.

Services at the Cosy

All the regular services of the Central Christian Church will be held in the Cosy Theatre Sunday.

The teaching service of the church begins at 9:45 a. m. An interesting service this for young and old alike.

Preaching service of the church begins at 11 a. m. Subject: "Prayer that prevails." Theme for the evening discourse: "Make it as sure as you can."

The Cosy will be electrically lighted, electrically fanned, and the minister will give you a 35 minute breeze on a subject you should hear. Come out.

J. H. SHEPARD.

Mrs. Mary E. Kelsey, of Webb City, Missouri is visiting at the home of R. G. Bryant.

E. S. Mundy, the sheep man came in from Elida Tuesday.

Crop Prospects

Reports are coming in from all sides that crop prospects are better this year than they have been in the past five. They are as a rule very late on account of the late rains but they are now growing fine and all of the farmers are decidedly pleased with the present conditions. Another rain would help things inside of a week.

On the irrigated lands the crops are out of sight and the melon crop this year is about two weeks ahead of what it was last year. Many acres of melons are at present loaded with fruit and it is assumed that there will be melons for the home market by the 20th of this month. It is thought that carload shipments can begin about the first of August.

All other crops are in comparison and the only trouble the irrigated farmers look for is getting enough help to get their crops in when they are ready.

Some Cream

The communities of Mann, Floyd and Longs, lying on three sides of Portales valley and none of them over sixteen miles from the town of Portales have taken into their communities during the month of June \$2,100.00 in cold cash for the sale of cream.

Besides this they have had the calves from all of the cows that they are milking to sell, also the skimmed milk to feed to hogs and put hundreds of dollars worth of meat on them and yet there have been people who are afraid to tackle the dairy business. Better get in while the water is good. Lands are going up and along with them cattle and hogs and the man who gets some Roosevelt county land now will be patting himself on the back in another year or so.

Demonstration Well

Mr. Rogers has completed all arrangements for the monster demonstration well that is to be located at the depot with the exception of a charter from the city for lines and ditches. This charter will be given by the city as soon as the Chamber of Commerce can get to the matter and work out the details.

The well will throw approximately two thousand gallons of water per minute and if the prospectors who are taken through Portales to the towns below do not come back after seeing this monster well to see what is back of it, it will surprise us very much.

A New Club Organized

On Friday evening, July 11, a crowd of the young people met at the home of Miss Lillian Smiths for the purpose of organizing a club.

Mr. Thompson Monroe was elected president, Willie Ferguson secretary, and Edith Reagan press reporter. Lillian Smith was appointed chairman of the entertainment committee. She selected Leta Smith, Joe Patterson and Howard Leach as her helpers. T. N. R. C. was selected as a name for the club. The remaining part of the time was spent in playing Rook and was very much enjoyed by all.

Press Reporter.

GENUINE GET-TO-GETHER AMONG BUSINESS MEN

The Woman's Club of Portales Serves Great Feast to Representatives of the State and County

A NUMBER OF CLOVIS BOOSTERS PARTAKE OF FEAST

Meetings Such As This Bring Out The Needs of Portales And Roosevelt County And Produce Much Good

Had I the descriptive powers of a Stoddard, the vocabulary of a Webster, the music of a poet and the sensitive heart and the refined soul of a woman perhaps I could adequately describe the banquet of Thursday evening. It was truly great.

It was a great crowd that assembled in the commercial club rooms, a real "live wire" bunch. Fifty-five big, brainy men from Portales, Clovis, Elida and other points. These men feel keenly the importance of co-operation on the part of all the people in this entire section, and they are ready and anxious to lend one another the helping hand. This is the spirit that builds cities and empires, and this is the spirit that was everywhere manifest at the banquet. This spirit will bring this great section of the great southwest into its own rapidly.

The dinner was great; prepared and served in a great way by a great organization the Woman's Club. It was an eight course dinner prepared in accordance with latest standards of the culinary art by culinary artists. It was served in a manner to tempt the appetite of the confirmed dyspeptic. Many were the bouquets tossed ladyward by the speakers of the evening. Every bouquet was fully deserved. One speaker declared that each member of the Woman's Club was worth a million dollars, and both the religious and irreligious of the house, said 'amen.'

The oratory was great. A man who has traveled extensively remarked: "There is the greatest bunch of sure enough orators in this town than any town of the size I have ever seen." Wit, humor, pathos, facts flowed gently and smoothly like the gentle zephyrs that fan our western prairies and kiss the apple and peach blossoms and alfalfa blooms of our valley. Every speaker seemed at his best and appeared

to appreciate the magnitude of the opportunity, and showed that he was really glad to be present on this auspicious occasion and to have some part in the work of building an empire.

W. O. Oldham, secretary of the commercial club, was toastmaster of the evening. He was par excellence, was there with the goods every minute of the time. He introduced the following gentlemen who spoke on the following subjects: Captain T. J. Molinari, the new depot. Judge Reese, Portales. Judge Mears, the southwest. A. A. Rogers, irrigation. Supt. J. E. McMahon, development of the Santa Fe R. R. Co. Dr. Bailey, cantaloupes. G. M. Williamson, hogs and alfalfa. Road Commissioner, B. W. Kinsolving, good roads. W. E. Lindsey, the booster. Rev. Carlton, the dairy business. R. G. Bryant, the town builder. J. A. Hall, the county fair. Carl Johnson, the gentleman farmer. J. H. Shepard, good citizenship. J. P. Deen, needs of Portales. Judge Nixon, the Woman's Club. B. D. Oldham, the need of an automobile road between Clovis and Portales. W. I. Luikart, the banquet. A. E. Curren, advantages in Portales and Clovis co-operating. Mr. Cramer, the silo. Will Duckworth, the banquet.

The music for the evening was furnished by the Clovis Orchestra, one of the best in the southwest. This part of the evening's program added no little to the pleasure of the occasion. The music was great.

At 12:30 p. m. Secretary Oldham announced the program finished. Thus closed one of the greatest get-together meetings held in Portales and eastern New Mexico, in many a day. It will make for a greater Portales and will be of benefit to this entire section. Let the good work go on.

A BANQUETER.

Hot Weather.

Last Friday was the hottest day ever known to Roosevelt county since the thermometers came into it. The government thermometer at the irrigation plant registered 103 in the shade. Some of the cheap thermometers around the square registered 108. The weather has been exceedingly hot most of the time since but the cool breeze that comes all day relieves the heat and it is not nearly so noticeable as even 97 or 98 in the southern and eastern states.

Presbyterian Church

You are cordially invited to worship with us Sunday-services both morning and evening-come thou with us and let us do you good.

Pastor.

Grissom-Robertson

Rich Grissom and Miss Lillian Robertson both of Elida were united in the holy bonds of matrimony last Sunday evening by the Reverend West.

Only intimate friends of the contracting parties were present besides the families, and the affair, though looked for, was to say the least of it a little surprising.

Mr. Grissom is one of the well known young business men of Elida and is looked upon by all who know him to have a very bright future, indeed. Miss Robertson also is well known in Elida and surrounding country and needs no introduction. The couple have many friends and well wishers both in and out of Elida and the Herald joins all of these in one great wish that your lives may be long and happy together.

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J. R. DARNELL BUSINESS MANAGER

With this issue of the paper I sever my connection with the Herald Printing company and from now on the firm will be composed of my partner, J. R. Darnell and Honorable James A. Hall, assistant district attorney of the fifth Judicial District. Mr. Hall is well known to the people of Portales and Roosevelt county and needs no introduction to them. He has had experience in the newspaper world and will give you a paper worth your while.

Thanking you, one and all, for the many courtesies shown me and the liberal support given me while the editor of this paper I beg to remain your friend, for a bigger and better Portales.

R. P. CONNALLY.

Is Democracy Successful

Things are certainly coming to hard times and a panic from the Wilson administration? Where are all of the Republicans and others who have been making this prediction ever since they realized that the Democrats were going to have charge and try to give the people of the United States a square rule for once since the last Democratic administration? They seem to have all disappeared. You never hear from any of them and if broached on the subject they generally take to their holes like a scared cotton tail rabbit when some of his dog friends come to make him a visit.

The things that were predicted as going to the bad from the start were the big businesses but if they will read the following article they will have some idea of what is becoming of the big businesses during the Wilson administration and how the United States in general is getting along. By all odds, much better than at any time under Republican rule and this is only the beginning of the term.

From the Philadelphia Record, June 10, 1913.

The true American ring, always optimistic in the United States, sounds in a recent statement by President Bush, of the Missouri Pacific and Denver & Rio Grande Railroads operating some 10,000 miles.

"There has been no unusual let up in traffic in general merchandise, lumber, coal or grain. A large part of last year's crop is yet in farmers' hands and will have to be moved before the new crops are housed. The outlook for the corn, oats, wheat and hay crops was never better. It now looks as if we would have as large yields if not larger than last year's. What better can we want or expect than that?"

We are doing a \$62,000,000 business on the Missouri Pacific system this year, against \$54,000,000 last year, and we expect to go right up to \$70,000,000 in the next two years. We haven't time to look for trouble out west.

From the Philadelphia Ledger June 8, 1913.

The International and Great Northern has ordered one thousand freight cars from the American Car and Foundry Company. The Southern Railway is making inquiries for 400-500 ton hopper cars, the Union Railroad for 200 freight cars. Equipment orders recently placed by railroads mean the placing of orders by car builders with steel mills for 125,000 tons of steel.

The steel corporation is operating its ingot mills nearly full capacity, and its iron production is not far below that level. The corporation has on its payroll between 240,000 and 250,000 men, in contrast with about 227,000 in January, which establishes a new high record.

Elbert H. Gary said on May 22, at the dinner of the American Iron and Steel Institute in New York: "The fundamental conditions of this country, to my mind, were never better. It is the richest country in the world. The prospects for crops for the coming year were never better than they are now, and there is every reason why, if the country were allowed to prosper, it should advance further and faster day by day than ever before."

N. W. Ayer and Son, the largest advertising agency in the world handling "national" business, said, in Printers' Ink for May 15:

The activities of this organization, in volume of business booked, show an increase greater than at any previous period in our history.

From the Houston Post, June 10, 1913.

The California State Railroad Commission today granted the application of the Southern Pacific Company to issue \$30,000,000 of two year notes at 5 per cent for improvements and extensions in Texas, Louisiana and California. In addition the company intends to expend during the current fiscal year \$10,000,000 from earnings.

The Yale and Towne Mfg. Co., the largest plant in the world manufacturing locks and builders' hardware, are now employing more men than ever before and are adding two acres of manufacturing capacity to take care of increasing business.

Luther D. Smith

Prof. Luther D. Smith died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dolphas Smith, near Floyd last Saturday night.

He had not been well for some time but not serious until about ten days ago when he called Dr. Pearce, who found him suffering from a severe case of typhoid fever which in spite of all the medical aid and careful nursing grew worse until the end came.

His brother, Dr. Smith, was with him during his last illness.

Luther Smith was born in Alabama January 12, 1888. His parents soon after moved to Texas and lived there for several years, then moved to eastern Oklahoma. Where the boy helped on the farm and attended district school every opportunity and later made his way through high school working at what he could find to do during vacation. About seven years ago, he with his parents and family moved to New Mexico near Floyd.

The law was the ambition of his life. Living in a new country where times were hard, without money and means, the way seemed dark to accomplish his purposes in life, but he knew no such word as failure.

He began his career as a teacher and made such rapid success that his services were constantly in demand, studying law at odd times. He was to enter a law school in September.

He had high ideals of life always doing the right as he understood it, always stood for those qualities which make life better, higher and nobler, always opposed to the wrong.

His honesty of purpose, firmness and kindness had won him many warm friends. Everyone who knew him was his friend.

It seems strange that God in his great wisdom would take away a young person with so great a promise in life, but we know that God is all wise and doeth all things well.

He leaves a father, mother, two brothers and two sisters to mourn him.

In the presence of a large crowd of friends, neighbors and all the family his body was laid to rest in the Portales cemetery by the Odd Fellows, of which lodge he was a member.

Last Sunday afternoon Reverend Kirkpatrick preached the impressive funeral services.

May God's richest blessings rest upon each member of the family and comfort them in this sad hour.

A Friend.

Plainview Items

We feel that we are due the Herald an apology because something hasn't happened in this part of the county.

The prospects for crops of feed stuff is very promising just now.

The farmers in this section have had quite a tussel with the weeds the early rains caused them to grow very fast.

Mrs. Lum Carter has returned from her visit to Missouri though she is extending her visit a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Carlton at Portales.

Our Sunday school is progressing nicely with good interest. 45 to 50 attendance every Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. Welse Victor have returned home. They went to Snyder, Texas last spring but it appears that they find worse places to live than New Mexico.

A Trip to Littlefield, Nit.

That was a jolly quartet that headed for Littlefield Texas the other night. It was composed of two merchants, a newspaper man and a preacher. They left Portales about six p. m. with flying colors and souls aglow with enthusiasm. A seventy five mile jaunt over some of the prettiest and best country out of doors and a day of anticipated delights ahead was sufficient to fill this optimistic quartet with "joy unspeakable and full of glory".

But their fondest hopes were doomed to be scetterlophisticated. Ere half of the distance had been covered the car in which they were joyously riding refused to budge. "Nary a step would she go". For two lonely, weary hours she stood stock still. The Preacher exhausted his power, of persuasion, the newspaper man expended big chunks of hot air, one of the merchants promised the machine a barrel of gasoline and four quarts of oil if it would but only be good, the other merchant used all of his mechanical skill; but all to no avail. He said the flim flam had gotten mixed up with the flim flam and that the do-fangle had reverted back over the fangle do and that the piston rod was wrapped, fourteen times around the axle tree and the whole dingus was mixed up with the dingus as a whole, consequently, and therefore and hence "we may not get this gone, gone automobile to move for sixteen hours and seventy minutes."

Well, not to say more about this matter, this woebegone quartet finally persuaded the machine to move a little. They then reversed their course and by continual petting and coaxing, pushing and pulling, twisting the tail and pulling the nose of the afore said automobile, they reached Portale between six and seven o'clock the following morning. It was a weary bunch. They resembled very much so many dried up mullin stalks in a sheep pasture.

We have purposely withheld the names of the gentlemen in this crowd, because the mere mention of Littlefield and this special trip makes even the preacher of the bunch want to scrap. Nuff said.

Pigs and Alfalfa

Flue Anderson, one of the progressive Bethel farmers was in the office last Saturday and reports that his alfalfa is tolerably good this year. He is only running a few over two hundred

head of hogs on fifteen acres of it and the alfalfa isn't but eight-een inches high. Flue hasn't cut but one crop from this piece of land with the hogs on it and he seems to be disappointed.

Another little matter that he mentioned was the fact that pigs were only worth five dollars a piece now and not only worth it but that he was selling them for this every day.

He says that he has to get that much or he will just turn them on the alfalfa and before he knows it he will get ten dollars apiece for them as hogs.

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Scott & Borne, Bloomfield, N. J. 13-22

Report of the condition of the Portales Bank & Trust Company

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RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$10,756.92
Secured by 1st Estate and mortg. owned	40,250.36
Secured by coll. other than Real Estate	23,215.34
All other loans	571,223.02
TOTAL	\$715,245.64
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Surplus	5,000.00
Undivided Profits, less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	1,000.19
Due to banks	313.26
Individual deposits subject to check without notice	91,067.45
Certificates of Deposit	6,181.73
Cashier's checks outstanding	963.81
Total liabilities	\$133,566.44
Depositors	
All other depositor (including banks)	480
Dividends paid during the past year on capital stock	
Amount \$2500.00	Per cent 10
Date paid January 1st, 1913	

I, Ben Smith, cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Ben Smith, Cashier.

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Peaches and Grapes

W. W. Hensley, one of the old, old timers of the county and a man well known to most of the county, was a welcomed visitor at the Herald office this week and incidentally brought along with him two of the finest specimens of fruit that it has ever been the editors joy to behold. Those fine, large, luscious peaches made ye editors mouth water from the word go and to say the least of it they were some good.

Mr. Hensley stated to us that he would have by the first to fifteenth of August over one hundred and fifty bushels of these fine peaches ready for sale and would take the nominal price of one dollar per bushel for them. He also stated that he had grapes beyond imagination and that he would supply the country at four cents per pound after about the first of next month.

Mr. Hensley lives about two miles this side of Delphos and has raised all of this fruit this year and previous years without irrigation.

What right has anyone to say that this country will not make a living and more for anyone who will try? This old gentleman is probably sixty years of age or over and is making good money and he is in the part which is considered by some to be the worst we have. He is making and always has made money since he has been here and any young man who has the nerve to say that this old man can make money where he has fallen down has more nerve than the average man who thinks anything of his working qualities.

Articles Wanted

The suggestion has been made to the Herald Editor that many people wanted information as to the exact steps to take in building up a dairy herd. This gentleman also made the suggestion that the Herald ask for all of the men who have actually had the experience write an article and send in to us. We would then print these articles, probably one or two a week and the result would be that many people who are now standing back because of the lack of confidence in themselves would venture into this business and help swell the fund which is now pouring into our cream and milk products. We will help you as well as any and accordingly we are to expect several articles of the next week or two at least one of these week's publication. Other articles along this long the dairy in any way are welcomed and if possible.

Union Revival

A union revival service is beginning July 30 and continuing two weeks. A cordial invitation is hereby extended to members of all churches to join in the united effort for the salvation of the entire community.

STARK PATRICK,
Methodist Church.

Quarantine Lifted

The Secretary of Agriculture, under date of July 15th, has ordered released from quarantine for scabbies, a contagious, communicable disease of cattle, the remainder of the states of South Dakota and New Mexico. This releases from quarantine in South Dakota the counties of Lawrence, Pennington, Custer, Fall River, Washington, Bennet, Shannon and Washabaugh. In New Mexico, the quarantine is raised from the following: Counties of Union, Guadalupe, Quay, Roosevelt, Chaves, Eddy, that portion of Torrance county lying east and south of the El Paso and Rock Island Railway, that portion of Lincoln county lying east and south of the El Paso and Northeastern and the El Paso and Rock Island Railways, and that portion of Otero county lying east of the El Paso and Northeastern Railway.

In the state of Montana, the county of Fergus is released from quarantine, and in the state of Nebraska the county of Thomas is released from quarantine for scabbies. This means that the prohibition against shipping cattle from these previously quarantined districts into other sections is now ended.

The same order replaces under quarantine for scabbies in the state of Wyoming the newly named and organized counties of Platt, Goshen and Niobrara, and continues under quarantine in Nebraska that portion of Garden county north of the North Platte river, which was formerly part of Deuel county.

Iowa Prospectors

Paul Jones, of the well known Paul Jones company of Des Moines, Iowa, has been a visitor in our valley three times in the past two weeks. Mr. Jones is on the lookout for a tract of land containing from one thousand to twelve hundred acres in an irrigated district and the gentleman has been up and down the valley, and in all of the principal irrigated districts of the west looking for a location.

Portales has been the recipient of three visits from him and though he has not so far purchased anything he has been out and thoroughly looked over the proposition and seems to believe rather strong in our valley over the rest.

So it goes, a few men from the east have become interested in our proposition in the last year and gradually their friends without solicitation, are beginning to come to the valley which is not booming because of advertising but is growing and booming merely because of the fact that it has the resources back of it and every move that is made is permanent and not a bubble to burst later on. We are growing and can't help ourselves. Now is your time to come and see. We don't ask you to take our word, come and we will show you.

Echoes From Clovis

CLOVIS HAPPENINGS ALWAYS INTEREST OUR READERS.

After reading of so many people in our town who has been cured by Doan's Kidney Pills, the question naturally arises: "Is this medicine equally successful in our neighboring towns?" The generous statement of this Clovis resident leaves no room for doubt on this point.

L. R. Barry, P. O. Box 684, Clovis, New Mexico, says: "Sometime ago I suffered from an attack of sciatic rheumatism, brought on, I believe, by the large amount of uric acid in my system. It crippled me quite a bit for some time. Hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills, I got a box and began using them. They brought much relief."

The above is not an isolated case. Mr. Barry is only one of many in this vicinity who have gratefully endorsed Doan's. If your back aches—if your kidneys bother you, don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mr. Barry had. 50c at all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Dairymen

One of the broader minded business men of the city has suggested that the Herald compile the statistics of the dairy business of the county so that when a man comes in and asks for information on the subject he can be given such information as will make him sit up and take notice.

The only way that we see to do this is for every man who is shipping cream to send us a postal and state on this postal the following questions. We will ask every man who is actually interested in the business to take this much time regardless of what part of the county he lives in as it may be a help to him in the way of inducing more buyers and higher prices to enter our county when they realize what we have to offer them.

The following are the questions that we would like to have you answer if you are in the dairying business:

Number of cows in the dairy, milking and dry cows. Amount of cream sold per week. Average of income per week. The sooner we get these facts the better it will be for you and the county.

La Lande Alive

D. K. Smith, the county commissioner from La Lande when interviewed about the county high school stated that he was surprised that Portales had done no more than it had towards the matter as La Lande had already gotten up the necessary petitions and had the matter now up before the commissioners. Mr. Smith seems to be favorable towards a county high school and will in all probability use his influence for the same with the board of commissioners.

Cucumbers

Carl Graf states that cucumbers are fine this year. Tuesday he picked a wash tub half full of five hills. They had not been picked however in two days.

Carl states that all of them were perfect specimens for pickles and that at the rate they are bearing he will have a hard time to eat all he raises off of five hills before they come again next fall.

Jone's Wool Clip

The following local was clipped from the Fort Sumner Leader last week. The sheep referred to are the ones Mr. Jones is planning bringing into the Portales county. The Buffalo Jone's wool clip from his imported Persian sheep was sold this week. The clip weighed about four thousand pounds.

Notice For Bids

Whereas, at a regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, held at Portales on the 7, 8, 9, and 10th, days of July, 1913, all bids filed and submitted under the former notice for bids for the erection of a vault in the Clerk's office in the courthouse at Portales, New Mexico, were rejected, and the Board of County Commissioners did order and direct that further notice be given and published, therefore:

Notice is hereby given that from the 18th, day of July, 1913, upto and including the 6th, day of August, 1913, the Board of County Commissioners of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, will receive bids for the furnishing of material and the erection and completion of a fireproof vault to be erected and completed in the Clerk's office of the courthouse at Portales, New Mexico, in accordance with the plans and specifications now on file with the County Clerk of Roosevelt county, New Mexico. The county furnishes all necessary brick. Such bids must be sealed and filed with the County Clerk within the time above specified and must be accompanied by a certified check of ten per cent of the amount of the bid, which check will be forfeited to the county should the bidder, if successful, fail, refuse or neglect to enter into a good and sufficient contract for double the amount of contract price for the faithful performance of said contract, within such reasonable time as may be directed by the Board of County Commissioners. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Portales, New Mexico, this the 14th, day of July, 1913.

C. P. MITCHELL,

County Clerk,

Roosevelt County, N. M.

J. W. BALLOW,

Deputy.

(Seal)

U. D. C. Meeting

Varina Jefferson Davis Chapter U. D. C. met in the office of Mrs. Culberson. Tuesday July 1st, when officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Mrs. Milton Brown, President. Mrs. T. E. Mears, 1st. V. President. Mrs. Wolforth, 2nd, Vice President. Mrs. Williamson, Rec. Secretary. Mrs. Rozell Culberson, corresponding secretary. Mrs. Tyson, Treasurer. Miss Bryant, Historian. Mrs. C. V. Harris, custodian of flags and crosses of honor. Installation ceremonies will be held Tuesday July 15th, at the residence of Mrs. Milton Brown, and payment of regular yearly dues will be in order at that time.

CANTALOUPE PICKING BAGS
Ready For Sale
\$1.00 EACH \$10.00 A DOZEN
Farmers Supply Co.,
New Mexico

Probate Court Notice

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt county, N. M. in re last will and testament of Stephen G. Ferrin, deceased.
Application of Carrie H. Ferrin, for probate of said will and testament, and for letters cum testamento annexo.
To whom it may concern, and the following heirs of the said Stephen G. Ferrin: Clarence E. Ferrin of Pittsfield, New Hampshire. Augustine W. Ferrin of Roswell, New Mexico. Lizzie N. Ferrin of Rushmore, Minnesota. Mrs. E. W. Shore of Anadarko, Oklahoma. Oscar M. Ferrin of Anadarko, Oklahoma. Mrs. H. W. Shore of Rushmore, Minnesota.
Notice is hereby given to you and each of you and all interested parties, that application has been made to the Probate court of Roosevelt county New Mexico, for the probate of the last will and testament of Stephen G. Ferrin, deceased, who died on the 7th, day of September 1911, said will by its term devising and bequeathing all the estate of the said Stephen G. Ferrin to his daughter-in-law, Carrie H. Ferrin, and appointing Sherman C. Master executor of said will, therefore Carrie H. Ferrin, sole devisee and legatee of said will, has applied to the probate court for the probate of said will and for letters cum testamento annexo. The court having set the 13th day of August, 1913 for the hearing proof to probate said will and all matters touching same. All of the above named heirs and all other interested parties, are hereby notified that unless they enter their appearance on or by said 13th day of August 1913, judgment will be rendered against them by default, and said cause proceed to a final hearing.
C. M. Compton, Jr., of Portales, New Mexico, is attorney for applicant and devise mentioned above.

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Deposit your cash and build your credit at

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It was built little at a time; so are great Fortunes

The Pyramids of Egypt that were built many centuries ago are still standing. The whole world looks at them with inquisitive admiration. Storms and time have not destroyed their magnitude nor their symmetry. But they were built one stone at a time. If the FIRST STONE had not been properly placed, the Pyramids would not be there today. A fortune can be built little by little, but not until after it is STARTED. If you want a fortune START ONE NOW.

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Combs
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Rubber
Goods and
Sponges
Fine
Stationery
Cigars
Etc.

The Local Field

On last Tuesday at Minco Walter J. Anderson was bound over to await the action of the grand jury of Roosevelt county by Justice A. J. Murphy. Mr. Anderson is charged with having assaulted J. J. Jordan with a deadly weapon at Longs on June 20th. The weapon used is said to have been a grubbing hoe handle.

A suitable reward will be paid for the recovery of a brooch containing a large opal surrounded by six prongs of pearls.

Mrs. G. C. Brock. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mitchell arrived Saturday from Denver, Colorado. Mrs. Mitchell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Freeman and was married to Mr. Mitchell here some two years ago while he was foreman of the old Herald office. They both have many friends who are glad to welcome them back.

Bedford Forrest camp of Confederate veterans are requested to meet Saturday, July, 26th, at 1 p. m. at the court house in Portales. All Federal soldiers cordially invited to meet with us.

M. C. Reynolds, Capt. Com. Claude Anderson returned Saturday from Wichita, Kansas where he has been attending some school of pharmacy. The summer vacation is now on and Claud will return as soon as school convenes in August. He thinks he will probably finish his course by the first of the coming year.

Chocolate and vanilla cream at Adams confectionery.

Notice of Suit

In the District court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico. Harry L. Swan, plaintiff, vs. W. B. Terry et al. defendants. The defendants, W. B. Terry and S. M. Terry will take notice that a suit has been filed against them by attachment styled and numbered on the docket of the above court as above. The nature and objects of said suit is to collect a note, dated April, 1911, for \$300.00 executed by defendants W. B. Terry and S. M. Terry and due six months after date with ten per cent per annum interest thereon from date until paid, and ten per cent additional on the sum due thereon if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, on which note after certain credits, it is alleged the balance due at date of filing this suit, Jan. 30, 1912, including interest and attorney fees is the sum of \$197.00 on which interest is prayed at the rate of ten per cent per annum from Jan. 30th 1912 until paid. Said suit is further to obtain an attachment which has been issued and levied in said action upon the property of the defendant, W. B. Terry, to wit: 1 Powers No. 5 Camera; 1 reel under one handle electric wire; one light switch; one coil stand; 10 benches; 4 stools; 6 chairs; 6 stationary scenery curtains; 2 rolls scenery curtains; 4 chairs; and also lot No. 9 in block No. 10 in east Portales addition to the town of Portales, N. M., with all improvements thereon, and also for the purpose of cancelling and annulling a deed from defendant W. B. Terry, to defendant S. M. Terry, by which said lot No. 9 in block No. 10 in said addition was attempted to be conveyed to said defendant S. M. Terry and to have same declared the property of said W. B. Terry. And you, the said W. B. Terry, are hereby notified that your said property as described above, has been attached, and that you and said defendant S. M. Terry are hereby notified to appear and answer in this cause on or by September 4th 1912, and that unless you do so judgment will be rendered in favor of said plaintiff and he be given the relief demanded in his complaint and your said property sold to satisfy said judgment. J. A. Meeks is attorney for the plaintiff and his business address is Portales, N. M. Witness my hand and seal as clerk of said court and by order of the court on this 10th day of July, 1912. C. P. Mitchell, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of said Dist. of Court. By S. A. Morrison, Deputy.

The Timid Man

Who carries insured is wiser than the man who refuses it. Experience teaches this. Are you with us? If not, why not?

"WE KNOW HOW"
To Write
Farm and Town Property.
W. H. Braley & Son
Portales, :: New Mexico

To Trade—Two hundred acres of shallow water land to sell cheap or will trade for horses. Enoch Boucher, Portales, New Mexico.

Mrs. Maud Cohn and daughter of Iowa Park, Texas, are visitors of Harley Thompson and family this week. Mrs. Cohn is the sister of Mr. Thompson and he had not seen her for 10 years until she got off the train Monday morning. She will probably remain here for several weeks.

Doolittle will be at your residence for your laundry. Smith. Jack Norris, the well known pump man with the irrigation company is seriously sick with kidney trouble and has been sick since the Fourth of July. His condition seems to be no better but hopes are held out that he will begin to improve in a few days.

If you are a housewife you cannot reasonably hope to be healthy or beautiful by washing dishes, sweeping and doing house work all day and crawling into bed dead tired at night. You must get out into the open air and sunlight. If you do this every day and keep your stomach and bowels in good order by taking Chamberlain's Tablets when needed, you should become both healthy and beautiful. For sale by all dealers.

Fred Zinn, Edwin Penn, Mr. Ferguson and Mr. Muson have recently returned from an extended trip through the Captain and White mountains west of Roswell and report a most enjoyable time.

D. D. Swearingin, of the firm of Presley and Swearingin of Roswell, New Mexico, specialists, eye, ear, nose and throat, will be in Portales at Neers drug store July 20th and 21st.

Saylor pays cash for poultry. Shorty Stafford, now of Texas but recently of Portales is a Portales visitor, coming down Monday in order to accompany his company to Las Vegas for the summer encampment.

For Sale One good Jersey cow. See Will Carlton at the telephone office.

George H. Stephenson, who has been here for the past several days visiting his family left Monday for Pecos, Texas, where he is at present engaged in his profession.

Wanted Second hand post and woven wire fencing at the Red Feather Farm, Jno. L. Reid, 1 and 1 1/2 miles west of town.

Verge Heatley, the brother in law of Mrs. E. B. Hawkins and an old timer well known in Portales has been in Portales with his wife for the past week. They left Tuesday for their home in Mangum, Oklahoma.

Patronize home industry and obtain the best laundry work possible. Let the Portales Tailoring company send your laundry to Clovis.

At the election held in Elida Tuesday of this week to ascertain whether she wanted saloons or not the vote stood about two to one in favor of keeping the saloons, so the report stated Wednesday at noon.

Buy it now Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is almost certain to be ordered before the summer is over. Buy it now and be prepared for such an emergency. For sale by all dealers.

Doctor E. M. Smith who has been in Portales for the past week and waiting on his brother Luther, who passed away last Saturday night, returned to his home in Bloomington, Texas, Tuesday.

For soreness of the muscles, whether induced by violent exercise or injury, there is nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment also relieves rheumatic pains. For sale by all dealers.

RED TAG SALE

OUR SEMI-ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

On Dry Goods & Groceries OPENS

SATURDAY AUGUST 2nd. CLOSES SATURDAY AUGUST 9th.

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JOYCE-PRUIT CO.

PORTALES, NEW MEXICO

During the summer months mothers of young children should watch for any unnatural looseness of the bowels. When given prompt attention at this time serious trouble may be avoided. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

Connally Coal Company will buy all of your gunny sacks. J. R. Darnell and Ed Johnson came in from the ranch of Mr. Johnson Monday morning after a two or three days stay. They both went to Las Vegas with the soldier boys.

Dysentery is always serious and often a dangerous disease, but it can be cured. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has cured it, even when malignant and epidemic. For sale by all dealers.

J. A. W. Smithee, one of the south country farmers is in town this week and reports crops in a flourishing condition but soon in need of rain.

Lost Ladies linen coat. Lost between town and cemetery Sunday afternoon. Finder return to Dr. S. B. Owens and receive suitable reward.

Mrs. J. F. L. Clark left Saturday for her future home in Phoenix, Arizona. Mrs. Clark was accompanied by Miss Goldine Stranberg as far as El Paso. Mr. Clark is now with the M. S. Tel and Tel company at Phoenix.

To Rent—One five room house with bath and toilet. Two blocks of square lights and water. J. P. Deen.

Judge Carter, the county surveyor, is a Toiar business visitor this week. He will survey there for two or three days.

For sale Thoroughbred Jersey milk cow. Fresh. Inquire at Herald office.

A. A. Williams, the well known Santa Fe carpenter working out of Clovis is putting a few finishing touches to the depot this week.

We want to prove to you that Clovis does better laundry work than ever before. Try them. Portales Tailoring Co. Phone 7.

Mrs. Sarah Ford of Iowa City, Iowa, came in Monday morning for an extended visit with her nephew, Harley Thompson.

Clovis cream is better, that is why we handle it. Adams confectionery.

Rev. Shepard and wife made a flying trip to Texas for the regular day of Mr. Shepard there, Saturday and returned Monday.

We send laundry away on Monday and Thursday. All work guaranteed. Phone 7. Portales Tailoring company.

Connally Coal Company will buy your gunny sacks.

A. A. Rogers left Saturday for Denver, Colorado, where he goes on business for his company.

Think Corbin Bros. when you think Insurance.

Lee Huddleston, better known as Big Indian, is a Clovis prize fight visitor this week.

See F. E. Turner at the Racquet Store for cane seed.

Wanted—To rent a horse and buggy by the week. P. O. Box 225, Portales.

Jim Green and family, well known in the Bethel country are in from valley points this week.

Wanted—A furnished house. Grown people. Apply at Herald.

Mr. G. D. Clark, of Kansas City, Mo. is a prospector in the valley this week.

Clovis cream is better, that is why we handle it. Adams confectionery.

George Dean was a business visitor in Clovis this week.

Get 25 tickets with drinks at Dobb's and get a Baksavher free. See F. E. Turner at the Racquet Store for cane seed.

Carl Moss, the dairy king, left Monday for Kansas City, Mo., where he goes on some kind of real estate deal.

Wanted—To rent a horse and buggy by the week. P. O. Box 225, Portales.

New line of candies at Dobb's.

Baptist Church

Services at the Baptist Church Sunday July the 29th as follows Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. also at 7 p. m. Subject for a. m. sermon, Prevaling Prayer. The evening Sermon will be, Evange-

Methodist Church

Services: The subject of the mornings sermon will be, The Name of covered sin, evening's subject, The Conditions and Characteristics of a New Testament Revival. You are cordially invited.

Saba Kipatrick, Pastor.

SAM J. NIXON

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Portales, New Mexico

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Getting a Line on His Curves. The up-to-date tailoring expert is aware that no two men are alike in form or taste. Difficult to please though, would be the customer we couldn't suit. Have a system that does the business to perfection. "Just right" describes every garment leaving our establishment. It covers cut, style; fit, finish, fabric—covers price too. Suits \$10.00 to \$35.00.

Portales Tailoring Co.

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suffers a similar fate at the hands of some Laundries that it does in the mouth of a bull dog.

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Shoots all .22 short, .22 long and .22 long-rifle cartridges; excellent for rabbits, squirrels, hawks, crows, and all small game and target work up to 200 yards.

Here's the best-made .22 rifle in the world!

It's a take-down, convenient to carry and clean. The tool steel work is the best set ever furnished. The Heavy Bolt and Rocky Mountain Trigger are the best ever furnished. Has lever action—like a big game rifle. Has solid top and safe action for safety and rapid accurate firing. Has a total expense 75c; casing bullets yourself. New Marlin rifles cost \$2.32. Free—Lithal Hand Book tells all about reloading, rifle, pistol and shotgun ammunition; 160 pages of valuable information free for 3 stamp postage. The Marlin Firearms Co., 48 Willow St., New Haven, Conn.

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It pays to reload your shells! Your empty fired shells are the expensive part of your ammunition. They're as strong and good as new, and they're easy to reload! Merely decap and re-cap shell, insert powder, crush in the bullet. You reload 100 .32 S. & W. cartridges (buying bullets) for the price of 25. Free—Lithal Hand Book tells all about reloading, rifle, pistol and shotgun ammunition; 160 pages of valuable information free for 3 stamp postage. The Marlin Firearms Co., 48 Willow St., New Haven, Conn.