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MANY SILOS ARE NOW UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Citizens of Roosevelt County Are Beginning to Realize The Value of Conservation of Farm Products

NOBE AND RICHLAND COMMUNITIES ARE PROSPEROUS

Ensilage and Dairy Products Will Prove the Best Boon To the Farmers of the Great Southwest

On last Saturday the editor of the Herald had business engagements which called him to Elida, and consequently he left here early Saturday morning in an auto and looked over a considerable part of the southeastern part of Roosevelt county—not being due in Elida until afternoon. The people in the southeastern part of this county certainly have no cause to complain—the crops of this year are good and everyone appears to be prosperous. At every country store, and we stopped at a number, there were from three to four dozen cream cans and we were told by the farmers that the country stores were all averaging a purchasing capacity of \$100.00 per week in cream—and they pay cash to the producer. The producer is not compelled to 'trade it out.' Every farm appeared to be well supplied with poultry and milk cows—two of the most productive branches of the farm, and in conversation with several prosperous farmers we were advised that most all the farmers who had tried the cream business were pleased with the results and that they were all going to improve their herds by dropping out the poor milk cow, selling her for beef, and buying a well known breed of dairy stock.

simple. We saw the silos with our own eyes when the Roosevelt county dry land farmers were actually at work making them. We were told that the articles in the Herald concerning the 'silo way' had been studied and that they were deeply appreciated because of the information they imparted. What did we learn. At Richland, they did not go to the stores at that place, we learned that there were five silos under construction, and this we learn from Mr. C. E. Toombs of Nobe, who has a store at both Nobe and Richland. In the Nobe community there are now under course of construction, or just completed, nine nice large underground silos. Think of it, nine in one community. L. E. Forbes, who now has charge of the Darnell herd of Jerseys, for Mr. Darnell, is putting down three fifty ton silos, and the following gentlemen are putting down on each of their farms one forty ton silo, G. H. Newcomb, J. A. Toombs, Charley Wilson, H. M. Plummer, E. H. Dupuy, while J. E. Plummer is putting down into the ground a fifty ton silo and on top of this he expects to erect above ground another one which will hold fifty tons, thereby making his silo both above and below ground, but all in one silo. These Nobe people and the citizens of the southeastern part of Roosevelt county certainly have the right idea and they expect to make their farm pay them in the winter as well as in the summer. Why not? It can be done if the proper work is done and the proper interest is displayed. Perhaps other sections of the county are doing the same as is this section, or advancing the in a different way, and if so the Herald would be mightily pleased to receive a letter telling us of the development that is going on.

The Herald man had the blues a week or two ago, because he began to wonder why it was that the people in Roosevelt county did not take to the 'silo way' of doing things. We took a close study to see if we were fooled when we began the advocacy of the silo, and wondered if we were wasting space in devoting it to the boosting of the silo—that farm equipment which has proved such a boon to the dairy interests of other states. Those blues have all been dispelled—they are gone, now! Why, did you say? The answer is

Assessor to be Removed

It is reported from Santa Fe that Frank W. Clancy, attorney general, in his capacity as chairman of the state board of equalization, has mailed to the district attorney of the third judicial district, sworn accusations against the county assessor of Dona Ana county, Mr. D. V. Peacock, asking that he be removed from office on account of neglect of duty. This action is taken under the provisions of chapter 36 of the laws of 1909 under the provisions of which it is made the duty of the district attorney to file the information and ask for removal when the proper affidavits and proof is furnished his office. The charges filed by Mr. Clancy are due to discoveries made by the board of equalization in its investigations of the rolls for the year 1913. So far as is known the Dona Ana coun-

ty assessor is the only one against whom proceedings have been instituted, or who has been charged with irregularities amounting to neglect of duty.

Baptist Service

There will be services Sunday as usual, except that immediately after Sunday school the morning hour will be devoted to a business session for the purpose of calling a pastor. All members are requested to be present.

Rev. H. F. Oliver of Cleburne, Texas is conducting a series of revival services at the Church of Christ.

Minister Shepard will preach at Pleasant View school house Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Billy Buchanan made a business trip to Clovis last week, returning here this week.

Odd Fellows in Good Shape

While not phenomenal, the growth of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows in the domain of New Mexico the past year has been good, considering the fact that for a time the state did not have a grand master owing to the resignation of E. L. Sherwood, of Tucumcari who moved from the state last April. The increase in membership since the present acting grand master, Rev. C. C. Hill has been in charge is forty.

Grand Master Hill is now working on his yearly report which will be presented to the annual meeting of the grand body in Albuquerque, October 6, 7, 8. A large delegation from the local fraternity will attend. The report of the acting grand master will show that two new lodges were instituted the past year. An I. O. O. F. lodge at Lordsburg and a Rebekah lodge at Santa Rita.

That the grand master visited a large number of the lodges throughout the state.

That the finances of the fraternity is better than ever in the history, there being over \$1500 left in the treasury after all indebtedness is paid.

The report will also give the grand master's decisions of questions which he has ruled on the past year, or since he has taken the office.

Rev. Hill will preside over the body at Albuquerque, and the honors of a past grand master will be conferred upon him. He will likely be delegated to the Sovereign Grand Lodge in Atlantic City New Jersey.

Tomorrow evening the Roosevelt Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will have a special celebration in honor of the 62nd anniversary of the founding of the order. The

It Pays

We are not inclined to blow our own horn, but it is so patent that it pays to advertise in the Herald that we are going to say a word about it. The Herald reaches, in round numbers, five thousand people every week in all parts of the country. Last week we made mention of the fact that C. B. Blakey, of Redland, had moved to town and would probably buy some property here. A few days after the paper was sent out, two men, one at Rockport, Texas and the other at Grogan, Texas, wrote Mr. Blakey saying they had just noticed in the Portales Herald that he had moved to town and was thinking of buying residence property, and offered to sell him property of theirs here. Advertise in the Herald for results.

Whitecappers Guilty

Estancia, N. M. Sept. 24.—For the second time within a year Josiah Perkins, George Dunn, Charles A. Noble and John Griffin, charged with assault with intent to kill, growing out of a midnight attack made on August 17, 1909, on the home of Mrs. Josephine Knapp, near Mountainair, Torrance county, during which the woman's house was riddled with bullets by a band of white caps, were found guilty in the district court here today.

All of the convicted men are prominent in the community in which they live and Perkins is wealthy. The attack on the woman's house was inspired by the belief that she was disposing of liquor. Mountainair is a dry town.

Same evening a reception will be tendered Grand Master Hill. The public has been invited to this event.

PORTALES MASONS ENTERTAIN NEIGHBORS

Ancient Free and Accepted Masons Have Gala Day in Portales At Which Our Neighbors Participate

THREE ARE RAISED TO THE MASTERS DEGREE

The Competitive Work of the Local and Neighboring Teams Is Very Interesting and Instructive

Last Saturday will long be remembered—cherished with fond recollections, by the masonic fraternity of Portales and the visiting brethren who were present. Worshipful Master Williamson and the brethren had made excellent preparation for the entertainment of the visitors and the lodge of Elida and Clovis were extended hearty invitations to come to Portales and witness the conferring of the Masters degree upon three candidates who were ready to receive it. Sixteen enthusiastic Masons came down from Clovis on the noon train, returning on a through freight that night which had orders to stop and pick them up, while nine came from Elida on the morning train and returned home the following day. The visitors were met at the trains by the reception committees who turned the keys of our beautiful city over to them, and safely piloted them to the lodge room at two o'clock in the afternoon at which time the labor was scheduled to begin. Worshipful Master Williamson and the Portales team conferred the degree upon J. P. Deen. Worshipful Master Roach and the Clovis team conferred the degree upon Jeff Hightower, and Worshipful Master Beeman and the Elida team conferred the work upon Bailey Stewart. The work was not completed until about eleven o'clock in the evening, at which hour labor was ceased and the lodge called to refreshments in the commercial club rooms. At

this place the Eastern Star ladies had prepared an excellent, bountiful and sumptuous feast—one which would tempt the appetite of the most exacting epicure. There were about seventy-five plates which were beautifully served with eight courses. Just as the banquet was closing the whistle of the local was heard, bringing the festivities to an end earlier than had been anticipated, and the Clovis brethren departed for the depot that they might return to their homes while the others, after making arrangements to entertain the Elida boys over night, also became embraced in the arms of the God sleep. Those who were present are very loud in their praise of the excellent work done by the two visiting teams, and long for the time to again come when such a meeting of Free Masons may be had.

Those present, besides those from Portales and the surrounding country were:

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| CLOVIS | |
| E. M. Chapman | W. H. Taylor |
| W. F. Bayless | D. L. Moye |
| W. D. McBees | Geo. Roach |
| O. S. Jones | C. E. Justus |
| A. W. Johnson | A. Mandell |
| A. E. Curren | A. E. Smith |
| Chas. Miracle | P. A. LaShier |
| W. W. Michel | M. D. McGill |
| ELIDA | |
| G. W. Robertson | C. S. Acker |
| R. C. Acers | A. A. Beeman |
| J. S. Click | J. L. Paxton |
| Geo. T. Littlefield | Lee Percifall |

Boy Accidentally Killed

One of the saddest accidents that ever happened in Roosevelt county occurred last Saturday afternoon at the home of C. E. Wantland, about twenty miles west of Portales in the Floyd community, when Cass Wantland, age sixteen, was accidentally shot and killed by his sister, Othal, aged thirteen. Mr. Wantland, the father, was in town at the time of the accident, and had left his five children at home by themselves as was his custom, their mother having died about four years ago.

Sometime between twelve and one o'clock Cass took the shot gun and went out to the edge of the field and shot a hawk, which he had seen from the house, and it seems must have reloaded the gun on his return, thinking perhaps that he might shoot a rabbit as he went back to the house. Upon his arrival at the house the other children were playing in the yard. He stood the gun up against the end of the house and went about some work he had to do, and Othal then noticed that Clarence, an eleven year old brother, had picked the gun up and she went to him and took the gun to see if it was loaded, being afraid for the other and still younger children to play with the gun if it was loaded. Othal knew but little about the mechanism of a gun, though she had often watched her father unload the winchester that he kept in the house. She of course supposed that the single barrel shot gun worked on the same principle as did the winchester, and in her endeavor to look into the barrel of the gun she accidentally discharged it. Just as the gun was discharged Cass came around the corner of the

house just within a few feet of the muzzle of the gun and the entire load of number four shot took effect in his left leg about four or five inches above the knee, penetrating the leg bone and completely severing the large artery. He fell to the ground and at the same time called to Othal telling her that she had broken his leg. The sister and children then brought out a mattress and made a bed for Cass in the shade of the house, and Othal endeavored to stop the flow of blood by sprinkling flour over the wound—the only thing she knew to do. Clarence, at the direction of Cass, went for some of the neighbors. Dr. J. S. Pearce of Portales, the nearest physician, was soon in his auto speeding for the scene of the accident. When the physician arrived, however, there had been so much loss of blood that the case was hopeless and Cass died at about five o'clock in the afternoon. He was conscious up to within thirty minutes of his death and completely exonerated his sister from all blame. At the time of his death he was surrounded by his father, his brothers and sisters and numerous friends of the family, all of whom together with the physician were doing everything in their power to prolong and save his life. The coroner's jury which held inquest over the body Sunday morning found that the death was accidental and unavoidable. Otha is heart broken over the tragedy notwithstanding the fact that her father, her brothers and sisters and every one fully realize that she was in no way to blame, but upon the other hand she was trying to take sufficient precaution to prevent any accident to the younger children.

The Great Southwest

BY RUTH L. SKKEN, ARTESIA, N. M.

I want you to know that I love this land
With its kindly, unmasked face,
The brown, brown earth and the turquoise sky,
And the limitless wind-swept space:
This desert land has a winning lure,
And a strange and sphinx-like grace.

I love the days when the desert lies
Panting, under the fiery sun;
While over the white, hot boundless earth
The happy lizards run;
And a brooding silence lies o'er all,
As the night when the day is done.

I love the ranges the cowboys ride,
And the dim old cattle trails;
The sheep camp fires that glow at night
When the opal twilight pales;
The Mexican's plaintive banjo tunes
And the stirring bunk-house tales.

The purple peaks of the Capitans,
The pinto ponies, wild and free,
The painted Indian and his squaw
Squatted in their tepee,
The rugged canyons, the mountain streams—
All have a charm for me.

This country leans to the heart of God,
As a child to its mother's breast;
For freedom, and love, and a high hearts hope,
And a new and glorious quest,
And all the joy that a man can know,
Are here—in the Great Southwest.

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The participating reserve fund distribution system, which is owned and copyrighted by the Heralds of Liberty, represents this advance in the fields of insurance. They pay if you live and pay if you die.

Since its inception in 1900, this society has been rapidly spreading its wings over new territory until now almost every state in the union profits by its liberal features. Over \$4,000,000 new and paid for business has been placed upon its books since January 1, 1913, and every day new members are joining its ranks and shouting its praises.

Statistics show that from seventy to seventy-five of all people who take out life insurance allow their policies to lapse. Who gets the benefit of these lapses under the old line insurance? Certainly not the members. There is but one society doing business in the U. S. today that permits its persistent members to profit by the lapses that occur, thereby realizing on an average of \$5.00 for every dollar invested in premiums, and this you get while you are living together with safe protection in case of death. This society is the Heralds of Liberty.

The average length of time it takes a policy to mature under this system has been, according to the records of this society, a little less than five years.

You can readily see from the standpoint of an investment that your money is wisely placed, bringing you five dollars for one and at the same time affording your loved ones adequate protection in case of your death. Remember, however, you don't have to die to get your money. We pay if you live and pay if you die. We have paid off thousands of living members in every walk of life, and thousands more are joining our ranks. People only need to understand this new plan of insurance to embrace the advantages offered by it.

I shall be glad to explain it to you in detail. If you are interested please call at the office of Joe Howard & Sons, or drop me a card, giving your name and address. Both men and women between the ages of 18 and 55 are accepted. Premiums may be paid monthly, quarterly, semi-annually or annually.

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A. W. SLOSS,
District Organizer
Heralds of Liberty,
Portales, N. Mex.

Mr. A. A. Rogers, manager of the Portales Power and Irrigation company, is in Kansas this week looking after the many real estate transactions of this and expects to return shortly with another bunch of live ones. Owing to the absence of Mr. Rogers the Herald has been unable to get the details of the deals made last week with those who came in on the excursion.

N. F. Rockey of Elida was in the city last Saturday evening and Sunday.

W. O. Dunlap has recently sold two large ranches.

Robert Kornegay of Delphos was a business visitor in the city Monday.

The Daughters of Confederacy will meet with Mrs. C. V. Harris on Tuesday afternoon.

SCHOOL NOTES

By School

INTEREST AND CO-OPERATION

We are indeed fortunate in having the interest, harmony and unanimity of effort on the part of the patrons, pupils, board and teachers. The school work must succeed under such conditions and it is the desire of the present management to have the most successful school year in history of the Portales public schools.

The teachers desire to thank all for the great interest manifested and wish a continuation of this interest and loyalty success will certainly crown our efforts.

ATHELETICS

The foot-ball team began practice some few days ago and are working hard now for the coming game with Roswell high school. We have some good material for a fine football team this year. There are five of the old team back on the job and are playing much better ball this year than last, and with a little more practice for the new material we will be able to hold our own with any high school in New Mexico. We have one game with the Roswell high school on the fourth of October, and have good prospects for several more games with the different high schools in the state.

The general athletic work will soon be complete and with four in-door baseball, two basketball and two football teams going and the little folks at the swings and teeter, the out-door work will look good.

CONDITIONS

After the usual difficulties encountered at the beginning of the school year, the public school is now in splendid condition and the prospects bid fair for a very successful term. Interest is active in all lines. Believing in the doctrine of "work when you work and play when you play," the students are entering both with business like determination. Two literary societies have been formed in the high school and eighth grade, and promises to afford the development of much latent ability in the student body, and much interest is already manifested.

The attendance in all depart-

ments is over three hundred and fifty. Of this number the high school boasts of seventy-five. Interest in Spanish is evident, as the class numbers sixty-five.

The "play" part of the curriculum is being carried in systematically. The athletic association consists of seventy-seven members. Basketballs, footballs, in-door baseball sets have been ordered.

If any department is in full swing, it is the younger folks division of athletics. Nine new swings have been erected, and it is only necessary for the observer to watch the efficiency derived from these by the children to convince him that they are paying propositions, and if he will watch during any intermission, he will notice as many as five times the number already driving these vehicles of childhood pleasure to their limit, patiently awaiting their turn, and he need ask no questions to have impressed on his mind the fact that an addition of several more would afford most excellent exercise to the unemployed and would indeed be welcomed by all.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Sept. 24, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that James E. Lester, of Portales, N. M., who on Mar. 21, 1907, made homestead entry No. 64675 for a 1/4 sec. 18, T. 34 N., R. 25 E., M. 18, has filed notice of intention to make five year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office, at Portales, N. M., on the 8th day of Nov. 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses: Howard P. Edmonds, John W. Thompson, Thomas F. Ekins, Frances E. McDermott, all of Portales, N. M.

C. C. HENRY,
Register

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Sept. 10, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Arthur A. Nichols, of Floyd, N. M., who, May 28, 1907, made homestead entry No. 6546 for E. 1/2 NW 1/4, E. 12 N., sec. 19, township 1 south, range 32 east and on July 26, 1913, made additional homestead entry No. 69747 for lots 3 and 4 and the east one-half southeast quarter, section 18, township 1 south, range 32 east, N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make five year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office, at Portales, N. M., on the 6th day of Nov. 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses: James E. Spear, John W. Spear, Nelson B. Bingham, Wesley H. Armitage, all of Floyd, N. M.

C. C. Henry, Register.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Sept. 12, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Frederick F. Warren, of Portales, N. M., who on January 26, 1907, made homestead entry No. 60413 for west 1/2 northwest quarter and west half southwest 1/4 section 29, township 1 south, range 32 east, New Mexico P. meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office, at Portales, N. M., on the 16th day of Sept. 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses: Marcus S. Service, John W. McMill, Joseph L. Fernandez, Lawson K. Trill all of Portales, N. M.

C. C. Henry, Register.

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Small shapes with soft crowns, showing high sides or back effects in the richest new colors; hats with large brims and velvet crowns, trimmed in beautiful laces and ribbons, are quite conspicuous in the showing.

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A Good Staple Gingham the Yard	6 1-4c		Mens heavy fleeced underwear the garment	\$0.50
Cotton Checks the Yard	5 c	Mens heavy fleeced derby ribbed underwear	.50	
Outing Flannel the Yard	6 1-4c	Mens heavy Union Suits the garment	1.00	
L. L. Domestic the Yard	7 c	Boys heavy Union Suits the garment	.50	
Calico the Yard	5 c	Childrens heavy Union Suits the garment	.50	
Beautiful line dress Ginghams and Percales	10 c	Ladies Ribbed Union Suits Extra Value	.50	
Ladies Sweater Coats red and white	\$1.75	Motor Hoods from 25 cents to	1.25	
Mens Sweater Coats	.50	Aviation Caps from 25 cents to	.50	
Mens Jersey Sweaters	.65			
Boys Jerseys	.50			
<p>Groceries: Home of American Lady Flour and White Swan Food Products--They are better than the Law requires. A full line of staple and fancy groceries---Phone us your order---We deliver.</p>		<p>Shoes: Full line of Brown Star 5 Star Shoes for Men, Women and Children. x x x</p> <p>Hats. The Latest Styles in Stetson Hats: x</p> <p>Hoisery: For Men, Women and Children at right prices, x x x x</p>		

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New Books

The reading public will be glad to know that the Womans Club Library has received quite a large addition of splendid reading matter.

Mrs. A. A. Rogers, in her generous way, has given one hundred books for the use of the library readers. The major part of the books is the recent popular publications of fiction. Some are the very best of standard authors and a number are books for the children. Mr. C. O. Leach donated a number of books suitable for boys. Mrs. S. E. Ward gave two very popular books. The number of books in the library has now reached 452. The space in the cases is not sufficient to hold the books and the Club hopes that some townsman may be as large hearted as Mrs. Rogers and the others and donate a case to hold the overflow of books.

The library department desires to extend to these donors their very hearty thanks for this generous help in enlarging a work that means so much to intelligent citizenship.

Fine Departs

W. A. Fine, who came here two weeks ago to relieve Elmer Hank, who bid adios to the city for his home in Vaughn, left Tuesday for Wellington, Kansas where he will report to the Santa Fe company for another position. Mr. Fine made many friends while he was here and there are "some" that regret his departure from the city. Mr. Fine was relieved here by A. B. Hall of Ft. Sumner, a man that has been in the employe of the company for the past thirty years.

Philadelphia Won Pennant

Philadelphia has won the American League pennant this season, having beaten the Detroit aggregation in two shut out contests in Philadelphia Monday. This also makes the fifth championship in the sixteen years history of the organization. The first contest of the series was won by a score of 4 to 0 and the second by a score of 1 to 0, not a fielding error marring the afternoons work of Connie Macks combination of rawhide chasers. Bush held Detroit to eight scattered hits in the opening contest and fooled his opponents when opportunities were presented for scoring. Philadelphia scored two runs in the second inning, the other two being secured by bunching hits in the third and fifth. The one run needed to decide the second contest was scored in the second inning.

It is now up to the Athletics to take the goods from the New York Giants in order to secure the championship of the world. This contest will be a hot one and it is expected at this time that McGraws delegation of "pill tossers" will be king of the garden when the contest has come to an end.

Miss Robinson, who was stenographer at Joyce-Pruitt company for sometime and who lately has been staying with her brother at Redland, was in the city this week doing stenographic work for Mrs. Maude Smith and the assistant district attorney, James A. Hall.

The dull white flowers of life which grow in the pastures make excellent filling for sofa pillows which one may enjoy through the winter, the sweet wholesome fragrance that recalls the summer fields.

Lyceum Course

The Woman's Club has completed arrangements for the Lyceum Course for this winter, the attractions being as follows:

Shungopavi, magician, Oct. 10th.
Wood's Trio, Nov. 5th.
Wright Players, Dec. 9th.
Earnest J. Silas, Jan. 26th.
Stelzl Concert Co., Feb. 13th.

This is an unusually attractive course and the season tickets will be the same as last year family ticket, \$5.00 and single

ticket \$2.00, the latter entitling holder to reserve seats.

The first number 'Shungopavi' Indian magician will be of intense interest to all, young and old, and a more complete notice will appear in next weeks issue. The date of this is October 10th, just two weeks off. Tickets on sale at Neer's drug store. Get one now.

A. J. Smith returns from El Paso, Texas, Saturday, after being there for several days attending to business matters.

CLASSY FALL MILLINERY

We want you to see this novelty line

We respectfully invite you to visit our Millinery Parlor and view the new millinery styles. We have a nice selection--many being reproductions of the most noted Paris and American designers, others are clear creations of our own workroom--adaptations of the season's latest and best models. x x

Small shapes with soft crowns, showing high sides or back effects in the richest new colors; hats with large brims and velvet crowns, trimmed in beautiful laces and ribbons, are quite conspicuous in the showing. x x x

Have a Trimmer from Kansas City

MISS GILLIAM

Cooking Receipts

TEA BISCUITS

2 cups flour.
2 level teaspoonsful baking powder.
1 tablespoonful salt.
Always sift all dry ingredients together, and then work in three fourths tablespoonful melted lard and 1 cup sweet milk.

MUFFINS

2 cups flour.
2 level teaspoonsful baking powder.
1 tablespoonful salt.
4 tablespoonsful sugar.
2 eggs.
2 tablespoonsful melted lard.
1 cup sweet milk.

CORN BREAD

1 cup flour.
1 cup corn meal.
2 level tablespoonsful baking powder.
1 tablespoonful salt.
2 tablespoonsful sugar.
1 egg.
2 tablespoonsful melted lard.
1 cup sweet milk.

WHITE BREAD

4 cups flour.
4 level teaspoonsful baking powder.
1 tablespoon salt.
2 tablespoonsful sugar.
2 tablespoonsful melted lard.
2 cups sweet milk or water.
This bread is to be cut and folded with a spatula and baked in a covered pan.

Notice of Importance

All Odd Fellows are urgently requested to be present next Tuesday night at the lodge room as business of importance to all members will be transacted. Lodge opens at 7:30 o'clock.

F. R. SMITH, SEC.

To trade, a gold watch for feed Enquire at this office

Mexican Government

The government of Mexico has no predilection for, and will not aid any candidate for the presidency of Mexico. These words were given out by provisional President Huerta in reply to a question that was recently asked him. He expressed that the administration would maintain absolute impartiality and stated that it would use every precaution to prevent any violation of the public peace; that he would use the army if necessary to have order. "I want to declare once for all in the fact of the whole nation," said President Huerta, "that I shall comply with the obligations that I have assumed." These have for their basis peace and the security of the republic, leaving always complete freedom to the diver political parties to launch candidates and do their work for carrying to a happy condition their ideals, without aid or impediment from the government."



What Shall I Do?

With that spot? Don't worry. When you send it to the Portales Tailoring Company the spot is NOT. Don't worry, either because of lack of funds to buy a new suit. That last seasons suit will look like a new one after being dyed or cleaned by us. Remember we can reblock and clean your hat too.

Portales Tailoring Co.

Makes Confession

the identity of the pre- of the brutal murder of Catherine Schumacher happened in Holly ceme- chester, N. Y., on Aug- 7th, 1909 was brought last Saturday night when Wolfsohn, who was arrested any, confessed to the according to a statement Captain Cameron of the phia detective burea. der was a mysterious up to the this time the as had no clues to the After Wolfsohn was his cell he seemed to pething on his mind, fact that he constantly p and down his cell, and pencil and paper was n, by his own request, he message in part to rict attorney, stating ad killed a girl in a at this place and that was Schumacker.

day before the murder, passed the cemetery girl was placing flow- grave and he alleges smiled at him as he Later he made an en- for her to meet him next day. She kept se and they met. He at he tried to kiss her ried to escape; that he ber and she screamed e heard her, afterwards y her. He then at- and after that her dragged to the woods found a grave diggers dug a hole and cover- y.

as murder he went to where he was mar- as Ida Herman who ob- vorce last March. He ed on complaint of the he was working for as eaner on the charge of things being given ket. Phone 15.

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Pure home made Lard
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Be sure and bring your
cow hides to Faggards
and get more for them.

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ers. See us for loans
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We Get Results

Ad Saylor is making consider- able improvement on his restaur- ant. He expects to have it in very good condition and in such that he can take care of the fair crowd and the court visitors.

Saylor pays cash for poultry.

W. F. Hird, general represen- tative and auditor of the Continen- al Oil company of this division, with headquarters at Roswell, came down Monday from Clovis on the local returning there in the afternoon.

Priest Denies Murder

The Rev. Hans Schmidt, a German priest and assistant pas- tor of St. Josephs Roman Catho- lic church, at 405 West 125th street, New York City, and who some time ago committed a brutal murder upon Anna Amiller, who was a servant in the rectory of St. Bonifaces church, has changed his mind altogether and now states that he did not com- mit the crime as he has stated heretofore. He stated to the authorities last Saturday that he would fight the case, which was astounding to the officials. The health department has been in- vestigating the death certificates believing that Schmidt may be guilty of other crimes and the forging of certificates.

Before the murder the priest rented a flat for her and spent part of his time there. About two weeks ago he went to her apartment and finding her in bed asleep, cut her throat with a carving knife. He then severed her body into seventeen pieces and wrapping the pieces separ- ately carried them, making five trips, across the Fort Lee ferry on the Hudson river. Each time he dropped a package overboard. He did not place the necessary weight to some of them, three pieces coming to the top, which were discovered.

News From Elida

The farmers of the surround- ing country are busy gathering their crops.

Dr. Evans has just returned from Washington, where he paid the president a visit.

The high school, under the supervision of Prof. Russell and its faculty, is progressing nicely

Mrs. A. Stecker of Clovis has been visiting relatives here for the past few days.

L. E. Eaton has gone to Ark- ansas on a visit and Edward Jones of Hagerman has charge of the drug store during his ab- sence.

Edward and Tyre Beal bought one hundred head of cattle last week from Emery Hunter, at thirty-five dollars per head.

Last week J. E. Wallace, who lives thirteen miles west of town, was thrown and kicked by a horse but his condition is not serious.

P. F. West, proprietor of the O. K. livery barn returned last week from the mountains with a bunch of horses.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Hall of Muskogee, Oklahoma, and Miss Laura Grinsted of Marion, Indiana, are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Grimsted, of this place.

Eugene Bntts came up Tues- day from Roswell, where he has been for some time visiting his uncle, Mr. Robert McClinster.

CONTEST NOTICE.

F S 51040
Contest 1548
Department of the Interior, United States Land office, Ft. Sumner, N. M., Sept 16, 1913.
To Edward Schertler of Redlake, N. M., con- testant:

You are hereby notified that Richard L. Thomp- son who gives Portales, N. M., as his post office address, did on Aug. 18, 1913 file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your homestead en- try Serial No. 51040, made Dec. 21, 1912, for S W 1/4, section 14, township 4 south, range 33 east, N. M. P. M., and as grounds for his contest he alleges that you never established residence on the land and have never improved or cultivated the land.

You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken by this office as having been confessed by you, and your said entry will be canceled thereunder without your further right to be heard therein, either before this office or on appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the fourth pub- lication of this notice, as shown above, your answer, under oath, specifically meeting a re- sponding to these allegations of contest, or if you fail within that time to file in this office due proof that you have served a copy of your an- swer on the said contestant either in person or by registered mail. If this service is made by the delivery of a copy of your answer to the contestant in person, proof of such service must be either the said contestant's written acknowl- edgment of his receipt of the copy, showing the date of its receipt, or the affidavit of the per- son by whom the delivery was made stating when and where the copy was delivered; if made by registered mail, proof of such service must consist of the affidavit of the person by whom the copy was mailed stating when and the post office to which it was mailed, and this affidavit must be accompanied by the post- master's receipt for the letter.

You should state in your answer, the name of the post office to which you desire future no- tices to be sent to you.
C. C. Henry, Register.
Date of first publication Sept. 2, 1913.
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Billy Buchanan made a busi- ness trip to Clovis last week, re- turning here this week.

They are giving things away at Racket Store. Phone 15

Roosevelt County Fair

October 2-3, 1913

Agricultural Department

PREMIUM LIST AND RULES FOR EXHIBITS

Each variety and exhibit must be correctly named and labeled. All products must be for the year 1913 and grown in Roosevelt county. All awards in duplicate, one for "dry farm" products and one for irrigated farm products.

Best ten ears of white corn.....	\$ 1.00
Best ten ears of yellow corn.....	1.00
Best ten ears of June corn.....	1.00
Best twelve stalks of corn, any variety.....	1.00
Best six ears of pop corn.....	1.00
Best three bales of alfalfa hay.....	5.00
Best heaviest watermelon.....	1.00
Best display of farm products, from any farm.....	10.00
Second best display farm products, any one farm.....	5.00
Best twelve heads of maize.....	1.00
Best twelve heads of kafir.....	1.00
Best twelve heads of feterita.....	1.00
Best gallon of sorghum molasses.....	1.00
Best twelve heads of broom corn.....	1.00
Best three heads of cabbage.....	1.00
Best stalk of cotton.....	1.00
Best peck of Irish potatoes.....	1.00
Best one-half bushel of sweet potatoes.....	1.00
Best one-half bushel of yellow Jerseys.....	1.00
Best one-half bushel of Bradley yam.....	1.00
Best twelve tomatoes [complete].....	1.00
Best twelve Gibraltar onions.....	1.00
Best twelve any other variety onions.....	1.00
Best six sugar beets.....	1.00
Best peck of turnips.....	1.00
Best three bunches of celery.....	1.00
Best six peppers [complete].....	1.00
Best flat crate of cantaloupes.....	2.00
Best display of melons, all kinds.....	2.00
Best display of squash and pumpkins.....	2.00
Best display garden vegetables, all kinds.....	10.00
Second best display of garden vegetables, all kinds.....	5.00
Best display of peanuts on vine.....	1.00
Best package of frijole beans.....	1.00
Best package of blackeyed peas.....	1.00
Best quart of snap beans, any variety.....	1.00

Premiums for Livestock

HORSES

Best draught horse, stallion or gelding.....	\$5.00	\$2.00
Best all purposed stallion or gelding.....	5.00	2.00
Best draught mare.....	5.00	2.00
Best all purpose mare.....	5.00	2.00
Best draught colt, 1913.....	5.00	2.00
Best all purpose colt, 1913.....	5.00	2.00
Best all purpose colt, 1912.....	5.00	2.00
Best jack.....	5.00	2.00
Best 1913 mule colt.....	5.00	2.00

CATTLE

Best bull, beef stock any breed or age.....	5.00	2.00
Best bull, milk stock.....	5.00	2.00
Best cow, beef stock.....	5.00	2.00
Best cow, milk stock.....	5.00	2.00
Best herd of ten head of beef stock.....	5.00	4.00
Best herd of ten head of milk stock.....	5.00	4.00

POULTRY

TURKEYS—ANY BREED

Best gobbler over one year old.....	1.00	.50
Best gobbler under one year old.....	1.00	.50
Best hen over one year old.....	1.00	.50
Best pen of three hens under one year old.....	2.00	1.00
Best pen of three ducks—any breed.....	2.00	1.00

PLYMOUTH ROCKS—ANY STRAIN

Best cockerel or cock.....	1.00	.50
Best pullet or hen.....	1.00	.50
Best pen of 3 or more.....	2.00	1.00

WYANDOTS—ANY STRAIN

Best cockerel or cock.....	1.00	.50
Best pullet or hen.....	1.00	.50
Best pen of three or more.....	2.00	1.00

ORPINGTONS—ANY STRAIN

Best cockerel or cock.....	1.00	.50
Best pullet or hen.....	1.00	.50
Best pen of three or more.....	2.00	1.00

LEGHORNS—ANY STRAIN

Best cockerel or cock.....	1.00	.50
Best pullet or hen.....	1.00	.50
Best pen of three or more.....	2.00	1.00

Jewelry and Watch Repair

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Kandy Kitchen

The County Fair

The Roosevelt County Fair will be held the sec- ond and third of October. This will give plenty of time for the exhibits to be placed at the state fair at Albuquerque. Committees have been ap- pointed to have charge of the various depart- ments, as follows:---Agriculture, Horticulture, Live Stock and Arts. Every endeavor possible will be made to make this the grandest fair of county. Every citizen of the county should aid in this progressive move.

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Some Cream Shipped

This week we have the only report from Elida that has been given out, though we have tried our best to get these reports all along, and this report is from one party only, Mr. S. Street, who possibly is shipping as much if not more cream from Elida than any other party there. This report is about on an average with those of other weeks, and which proves that the farmers that are patronizing this great industry, undoubtedly the best one for the farmer of the dry region as well as the one that has the sparkling waters constantly making its way to the thirsting vegetation, have a steady income that helps him meet his obligations of life, practically a side issue to his other vocations. Mr. Street states that last week he shipped from his place of business four hundred and eighty-two dollars worth of cream.

Besides this amount there were three others in the city of Elida that ship cream all the time, who did not give a report, but who have a good business, practically as good as the above. It is said that this place each month ships between four and five thousand dollars worth of cream which means much to the farmers of that vicinity and the county in general. It has been the intention of this paper to get the approximate amount of cream that was shipped from the county each month in order that we might know the correct income, thereby place ourselves in a better position to explain better the valuation of a creamery to the valley. With what we have been able to secure, it can be readily seen that beyond any possibility of a doubt this product is well worth its existence and that we should have a creamery here to take care of this industry.

Shriff Deen spent a few days in Memphis and Childress, Texas, the past. George states that the country is not in as good condition this year as has been in the past--nothing to compare with the Portales Valley.

R. H. Wylie, manager of the dry goods department of Joyce-Fruit company, made a trip to Roswell Monday to buy a line of goods for the fall season.

Judge Geo. L. Reese made a trip to Clovis Monday on court business.

Better Babies Contest

Do you want to know what your baby is worth, in inches, pounds and power? Then enter it in the better babies contest which will be held at the county fair, at Portales on the third day of October, beginning at 10 a. m. at the courthouse. Owing to lack of time we will be compelled to limit the babies to 24; twelve to town mothers and twelve to country mothers. The registration will begin promptly at 9:30 at the courthouse. The first 24 mothers to register will be entitled to entry. Be sure and bring your baby to this new kind of show and find out whether it is a perfect baby, and if not why not. The doctors and the good women interested in the work will be able to tell you, by means of the better babies score card, under which your baby will be weighed, measured and tested, and if it is perfect, or nearly perfect, anyway the best baby in town will receive a prize worth having, not only the local prize, but a certificate which it can show to its children and its grandchildren in days to come.

Prizes have been arranged for as follows:

Highest scoring baby from six months to one year will receive a gold ring.

Highest scoring baby from one to two years will receive a gold ring.

Highest scoring baby from two to three years will receive a gold ring.

SWEEPSTAKES

Highest scoring boy of any age will receive a sterling silver spoon.

Highest scoring girl of any age will receive a sterling silver spoon.

CHAMPIONSHIP

Highest scoring boy or girl will receive a sterling silver cup.

In addition to these prizes the winners will receive bronze better babies medals and certificates, awarded by the Better Babies Bureau of the Woman's Home Companion.

J. E. McCall, the county tax assessor, returned from Roswell last Saturday. Mr. McCall has been there for several days having Swearingin and Presley, eye specialists, treat his eyes, which are much better now.

Ladies silk kimonas, crepe kimonas, flannelette kimonas--Joyce-Fruit Company.

A. A. Williams, employe of the Santa Fe company, returned here last week from Dexter where he has been for the past few weeks at work on the new depot which was recently finished there.

Mr. Whitcomb, manager of the Kandy Kitchen, has established a Jewelers business in connection with his sweet goods.

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- 3--That the rooms can be heated from one to two hours each morning with the soft coal or hard coal put in the stove the evening before.
- 4--That the stove will hold fire with soft coal from Saturday night until Monday morning.
- 5--A uniform heat day and night, with soft coal, hard coal or lignite.
- 6--That every stove will remain absolutely air-tight as long as used.
- 7--That the feed-door is and will remain smoke and dust-proof.
- 8--That the Anti-Puffing Draft will prevent puffing.


All we ask is that the stove shall be operated according to directions and connected with a good flue.

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Report of Fair Committees

The following is the report of the committees on the Roosevelt county fair received thus far. All the reports from various committees should be received in full at the earliest in order for us to make the necessary publicity. It is the desire of the citizens to make this the grandest event in the history of the county. If you are interested, help us in this matter.

Horticulture

APPLES	
Mammoth Black Twig Ben Davis Johnathan York Imperial Winesap Missouri Pippin Arkansas Black	Best plate of five—each variety. First prize, \$2.50 Second prize, 1.00

Best exhibit of peaches for plate of five.

First prize, \$1.00
Second prize, .50

PEARS	
Keifer Bartlett	Best plate of five—each variety. First prize, \$1.50 Second prize, .50

For best display of plums—one half gallon.

First prize, \$1.50
Second prize, .50

GRAPES	
Concord Catauba Any other variety	Best display of each variety— One Dollar

Best collection different fruits for the general collection—
One Dollar

All prizes are to be given in duplicate. One for irrigated products, and one for non-irrigated products.

School Exhibit

General exhibit in the lower grades.....	\$5.00
English exhibit in the lower grades.....	2.00
Writing exhibit in the lower grades.....	1.00
Manual training in the lower grades.....	5.00
Domestic science in the lower grades.....	2.50
Story writing in the high school.....	2.50
Penmanship in the high school.....	1.00
Manual training in the high school.....	5.00
Domestic science in the high school (cooking).....	2.50
Domestic art in the high school (stenciling).....	.50
Domestic art in the high school (sewing).....	1.00
Domestic art in the high school (rug making).....	.50
Model kitchen furnished for \$100.00.....	\$1.00
Model kitchen furnished for 50.00.....	1.00

Art Exhibit

The articles exhibited for prizes must be the work of the individual who presents them.

For the most unique collection of old relics a prize of \$1.50 will be given.

An additional prize of \$1.00 will be given for the best exhibit of Balkenburg or Dutchess lace.

FANCY WORK—FOURTEEN PRIZES

Embroidery—white	1st prize, \$3.00	2nd prize, \$1.50
Embroidery—colored	1st prize, 3.00	2nd prize, 1.50
Crochet	1st prize, 3.00	2nd prize, 1.50
Tatting	1st prize, 3.00	2nd prize, 1.50
Hand made garments	1st prize, 2.50	2nd prize, 1.00
Hand work by oldest and youngest each	1st prize, 1.50	

DRAWING AND PAINTING—EIGHTEEN PRIZES

China	1st prize, \$1.00	2nd prize, .50
Water-color	1st prize, 1.00	2nd prize, .50
Crayon	1st prize, 1.00	2nd prize, .50
Pen and ink	1st prize, 1.00	2nd prize, .50

DOMESTIC ART—EIGHTEEN PRIZES

Bread—white	1st prize, \$1.00	2nd prize, .50
Bread—brown	1st prize, 1.00	2nd prize, .50
Cake—plain loaf	1st prize, 1.00	2nd prize, .50
Pies	1st prize, 1.00	2nd prize, .50
Preserves	1st prize, 1.00	2nd prize, .50
Jellies	1st prize, 1.00	2nd prize, .50
Pickles	1st prize, 1.00	2nd prize, .50

Canning by steaming, \$1.00
Canning by baking, 1.00

Farmers Institute To Meet

State College, September 19.—W. T. Conway, director of extension of the New Mexico State College, has received a letter from John Hamilton, farmer's institute specialist of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, announcing the coming meeting of farmers' institute workers from all over the United States at Washington, D. C. on November 10 to 12 next. This body of men represents an important movement in the farming industry of the country and has been growing rapidly in size and importance during the past few years. American farmers are realizing that the farmers' institute worker and farm demonstrator are the important factors of progress on the farm and of general uplift, and these workers are constantly finding that their work is being made easier by the spirit in which the farmers co-operate with them. At the coming meeting of the American Association of farmers' institute workers the following problems will be discussed: 1—Institute Organization and Methods; 2—Institute Lecturers; 3—Co-operation with other Educational Agencies; 4—Movable School of Agriculture; 5—Boys' and Girls' Industrial Institutes; 6—Women's Institutes; and in addition to the general sessions there will be four groups of special sessions that will go into the details of extension work.

Following the meeting of the Farmer's Institute Workers, the Association of American Colleges and Experiment Stations will hold its annual gathering on November 12, also at Washington. It is expected that the New Mexico State College will be represented by a delegation at both of these meetings.

Witty Clippings

"Say, what brought you to Denver?" asked a native. I came here to make an honest living, replied the drouthy tenderfoot from Kansas. "Well I don't think you'll have much opposition."

A man was found dead in his room at a Leadville hotel. He was hanged to a bedpost by his suspenders. The jury of miners brought in the following verdict at the coroner's inquest: "Deceased came to his death by coming home full and mistaking himself for his pants."

While a Denver physician was inspecting the insane hospital at Pueblo an inmate approached him and asked: "I beg your pardon, sir, but have you a piece of toast?" "No," replied the doctor in surprise, but I can get you a piece if you want it badly. Oh I wish you would, I'm a poached egg and I want to sit down."

Two negro girls occupied a seat in a Boulder inter-urban car their conversation was sufficiently loud to be heard several seats around. Yes, said one of them. Liza left this mornin' for the normal school, she's goin' to make a teacher out of herself. "She is" said the other. What's she goin' to teach? Well, answered the first one, looking about to see if the conversation was being fully appreciated by the other passengers, "she's thinkin' of spiritualizin' in mathematics!"

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From The Forest Service

During the past fiscal year 4,686 predatory animals were killed by federal officers on the national forests, according to an actual count of carcasses. An indeterminate number of animals, whose bodies were not found, are presumed to have died from poison.

The ranger's bag of beasts of prey this year as shown by forest service figures, was made up of 206 bears, 3,541 coyotes, 133 mountain lions, 62 lynx, 583 wild cats, 64 wolves and 97 wolf pups. The figures indicate that the national forests are becoming clear of wild animals that prey upon domestic livestock and game, for the forest ranger fills in odd moments between other jobs by thinning out "undesirable citizens" of the animal world.

Wolves are said to cause greater losses to western stockmen than any other of the predatory animals. It is estimated that a family of wolves will destroy about \$3,000 worth of stock per annum, and that one able-bodied individual costs the grazing industry \$600 a season.

The wolves are of two classes: the smaller prairie wolves or coyotes, and the larger grey, black, or timber wolves, called "lobos." These latter are the great stock destroyers against which the campaign of the rangers has been waged.

The methods of hunting wolves in the west vary. On the plains wolves are sometimes hunted with dogs and horses, but this way is considered expensive and often dangerous. This sport is described by Roosevelt in his earlier hunting books. On national forests the rangers either set out poison or baited steel traps or, by watching trails and hiding near a wolf's den, are able to shoot one or both of the old wolves when they return from foraging. In no other way, according to the forest service, can the number of wolves be kept down so well as by finding their dens and destroying the young.

The skins of the predatory animals killed by the rangers are either kept as souvenirs or sold for a price or for bounty. Wolf skins in the west are said to bring from \$4 to \$6 for robes and rugs; a mountain lion skin, \$10 to \$20; and a bear skin, \$20 to \$150, according to size and species. In addition to this there are bounties on bear, lions, and wolves in most of the western stock states. Wyoming, in ten years, has paid out, it is said, over \$65,000 in bounties on wolves alone and \$95,000 more on coyotes and mountain lions.

Through his activity, against these pests, the forest ranger, it is said, has saved the stockman many thousands of dollars during the year, while the protection to game animals is of almost equal importance.

Two Children Die

Two children, Ramond F. Clee and Catherine Flynn, aged five and seven respectively, died of lockjaw in a hospital at Trenton, Pa., Monday as a result of picking the wounds on their arms after being vaccinated. These children were both attending school and were vaccinated in order to be protected from the epidemics of the surrounding country.

Negro Lynched

One more of the colored specimens of almost human nature met death when Will Davis, a negro, was lynched last Sunday afternoon, as Franklin, Texas, after he had shot and killed Rufus Hodge and Tom Reussian and badly wounded Will Maxwell on the Reussian farm, ten miles north of Franklin. Hodge was killed first, following a dispute, while Reussian and Maxwell were killed when they tried to arrest Hodge.

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Notice for Publication.

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Notice is hereby given that James E. Diggs, of Benson, N. M. who on July 5, 1911, made valid homestead entry No. 09706, for South-east quarter, section 25, township 1 South range 30 East, N. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make 3 year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. C. Compton, probate judge, Roosevelt county, N. M., at his office at Portales, N. M., on the 25th day of Nov., 1913.
Claimant names as witnesses: Almer A. Cribbs, Alma M. Mathews both of Benson, N. M. Clarence Greenhouse, Charles Greenhouse both of Upton, N. M.
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Wheat farmers are jubilant over dollar wheat, and the consumers are apprehensive about dollar beefsteak.

Considering the number of statesmen who are trying to make a noise like Lincoln, would make Abe uneasy could he see them.

If you ever feel so disinclined for real work that you must whittle a stick, whittle away! But give it a shape and have something to show for it, even if it turns out to be a tooth-pick. — Ex.

Portales is going to have a "better baby show" on the fifth of October, and the managers have already made arrangements for a special train to carry the judges across the line into Old Mexico where they will be reasonably safe. — Roswell Morning News.

Relations of the newspapers to the government with special reference to the publication of ill-advised or incorrect articles about the Mexican situation, was discussed by Secretary Daniels in Indianapolis, Ind., on Wednesday night in an address before the Indiana members of the Associated Press.

Since the beefsteak has followed the cow and jumped over the moon, one is glad to know that there is going to be so many prunes this year. Prunes are said to have a pacifying effect on the human system. They should be imported in large quantities to fierce Mexico and distributed among the warring tribes of that republic. Peace and prunes should be the prayer of Mexico and the Balkan states.

Morris Metzgar, a wealthy resident of Rockaway beach and a life-long friend of the late Mayor Gaynor, hanged himself in his barn Monday afternoon, as the mayors body was being carried to the grave. The floor of the barn was littered with newspapers, giving accounts of the last honors that were being paid Mayor Gaynor. Friends of Mr. Metzgar says he was brooded continually since the news of the mayors death.

The county fair is going to be a hummer beyond any reasonable doubt whatever. There has been a sufficient amount of committees appointed to take care of the produce that is placed on exhibit here, and we are expecting some products too. The choice products will be entered at the state fair at Albuquerque next month and we frankly believe that Roosevelt county will be well represented there and make a get-a-way with her part of the blue ribbons—we always have so far. The better babies contest is going to be of interest—the judges have been appointed already and everything is ready to start. During the time of this fair at least two thousand people are expected to visit Portales from the neighboring towns and the vicinity surrounding. You are welcome—come and help make this the grandest affair ever undertaken in Portales.

The Portales Valley and Roosevelt county have a most brilliant future. There is nothing in the way of truck farming that will not grow luxuriously in our midst, and it is simply a matter of ascertaining just what is the most productive of results on the market, and then the financial end of the farming business has been successfully solved. Articles during the past few weeks have appeared in the Herald which have shown conclusively that there is money to be made in the raising of garden truck and fruits, and that this country is adapted to these industries. The figures which we have given are not those which have been compiled for newspaper publication, but we have given them to our readers just as they were related to us by the producers who have kept records of their receipts and expenditures on the farm. The immigration tide which is now turned in our direction means that within a very short time our resources will be developed, and in greater process of development, and Portales will really be on the map as one of the most thriving and prosperous cities in the great southwest.

There are some millions of tables in this bountiful land from which the delicacies and condiments of life long ago vanished entirely. What is worse, there are some hundreds of thousands of tables in this prolific land on which the necessities of life have steadily shrunk in quantity. Two strips of bacon must do the service that, formerly, three were thought necessary for. You must skimp the buttering of your bread and darken the complexion of your coffee because the dairyman comes to the back door with a mournful face to assure us that corn has advanced from sixty cents to one dollar a bushel, oats from thirty cents to sixty cents, while his perverse cows moo for the same quantity they have been accustomed to all their lives. You yield to the argument, as indeed you must if you would not violate that old aphorism that Jones, he pays the freight. Still, you wonder where the process is going to end, and what the climax of it will be like. If one could think that the process measured progressively the ability of the American people to pay, one might get some consolation out of his reflections. But one is just as apt to bethink oneself that it measures something more than the ability of the people to pay—that it as much measures the ability of the people to endure; and any process which subjects the people of a nation to that test is hardly to be viewed with equanimity—Dallas News.

THE BIBLE STUDY ON "THE TABERNACLE"

Review—Sept. 23.

"Thou art a God ready to pardon, gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and abundant in loving kindness."—Nehemiah 9:17.

WHETHER fails to see that Moses, Israel and the Law were types, fails to get the real lesson out of them. Moses was a type, not only of Jesus, but of the entire Church, of which Jesus is the Head. This St. Peter explains, saying, "Moses truly said unto the fathers, A Prophet shall the Lord your God raise up unto you of your brethren, like unto me."—Acts 3:22.

Jesus was raised up first, and since Pentecost the raising up from amongst the brethren has progressed. The work will be consummated when the full number of the Church shall have been accepted to glory. Then the antitypical Moses will begin His great work of delivering all desiring to return to harmony with God—all of whom are represented in the twelve tribes of Israel.

The Church of this Gospel Age is otherwise called the Church of the First-borns, typically represented in the tribe of Levi, all of whom represented the first-borns of Israel, saved in the Passover. These were divided into two classes—the priests and their servants. The priests represented the Christ—High Priest and under priests. The Levites represented the remainder of the overcomers.

The antitypical priests will become a Royal Priesthood. Jesus, the great High Priest, invested with kingly honors, will have associated with Himself the faithful Little Flock, His joint heirs. The remainder of the overcoming Church will be co-laborers on a less glorious plane, yet spiritual. Their work will be primarily the blessing of mankind.

The first tables of the Law were prepared by the Lord Himself. This represents the fact that man was created a perfect image of his Creator, in full accord with the Divine will and fully expressive of the Divine Law. Adam needed no other law than that which was in and of himself as a perfect man—God's law was written in his heart.

But by reason of sin this Law was broken. Poor humanity has no longer a proper judgment respecting sin and righteousness. Man needs the great Mediator, to make reconciliation for his iniquity and to rewrite the Law of God in his flesh.

Then Moses was instructed to hew out the two tables of the Law. This represents that the Christ is fully commissioned to prepare the hearts of mankind for the rewriting of the Divine Law. To prepare men to obey God's Law will require their restitution—their lifting up out of sin and degradation. This work, committed to Moses in the type, is in the antitype committed to Christ.

Moses' second coming with the two tables of the Law was peculiarly different from the first. His face shone, and it was necessary for him to put on a veil, which thereafter he wore in the presence of the Israelites, but removed when entering the presence of God. Christ's work as Mediator, at His Second Coming, will be accompanied by a veiling of His glory, so that the world will not see Jesus. This He declared, "Yet a little while, and the world seeth Me no more; but ye shall see Me." The Apostle explains that the Church will be prepared to see Christ in His glory by being changed from earthly to Heavenly nature.

At His Second Advent, our Lord will veil His glory from mankind, and speak to them through the veil, and not directly from the spirit plane. Mankind will see Jesus no more. Instead, they shall see His representatives—the Ancient Worthies—as He declared, saying, "Ye shall see Abraham, Isaac, Jacob and all the Prophets." The world will see them in human perfection, samples of what mankind may attain during the restitution times.

Other Features of the Type. The anointing of the Aaronic priesthood typified the anointing of the Royal Priesthood. As in the type sacrifices were necessary before anointing and consecration to the priestly office, so in the antitype Jesus must offer Himself, thereby showing His loyalty to God, by sacrificing even unto death.

Similarly, the under priestly office, so in the antitype Jesus must offer Himself, thereby showing His loyalty to God, by sacrificing even unto death. The typical mediator offered typical sacrifices. The real Mediator offers "better sacrifices." The typical mediator led the typical people into the typical Promised Land. The antitypical Mediator, during the thousand years of His reign, will lead God's people back to the blessings and privileges lost through Adam's disobedience, and redeemed by the Sacrifice on Calvary.



Typical of Christ's Second Advent.



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Notice

During the past few weeks the citizens of Portales have become accustomed to walking across the court house lawn in going to and fro to opposite sides of the square, and more particularly to the post office. This traffic has worn some paths which are very injurious to the lawn. The Commissioners Court has instructed the janitor to see that this traffic is stopped. Resting upon the lawn is not objected to, but the traffic across the lawn must be stopped. All parties are hereby warned that if the practice of walking across the lawn is not stopped prosecutions will have to be instituted.

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Dr. D. D. Swearingin, of the firm of Presley and Swearingin, eye ear and nose specialists of Roswell, New Mexico will be in Portales, at Neer's Drug Store 20-21 and 22 of each month.



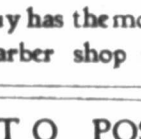
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J. P. Nash began shipping cream as an experiment, shipping two cans per week, and has continued the business—his books show that he has shipped in the past twelve months the sum of \$2735.10. This amount of cream has been a loss to his neighborhood up to the time he made the arrangement to handle cream twenty-three are now selling Mr. Nash cream, this number is growing monthly. Some of his customers are selling as little as four pounds per week. It does not take a farmer long to realize the value of the cow, and every little helps the family till. There are no dairymen who have yet had to begin feeding, as the grass has proven sufficient to keep the cows fat. The families who were compelled to buy groceries on credit in the past, are now paying cash and are out of debt.

Miss Willie Mae Culberson, who has been very sick was brought home yesterday from Taiban where she has been since the first of the month employed in the schools at that place. Mrs. R. Culberson was notified of the fact that she was very sick and she and Dr. W. E. Patterson the family physician, left Tuesday to return with her. It is thought that she has the typhoid fever, though her condition is not critical and it is hoped by her many friends here and also abroad that she will recover soon and be able to return and care of the obligation of her chosen profession.

H. L. Swan, one of the old members of the valley and who owns three hundred and twenty acres of the best land in the shallow water belt, left here Monday for Kansas City where he expects to be for an indefinite period of time. Before his departure he "gently slipped" the Herald reporter a dollar and asked that the paper be sent to him at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Bryant and little son, from Braunwell, West Virginia, are here now visiting with his brother and sister, Mr. R. G. Bryant and Miss Sallie Bryant. Mr. Bryant and family state that they like the country very much and think that it has the most glowing future of any western valley.

Miss Ione Austin came down from Clovis Friday on the noon train to visit with her brother, Cash Austin, and with her many friends at this place. She returned to her home Sunday.

Corn—snapped, for sale at 50 cents per sack and up. Cheap trading stock, \$10 and \$20, can take pigs or poultry in exchange if suited.

Herdlaw Jones, east of town. Ladies tailored coat suits just arrived—Joyce-Fruit Company. Dobbs wants your old school books before school begins. Too much business to exchange after commencement. We have school supplies. C. M. Dobbs.

"Cudahy" King was here Monday looking after the meat trade. Carl Turner, mayor of the city of Redland, was a business visitor in the city last Saturday, as usual.

Ladies and misses silk dresses—look these over—Joyce-Fruit Company.

Furnished rooms for rent. Pecos Valley Hotel.

Large assortment of silks and dress goods—we are showing all the new things—Joyce-Fruit Company.

R. H. Adams has lately put in a line of homemade candies. This candy is made by the Kipling candy kitchen at Roswell.

J. W. Maxwell (Ike) arrived here last week from Plainview, Texas, and is with Louie Kirby in the barber business next door to Dobbs.

Last week Mrs. Lee Hopper sold to M. B. Jones and wife the house and three lots where Mr. and Mrs. Jones now live.

Jess Tanner and Wampler Hensley were here Monday from the city of Judson, on business matters.

Charley Radcliff of Elida, was a business visitor here Monday.



CONTRASTS IN THE GARDEN

Vivid Colorings as Well as Restful Tone Schemes, May Be Secured by Careful Planting.

Contrasts of color in some parts of the garden are more dramatic in interest, yet the more restful schemes that include but one tone, yellow or pink or purple have their full value. It is a good plan where large spaces are to be planted to have one part of the garden where the flowering vines, shrubs and plants are all of harmonious shades of pale reds, with deep reds in shadowy corners; another part, say at the edge of some open sunny slope, with the blossoms yellow and orange. Plant forget-me-nots in some retired moist bit of ground, mass delphinium in a sunny plot near a shield of trees, and campanulas near banks of fern. Vines draped from tree to tree, clambering over a pergola or running along a wall, aid greatly in bringing about a sense of unity.

A constant procession of color can be had by a little careful planting. For instance, in the corner of the garden where yellow is the color scheme, daffodils, tulips, yellow hyacinths and crocuses should be planted under or near the forsythia bushes. Coreopsis, calliopsis and marigolds can be set thickly as borders, and the closer the flowers are massed the better for their growth, for the ground is thus kept moist by the thick shade of intermingling leaves. Yellow pansies can be set in front of these, nasturtiums or even the gay sunflower at the back of them.

Put the meadow lily and garden iris in a moist place and the yellow Japanese lily in a sunny plot. Scatter thickly the seeds of the California poppy in ground that is too sunny for most other flowers, and they can be depended upon to furnish the gayest splash of color in the whole garden. Yellow asters, chrysanthemums, dahlias must be in evidence, and honey-suckle vines and climbing yellow roses allowed to ramble at will over a fence or over a tree. Arranging the flowers thus in a succession of crops not only affords continuous bloom and color but is also a valuable form of integrative gardening.—The Craftsman.

MAKE THE HOME BEAUTIFUL

Vines Should Cover Unsightly Fences and Back Yard Should Be a Garden.

One of the moving sentiments of the day is for the betterment of civic conditions through the co-operation of the individual householder. The city has its part and the civic organizations have theirs, but the enthusiasm of the individual until all individuals are full of the spirit of making their city what it might be from the point of view of simple esthetic adornment is the thing that counts.

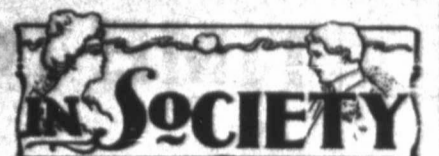
Nature has provided the means for the most satisfying kind of home environment at this season. For a number of months the trailing vines may cover the unsightly fences and along the walks the beds of brilliant bloom may yield both beauty and fragrance. The care of the garden plot in the back yard, where there is no front lawn, makes up a total of enjoyment that no one should miss. Many an anxiety is buried with the garden spade and many a worry set aside in tending the simple flowers in the yard, and health and hope wait upon such employment.

The time is at hand when the work of caring for these spots that may be made so bright and inspiring to young and old may be undertaken and by universal employment in this wise the city will be beautified. Beautifying the environment of the home will make the home itself more beautiful and full of content.

Small Trees for Shade.

Prof. C. H. Goets of the forestry department in the state university does not favor the planting of very large trees for shade. In a bulletin containing advice as to the planting of trees on Arbor day he suggests that large trees, as a rule, suffer more from transplanting than small ones and says that a large tree will continue to grow uninterruptedly and the sooner make a large one.

He counsels against planting any kind of a tree in any old place just for the sake of planting. Thought of its future development and care should be taken. Trees for transplanting, he says, should never be more than three inches in diameter. From one to three inches base measure is the best for most trees.—Columbus Evening Dispatch.



I. F. C. CLUB

Last Thursday evening the T. F. C.'s gave a hay ride. About seven o'clock found the people all ready and in the best of spirits for the ride. Everyone seemed hilarious. Perhaps some more so than others, for some young man seemed to delight in keeping others off the wagon, as though it was fun to walk.

But it came Mr. May's time to walk and he was put off the wagon. Mr. May seemed to have as much fun off the wagon as on, and went on pulling others off, and happened to an accident. He ran his foot under the wheel. No one thought the injury serious but noticed that he had quited down. After reaching the old H Bar camp ground we found that Mr. May was really crippled. He was soon hurried to town in Bailey Stewart's car. Mr. May bore his wound bravely and wished those left behind a good time.

Soon there was a roaring camp fire. The roast of bacon and the coffee to boiling, reminded everyone that they were hungry. Then came the good old camp supper, roasted bacon, light bread sandwich, pickles, onions, apples, marguerites and black coffee.

It was a merry crowd

of young people that toasted marshmallows and told stories around the gleaming camp fire until a late hour. Those present were:

Misses Carrie Reece, Edna Carter, Marguerite Patterson, Sara Monroe, Eula May Terry, Cornie Smith, Zenoma and Marguerite Calloway and Mesdames Nannie Amos and Mabel Connally. Messrs. Amos, Carter, Timmons, May, Jones, Stewart, Mitchell, Love, Lawrence and Reagan Connally, Patterson, Horney and Henderson.—Contributed.

SURPRISE PARTY

A delightful surprise party was given to Edith Reagan by Mrs. Walter Jackson last Monday afternoon after school. Twelve of her girl friends and chums were present and she was given many little articles that every girl loves, among which were a vanity case, stationary, pictures, blue bird pins, a hair clasp and several dainty handkerchiefs. The guests enjoyed some contests and an interesting game of bean bag in which Dora Smith distinguished herself by making a score of 80. The refreshments were sandwiches and pickles, second course ice cream birthday cake in which was concealed a thimble, a ring and a piece of money. Dora Smith received the first, Leta Smith the second and Helen Lindsey the third. A toast was drunk in Edith's honor and after giving

her the usual birthday wishes the guests departed to their homes.—Contributed.

MISS MONROE ENTERTAINS

The T. F. C.'s enjoyed an afternoon with Miss Monroe where they were bidden to meet Miss Williamson of Eagle Lake, Texas, a visitor in the home of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Williamson.

As usual fancy work was passed from hand to hand and admired; questions of vital interest to the fair young ladies, who work so diligently to supply hope chests, were discussed, patterns exchanged and work praised.

After a pleasant cup of tea, with sandwiches and salad, the crowd dispersed to meet next week with Miss Chesher.

ROOK CLUB

Nine of the girls have organized a Rook club which will meet every Saturday afternoon at three o'clock. The members of the club are: Misses Onida and Lucille Mundy, Mabel Rogers, Eva Crosby, Maurine Seay, Jonice Wylly, Bessie Culberson, Vera Merrill and Thelma Pierce.

MRS. HOWARD ENTERTAINS

The ladies of the Baptist church were entertained informally Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Coe Howard in honor of Mrs. H. C. Maxwell who leaves this week for Fort Worth Texas where she will make her home in the future.

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