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A HURRIED TRIP INTO THE ROGERS COMMUNITY

Editor and Business Manager of This Paper See Rogers Country and Are Very Favorably Impressed

EXPRESSIONS OF BUSINESS MEN AND FARMERS THERE

Rogers Country on the Improve—Everybody Satisfied And Doing Well Merchant Anderson a Booster

First of last week the Herald editor and business manager motored out to Rogers in the Herald car. In some respects the trip was not altogether as pleasant as it might have been, as it began raining during the night and kept at it most of the following day, hence the most we did was to appear on the scene and then disappear. However we saw enough of the Rogers country and the Rogers people to be impressed with both.

Rogers is twenty miles south of Portales surrounded by a rich stock farming country. The people, for the most part, appear to be contented and doing well. There are many good homes in that section and other evidences of prosperity. Rogers has a general mercantile store, grist mill, blacksmith shop and post-office. Rogers also has a good school, Sunday school and preaching two Sundays in the month. But, as we have already intimated, we did not see enough of Rogers to give that community a detailed write up. This we hope to do in the near future as well as every other community in this county. The Herald desires to represent properly every section of this great county.

W. W. VAN WINKLE

We were pleasantly entertained in the hospitable Van Winkle home. This is one of the prettiest and most substantial homes in the entire county. It is a modern six room residence, with a bath room, clothes closet, and in fact has most of the conveniences found in an up-to-date home. The house is supplied with an abundance of pure water from a well and wind mill hard by.

Another attractive feature of this home, and a thing that adds much to the comfort of both man and beast, is the big barn. We have not a bigger or better barn in the county. In fact one seldom sees better in any country.

This is a 50 by 40 foot building for two stories, sufficiently large for a big bunch of work stock, brood mares and colts, and milk cows. There is also a large bin for oats and wheat and a crib for corn, both about full, while the loft is filled with several tons of hay and different forage crops.

This is not all the feed on this place either. There are three big stacks nearby besides some twenty or thirty loads that have never been gathered in. Mr. Van Winkle raises enough corn and grain to fatten a bunch of hogs each year, and enough grain and forage crops to feed a bunch of horses and milk cows aside from several hundred dollars for the market.

He has sold this year \$700.00 worth of grain, including \$250 worth of wheat, and has on hand at this writing probably 1000 bushels of grain, a lot of wheat, corn, and forage feed galore.

As a side issue the Van Winkles have about 100 Rhode Island red chickens and are milking a few cows. They have sold about \$150 worth of cream within the past few months. This is great when you consider that there are seven members of this family, all hale and hearty and all fond of butter, cream and milk, and they never "stunt" themselves.

S. F. ANDERSON

S. F. Anderson and Son are the pioneer merchants of that section, they having built the first store house in the county outside of Portales. This was built at Carter. At one time Anderson and Son owned and operated stores at Carter, Causey and Rogers. Sometime since they moved their Carter store to Rogers, and sold their Causey business and are now centering all their efforts at Rogers. Here they have, we presume, the largest store in the county outside of the railroad points, in point of size and amount of stock carried.

The Rogers building is 44 by 50 feet with basement. The stock of merchandise carried is full and up-to-date. The people of the Rogers community can get almost anything they need and want in dry goods, dress goods, notions, groceries etc. here, and this firm endeavors to handle all the produce raised by their customers. As an evidence of the amount of stock carried by Anderson and Son and condition of the country, we would mention the fact, that according to a statement of this firm, their daily cash sales average \$100.00.

Mr. S. F. Anderson said: "I have lived here eight years and the country is in better condition now than it has been since I came. You hear no one talking about leaving here now. The people are self supporting and are here to stay. This is due, not so much to the country, for the country is no better than it was eight years ago. It has always been of the very best. But it is due, largely, to the people. They have learned how to do things out here and are taking hold with a will. Every man who really tries is making good."

J. E. PHILLIPS

J. E. Phillips is the miller at Rogers. He has a very good equipment and is prepared to crush maize, grind corn, wheat etc. Most of the corn and wheat that he grinds, is grown in that section. He showed the writer some corn that looked very much like the corn grown in the old corn states. Mr. Phillips owns 160 acres of land, is milking a few cows and is doing well financially and is satisfied.

W. T. ESCUE

W. T. Escue hit the Rogers section eight years ago with a loaded mule and an old worn out hack. He now owns

Governor McDonald Coming

Adjutant General Harry F. Herring has just advised Capt. T. J. Molinari that the inspection of company M. will be made on the sixteenth of December at 8 o'clock p. m.

Governor McDonald will be present and will address the citizenship of Portales. This is the first time the Governor has visited our city since his induction into office, and his first official visit to the military company of Portales of which he is commander in chief.

In conversation with Captain Molinari we learn that as yet no definite program has been arranged for the day, but a military ball will be given in the evening and the officers and members of Company M. will put forth every effort to make the Governor's stay in Portales pleasant and profitable.

Of course the officers of Company M. will meet the Governor and Adjutant Herring upon their arrival on the noon train and it is hoped that our citizens will delegate themselves a reception committee to meet the train and assist in any way possible in the entertainment of the greatest Governor of the greatest state in the union.

The Herald takes the liberty of suggesting that a committee of representative members of the commercial club meet with Capt. Molinari and, if it meets with his approval as Captain of Company M., some definite arrangements be made for the entertainment of Governor McDonald and Adjutant Herring during the afternoon of December 16. Among other things, it strikes us that a trip over the valley would not be amiss.

Twenty New Wells

As a slight evidence that the Portales Valley is continuing to forge to the front, irrigationally, agriculturally as well as in other satisfactory ways, we would call attention to the fact that twenty new wells have been contracted for and five more practically assured. These will be connected with the central irrigation plant.

Probably there are other wells but this number has been given us as assured. This means much more land in cultivation and under irrigation.

Letter From Rev. Kyle

Elida, New Mex., Dec. 1, 1913. To the Baptist churches of the Portales association:—I desire to say that I am now on the field as missionary colporteur of this association and desire your cooperation in the Lords work. At any time I can serve you an your field write me and I will be glad to serve you to the best of my ability. Your Brother, L. L. KYLE.

W. P. Young left for Ft. Worth, Texas, Monday where he will visit his mother whom he had not seen for fifteen years.

160 acres of land and has 320 acres more under his control. He owns several head of milk cows and eleven head of horses. In fact he has made from \$800 to \$1000 per year every year since he landed in this country. Are you surprised that he is doing well with this section?

Another Car of Excursionists

Another bunch of Kansas folks came in on the excursion train run by the the Portales Power and Irrigation company Wednesday. These excursions are run every two weeks, and on every excursion day, or virtually so, a goodly number of good Kansas people come in to inspect this winning valley, and numbers of them buy our lands. This is not surprising, Kansans know a good proposition when they see it.

Sixteen real live wires came in Wednesday of this week and have been "seeing" the valley.

We know of no state in the United States from whence we had rather see people come to this valley than from Kansas. Some how Kansas and Kansans have a warm place in our heart. They are a folk who do things. We welcome them here. Glad to see them build homes and prosper as we know they will in this valley.

The Kansan who comes here now is not coming among strangers by any means. Many from that state have already moved here, bought farms and builded homes. On every excursion day there is a greeting and hearty handshake of old friends when the train rolls into Portales.

Kansans, we welcome you, because of the splendid government you have established in your great state and because of your honesty, uprightness, integrity and industry.

Services at the Cozy

All the regular services at the Cozy Sunday.

Bible school 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Subject: 'What one man did.' Preaching 6:45 p. m. Theme, 'The dignity and importance of Bible study.' You should hear this subject. J. H. SHEPARD, Minister.

R. M. Hammond and family left for Kansas City, first of this week.

Dr. J. W. Bailey was called to Oklahoma City, on business Monday.

A. E. Signer of Clovis was in town on business first of the week.

C. J. Whitcomb went to Clovis Wednesday to make up a lot of candy for a kandy kitchen there.

Miss Nannie Uzer of the Richland community went to Amarillo Wednesday for a few weeks visit with friends.

Mrs. Sallie Morgan of Richland took the morning train here Wednesday for Greenville, Texas, where she will visit with friends and relatives.

E. E. Percell left Thursday for Whitesville, Kentucky, where he will remain for awhile. He subscribed for the Herald before leaving so as to keep in touch with the doings of this country.

J. W. Ross of the Arch settlement, was a caller at this office Friday. He reports the Arch school as progressing well under the leadership of Prof. Palm. They had a successful box supper there Thursday evening. The people of the Arch country have stayed by the stuff and as a result are doing well. They have an eight months school.

HERALD EDITOR VISITS FARMS WEST OF CITY

Editor of This Paper in a Few Hours Sees Some Interesting Farms a Few Miles West of the City

TALKS WITH TILLERS OF SOIL WHO ARE MAKING GOOD

An Air of Confidence and Satisfaction Is Everywhere Manifest—Evidence of Prosperity Everywhere

It is the intention of the Herald editor to visit the different farms, ranches and places of interest in Roosevelt county as soon as he can and tell the readers of this paper about these places. We think that, perhaps, by a personal visit to the different sections and by investigating the farms and places of interest and by talking with the folks who reside there we will be able to get those things that are of vital interest to our readers and of vital worth to our community.

It must be remembered that the Herald goes to several hundred people in other parts of this state and other states. In fact this paper goes into forty states and into Canada and Old Mexico. Many of these readers desire to know about this coming country and are looking to the press and other forms of literature for their information. The Herald shall ever strive to get reliable information and pass it on to these hundreds of readers.

Friday we drove out a few miles west of town and visited the following farms and interrogated the following farmers.

C. L. SANDERS

If there is anything that C. L. Sanders does more than another it is to work. Hence we were not surprised to find him busy at his favorite pastime Friday. He had three big fat horses hitched to a plow and was turning the soil preparatory for another bumper crop. Mr. Sanders knows full well that agricultural success does not come by chance, hence he is preparing his land for a good crop, and he will be richly rewarded too.

This past season was Mr. Sanders first here, but he has certainly made good. He said 'I am well pleased with the yield and the way stuff grows here, but I was not altogether pleased with the price. However, I am sure this will be overcome when we get better organized.'

Mr. Sanders expects to sow six acres to alfalfa, and arrange to graze hogs on this and calves and some milk cows. He will have three acres in cantaloupes, one in peanuts and several in sweet potatoes. This much of his next years crop is already planned for.

Said Mr. Sanders: "I know there is big money in hogs here as they do wonderfully well, and if the price for alfalfa, peanuts and sweet potatoes does not suit me I will feed to my hogs. All this will pay big money fed to hogs and marketed in this way."

Mr. Sanders is selling celery and turnips right along now. He also has enough onion plants growing for three acres. This is one of the prettiest twenty acre farms in the Valley and is correctly named 'The Daisy Farm.'

DR. J. L. REID

We found Dr. J. L. Reid, proprietor of the Red Feather Farm

busy as a ward politician. He was hauling in some of that extra heavy maize. Doctor Reid was raised in a city, brought up in an office, never worked a lick on a farm until last year, but he mixed brains with muscle, and he has made good, just as any one can do in this Valley.

In ten minutes this bundle of energy had shown the writer about forty hogs and pigs, one hundred chickens, fifteen turkeys, two or three long ricks of maize and other feed stuff, a barn full of baled millet and alfalfa, and had walked him over a goodly portion of his eighty acres.

Dr. Reid was getting his winning Reds and black monorcas and everything in shape for the poultry show at Carlsbad. He will take two pens of black monorcas, two pens of Rhode Island Reds, and three or four cockerals. He will bring back some first premiums.

We asked the doctor what he expected to raise next year. He replied, I expect to plant an 1800 egg incubator and hatch chickens for this and adjoining counties. "I will also raise sufficient feed for my poultry, hogs, cows and horses, ten acres of cantaloupes and alfalfa."

J. H. CAVE

Our next stop was at J. H. Cave's. Mr. Cave is the man who sold a big batch of those purple top turnips here last week, a number of which tipped the scales at from three to four and three-fourth pounds. Mr. Cave said "I could make good money raising turnips at one cent per pound."

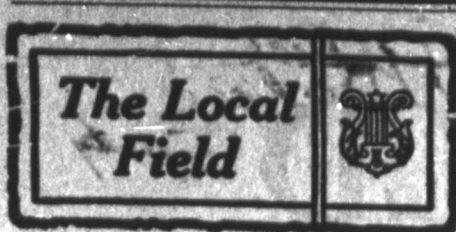
This successful farmer owns 180 acres, only a small portion of it in irrigation as yet. He has sold this year \$542.00 worth of feed, has plenty left to run him until another crop and several hundred dollars worth yet to sell. He lifted two mortgages, aggregating a little less than \$500.00 off his farm. He has a few head of cows and horses and enough hogs and chickens for home consumption.

Mr. Cave owns one of the choice farms of the Portales Valley and one of the prettiest. His residence sets back a hundred yards from the public road, and on either side of the driveway leading up to the house, are two rows of cottonwood trees. We were not surprised to hear this substantial farmer express himself in glowing terms of the future of this section.

BUCHANAN BROS.

One year ago last June the Buchanan brothers began work on their 80 acre farm one and a half miles west of Portales. This is one of the best farms in the Valley, and for the age, is one of the best developed. These men do things in a business like way. They believe in system and the working out of carefully thought out plans. These men were successful.

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Mrs. Roy Holderness, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. Johnson, returned to her home at Clovis, Monday.

Mrs. Jennie Tallant left Monday for El Centro, California, where she will reside in the future.

Carl Moss made a business trip to Taiban and Melrose first of the week in the interest of the Wichita Creamery.

All railroads will grant a special rate of a fare and one-fifth for the round trip from all points in New Mexico to Deming. The rate is granted at the request of the State Corporation Commission to give a low fare to those desiring to attend the state sale of 18,000 acres of land in the shallow water belt, which sale takes place at Deming, New Mexico, on the 8th day of December, 1913.

See the Portales Drug company for jewelry and toilet articles.

L. Beaty of Hico, Texas, son-in-law of Rev. Carlton, came in with his family last week and will make this his home in the future. He said, "this country looks good to me." Sure, it does to everybody.

All Columbia records will play on Victor talking machines. Likewise all Columbia gramophones will play Victor records.—Portales Drug company, agents.

Now is the time to get some of my choice young apple trees. No better anywhere. W. P. Pitts,

"Buttermilk" Smith was in the Hub first of the week on business.

Give her, him or them a Columbia Grafonola for Christmas, make your selection and get your order placed. Prices and terms on application—Portales Drug company.

C. L. Sanders cashed up for fifty-two more doses of the Herald this week.

Buck Dobbs, of Deadwood, S. D. will continue to receive this paper having cashed up for the same, through his good mother. Thanks.

See my line of young apple trees, W. P. Pitts, Portales.

J. W. Hobson of near Elida, was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

Bascom Howard is looking after business in Kansas.

Jule Stone came in from the ranch near Taiban first of the week for a few days visit with his mother and sister.

Just received, a new selection of Queen City rings. Portales Drug company.

Don't fail to read our ad in this issue, The Racket Store.

Mrs. N. A. Thornton, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Havner, for two months, left Monday for her home at Kolls, Texas.

We guarantee every Queen City ring to be solid gold. Portales Drug company.

Miss Esther Baker left for Amarillo, Texas, Tuesday where she will make her home in the future.

Do you want a sack of flour free? The Racket Store.

E. C. Gray, of Higgins, Texas, spent several days in the city first of the week on business matters.

Prine Collins, of Redland, was in the city on business this week.

Lee Trammell, one of the "old timers" here was in from his farm and ranch at Arch first of the week after a fifteen horse power engine and irrigating outfit. He expects to irrigate and cultivate one hundred acres this coming year. There is no better soil in the Valley than that contiguous to Arch and the water is shallow, Mr. Trammell will make a success.

I have bought the Yates Dray and Baggage business, also handle the Texas Co. oil products. Will appreciate your patronage. T. V. Denton.

Furnished rooms to rent, Pecora Valley hotel. 3tp.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Littlejohn went to Amarillo, Texas, Tuesday where they will reside in the future.

If you buy a Queen City ring, and any stone, excepting diamonds, falls out, we will replace it free of charge at any time. Portales Drug company.

Z. Wilmoth, of the Plainview neighborhood, called at this office Tuesday.

Herald for all the news.

Geo. W. Freeman, of Sharaan, Kansas renews his subscription for 12 months more of this paper.

"Were all medicines as meritorious as Chamberlain's Cholera, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy the world would be much better off and, the percentage of suffering greatly decreased," writes Lindsey Scott, of Temple, Ind. For sale by all dealers.

Herald \$1 a year and worth it.

J. F. Long, of Acme Texas is a new Herald reader.

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.

A Columbia grafonola will make this Christmas last all winter. The one ideal gift for all the family. Sixteen styles ranging in price from \$17.50 to \$500.00—Portales Drug company agents.

E. F. Shellaberger digs up for 52 more doses of the Herald.

Notice—Those knowing themselves indebted to either myself or R. A. Deen will find the notes with J. P. Deen at Joyce-Fruit Co. Please call and settle same. J. E. Deen.

When you think insurance, think Corhn Brothers.

We call special attention to our line of gloves, caps, shirts, underwear and bedspreads. The Racket Store.

J. S. Thornton, of Elida, sends in a bean with the instructions to send the Herald to Mearl Thornton, Trenton, Iowa. We will do it.

Trade \$10 at the Racket Store and get a sack of flour free.

H. J. Farnum returned home Wednesday from a three months visit with relatives and friends in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, and New York. He said, "I found nothing as good as the Portales Valley."

Examine our goods and get our prices on bedspreads, gloves, underwear, shirts, in fact anything in the dry goods and dress goods and grocery line. Buy \$10 worth and get a sack of flour free. The Racket Store.

Candy for everybody at the Racket Store.

Wanted, at Adams confectionery, a girl from the country, age fifteen to eighteen. 40-1 t

E. F. O'Conner came in from Houston, Texas, Tuesday for a visit of thirty days with his family who live in the blackwater draw. Mr. O'Conner is superintendent of the T. & N. O. railroad.

Candy for everybody at the Racket Store.

A big bunch of subs were received from Elida.

E. H. Jones and wife, of Des Moines Iowa, spent a week prospecting here. They expressed themselves as well pleased. Mr. Jones expects to make a some loans on Valley lands. He cashed up for the Herald.

Nineteen copies of this issue was purchased in advance at the regular rate.

W. W. Humble and wife left Tuesday for Carlsbad where they will reside in the future.

R. L. Phipps, of Pattersburg, Kansas, is here looking after his land interest. He owns a ranch near Ranger Lake.

Telephone your orders to Frank Beard for dressed chickens for your Sunday dinner. Have your order in by eight o'clock Saturday morning. Will fill orders through the week on reasonable notice. We deliver the goods.

Cockerels

Thoroughbred Rhode Island Red cockerels for sale, at Red Feather Farm, one and a half miles west of town.

J. L. REID, PROP.

"Known"

The parties who have our maize forks and coal shovels are known and remembered. Therefore they should return them to avoid trouble.

BELL & SON

Mrs. Mollie Poe Wright, of Clovis, is in the city the guest of Judge C. F. Carter and family.

C. O. Paulsell was a pleasant caller at this office Tuesday.

District attorney Jim Hall attended to legal business in Clovis this week.

Dr. Bailey, of the Portales Valley Land and Loan Co., returned Wednesday from a business trip to Oklahoma.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEET

Board of Directors of Portales Utilities Company Hold Session Here

ARE PLEASED WITH DEVELOPMENT

Men Big in the World of Finance Investing in the Portales Valley

The regular meeting of the board of directors of the Portales Utilities company for the close of the 1913 season was held at Portales, on Monday, December 1. Those present were as follows: Wm. J. Moore, Chicago, Illinois, president American Bond and Mortgage company; T. W. Siemon, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, treasurer Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company; T. L. Brown, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, treasurer Westinghouse Machine company; J. J. Jackson, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, General Attorney Westinghouse companies; A. A. Rogers, president Portales Utilities company. Portales.

A careful review of last season's operations was made and progress noted. All directors expressed themselves as extremely well pleased at the development made in the Valley during the past twelve months. They were particularly well pleased and surprised at the actual production of crops. It was apparent to those of the board who had been here previously that very large benefits were accruing to the company from the actual settlers now coming in and taking up the lands in the valley. They endorsed the policy being followed by this company of very carefully scrutinizing the purchasers of land with the view of getting only bona-fide farmers with ample funds to properly finance themselves, to take up the land in the valley.

Among other results of this meeting of this board of directors which will particularly benefit the valley of Portales may be mentioned the following: The large central power plant will be gone over thoroughly and placed in complete first class shape for next season's operation. Work on this is proceeding now. Provision has been made for the extension of the lines of the company, there being at the present time seventy five miles of these lines up. Arrangements have been made for approximately thirty miles of new line which will be up between now and the first of March, 1914. Twenty-five new wells serving a total of 1340 acres of land are now assured. This means 2500 hours of continuous drilling or 100 days, over three months, actual continuous work night and day for one drill rig.

The selling campaign now in progress will be extended and augmented. Buyers are now coming in by the car load every two weeks and it is expected that an increased number will come in from now on throughout the winter and spring months. A careful analysis of the buying already done shows that the great majority of farmers purchasing land are buying 40 acre tracts. This means intensive farming and is one of the largest factors looking to the quick development of this valley.

The two thousand acres of growing alfalfa and the crop this season of better than twelve thousand tons was particularly gratifying to this Board. The sweet potato storage house with \$22,000 worth of sweet potatoes now in storage looks good.

A review of the money invested by some of the larger investors in this valley during the last two years was presented by Mr. Rogers and is particularly interesting to the citizens of this valley.

In addition to the holdings of the Portales Utilities company and the Portales Power and Irrigation company may be mentioned the following individual investors; These amounts set opposite the name of these investors is possibly lower than they have actually invested.

Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railway has invested approximately \$30,000 in new station, railroad yards and terminal facilities. Everyone knows that the Santa Fe does not invest money unless they can see returns in sight, justifying such an investment.

L. S. Skelton and R. H. Bailey have invested in irrigated lands by purchase and loans \$80,000. Both of these gentlemen are keen progressive and successful business men. William Battenfield has invested over \$40,000 in the development of a section of land. R. D. Yoakum, brother of B. F. Yoakum former president of the Frisco system has invested approximately \$30,000 in the development of a large irrigated farm. Messrs. Wilson and Love representing as they do among other things the largest onion growers of the state of Texas, have invested in the development of an irrigated farm in the neighborhood of \$32,000. Johnson Brothers developing a quarter section of irrigated land have invested over \$18,000. Buchanan Brothers have invested over \$12,000. Livingston Brothers and associates have invested in developing and other investments in the neighborhood of from \$40,000 to \$50,000. Mary Nicholson has invested about \$18,000. A. B. Curtin about \$30,000.

The above investments represents a total of \$310,000, all of which is being spent in the development and improvement of irrigated farms in the Portales Valley. This only briefly states some of the more important and some of the larger individual investors in the Valley. Among the above cited men are four millionaires. Men of keen business judgment, men who make money wherever they invest. The fact that they have invested in the Portales Valley and are all developing irrigated land means very much more than can be estimated on the surface. It means that the entire resources of these gentlemen are developing the Portales Valley. These facts taken in conjunction with the tremendous investment made by the Portales Utilities company assures the Valley of a great and prosperous future. It will take a pessimistic man to see anything else than a big boom ahead for the Portales Valley. It may be well to cite a few things which we as citizens of this Valley can do as our part in the development.

First, grade our streets, plant trees, grade our roads so that the investors coming into the valley may have a pleasing sight, so that our farmers bringing produce into town may have good roads to haul that produce over.

Look at the opportunity for those now owning land in the valley to make money. Every man who has a tract of land should put in a well and develop it. The Portales Utilities company will be in shape to handle these wells provided they are given sufficient notice to enable them to get the equipment necessary to handle the power load.

A few years ago Portales was the second largest cattle shipping point in the United States. Portales will soon be the largest cantaloupe shipping point in the United States and the largest producer of sweet potatoes as a district in the United States. This means much. Portales valley is becoming famous. These investments made by these large companies and by these rich, strong financial men, means but one thing, a big, prosperous future. Mr. Citizen wake up to your opportunities.

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None better were ever made.

Special Sale on Hats

I must make room for my new spring hats before I go to market. To do this I will sell all my trimmed hats from 25 to 50 per cent discount. This is a bona-fide sale and begins Monday, December 1, and will continue 15 days, closing Monday December 15. My hats are strictly up-to-date and I have a large assortment for you to select from. But you should come the first days of this BIG SALE and get first choice. x x

Get Your New Hat for the Holidays
During this Big Clean-up Sale

Gilliam Millinery Parlor
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Excels in the Production of Farm
Products---So do we excel all
others in quality, and price on
up-to-date groceries. x x

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Election Proclamation

Public notice is hereby given that the board of county commissioners of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, at regular meetings held on November 15, and November 20, 1913, pursuant to sufficient petitions which were filed and presented to said board ordered and directed that an election be held in Roosevelt county, New Mexico, on December 20, 1913, for the purpose of deciding the question as to the establishment of the non-establishment of county high schools, in accordance with the provisions of the laws of New Mexico, the same being Chapter 57 of the laws of 1912, as amended by the laws of 1913, in school districts one, two, twenty-eight and thirty, the same being commonly known as Portales, Elida, La Lande and Taiban, in said Roosevelt county.

Therefore there will be held in said Roosevelt county, on Saturday, the same being December 20, 1913, an election at which all legally qualified voters of said county, including women who are qualified and eligible under the provisions of the state constitution, may vote either for or against the establishment of a county high school at either or all of said places, and at which time the general election laws of the state of New Mexico, except as the same may be changed by the provisions of said Chapter 57 of the laws of 1912, as amended by the laws of 1913, will be complied with, and the votes canvassed and the returns made in accordance therewith.

The following are the places in each precinct in said county where the election will be held, to-wit:

- Precinct 1
Portales, Sheriff's office
- Precinct 2
Elida, old Campbell barber shop.
- Precinct 3
Deren, Fry's store.
- Precinct 4
Floyd, school house.
- Precinct 5
Tolar, school house.
- Precinct 6
Minco, school house.
- Precinct 7
Arch, Arch post-office.
- Precinct 8
Bailey, school house.
- Precinct 9
La Lande, Law building.
- Precinct 10
Taiban, Wilson Bros. old store.
- Precinct 11
Rogers, Ben Nash' old store.
- Precinct 12
Dora, Murphy store.
- Precinct 13
Midway, school house.
- Precinct 14
Nobe, Toombs Bros. store.
- Precinct 15
Causey, school house.
- Precinct 16
Inez, school house.
- Precinct 17
Redlake, Robinett house.
- Precinct 18
Upton, Crane store.
- Precinct 19
Macy, school house.
- Precinct 20
Ingram, Clark store.
- Precinct 21
Pearson, school house.
- Precinct 22
Perry school house, school house.
- Precinct 23
Painter, school house.
- Precinct 24
Adobe, school house.
- Precinct 25
Delphos, school house.
- Precinct 26
Springer, school house.
- Precinct 27
Kermit, Cox store.

C. V. HARRIS, Chairman.
G. P. MITCHELL, Clerk.
By J. W. BALLOW, Deputy.

Rogers Ripples

Miss Lena Ownby has been at home this week visiting her parents.

Miss Army Sandefer spent Thanksgiving at the Fullerton home.

Newt Maxwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell from Miami is visiting his parents here.

The thrasher is in this community at present.

The box supper was quite a success. There were thirty boxes. The cake was sold for the ugliest man. Mr. Clem and Mr. Anderson were the candidates but Mr. Clem won the cake by a few votes. The total receipts were \$27.70.

Every one come to singing at the school house on Sunday evenings and bring someone with you.

Mr. Phillips took dinner at the Van Winkle home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Maxwell took dinner at the Stokes home Sunday.

Mrs. Tipton is visiting her son Mr. Escue.—Go Lucky

We "shore" would like to have been present at that box supper with the entire Herald force. There is not one of the bunch but what would have "taken that cake" as we are very strong on "looks."—Editor.

Lacy Forging Ahead

This section it seems is waking up to a knowledge of the importance of what it means to own a farm in the Portales Valley.

The spirit of progress seems to have taken hold of the people around Lacy. The farmers are doing more work preparing for next year's crop than ever before in this section. As I see it, if the farmers would economize time, that is, just cultivate a little and do it well, and raise their living at home, we would hear less complaint of the high cost of living.

The farmers here are saving their heifer calves, and brood sows. That means, in a short time, a bunch of cows and a bunch of hogs, and that means a larger bank account.

To the man who wants to put some cash in some of the finest farming lands that can be found anywhere, we say come to the Lacy community. See our lands that produce three crops a year; potatoes, beans and turnips.

The soil here is fine, easy to cultivate, a red sandy loam and most of it irrigable.

Some of our farmers are selling fat hogs and realizing a good price.

If things continue to move as they are now, the groceryman will sell but little meat to the farmers of this section. We are growing our own meat.

N. B. GRIFFIN.

A thing that is beyond us is, how a man can live in the Portales Valley and be a "knocker" Yea we can not understand how he can help but be a big hearted, stemwinding booster. Like our good farmer friend Griffin, for instance. He knows a good thing when he sees it and is delighted to tell the world about it. That's the kind of a chap who has a powerfully powerful warm place in our heart. Do you

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know Griffin has got the editor "just a raring" to see that Lacy community and eat some of that fresh pork. We're gonna do it too.

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J. H. SHEPARD, Editor

The Free Ad. Fiend

We used to think that country editors got free passes on all the railroads coming into their town, twenty-five cents an inch for publishing the speeches of congressmen and a ticket with all expenses to the state fair every year. We have been in the business now for two years, and as yet none of them have come our way, but here are a few of the "free" offers we have received:

The publicity manager of the P. D. & Q. railway sends us weekly letters concerning the citrus crop in California, attractive tourist resorts along the route etc. These letters we are at liberty to publish as special articles for our columns. By so doing we increase the P. D. & Q's freight and passenger traffic, but for this railroad's general passenger agent to issue us a second class "complimentary" ticket for a thirty-five mile ride on their lines would be a violation of the law.

If we'll print his speeches now and then, Congressman Blohardt will send us a free copy of the 1910 census abstract, and besides he will enable us to procure without charge, bulletins on the value of Russian artichokes as a forage for swine, the cause and cure of footrot in sheep, the value of rump steak for country editors, etc.

The state fair management sent us at least fifteen columns of dope to help boost their enterprise. We used about half of it and didn't even get a free ticket to the show.

The manufacturer of Dr. Bull's Squaws' Delight Root will ship us six bottles of his wonderful female tonic if we'll run a nauseating testimonial of his nostrum thirty-two weeks.

By inserting \$50 worth of advertising and remitting \$15.00 in cash we can get a sixteen dollar sewing machine.

For running a six inch cut 18 months we may have an electric belly-band that is guaranteed to cure anything from ingrown toenails to malignant consumption.

The Skintite Manufacturing company will forward us a two gallon keg of their roof paint for \$16 worth of space, we to pay the freight on said paint from the factory at Squidunk, On the Hudson, N. Y.

A religious sect in Boston that is worrying itself greatly because the world's going to hell, wants us to publish Dr. Hussell's sermons, the sermons to be furnished in plate form of column lengths at 50 cents per. For our own spiritual guidance they'll send us, postage prepaid, a copy of Radman's Shorter Course to Heaven.

We can get three packages of Imperial Dog Biscuit for four columns of readers, provided said readers are not preceded or followed in any manner by the word "advertisement."

A Chicago stock medicine concern will send us, prepaid, two full quart cans of Dr. Dunlop's Bulltick Eradicator provided we insert an eight inch electro each issue for twenty weeks.

The international Society for the Desimation of Volapunk, the new universal language that can be mastered in four lessons, will send us a year's subscription to their quarterly magazine for a half page advertisement and a dozen readers.

A Pennsylvania nursery firm

will give us a twenty-five cent rosebush for \$8 worth of advertising.

The Kalamazoo Kirobacktick Kollege will present us with a free scholarship in their institution for \$108 in advertising, our diploma to go forward upon receipt of signed contract and a copy of first paper containing their four column ad.

The manufacturers of a cheap alum baking powder in Kansas City, want to ship us 52 columns of cooking recipes in plate form by Frederick Von der Suppe, late chef to the Czar of Russia, in which large quantities of their stomach corrosive are to be used. The matter is advertising pure and simple and at rate of three dollars per column, the price charged by the average country newspaper, would amount to \$156. Yet this concern has the unmitigated gall to ask us to run it free, and is really peeved because we don't do it.

Any country editor will tell you that there is not a week passes that the mails do not bring him one or more propositions from the free ad. fiend. Many of the propositions are accepted but the sooner the the country newspaper man learns to dump all such stuff into his waste basket the sooner he will begin to put his business on a paying basis. Tucumcari Sun.

Yes, and all the "free" ad fiends do not live 500 or a 1000 miles away. We have them in our very midst, in all lines of business. When country editors cut out all such free ad. fiends colds, then will not only his business be on a "paying basis," but his business, the greatest business under the sun, will receive the respect and consideration due it.

Unfortunately there are in most every community "misfits" who have broken into the news paper business. These will prostitute their sheet for money. They will take all sorts of advertising at all sorts of prices, and give the "free" ad. fiend virtually full sway, in the hope that sometime in the remote future they may receive a few paltry dimes from him. They have no circulation. And another sad feature of it is, that the business concerns of a town complain when the newspaper of the town one with a circulation three times that of the "sheet" will not sell its space for the same price as that of the "sheet." Consistency, indeed thou art a jewel.

High School Proposition

Doubtless each voting citizen in Roosevelt county desires, conscientiously, to know all he or she may about this proposition before the election thereon, on December 20th next,—now less than 20 days away.

The writer can quote no data from educational areas where this proposed extension, has operated, because he has none at hand; but even the casual reader must have noted that among educators, "Vocational training," is now 'to the fore' and that the intelligent citizenship of the Nation is expecting large benefits in the present generation and for the future, through its general adoption and practice.

Is instruction in the elements of agriculture; in domestic science, in manual training and in commercial science in our high schools, desirable and worth the cost?

As in all matters touching the question of taxation, the owner of property, subject to taxation is most directly interested and most directly affected. For the maintenance of these proposed schools, no matter how many or few, are voted, not more than two mills—the dollar or twenty cents on the hundred dollars on the assessed value of property, may be levied or collected. All assessed property may not now be assessed at more than one-third of its actual value; so that the maximum assessment for the

maintenance of these proposed schools, may not be more than twenty cents on the three hundred dollars of actual property value. In quite all the school districts of the county, a rate of one dollar and fifty cents, in some a rate of two dollars, on the hundred dollars of the assessed property valuation is now levied and collected, besides the general county rate of thirty cents on the hundred dollars assessed valuation. Probably in each rural school district in the county, one or more pupils attend, who carry or endeavor to carry, work in subjects above the eighth grade in the course of study as the same is outlined and established by the State Board of Education.

For such pupil or pupils in such rural districts must it not be admitted that in most instances, the instruction and equipment for instruction is regrettably deficient and meagre?

If such pupil or pupils could receive the benefits of special instruction and training in agriculture, in stock growing, in domestic science, in manual training and in commercial science at a reasonably well equipped County High School, might they not,—indeed would it be possible that they would not receive an impetus for, and an insight into the fourth "R"—"Right Living"—that they cannot obtain under present conditions. Then with these higher grade pupils, now in the rural schools, out of the time and effort of the rural district school teacher, could not the remaining younger pupils receive a greater measure of instruction from all the hitherto divided time of the teacher?

And might not the larger salary and the higher rate of taxation for the rural schools be safely reduced more than two mills on the dollar of assessed valuation when the more advanced pupil or pupils are in attendance at the nearest County High School?

Inestimable in value as are the subjects taught in the high schools, as now constituted, is it not true that when weighed in the balance with equally efficient instruction the matters of farming, stock growing, domestic science, manual training and business or commercial science, the latter will be found to outweigh the former so far as the one or the other goes to equip the young man or the young woman for the battles of life.

If we are to believe the declarations of the experienced and the mature, mankind, in the end, most appreciates and longs for the "free" and "independent" life on the farm and in the open. But is life in the open and on the farm, without special knowledge of soils, seasons, moisture, air, wind, natural heat and cold, tools, teams, grains, fruits, vegetables, the science of the "balanced ration," the simpler power engines and conveying machines, so very "free" and "independent."

We may know somewhat about the science of "a balanced ration" for live stock, but how much do we know about that subject as applied to the human animal? As is the engine to the power and conveyor machine, so is the stomach to the power and conveyor human machine-man and woman.

The power and conveyor engine machine is constructed to operate at highest efficiency when fed with certain definitely known and refined fuel; while the man and woman power and conveyor machine is assumed to work with efficiency when fed on "picked up" and illy prepared and served food fuel. It is said of the people of the United States that their stomachs are their principal weakness, due to poorly selected, illy prepared, badly balanced and illy eaten food.

Is it unreasonable and not worth the slight cost to afford our sons and daughters, graduat-

ing from our high schools, an opportunity to know the elements of human food values and the simpler principles for preparing digestible human food and, in some degree, the rules for making and keeping the human power and conveyor machine in order?

Is it not true also, that too often, the high school graduate goes out into the world to make place and home, without knowledge of the practical use of the commonest tools without the constant use of which civilized man is about as helpless as the primal savage? He or she is unable to efficiently use the hammer, the saw, the plain, the axe and is without knowledge of the simplest rules for the construction of frame work, the use of the lever, the wheel, the simpler power and conveyor machines. Will any one seriously contend that a workable knowledge of such things and matters will not make for quicker and greater success and happiness?

So too if a person has had the advantages of the typical high school and college courses and has not a knowledge and appreciation of the business of "keeping books" so as to know the outgo and the income, in detail is he or she not like the ship that has lost its anchor and rudder?

The purpose and object of education may be said to be to equip the mind and heart with the tools of efficient manhood and womanhood. The churches are looked to to furnish such tool equipment for the heart. Otherwise, why incur the expense of their maintenance? The public schools are likewise looked to to furnish such tool equipment for the mind and hand. Otherwise why incur any expense what ever for their maintenance?

W. E. Lindsey.

Mrs. Harris Entertains

In honor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Heck, Mrs. Harris entertained at her home on last Friday, with a good old fashioned 12 o'clock southern dinner. As we stood around the table Mr. Heck made a very impressive talk followed by a beautiful prayer, and thanks from Mrs. Culberson. The table was a dream of anti-bellum days, and the guests surely appreciated the merry good things placed before them. Mrs. Harris was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Connally who called forth many compliments for her kind thoughtfulness to the "old folks." Each one left hoping for many bright days yet in store for Mr. and Mrs. Heck.

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Notice of Suit

In the District Court of Roosevelt county, N. M.
M. J. and W. F. Fargard, plaintiffs,
vs. No. 959.
Wm. A. Manes and Emma A. Manes, defendants.
The defendants will take notice that a suit has been filed by above plaintiffs against said defendants, in above named court, numbered on the civil docket of said court 959.
The general objects of said suit being to collect a note executed by defendants to plaintiffs, April, 6th, 1912, for \$700.00 due on or before three years after date with interest thereon at the rate of twelve per cent, payable annually, and with ten per cent additional on the amount due thereon if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, said note being secured by a mortgage, which provides that a failure to pay the interest when due, the whole of said indebtedness represented by said note should become due and payable, and by the terms of said mortgage the whole of said note is due and owing to plaintiffs, the principal sum of which with twelve per cent per annum interest thereon from April, 6th, 1912, until paid, and ten per cent on the sum due thereon as attorneys fees, is used for herein.
Said suit being further to foreclose the mortgage executed by said defendants to plaintiffs to secure the due payment of said note, on the SW 1-4 and the SW 1-4 of the SE 1-4, and the SW 1-4 of the NE 1-4, all of section 19 Twp. 3 S. R. 36 E. N. M. P. M., with all improvements thereon, and to have same declared a lien on said premises and the said lands and improvements sold for the purpose of paying said indebtedness.
Said defendants are further notified that unless they appear and answer in this cause on or by Jan. 3rd, 1914, judgment will be rendered against them by default and the plaintiffs given the relief demanded in their complaint.
T. E. Mears is attorney for the plaintiffs and his business address is Portales, N. M.
Witness my hand and seal as clerk of said court this 6th day of Nov. 1913.
C. P. Mitchell, Clerk.
By J. W. Ballow, Deputy.

Notice of Special Masters Sale

In the District Court of Roosevelt county New Mexico.
Jack Roach, plaintiff,
vs. No. 956.
Harrison J. and Paylee L. Angel, defendants.
Whereas, on Oct. 1st, 1913, in the above named court and in the above styled and numbered action, judgment was rendered in favor of the plaintiff against the defendants in the sum of \$447.17 with twelve per cent annum interest thereon from date of judgment until paid and the additional sum of \$43.42 as attorneys fees with six per cent per annum interest thereon from date of judgment until paid, on account of the execution of a certain note by defendants to plaintiff, dated, Nov. 22d, 1911, and due six months after date, for the sum of \$357.67 with twelve per cent per annum interest thereon from date until paid, and with ten per cent additional on the sum due thereon as attorneys fees, if placed for collection in the hands of an attorney; and whereas, said judgment was also a decree of foreclosure of a certain mortgage executed by defendants to plaintiff to secure the due payment of said note, by which they conveyed to plaintiff, the SE 1-4 of Sec. 3 township 2 S. R. 31 E. N. M. P. M. in Roosevelt county, N. M., with all improvements thereon; and whereas, said lands and premises to be sold as provided by law for the purpose of satisfying said judgment, interest, and all costs of this action, and said undersigned was by the court in said decree appointed Special Master to sell the same for said purpose;
Now therefore, I, A. A. Beeman, Special Master as aforesaid, by virtue of the authority in me vested by said decree, will at the hour of two o'clock p. m. on the 3rd day of Jan. 1914, at the front door of the First National Bank of Elida, in the town of Elida, Roosevelt county N. M., sell said lands and premises at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash for the purpose of satisfying said judgment, interest and costs of said action and costs of sale.
A. A. Beeman, Special Master.

Notice for Publication

Non coal land
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., October 2, 1913.
Notice is hereby given that Cecilia R. Anderson, of Longs, N. M. who on February 4, 1909 made homestead entry No. 65903, for South-west quarter section 27, Township 4 south, range 35 east, N. M. P. M. principal meridian has filed notice of intention to make three 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 December, 1913.
Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas H. Long, William S. Anderson, Warren McClellan, Lucy A. Frazier, all of Longs, N. M., C. C. Henry, Register.

Notice for Publication

Non coal land
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., October 6, 1913.
Notice is hereby given that Arthur B. Newton of Portales, N. M. who on Sept. 1, 1910 made homestead entry No. 68311 for range 33E, section 6, township 2 south, range thirty-three east N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make three 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 December, 1913.
Claimant names as witnesses: John F. Morgan, Byron M. McCall, Alexander S. Compton, Portales, N. M., Joseph Rich, of Macy, N. M., C. C. Henry, Register.

Notice for Publication

Non coal land
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Ft. Sumner, N. M., October 25, 1913.
Notice is hereby given that Austin T. Smith, of Portales, N. M. who on June 25, 1909 made homestead entry No. 66684 for SW 1-4, Sec. 28 township 3 S. range 34 E., and on Mar. 15, 1911, made additional homestead entry No. 69443 for SE quarter section 27, township 3 south, range 34 east, N. M. P. M. principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three 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 December, 1913.
Claimant names as witnesses: La Kyle, Emma Henderson, Emma Henderson, all of Mann, N. M., Jonathan P. Ford, of Portales, N. M., C. C. Henry, Register.

Notice for Publication

Non coal land
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Oct. 25, 1913.
Notice is hereby given that John K. Stewart, of Portales, N. M. who on August 20, 1907 made homestead entry No. 64113 for SW 1-4 sec. 15, Twp. 3 S. R. 31 E. N. M. P. M. principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three 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 Dec. 1913.
Claimant names as witnesses: James A. Tinsley, Prentice O. Naylor, George S. Hatch, John M. Reid, all of Portales, N. M., C. C. Henry, Register.

Notice for Publication

Non coal land
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Oct. 9, 1913.
Notice is hereby given that Edw. Hargis of Delphos, N. M. who on Sept. 9, 1907, made original homestead entry number 6514 for NW 1-4 sec. 11, township 33 east, N. M. P. M. principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three 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 15th day of Dec. 1913.
Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas L. Stocum, Joe Throckmorton, Kells R. Hext, C. G. Austin, all of Delphos, N. M., C. C. Henry, Register.

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Notice of Special Master Sale

In the District Court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico
M. H. Fletcher, administrator, plff.
vs. No. 921
George A. and Ella E. Law, Defendants
Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a decree rendered in the above named court on August 28th, 1913, in the above cause therein pending, wherein the plaintiff was given judgment against the defendants for the sum of \$170.50 with twelve per cent, per annum interest thereon from date of judgment until paid, and the additional sum of \$170.33 as attorneys fees, with six per cent, per annum interest thereon from date of judgment until paid, on account of a certain note executed by said defendants to one, Catherine McPherson, of whose estate, said plaintiff is the administrator, said note dated, June, 15th, 1908, and due twelve months after for the sum of \$150.00 with 12 per cent, per annum interest thereon from date until paid, and with ten per cent additional on the sum due thereon as attorneys fees, if placed for collection in the hands of an attorney, on which the court gave judgment for said above amounts first named, and said judgment was also a decree of foreclosure of a certain mortgage executed by said defendants to secure the due payment of said note, by which they conveyed the NW 1-4 of Sec. 19, Twp. 1 S. R. 35 E. N. M. P. M. in Roosevelt county, New Mexico, conditioned upon the due payment of said note, and whereas, said lands with all improvements thereon was by said decree declared and decreed to be subject to the lien of said mortgage for said sum so found to be due as aforesaid on said note and same was by the court ordered sold as provided by law in such cases for the payment of said judgment indebtedness, together with all costs of said action and the costs of said sale, and the undersigned was by the court duly appointed to sell said lands and premises for said purpose, as special master.
Now therefore, I, Ben Smith, by virtue of said decree and the order of the court aforesaid, will at the hour of two o'clock p. m. on the twenty-second day of December, 1913, at the northeast front door of the courthouse in the town of Portales, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, sell said lands and premises at public outcry to the highest bidder cash for the purposes of satisfying said judgment as aforesaid.
BEN SMITH,
Special Master.

Notice of Special Master Sale

In the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.
L. Powell, plaintiff,
vs. No. 923.
J. B. H. Young and Harriet A. Mortimore defendants.
Whereas, in said above named court in said above styled and numbered cause, judgment was rendered August 28th 1913, in favor of the plaintiff, against the defendants in the sum of \$1743.00, with ten per cent per annum interest thereon from date of judgment until paid, on account of a certain note, dated April 15th, 1911, and for the sum of \$1500.00 due six months after date with ten per cent per annum interest thereon from date until paid, executed to plaintiff, by defendant, J. B. H. Young, and the payment of same assumed by said defendant, Harriet A. Mortimore; and whereas, said judgment was decreed to be a lien against both said defendants on said lands and premises superior to the rights of either in same by virtue of said mortgage, the said defendant, Harriet A. Mortimore, having purchased said lands and premises, said defendant, J. B. H. Young, subject to said mortgage, and assumed the payment thereof; and whereas, by said decree said undersigned was appointed by the court as Special Master to sell said lands and premises for the purpose of satisfying said judgment, together with all interest and costs of said action and costs of sale;
Now therefore, by virtue of the authority in me vested by said decree of said court as aforesaid, I, Ben Smith, will at the hour of two o'clock p. m. on December 22nd, 1913, at the northeast front door of the court house in the town of Portales, Roosevelt county, sell said lands and premises to the highest bidder for cash, at public outcry, for the purpose of satisfying said judgment as aforesaid, and all costs of said action and the costs of sale.
Ben Smith, Special Master.

Notice for Publication

Non coal land
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., November 10, 1913.
Notice is hereby given that Harry A. Trammell, of Arch, N. M. who on Oct. 11, 1909, made original homestead entry No. 67113, for SW 1-4 sec. 23, township 3 south, range 33 east, N. M. P. M. principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three 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 Dec. 1913.
Claimant names as witnesses: Grover C. Burk, Luther V. Brown, Eugene N. Trammell, all of Arch, N. M., Charles W. Isaac, Portales, N. M., C. C. Henry, Register.

MONUMENTS

We are Resident Agents of the Sweetwater Marble Works See us for Designs and Prices
HUMPHREY & SLEDGE

Notice of Suit

In the District Court of Roosevelt county New Mexico.
C. B. Kyte, Plaintiff,
vs. No. 958.
Maud Clark, Geo. E. Clark, and A. A. Teague, defendants.
The above named defendants are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against them in the above named court by said plaintiff and numbered 958 on the docket of said court.
The general objects of said suit being to collect three notes dated May 25th, 1912, the first for \$50.00 due Jan. 1st, 1913, the 2nd, for \$100.00 due Jan. 1st, 1914, and the 3rd, for \$150.00 due Jan. 1st 1915; each bearing interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date until paid, and ten per cent additional thereon as attorneys fees, all said notes maturing by virtue of the mortgage executed to secure same of even date with said notes, and providing that a failure to pay any of said notes at maturity thereof, the whole of said indebtedness represented by said notes should become due and payable, and the amount sued for being the sum of \$300.00 with ten per cent interest thereon from May, 25th, 1912, until paid and ten per cent on the sum due as attorneys fees.
Said action being further to foreclose the mortgage executed by defendants, Maud and Geo. E. Clark, to secure the due payment of said notes as aforesaid, on the E. 1-2 of the SE 1-4 of SW 1-4 of Sec. 18 Twp. 2 S. R. 35 east N. M. P. M., with all improvements thereon, and to have said mortgage declared a prior and paramount lien to any interest or claim in said premises, which any of said defendants may have, it being alleged that defendant, A. A. Teague, has some sort of claim or interest in said premises, but inferior to the lien of the plaintiff herein.
Defendants are further notified that unless they appear and answer in said cause on or by the 3rd day of Jan. 1914, judgment will be rendered against them by default and the plaintiff be given the relief demanded in his complaint.
T. E. Mears is attorney for plaintiff and his business address is Portales, New Mexico.
Witness my hand and seal of said court this Nov. 6th, 1913.
C. P. Mitchell, Clerk,
By J. W. Ballow, Deputy.

Notice of Foreclosure Sale

A. S. Ripley, Plaintiff
vs.
Mary Murphy, William Murphy and C. M. Burks, Defendants.
No. 923
Whereas, on the 9th day of September, 1913, in a certain cause pending in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, in and for the county of Roosevelt, wherein A. S. Ripley is plaintiff, and Mary Murphy, William Murphy and C. M. Burks are defendants, said cause being numbered 923 upon the civil docket of said court the plaintiff recovered a judgment and decree against the defendants, Mary Murphy, William Murphy, and C. M. Burks, and a foreclosure of mortgage running against the land hereinafter described, in the sum of \$601.70 said judgment bearing 8 percent interest said judgment having been recovered upon a promissory note and mortgage executed and delivered to plaintiff by the defendants, and, whereas, in said decree, said mortgage, securing the above mentioned debt, was foreclosed upon the following described property to-wit:
Northeast quarter of section twenty-six and the southeast quarter of section twenty six, all in township three south of range thirty-two east N. M. P. M. and plaintiff's said mortgage declared a first and prior lien upon said premises and superior to any right, title or interest of the defendants, or either of them, in and to said premises, and, whereas, in said decree, the undersigned, George L. Reese, was appointed by the Court Special Commissioner to advertise and sell said property, according to law, and to apply the proceeds arising from sale to the satisfaction of said judgment and cost of suit, which at date of sale hereinafter mentioned will amount to \$615.00.
Therefore, by virtue of said judgment and decree, and the power vested in said Special Commissioner I will on the 17th day of December, 1913, at the hour of one o'clock, p. m. of said day, at the northeast front door of the Court House, in the town of Portales, New Mexico, sell said described property at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, for the purpose specified in said decree.
Witness my hand on this 11th day of November, 1913.
George L. Reese,
Special Commissioner.

D. L. ZINN AUCTIONEER

Rates reasonable. Call Traveler's Inn for dates.
Portales, New Mexico
Notice for Publication.
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., September 3, 1913.
Notice is hereby given that Lela King, of Portales, N. M. who on July 1, 1911, made homestead entry No. 69715 for NE 1-4 sec. 24, township 3 south, range 33 east, N. M. P. M. principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three 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 Dec. 1913.
Claimant names as witnesses: Calvin R. George, Ernest E. King, Stephen A. Crabb, John H. King, all of Portales, N. M., C. C. Henry, Register.

WHO IS L. S. KIRBY

The guy has the most up-to-date barber shop in town.
NEXT TO POSTOFFICE
The Herald \$1.00 a year and worth it.

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Nov. 11, 1913.
Notice is hereby given that Gertrude P. Power of Portales, N. M., who on December 19, 1901, made homestead entry No. 69127, for the NE 1-4, and S 1-2 SW 1-4 Sec. 35, Twp. 1 south, range 35 east, N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. C. Compton, Probate Judge, Roosevelt county, at his office at Portales, N. M., on the 2nd day of Jan. 1914.
Claimant names as witnesses: E. C. Murrell, Walter C. Moore, George R. Stephenson, Abraham, A. Large, all of Portales, N. M., C. C. Henry, Register.

Notice for Publication

Non coal land
Department of the Interior U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Nov. 6, 1913.
Notice is hereby given that William M. Gibson of Longs, N. M. who on June 25, 1907 made homestead entry No. 64348 for NE 1-4 section 25, township 4 south, range 35 east, N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before J. C. Compton, Probate Judge Roosevelt county, N. M. in his office at Portales, N. M. on the 27th day of Dec. 1913.
Claimant names as witnesses: James W. Rogers, Thomas E. Haislip, Thomas J. Mullins, Christopher C. Small, all of Longs, N. M., C. C. Henry, Register.

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., November 10, 1913.
Notice is hereby given that James H. Maxwell, of Arch, New Mexico, who on August 28, 1909, made homestead entry No. 66974, for a 1-2 SW 1-4 sec. 1 and N 1-2 NW 1-4 section 12, township 2 south, range thirty-six east, N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make three 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 3rd day of January, 1914.
Claimant names as witnesses: Henry P. Towson, John W. Buckner, William Hassell, all of Arch, N. M., John E. Black, of Portales, N. M., C. C. Henry, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Nov. 6, 1913.
Notice is hereby given that Nettie Barton widow of Charles R. Barton, deceased, of Carter, N. M. who, on Dec. 3, 1908, made homestead entry No. 69048, for SW 1-4, section 12, township 4 south, range 36 east, New Mexico principal meridian, 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 27 day of Dec. 1913.
Claimant names as witnesses: John T. Watkins, John Nalley, Zenas Wilmoth, Richard Carter, all of Carter, N. M., C. C. Henry, Register.

Notice of Suit

In the District Court of Roosevelt county New Mexico.
I. R. Hill, as administrator of the estate of Mack Qualls, deceased, plaintiff,
vs. No. 959.
Dillard Qualls and Arch Qualls, defendants.
To the defendants, Dillard Qualls and Arch Qualls in the above suit: You will take notice that a suit has been filed against you in the District Court for the fifth judicial district of the state of New Mexico, for the county of Roosevelt, in which I, R. Hill as Administrator of the estate of Mack Qualls is Plaintiff and Dillard Qualls and Arch Qualls are Defendants and numbered 959 on the docket of said court. That the general objects of said suit are as follows:
To secure an order from the said Court herein allowing the said I. R. Hill as administrator of the estate of Mack Qualls to sell all the interest of said estate in and to the NE 1-4 section 13, in Twp. 3 south of range 30 east, N. M. P. M., and any other real estate in and to which said estate may have an interest and for cost of suit and such other and further relief as the nature of the cause may require.
You are notified that if you fail to appear and answer or plead in this cause on or before the 12th day of January 1914, judgment by default will be rendered against you in this suit and the allegations to plaintiff's complaint will be taken as confessed.
C. M. Compton, Jr., is attorney for the plaintiff and his business address is Portales, New Mexico.
Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 7th day of Nov. 1913.
C. P. Mitchell, Clerk.
By J. W. Ballow, Deputy.
(Seal)

LOOK OUT FOR THE CARS

DO YOU know of anyone who is old enough to read, who has not seen that sign at a railroad crossing?
If everyone has seen it at some time or other, then why doesn't the railroad let the sign rot away? Why does the railroad company continue to keep those signs at every crossing?
Maybe you think, Mr. Merchant, "Most everybody knows my store, I don't have to advertise."
Your store and your goods need more advertising than the railroads need to warn people to "Look Out for the Cars."
Nothing is ever completed in the advertising world.
The Department Stores are a very good example—they are continually advertising—and they are continually doing a good business.
If it pays to run a few ads round about Christmas time, it certainly will pay you to run advertisements about all the time.
It's just business, that's all, to ADVERTISE in THIS PAPER

Editor Visits Farms

(Continued from 1st Page)

Successful business men before opening up a farm in the Portales Valley, and they have carried these business methods into their farm life. They work with their muscles and their heads.

Buchannon brothers cultivated fifty acres last season. They will cultivate their entire farm this next year. They expect to grow alfalfa and feed stuffs principally, and market this on foot; that is feed to hogs, calves, cows, colts and chickens. In this way a market is assured and that at top price. There are fourteen brood sows, seventy-five rose comb white leghorn chickens, a few head of cows and horses on this farm at this writing.

W. H. Buchannon said: "I can make as much out of seventy-five leghorn hens as I can out of three cows. Chickens will respond to good treatment. I have especially constructed houses for my chickens and never let them out in cold, damp weather. I am getting eggs right along."

"Yes we have fourteen acres in orchard principally apples, cherries and grapes, but we have some plums, peaches and pears. I think this is a coming fruit country."

W. M. COX

W. M. Cox is a merchant farmer. We suppose that is what you would call him. He works about twelve hours per day in one of our mercantile houses and farms between times. Of course we wouldn't "cheep" it, but really we believe Mrs. Cox is the real farmer of the two.

Let that be as it may. From two acres Mr. Cox has realized \$400 this year aside from the big end of his living. This splendid little farm adjoins Portales on the west and is evidence of what a man can do with a small tract here.

We passed this place in the afternoon just as Mrs. Cox was preparing to feed the fowls. It was a great sight. Four hundred chickens and a big bunch of turkeys rushing hither and yon, all about the party who was preparing to give them their evening meal. This old couple realize a good living from this little tract and Mr. Cox merchandises, we presume, for recreation.

High School

Editor Portales Herald, Dear Sir:

I would like to express my views in regard to the building and maintaining of three high schools in our county. So as not to be misunderstood I want to say that I am heartily in favor of better schools, schools in fact, that will enable the man who has only 160 acres of land 15 or 20 miles from town to give his children a practical business education.

To build and equip a building worthy of the name of a high school building, it will cost at least \$10,000, to run the school 8 or 9 months will cost at least \$5,000, to build three such buildings will require \$30,000, to commence with, \$15,000 a year expenses. Have we \$30,000 surplus school money on hand? If not who is going to furnish the money? How many scholars in the rural districts will be able to attend these schools? I will admit that a school of that kind will be quite an advertisement for the three towns they are in and would increase the value of real estate at and near the towns, but what about the rural districts? If we have \$30,000 surplus money, why not divide it with the several school districts of the county according to the valuation of taxable property in each district and if we are accumulating \$15,000 per annum, increase our apportionment to cover the amount and then we can have 8 or 9 month school in every district or the most of them. If we have not this surplus capital, it would require a bond issue and sell the bonds at a discount to do the building, and a higher tax rate to pay the interest on these bonds and raise the \$15,000 to run the schools. I like to see our towns build up and keep pace with the surrounding country, but when the towns get ahead of the country and the people are overburdened with taxes, both the town and country will fall behind. Now I want to say to the men who will carry this load "think, think twice before you add to your load."

J. E. KILBURN, Carter, N. M.

Hotel for sale or trade, well located in Portales, New Mexico. Inquire at Herald office. 46-47-p

Notice for Publication

Non coal land Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., November 24, 1913. Notice is hereby given that Vilah Krite of Mann, N. M. who, on October 8, 1909, made homestead entry No. 06663, for SW 1-4, Sec. 20 Township 38 Range 34 E. and on Jan. 20 1910 made add. hd. entry No. 07369 for SW 1-4, sections 19 township 38 south, range 34 east, N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make 3 year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, United States Commissioner, at his office, at Portales, N. M., on the 10th day of January, 1914.

Notice for Publication. Non coal land Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., November 12, 1913. Notice is hereby given that Oliver B. Frampton of Portales, N. M. who, on Jan. 9, 1911, made homestead entry No. 07976 for northeast quarter, section 11, township 2 south, range 33 east, N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make 3 year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Portales, N. M., on the 7th day of Jan. 1914.

Notice for Publication. Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Nov. 28, 1913. Notice is hereby given that James N. Price of Redland, N. M. who on December 7, 1910, made homestead entry No. 09069 for NW 1-4, Sec. 12, Range 14, S. 1-2, NW 1-4 section 6, township 5 south, range 37 east, N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make 3 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 19th day of Jan. 1914.

Notice for Publication. Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Nov. 28, 1913. Notice is hereby given that James D. Cyphers of Benson, N. M. who on Oct. 28, 1907, made homestead entry No. 04664, for northwest quarter section 2 township 2 south, range 30 E and on June 9, 1909 made additional hd. entry No. 06609 for SW 1-4 section 2 Twp 2 S Range 30 east, New Mexico principal meridian 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 28th day of February, 1914.

Notice for Publication. Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Nov. 28, 1913. Notice is hereby given that Sidney Wilder of Nobe, N. M. who on April 1, 1907, made Original homestead entry No. 04111 for SE 1-4 Sec 31, Twp. 5S, Range ME, and on January 23, 1913 made add. homestead entry Number 06099 for lots 2 and three Sec. 4 Twp 6S R. 35 E. and lot 1, Sec. 7, Twp 6S, Range 35 east, New Mexico Principal Meridian has filed notice of intention to make five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, United States Commissioner, at his office at Nobe, N. M., on the 9th day of Feb. 1914.

Methodist Church Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11. Subject "Faith" Preaching in the evening 6:45 Subject "The last message of Jesus" Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 6:45. Come out to these services, and we will give you a warm welcome, and will try to do you good.

A. C. Bell, P. C.

Notice Last call. You are requested to call at the office of the Town Clerk and pay your water and light bill by the 10th inst., otherwise your service will be discontinued and a fee of one dollar will be charged to cut service back on W. H. Braley, Town Clerk.

FOR RENT—Nice five room house, well located, good barns, plenty of water and five acres subject to irrigation. Apply at office of county clerk.

Smile That Won't Come Off will be on the faces of the entire family into which a box of our chocolate almonds or other candy has been introduced. And the smiles will grow broader with each morsel tasted. If you don't believe it buy a box and test it for yourself. The flavor commands favor.

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the district of New Mexico. BANKRUPTCY PETITION FOR DISCHARGE

In the matter of: No. Two Thomas C. Eiland, Debtor.

Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy. To the Honorable William H. Pope, Judge of the district court of the United States, for the district of New Mexico, Thomas C. Eiland, of Eiland, in the county of Roosevelt, and state of New Mexico, in said district, respectfully represents that on the 25th day of May, 1912, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the act of congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all requirements of said acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.

ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON In the United States district court for the district of New Mexico.

On this 21st day of November, A. D. 1913, on reading the petition for discharge of Thomas C. Eiland, bankrupt, it is ordered by the court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 8th day of January, A. D. 1914, before H. L. Boon, Esq., a referee in bankruptcy of said court, at Tucumcari, in said district, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Portales Times, a newspaper printed in said district, & that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the court, that the referee shall send by mail to all known creditors, copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence, as stated.

WM. H. POPE, U. S. District Judge. A true copy: GUY F. LEE, Clerk.

Baptist Church

Sunday school 10 o'clock. Subject for forenoon sermon, "Authority and Value of Christian Missions." Evening service "Plan of Salvation." Everyone cordially invited.

W. EDWARD DAWN, Pastor.

Bids Received

I, C. V. Harris, Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of this, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, hereby certify that the bids received by the board on the building of the vault in the clerks of fee were as follows, to wit:

Table with 3 columns: Name bidder, Amount bid, No. bid. Includes T. N. Harris (\$695.00), C. W. Ison (\$720.00), A. S. Bramlett (No bid).

Witness my hand and the seal of said board this the 4th day of December 1913.

[Seal] C. V. Harris, Chairman. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of Dec. 1913.

[Seal] John W. Ballow, Notary Public.

"I was cured of diarrhoea by one dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy" writes M. E. Gebhart, Oriole, Pa. There is nothing better. For sale by all dealers.

LET US ORDER YOUR XMAS JEWELRY Kandy Kitchen

SOCIETY ANNUAL RECEPTION OF WOMANS CLUB

The annual reception of the Womens Club Friday evening was one of the happy social affairs of the season.

About fifty were present and listened to a most excellent program rendered by the Ladies Chorus, with a special piano selection by Miss Eva Crosby and Miss Pearl Leach, also special reading by Miss Vera Merrill.

Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the program.

BIBLE SCHOOL GRADED UNION MEETS

W. C. Merritt, interdenominational bible school worker for New Mexico, was in Portales Monday and gave a very interesting and helpful lecture to a number of local bible school workers at the school building in the afternoon.

Prof. J. S. Long, president, Mrs. Inda Humphrey, vice president, Mrs. J. H. Shepard, secretary, Mrs. R. H. Wylie, treasurer, Mrs. W. O. Oldham, superintendent of elementary grades, Mr. Smith, superintendent of teacher training, Mrs. F. E. Wilson, superintendent of intermediate, Ben Woods, superintendent of adult work, Mrs. J. W. Yates, superintendent of temperance work.

Miss Mable Sanders entertained, in a most happy manner, her Sunday school class Thanksgiving day. The little folks were treated to a genuine old fashion turkey and pumpkin pie and cranberry sauce dinner.

The following were present: Little miss Ruth Watson, Zola May Wylie, Lydia Cox, Pearl Faggard, Master Milton Anderson, Otto Paulsell and Hershel Boucher.

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Free to You Every person who buys \$10.00 worth of merchandise from me by the time I close my store Saturday the 13th will receive absolutely FREE one 48 pound sack of flour. Everything in the store goes except flour and sugar. All you have to do is just buy \$10.00 worth of merchandise and the flour is yours. Remember my stock of dry goods, notions, groceries, etc., is complete and prices right. The Racket Store

Charles S. Elida Thankg Pleasant community. part of the no better anywhere. Last Tuesday Pleasant schools all real Thank day. Earl crowd being constantly day. The carriages, and many to get ther The ent day affair, important editor's es ner. Th doors with partakers sky Nev dinner spru derived th A great t literally gr hicious viar culinary a communitie crowd had enough was thrice more forgotten ad filled the m Dinner ov The Chaves pervision of Kenna, carr the other tw seconds. fine. At th program all the affair a indeed. Another Certainly is a success, fact we wish constantly in has just en his farm is starting in good cows, h week and ce separator. into the cr and we wish undertaking Baptist The fifth the Portales which met he was attende ministers: F G W. Strou Covington, a Also a numbe Rev. Strou lent sermon ing. "I come sace from Go Good dray Roscoe Cann S. Street th Joe Wilkers were up fro Tuesday in a When you Cannon. Subscribe f C. S. Caldwell United States Miss Mae N up this week friend Mrs. M I am now re coal, lumber o Dr. Hough, Elida first Sat First class Blankenship's J. A. Kaik of ifornia was an Tuesday. See S. Str coal. If you want one of the bes see Chas. L. the Portales H

Thanksgiving--Pleasant Ridge

Pleasant Ridge is a fine community. It forms the western part of the Hawkeye valley and no better people can be found anywhere.

Last Thursday the Chaves, Pleasant Ridge and Hawkeye schools all united in one of the real Thanksgiving events of the day. Early in the morning the crowd began to assemble and constantly increased during the day. They came in buggies, carriages, wagons and on horses, and many walked; just anyway to get there.

The entertainment was an all day affair, and no doubt the most important thing, according to the editor's estimation, was the dinner. This was served out of doors with nothing between the partakers thereof and the blue sky. Never before was such a dinner spread and never such joy derived therefrom.

A great table five by thirty feet literally groaned under the delicious viands prepared by the culinary artists of those three communities. After the great crowd had eaten to the full, enough was left to have fed them three more. Hard times were forgotten and happy thoughts filled the multitude.

Dinner over, a program began. The Chaves school, under the supervision of Miss Seta Jones, of Kenna, carried off first prize, but the other two schools were close seconds. All the schools did fine. At the conclusion of the program all went home voting the affair a most delightful one indeed.

Another in the Business

Certainly the cream business is a success, as evidence of the fact we wish to mention that it constantly increasing. J. J. Good has just entered the business, his farm is at Delphos. He is starting in with about thirty one good cows, he was in town last week and carried home a \$125 separator. Mr. Good is going into the cream business right and we wish him success in the undertaking.

Baptist Association

The fifth Sunday meeting of the Portales Baptist association which met here November 27 30 was attended by the following ministers: Rev. Milton Reese, G. W. Stroud, L. L. Kyle, H. A. Covington, and E. S. Billberry. Also a number of lay members.

Rev. Stroud preached an excellent sermon Sunday, his text being, "I come to you with a message from God.

Good draying, done cheap.—Roscoe Cannon.

S. Street the coal man. Joe Wilkerson and Joe Wilcox were up from their ranch last Tuesday in a car.

When you need draying find Cannon.

Subscribe for the Herald from C. S. Caldwell and receive a large United States map in colors free.

Miss Mae Noland of Roswell is up this week visiting with her friend Mrs. Mackey.

I am now ready to unload your coal, lumber or goods.—Cannon

Dr. Hough, dentist, will be in Elida first Saturday each month.

First class shoe soling at—Blankenship's.

J. A. Kaik of Los Angeles California was an Elida visitor last Tuesday.

See S. Street for Swastika coal.

If you want to subscribe for one of the best weeklies going, see Chas. L. Caldwell, and get the Portales Herald.

Elida School Notes

All back to our work again.

We have three weeks of work before Christmas. The school days of this year determine the lives of the men and women next year.

Some one has said, "an educated man is ten men in one."

The boys put up their goal posts for basket ball last Tuesday.

Moses Smith entered school last week. We are glad to have him with us. We want all boys and girls who are willing to work.

Mr. Schyneder of Mexico, lectured to the school children Tuesday morning, telling them how German schools are managed. He says Germaus are very thorough as a boy, to complete his school work must go to school from the age of 8 to 27.

Charlie Caldwell says he wishes he knew Latin but he hates to study it. The spirit is willing but the flesh is weak.

Rex Borough reported a jolly time while out home last week.

Arthur Allen says he will make some spending money for Christmas by killing rabbits.

Prof. Russell is always seeing or hearing something that reminds him of the time he went to Albuquerque.

Dr. Light, president of Silver City normal school, has promised to visit the Teachers association to be held here next spring.

To trade, first-class concrete block hotel in Elida N. M., which brings in about \$300 per month, for farm. D. B. Rocky.

Seventy-five cans of cream was shipped from Elida this week.

Chas. Schneider of Mexico gave a fine lecture last Monday night on Mexico, Causes of the Revolution and Condition of affairs. Mr. Schneider handled his subject well. The lecture was free and was attended by a large crowd.

Zinn's Studio will open a branch studio in Elida, N. M. which will be open from 2 to 3 days every two weeks. Look for announcement of date. Will be some time after Dec. 1st.

Give me your shoe work—Blankenship.

See me and subscribe for the Portales Herald, the paper that gives all the news. Chas. Caldwell

Professor Shock of the Elida high school faculty returned last Sunday from Albuquerque. He had been there attending the teachers association. Mr. Shock says he made many acquaintances while away and enjoyed his trip fine.

M. S. Smith of Lacy is now a resident of our city. Mr. Smith has entered school here and is a promising student.

S. C. McBeath of Richland was in our city first of the week. Mr. McBeath reports a fine rain in his community.

All school teachers should have the Herald to get the school notes.

Give me a trial load.—Cannon, the Drayman.

Noah and Frank Miller, two of Pleasant Ridge's foremost cream men were in Elida on business Tuesday.

M. L. Creamer of New Hope came up Tuesday. Mr. Creamer is a genuine booster. He is a newcomer and likes here fine.

Arthur Allen, who is attending school here, spent a week with his parents at uptown.

The case of White vs Sexton which was tried in Roswell last week, resulted in a hung jury.

Prof. J. W. Russell came in Sunday from Albuquerque. He reports a great time.

Some of the farmers of the surrounding country are preparing their ground for another crop. This is a capital plan, as it gets the soil in a better condition to absorb and hold the winter rains and snows, and also keeps the land from blowing. Among those farmers who are preparing their soil are Ben Pendleton and Mr. Grinstead of Redlake, J. E. Kimbrel and E. G. Holmes of the Hawkeye valley.

Messrs John Ballow and Tom Marx were in the 'crean city' from Portales one day last week.

B. H. Marsh was up from Roswell Friday.

Henry Jones, a stock raiser from near the river, was in town last week.

Andrew J. Crow of Amarillo, was an Elida visitor Sunday.

Ernest Sayage is putting up some nice improvements on his farm this week.

A. A. Pervin was a business visitor from El Paso first of the week.

J. Street who is visiting his son S. Street, said, "New Mexico is hard to beat."

George Littlefield was in from his ranch Saturday.

Remember my fruit trees are home grown, hale and thrifty. W. P. Pitts, one mile east of town.

George Holland, B. W. Kinsolving, Charles Myers and Mr. Beal returned from Roswell Thursday where they had been attending court.

Messrs William B. McCombs, Dave Howell and Dock Sears, three Kenna ranchmen, bought the Bruce Marsh ranch. Consideration about \$40,000. Herald, 'the peoples paper.'

L. L. Liggett was in town Saturday visiting friends.

W. R. Caldwell who is in the employ of the Kemp Lumber Co. at Hagerman, was up Thanksgiving to spend the day with his mother, Mrs. Etta Caldwell, of the Pleasant Ridge neighborhood.

Quite a number of young people from town attended the picnic at Olive Thursday.

Charles Kinnard of Clovis, came in Saturday to spend the winter on his ranch in Hawkeye valley.

Rev. L. Jackson is pleased with the Herald.

Misses Mamie and Hazel Miller gave a social last Tuesday night. The weather was very disagreeable yet there was a jolly crowd of young folks present and all report a most enjoyable time.

Rev. G. W. Stroud was an Elida visitor Sunday. Rev. Stroud likes our city, and our people welcome him back.

Miss Ethel Holmes said, "I want the Herald." We are glad to hear such remarks. Go thou and do likewise.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Clay of Pleasant Ridge were in town Sunday.

Jim Burton, formerly an Elida real estate man and booster, was here Friday. Mr. Burton has retired from the land business but his boosting spirit still remains.

Everett Casper was in town recently from his ranch.

J. W. Cane of Richland was trading here Friday.

J. L. Greer of Clovis was here on business Friday.

Cents at Work

Everybody reads this column. Here you will find "special bargains" advertised. Watch for them each week. It will pay you. This column will be the "clearing house" especially for our readers of the rural districts. Look about your place, see what you have that you want to dispose of and advertise it in this column, for sale or trade for the small sum of one cent a word. Try this column for results. From 4000 to 5000 people will read your advertisement every week.

For sale--160 acre farm, five miles of Portales, well improved. Bargain.

For sale--160 acres, fenced, four miles of Portales. Snap for quick sale. Enquire at this office for the above.

To trade--Watch, good time keeper, for feed.

For sale or trade, Good second hand 40 horse power automobile.

Joyce-Fruit Co. if

For sale a \$375 piano, good as new, \$225 cash or terms if sold by January 1, 1914. Call at this office. if

For sale, 20 acres under irrigation, 5 in alfalfa, three miles of Portales, choice tract. Bargain. Terms. Offered for sale by owner. Write or call at Herald office. 50-4.

For sale at a bargain, no. 3 sharpless separator. Was not in the fire. Can be seen at Joyce-Fruit Co. 40-2t.

H. L. Swan.

For sale or trade, second hand Oliver typewriter.--Joyce-Fruit Co.

SCHOOL NOTES

By School

Mr. Long returned from the State Teachers' Association last Friday.

Bro. Bell conducted chapel for us on Monday last and gave us a very interesting talk.

In an oratorical contest, held at Albuquerque, Nov. 20th, our representative, Edwin Patterson, received second honors. The members of the high school showed their appreciation by the hearty "rahs" that greeted Mr. Patterson on his return Friday.

Clyde Boucher attended the Association at Albuquerque last week.

Miss Junita Ryther represented our school very creditably in the spelling contest at Albuquerque.

Don't fail to see the basket ball game between Clovis and Portales on Saturday afternoon. Game begins promptly at 2:00 o'clock.

The honor roll will be given next week.

Herald for job work, right.

Don't Forget STREET

The busy Merchant and the maker of Prices! The starter of the cream Separator and cream business.

I handle everything to eat and wear. Agent for the noted Sharples Separator, "Best on Earth."

Also handle the American Block and Swastika Coal. Don't forget the "Old Corner" we have the goods and price!

S. STREET

Elida, New Mexico

..Ford Automobile Agency..

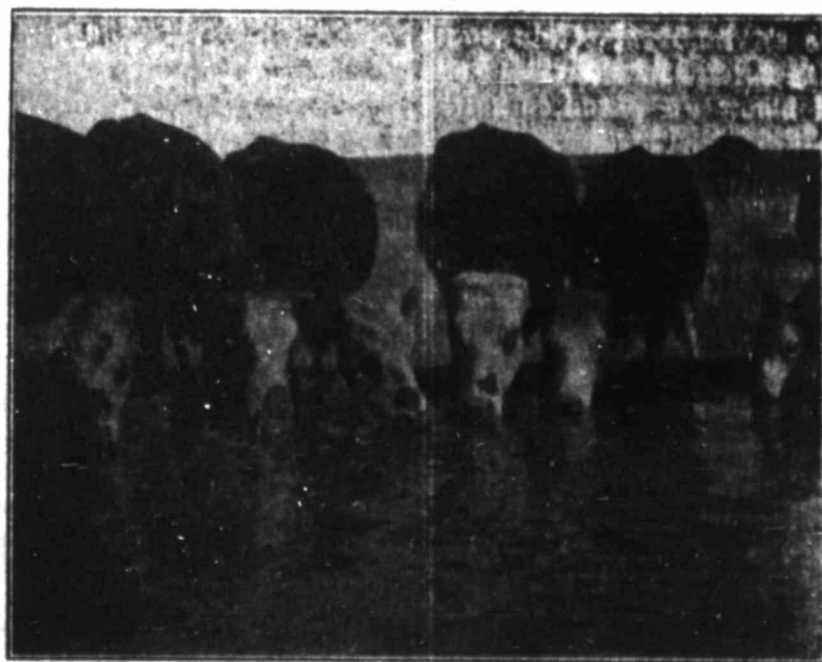
We now have a sub-agency for the famous Ford Automobile, having procured the same from Messrs, Faggard and Tyson, of Portales, New Mexico.

Also have supplies and a well fitted and appointed garage.

Autos for Livery Hire
As well as for Sale

PERCIFULL & ROCKEY

ELIDA NEW MEXICO



The above cut will give you some idea of the way we grow cattle in Roosevelt county. No better country in the world for growing fine stock of all kinds.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM Baking Powder

Is a protection and guarantee against alum which is found in the low priced baking powders.

To be on the safe side when buying baking powder, examine the label and take only a brand shown to be made from Cream of Tartar.



DECEMBER OFFERS



Christmas Things--Buy Now!

YOU WISH TO HAVE CHEERFUL XMAS DON'T YOU? THEN TURN YOURSELF LOOSE AND BUY PRESENTS FOR THOSE YOU ARE FOND OF. MAKING THEM HAPPY WILL MAKE YOU HAPPY. NOR SHOULD YOU OVERLOOK YOURSELF. COME AND LOOK OVER OUR LINE OF

BEAUTIFUL CHRISTMAS THINGS. YOU WILL BUY TO YOUR HEART'S CONTENT YOU WILL FIND THINGS THAT WILL PLEASE YOUR CHRISTMAS SPIRIT AND PLEASE THOSE TO WHOM YOU GIVE THEM.

Suggestions For Christmas Gifts

At 50c

WOMEN

Vanity boxes
Fancy neckwear
Sterling silver thimble
Princess embroidered outfit complete
Leather handbags

At \$3.50

WOMEN

Shoes
Silk or wool dress pattern
House dresses
Lace front corset
Silverware
Glass ware

At 75c

MEN'S

Xmas ties--in boxes
Cuff links
Gloves
Tie and hose Xmas box
Pocket knife

At \$1.00

MEN'S

Silk ties and hose--Xmas boxes
Mufflers
Gloves
Sweaters
Shirts
Night Shirts
Enders Safety razors
Pocket knife
Ingersoll Watches
Alarm clock
1 dz. No. 2 standard BB corn
1 dz. No. 1 Walkers pork and beans
1 dz. No. 1 Walker chili con carni
1 dz. No. 1 Del Gardos tamales
4 lb. bkt. climax coffee
1 dz. bars 10c wild rose toilet soap
6 cans Jack Frost baking powder

WOMEN

Stamped goods with floss to complete garment
Handbags
Card cases
Neckwear--fancy
Silk hose
Gloves
Flannelett gowns
Porcelian dish pan
Roasters
Sanitary bread box
Porcelined lined water bucket

CHILDREN

Dolls
Doll heads
Sweaters
Shoes
Buster Brown hose--4 pr

At \$2.00 to \$800.

BOYS

Suit
Overcoats
Rifles

At \$1.25

MEN'S

Flannelette night shirt
Tie, hose and handkerchief--Xmas boxes
Cuff links--gold
Jacket knife

WOMEN

Felt slippers
Kimonas
Collar and cuff sets--velvet and lace
Gloves
Silk scarfs

CHILDREN

Dolls
Sweaters
Fine mesh bags--long chains
Gold neckless with locket

At \$1.50

MEN'S

House Slippers
Silk hose, tie and handkerchief--Christmas--burnt wood boxes
Pocket knife

LADIES

House dresses
Kimonas
Felt slippers
Cuff and collar set--embroidered
Rouche collars
Hand bags
Gloves
Family scales
Copper bottom wash boilers

CHILDREN

Dolls
Gold locket and chairs
Silver vanity bag
Shoes
Hats
Iron wagon

At 25c

MEN'S

Necties--plain and fancy
Hose--all colors
Handkerchiefs--linen
Cuff links
Scarf pins
Tie Clasp
Pocket knife
Key ring and chain

WOMEN

Handkerchiefs embroidered
Jabots--lace
Broaches
Belts
Barettes
Combs--back or side
Neckless--pearl or novelties
Knife--Palette or kitchen
Butcher knife
Scissors
4 jars 10c Mon. mustard
3 bottles of 15c Mon. pepper sauce
1 qt. Eagle pickles
5 lbs. Rex Jelly
6 Borax washing compound
3 15c Eagle pickles

CHILDREN

String Beads--all colors
Dolls
Doll heads
Beauty pins
Vanity Bags
Gloves
Ties
Tie clasp
Hair Ribbons
Jack knife

At \$10.00 to \$20.00

FOR THE HOME

Navajo rugs
Exminister art squares
Stoves all kinds
Washing machines

At \$2.00

MEN'S

Leather house slippers--extra quality
Umbrellas
Sweater coats--wool
Hats
Wool Shirts
Jacket knife
5 gallon keg kraut

WOMEN

Neckwear--Xmas novelties
Dainty house slippers
German silver mesh bag
Beautiful dress patterns
Universal cake mixer
Aluminum coffee percolator
Nickel plated lamp
Asbestos sad iron set

At \$1.50 to \$2.00

FOR THE HOME

1 dz. Pillow cases
1 dz. good towels
Rugs
Blankets
Comforts
Lace curtains
Alarm clocks
Silver ware
Fruits
Fancy groceries
Iron board--folding

At \$10.00 to \$20.00

MEN'S

Overcoats
Suits
Shot guns
rifles
Revolvers

WOMEN

Cloaks
Suits
Dresses

At 50c

MEN'S

Belts
Suspenders
Handkerchiefs--silk
Tie holders
Silk hose
Cuff buttons
Scarf pins
Leggons
Laundry bags
10 lb. can blackberries
10 lb. can peaches
10 lb. can apples
10 lb. can golden glory syrup
10 lb. can ginger cake syrup
10 lb. can blue karo syrup
1 doz. A. B. napha soap

WOMEN

Silk hose
Silk gloves
Neckless pearl coral fancy mixed colors
Back combs--fancy
Hair pins--fancy
Embroidered linen handkerchiefs
Stamped linens
Lace collars
Tea spoons plated silver
Desert dishes
Glass pitchers

CHILDREN

Dolls
Mesh purses--long chain
Felt slippers
Neckless
Vanity boxes
Gloves
Sweater coats
Boys Jacket knife

At \$3.50 to \$4.00

FOR THE HOME

Rugs
Lace curtains
Wool blankets
Table linens and napkin to match

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