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AMERY BIG PROPOSITION

S. Schell Arrives, Tours County—Is Well Pleas'd With Prospects.

ICE AND STORAGE PLANT

Installation of Plant Will Mean Much for Our People and Town.

S. Schell, the Iowa creamman, came in last week and spent a considerable part of the week traveling over the county, getting familiar with conditions here and its future prospects for the further development of the dairy industry, as well as for poultry and eggs.

Mr. Schell is very enthusiastic about our county and well pleased with what he has seen. He desires to put in a large plant and of his purposes in traveling over the county was to see if the material would be available to support a big proposition, and to get the sentiment of the people toward such an institution.

He proposes to build an immense concern which will be capitalized at \$20,000. The building will contain 12,000 square feet of space and will have a capacity of from 7,000 to 21,000 pounds of butter fat per week. It will be so constructed that units may be added.

There will be an ice and cold storage plant in connection. In this way it will be possible to ship in carload lots and get better rates. It is the intention also to provide a cash market for poultry and eggs and ship out in carload lots.

Farmers and business men think what this means for you and for the town. This has long been one of our needs. The prospective rate that must be now paid for these products when they are shipped in small quantities, keeps the price down and retards the development of the industry.

Mr. Schell, T. A. Amos and the Herald-Times man were taken to S. E. Ward, manager of the Portales Power and Irrigation plant over the south east part of the county, Tuesday. All of the country stores were visited and merchants were enthusiastic about the proposition and promised their hearty co-operation.

Money in Cattle.

There is money in the cattle business in Roosevelt county. A buyer in the southeastern part of the county has made \$600 in the past thirty days buying and selling. His business has not been on a large scale, just picking up a few here and there until he got a nice little bunch and then disposing of them at a good profit. So enthusiastic is he now that he proposes to buy an automobile in order that he may be able to get about faster and buy more cattle.

Eubanks Arrives

Everett Eubanks arrived Wednesday, from Arkansas, bringing a car load of implements and stock and will live on his irrigated farm northwest of town.

Mr. Eubanks owns 40 acres of fine land and we feel sure that he will make good in the Portales Valley.

BUSINESS IS GOOD HERE

Many Cars of Products Shipped During the Last Month.

MUCH GRAIN TO BE SHIPPED

Four Threshers Hard At Work In Southeast Part of County.

Business is good in Portales, if you don't believe it think of the money that has been brought in from the following products shipped during the month of January: Grain 48 cars, broom-corn 11 cars, sweet potatoes two cars, hay two cars, hogs two cars and cattle one car.

Four threshers are working hard in the southeast part of the county and will probably be busy for 20 or 30 days yet. Much of the grain will be fed but the total shipments will probably reach 200 cars.

Broom corn is coming in every day and the total shipment will probably reach 50 cars.

Hay and sweet potatoes are being held for better prices and many cars of hogs, cattle, hay and sweet potatoes will be shipped before spring.

The grain business is booming and the farmers are getting unusually good prices considering the large crops they have raised. The dealers are handling the crop and shipping on very close margins and the producer is reaping the benefit.

The C. B. Cozart Grain Co. and J. B. Priddy are paying \$1.15 per hundred cash and the Joyce-Pruit Co. are \$1.20 in trade.

Seven Months Term For Rural Schools

New Mexico State Senate, Second Legislature, Santa Fe, March 8, 1915. Portales Herald-Times, Portales, N. M.

Gentlemen: I desire to convey to you, and through your paper to the people of the county, the glad tidings that the present legislature will enact the seven-months minimum school term. The bill was introduced by the committee on education, of which I am a member. It carried the emergency clause so the bill will go into effect upon its passage and approval. The bill passed the senate without a dissenting vote. The bill is now in the house and I am quite sure it will be passed by that body this week. Under the provisions of this bill each school district shall have at least seven months school each year and the state raises its assistance from \$300 to \$420 per annum.

I have talked over the road situation from Portales to Elida with the state engineer and believe we can get state aid in getting the sand road into condition, which is so badly needed.

Would be glad to hear from you often, giving your views on all matters pending in the legislature.

With assurances of my esteem, I am very truly yours,
A. J. EVANS.

A. A. Rogers is in Kansas City, and other towns in the north on business. He expects to return the first of the week.

ROOSEVELT COUNTY'S LIVESTOCK FARMERS

The Journeyist Visits Among the Progressive Farmers of the Valley and Farther Out, and Notes Many Interesting Things.

DAIRYING AND ALL KINDS OF STOCK FARMING INCREASING HERE

Many Permanent Improvements Made and Others Contemplated Which Mean Substantial Settlement

The story of the Journeyist this week is simply made up of some odds and ends as it were. It is just gathering up the fragments of a number of little journeys here and there. Next week I will have a story of the southeast part of Roosevelt county. That is a great section of a great country. Watch for the story.

C. L. Sanders.

I like to meet "live wires" in any line of work. I like to study successful men at close range. Hence it was a real pleasure to visit C. L. Sanders immediately after he had capped that first prize given by the Portales Utilities Company for the best kept place in the valley. Mr. Sanders was certainly wearing that smile that would not come off. And why not? He had gone up against some thirty of the real live ones of the valley and had won. You ought to see his place. It's a beauty. It is correctly named "The Daisy Farm." I shall not go into details about this man and his farm. Recently the editor of this paper did this in a splendid way. Sanders is a success—keep your eye on him.

E. P. Kuhl.

The editor of the Herald-Times said a carload, more or less, of good things about Mr. Kuhl and his dandy 20-acre farm one mile from town. He didn't say too much. Kuhl is doing things. He is a born optimist. He is a thinker. He is mixing brains with muscle, and he is developing a great place. Mr. Kuhl said, "I am here to stay. I am an experienced horticulturist. Orcharding will be my specialty here. I will grow apples, plums, peaches, prunes, almonds, English walnuts. In a word, I expect to try a large variety of fruits. I planted an orchard in Walla Walla, Wash., and I was told some time since that it is worth \$1500 an acre now. This country, in climate, soil and water, is far ahead of that. Mr. Kuhl expects this land to be selling for several hundred dollars per acre within the next five to fifteen years. He has named his "The Fairview Farm."

Billingsly, Taylor, Cochran.

The above named gentlemen are cultivating, in a successful way, 140 acres east of town two miles. They irrigate. A manure spreader is being used on this farm, the only one I have seen in the valley. These men are enthusiastic over it. A large number of these spreaders ought to be in use here. They tear up the fertilizer and evenly distribute it so that the soil gets all the benefit from it. If one farmer does not feel in position to buy a spreader several neighbors should go together and buy. The increased yield of crops will soon pay for the spreader. Mr. Billingsly said, "I couldn't like this country better. And this is the way the rest of the men feel

about it. I believe this country has got any country beat I ever saw, and I have seen several." A nice bunch of chickens, a few turkeys, guinas, some fifteen or twenty hogs, a few goats, cattle, horses and mules help to make farming a real success on this farm.

Leslie Smith.

Mrs. Journeyist accompanied me on this jaunt, and when I discovered Mr. Smith over in a nearby field, digging for gold, as it first appeared. I stopped right there and lost no time getting around to where the said Smith was, while Mrs. Journeyist went up to "gossip" with Mrs. Smith. Well, friend Smith was not digging gold, but instead he was preparing a number of rabbit traps with which to destroy these pesky critters. I wish him abundant success in his laudable undertaking. This solid farmer-stockman has resided here nearly five years and is making good. He is pursuing the surest road to successful farming here—that is, the live stock route. He has 24 head of cattle, a few horses, four brood sows and a male, and 50 full blood Plymouth Rock chickens. A lot of pigs were sold from this farm in 1914 and the smoke house is full of meat for home consumption. A separator is in use here and the weekly cream check cuts expenses greatly. Some twelve cows will be milked this year.

H. Trigg.

Perhaps none of the newcomers, and but few if any of the old timers, as for that, are making a greater success here than the gentleman whose name appears above. Mr. Trigg has 640 acres and is stock farming in a practical way. He owns 30 head of Herefords, 42 head of Persian sheep, 15 angora goats, 20 head of Duroc Jersey hogs and 150 Plymouth Rock hens. He says poultry, hogs, sheep, in fact all kinds of stock does as well or better here than in any place he has ever seen, and he has been in the stock business most of his life. Everything about this place is built with an eye to permanency and comfort, excellent fences, large barn, good chicken houses, good residence with a complete waterworks system over the place. An abundance of stuff was grown on the farm, and "the finest garden we ever had" last year. Mr. Trigg raised a large amount of sweet potatoes and prepared a place near his house and has kept them in the best of condition. Did I have the time and space I would tell how he did this. Ask him. He has made a success of it. Mr. Trigg thinks the surest means of success in this section for the stock farmer is to get the best of everything and diversify.

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MAKING GOOD PROGRESS

Many Men and Teams are Working on the Portales-Clovis Road.

WORK SYSTEMATICALLY ORGANIZED

Matter of Making Road Wider Being Taken Up With State Engineer

Work is progressing nicely on the Portales-Clovis road, under the direction of C. J. Marius. Some twenty-five teams are engaged on the work and about thirty-five men. The organization is good and the work is being conducted systematically.

White clay from Blackwater draw is being used for surfacing. An overhead trap has been constructed where this clay is hauled in slips and dumped into wagons. Good progress is being made and when completed we will have an excellent road to Clovis.

The matter of making the surfacing twelve feet wide instead of eight, as is now the intention, has been taken up with Jas. A. French, the state engineer.

Capt. T. J. Mollinari of the county road board, and the Herald-Times man, were taken by S. E. Ward over the road to the camp, Wednesday. It is probable that another pit will be made about two miles north of town, and the work carried on in both directions.

Good Roads Bureau.

The Eastern New Mexico Good Roads Association has heard from two members of the Legislature. Senator A. J. Evans writes "I am in hearty sympathy with the proposed state highway from the state line on south up the Valley to Texico, and will do anything within my power to promote the same. This highway is one of the most needed, I think, of any of the state highways laid out at the present time."

Dr. G. T. Veal representative is just as emphatic in his support. He is willing to introduce a bill to make this a state highway, such a bill has already been drawn on the instruction of the executive committee of the association. But the member counties must back up the association to accomplish anything in the way of legislation.

Praises the Herald-Times.

Jack Wilcoxon of Fairbury, Ill., a large land owner in this county, was here with a number of prospectors last week. He was very loud in his praises of the Herald-Times for the offer it is making the farmers of this county to get Sudan seed. He has seen Sudan grown in his native state with great success and thinks it will be a great thing for Roosevelt county. He said to the Herald-Times man, "you are doing one of the greatest things that has ever been done for the people of this county. I have seen Sudan tried out and know what it is."

Mr. Wilcoxon says that Sudan has a great value as an ensilage crop, but it should be mixed with kafir or some other forage crop because it is too rich alone.

ELIDA, THE CREAM CITY

Cattle and Dairy Industries Prominent in Development of Town.

BUSINESS MEN ARE OPTIMISTIC

Business Was Exceedingly Good in January There—Prospects Bright

The prosperity caused by the increase in the cattle and dairy industry is being felt at Elida as well as the rest of Roosevelt county.

That section of the county was settled mostly with a man on every quarter section, many of whom tried to farm without any cattle or dairying.

This has all been changed now and there is not a man in that vicinity who pretends to farm who does not have a number of cows, and many of them good sized herds. The change in business conditions and the financial conditions of the people is remarkable.

The Elida country, like the rest of the county, is now settled by a progressive people who are there to stay. They are making substantial improvements, better houses and barns and fixing up generally.

Business conditions in the town are good. The money derived from the sale of cream makes much of the business carried on by the merchants practically cash. One business man said "I had the best business last month that I had in five years."

This town was the first place in the county to begin to ship cream on a large scale. It increased rapidly until now it is one of the principal cream shipping points in the state.

Surely the prosperous condition of the town must be attributed to the cattle business and the selling of cream, for without these the town could not have existed.

Farmers Are Plowing.

The farmers in the southeast part of the county are plowing and getting the ground in shape for next year's crop. A hustling lot of farmers are these—one crop not marketed yet and preparing for the next one. They have raised immense crops which fact has encouraged them greatly and they are doing everything in their power to prepare to raise a bumper crop next year.

Sorry He Left—Will Return

Denison, Texas, Jan. 25, 1915. The Herald Printing Co., Portales, New Mexico.

Gentlemen: Thank you for copy of your paper, which reached me today. I am enclosing herewith money order for \$1 for one year's subscription. We left New Mexico three years ago, and have never gotten over our disappointment over the move, therefore expect to return there within the next twelve months, and locate near your city. For this reason I am subscribing for your paper, which I feel will have me pretty well acquainted with people and conditions by the time I make the move.

Yours very truly,
E. S. ANDERSON.

GOOD ROADS

CONCRETE CULVERT IS BEST

Style Being Built in Kansas Shown in Illustration—Good Roads Save Money.

They have begun not more than five years ago to build concrete culverts in this township, and in one mind and one way they have been building them the last three years would now have no place to put them. Besides our expense it has been much more than that in building the wooden culverts. J. T. King, trustee of Lincolnship, Lebo, Kan., in Farmers' Breeze. We began with the style of concrete culverts. Before we knew the good of this kind. We now use the full size where there are high banks, so we can grade up to the top of the arch and make the flat top. We build them by 16 feet, to 20 by 16 feet. Concrete work must be well reinforced with iron wire. We use any bar iron in the top, laid in lengthwise with the road. Woven hog wire is laid cross the top and in the wings, instead, so as to unite the whole into one piece. The tops have



Style of Culvert an Approved Type.

ing of eight inches and are to 16 inches thick in the center, thickness varying with the forms are placed so the abutments are all in one piece. The bars or rods must be so as to be partly embedded in the walls. We have just finished four culverts by 16 feet, made after the plan of illustration, at a cost of \$150. They seem to be quite a price, but last as we expect them to last for a long time. We get them cheap from the mill. Good roads move is a money saving to the people. More has been improved our highways in five years than in any 15 years before.

GOOD ROAD BUILDING

Attention in Discussion of Concrete Construction Worthy of Being Printed in Big Type.

HOUSE, Colorado, Agricultural College. The engineering record of recent years has been an interesting article concerning the purpose of the road to road builders, by experts in the line of work. The opening of the meeting the Record says as follows: "One sentence in the discussion of concrete road building would have been worth putting in black type. It is this: 'You should design a concrete pavement on a long and assume that you use the same cross-section about; you will have to design same as foundations for a building depending on the bearing power of soil, etc.'" This is undoubtedly true, and yet it is a fact that is almost universally disregarded.

DRAG IS INEXPENSIVE

Attention is Price of Good Concrete—Objection That Too Much Money is Spent on Grader.

(By C. SCHULTZ.) We have watched the use of the road grader past my house for some time. The drag leaves the road in a better shape—the grader plows a groove in the middle while the grader smooths it off nicely. But the chief objection is that the drag is used often enough. Constant attention is the price of good roads, and the use of the drag is so inexpensive that it would be by its use we obtain the same results as the grader with the same amount of money. That's the way the money goes.

Permanency of Bridges.

Concrete bridges for roads are the best that spell permanency. Between the light outfits and heavy motor cars with shaky bridges is in a bad way.

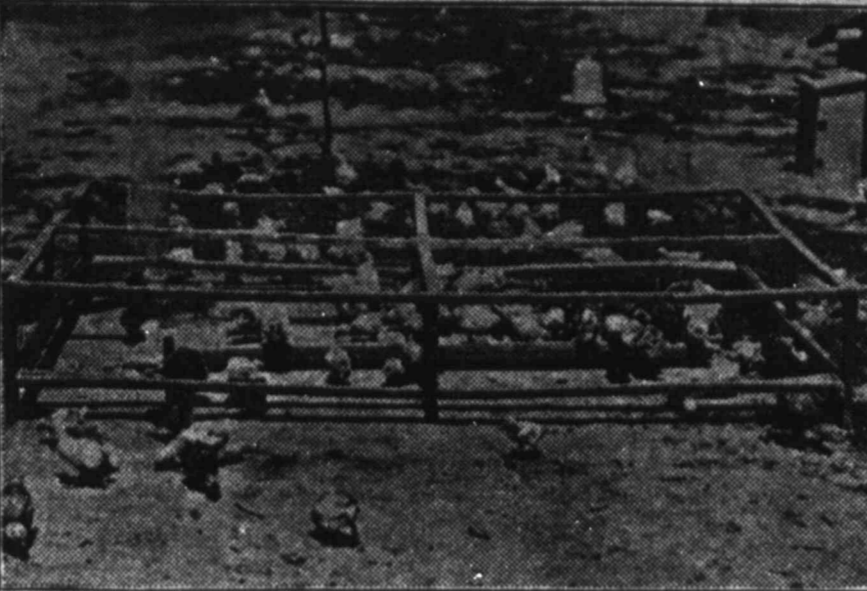
Keep Water Away.

Furrows along hills that may get water to a road and keep the water away from road and ditch.

Operating a Drag.

The drag. You can control the drag by shifting your weight.

MAKING MONEY WITH POULTRY AND SWINE



Frame Used to Protect Feed of Small Chicks From Older Ones in Use at Government Poultry Farm, Beltsville, Md.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) A recent farmers' bulletin (No. 624) issued by the United States department of agriculture, entitled "Natural and Artificial Brooding of Chickens," contains some interesting suggestions regarding the feeding of young chickens. The accompanying figure illustrates a frame cover with wire netting to protect feed of young chicks from the older fowls.

Young chickens should be fed from three to five times daily, depending upon one's experience in feeding. Undoubtedly chickens can be grown faster by feeding five times daily than by feeding three times daily, but it should be borne in mind that more harm can be done to the young chickens by overfeeding than by underfeeding, and at no time should they be fed more than barely to satisfy their appetites and to keep them exercising, except at the evening or last meal, when they should be given all they will eat. Greater care must be exercised not to overfeed young chicks that are confined than those that have free range, as leg weakness is liable to result in those confined.

Farmers who have no experience in hog raising but who wish to start a herd on their farms are urged by the United States department of agriculture to make haste slowly. It will be real economy, they say, if the beginner can secure the advice and assistance of an experienced breeder. Whether he succeeds in this or not, he should start with a small herd. Five sows will be enough for the first year if these are really good animals.

The chief points to be desired in a brood sow are set forth in farmers' bulletin 205 of the United States department of agriculture, published under the title of "Pig Measurement." The sows selected should be nearly the same age and uniform in type. The forehead should be broad between the eyes, the throat clean and trim, the neck moderately thin and the shoulders smooth and deep; the back should be fairly wide and straight, and ample



Head of Herd of Duroc Jerseys.

room for the vital organs should be provided by a good width and depth of chest, well-sprung ribs and straight, deep sides—a deep, capacious body from end to end. Depth of chest and sides are especially important in a brood sow. Pinched chests and waists must be avoided. Brood sows should, of course, show quality, but this should not become overrefined and delicate. Extremes of refinement usually lead to delicacy of constitution and often accompany sterility.

The selection of the boar is even more important than that of the sow. It is possible to obtain success from the use of a good boar with inferior sows, but nothing but disaster can possibly come from the use of an inferior boar with sows of high quality. One method raises the standard of the herd, the other lowers it. If, as is apt to be the case, the farmer's herd at the beginning is not of sufficient size to justify buying a high-grade boar for his exclusive use, it will be far better for him to join with his neighbors in obtaining one in common, then to attempt to get results from an inferior animal. One boar can serve fifty or sixty sows a season, so that co-operation will be found profitable in a great majority of instances.

A boar with strongly developed masculine characteristics should be selected, preferably as a yearling, or else as a pig that has been purchased at the same time as the sows and allowed to come to maturity before being used. He should have a strongly masculine head and a well-crested neck. His shoulders should be developed according to age; but shields on the shoulders in pigs under a year or eighteen months are objectionable. The same indications of a good pork-producing carcass that the sows required should be seen in the boar—a broad, straight, deeply feathered back, much depth and length of side, and well-developed hind quarters. The boar should be selected to correct any defects that may be common to the sows, for example, if the sows are rather coarse in bone and loosely

built, the boar should have high quality—fine bone, skin and hair. If the sows tend toward overrefinement and delicacy, the boar should be rather "rangy" and strong-boned.

Once the herd has been established by the careful selection of sows and boar, it should be maintained and its standard raised by the exercise of the greatest care in the selection of animals for breeding purposes. This selection should be made as early as possible. One celebrated breeder used to select his show lambs and calves when they were three days old. This, of course, is unusual, but the decision should not be delayed any longer than is absolutely necessary. No animals should be selected for breeding purposes except for good reasons and unless the breeder is quite sure that he is right in his selection.

RAISING THE COLT BY HAND

Youngsters Should Be Fed Cow's Milk Weakened With Water—Mixture Should Be Sweetened.

(By W. D. NEALE.) An orphan colt can be raised by hand successfully if a little care is taken. It should be fed on cow's milk, but the cow should be fresh if possible.

Do not feed the milk at its normal strength, but weaken with one-third water—that is, to two parts milk put one part warm water.

The mixture should be sweetened a little with sugar and given when about the temperature of a mare's milk.

At the end of two weeks the quantity of water may gradually be reduced and the amount of milk increased until the water is left off altogether. Don't forget to sweeten the milk at all times.

Whenever possible the milk should be given immediately after milking it from the cow. If it is desired, a fresh egg may be added three times a day. It will be a strengthener and will make the colt's hair sleek and glossy.

The quantity of milk given should be governed by one's judgment. Some colts require more than others, but be careful not to overfeed, for the colt may get the scours. Until the colt is a month old it will be necessary to feed it three or four times each day.

To teach the colt to drink from a pail is not a very great task. Put your finger in his mouth and lower your hand into the milk. He will get a taste of the milk and soon you can slip your finger from his mouth and he will proceed without you.

If he proves obstinate, wrap a goose quill with a strip of cloth and use it as a nipple in a bottle or purchase a nipple from the drug store.

Good care must be taken of the pail from which the colt drinks. It should be scalded each time it is used. Never use sour or skim milk, if you would avoid bowel troubles.

Give clean water between feeds. Let him run in the yard, and soon he will be slipping the green grass.

After a while he will be eating dry bran from your hand if you put a little sugar in it.

Soon you will be able to feed him some grain and then your hardest work is over.

POULTRY NOTES

Roots of all kinds can be fed cooked or raw, but they should be chopped fine.

The legs of dressed poultry when shipped to market should be perfectly clean.

By "large roaster" is meant a plump, soft chicken, weighing about four or five pounds.

Always turn the heads of the birds back under the wings in packing dressed poultry.

When the mornings are cold, take the chill off the drinking water, but do not make it warm.

At the Tomb of Jonah

A BOY—when I read of Jonah and the whale—I never dreamed that one day I was to stand at Jonah's tomb and see Arabs worship him as a saint, writes Frederick Slapich in the Los Angeles Times.

The famous old prophet who rode in the fish is buried at Mosul, in far-off Mesopotamia. Mosul itself, from which our word "muslin" came, stands on the foaming Tigris opposite old Nineveh. And here is a sketch of what life is like today in the town where Jonah rests.

It is a dirty, crowded town, is Mosul, with 50,000 people jammed inside its medieval walls. Its narrow, warped streets are no more than crooked alleys that wander aimlessly through the town—dusty in summer and seas of mud in winter. So narrow are these passages that two loaded donkeys, if they chance to meet, cannot pass till one donkey has been backed into a doorway.

Mosul's houses are Moorish style—two stories, few windows, an open court inside and flat roofs with parapets—so that the family may sleep on the roof in summer. The main door to each house is a huge affair, studded with great bolts and barred at night like the gate to a fortress—suggesting the old days of Mongol invasions.

To accommodate its important caravan trade, Mosul has built up many caravanserais, or "resthouses." With Naom, my Bagdad boy, I spent my first night at Mosul in one of these singular khans, as the natives call them. The khan is a sort of compound or stockade of mud walls, without a roof. Around the inside of the walls runs a row of little cells, to which travelers are assigned.

In the middle of the inclosure is a great platform, on which are piled the bales of freight taken from the pack animals, and around the edge of this platform runs a mud manger, from which the beasts are fed.

These historic caravanserais form one of the most picturesque features of middle eastern life. No traveler from Marco Polo down to 'date, has crossed Mesopotamia without recording his impression of the unspeakably filthy and noisy "khans."

Naom and His Sisters. Next morning early Naom and I left the posthouse that had sheltered us, and started out afoot to do Mosul. Naom hunted up his Telkafi relatives, whom he had not seen for many years, and of course the master then became the servant's guest, for a few hours at least.

We ate preserved sweets, pistachio nuts, manna, nougat, and many such delicacies for which Mosul is noted; we drank sweetened rose-water and smoked countless cigarettes, and I gave away to these curious, prying, but polite people all the secrets of my family for three generations back.

Naom's numerous sisters, unveiled and good to look at, came shyly out and sat cross-legged on the rug he placed for them at a proper distance from me. Being native Christians, they could show their faces without being disgraced. They wore baggy blue trousers long Mother Hubbard gowns of some dark color, yellow stockings and fancy slippers all covered with beads. Their big brown eyes gazed steadily at me with that luster that is bought in western worlds at the price of belladonna, and their white teeth glistened in beautiful perfection—in a land where no dentifrice was ever seen.

From the main bazaar I wandered on through the town, followed by the usual crowd of curious Arabs and Kurds, and then continued on my walk toward the river. And here I beheld an odd spectacle.

I had read that in early Assyrian

days warriors used to cross the Tigris, even in heavy armor, by swimming on inflated goat skins; but I had no idea that the practice still survived. So I was astonished on arriving at the river bank to see an old man walk calmly down to the water's edge, blow up a goat skin which had hung over his shoulder, wade out into the river waist deep and then lie down on the inflated skin and begin to paddle leisurely across. While I still watched him, two women came down, carrying skins, already blown up, and followed the old man's course across the Tigris; somehow they seemed to keep the bobbing skins easily balanced under their bodies, and thus supported swam slowly, without tiring.

Mosul Washerwomen. And all up and down the river banks were hundreds of round-limbed Kurdish women washing clothes. There must have been half a thousand, all shouting, plunging and wringing a multitude of garments. With skirts tucked high above their knees and no sign of yashmak or veil, they were a noisy, easy-going set, dispelling the illusion that in the East all women are secluded or eternally draped from head to foot.

Long strings of pack donkeys, driven by noisy, swearing Kurdish muleteers, came down to the river to drink, and fusillades of jocular abuse passed between these ruffians and the washerwomen. Higher up the river bank, and all along the waterfront, ran a long row of coffee shops, dance halls and other resorts. Till late at night these places are running full blast, the din of tomtoms, native fiddles and the harsh voices of the painted women who dance and sing, making amusement for the men of Mosul. They like excitement, these Kurds and Arabs, and crude and amateurish as their methods seem to us, they have



IN A MOSUL COFFEE HOUSE

never seen anything better and hence are pleased. Over Odd Bridge to Jonah's Tomb. A unique bridge spans the Tigris at Mosul for which a parallel cannot be found anywhere in the world. It is built partly of masonry, partly of wood, and for some distance is of the pontoon type. First comes a 100-foot stretch of masonry pier, then a bridge of boats 400 feet long and crossing the main channel; then comes another stone pier of 150 feet, leading to an 800-foot stretch of brick arches, followed at last by another stone pier nearly 200 feet long. It seems as if the builders changed their minds several times before finishing the odd structure.

It is across this bridge that one goes to explore Nineveh, where Botta and Layard made their sensational discoveries 50 years ago. The whole dry, brown plain about Mosul is a vast forest of ancient mounds, thick with signs of long-forgotten inhabitants.

Nineveh is not even a memory with the wild, ignorant tribes who roam the desert of old Assyria. At one edge of its ruins stands the little village of "Nebi Yunus," and the reputed tomb of Jonah. The identity of Jonah seems alone preserved—and he was one of the least in his day.

At night I walked back to Mosul. I looked back once, and the setting sun was reflected from the dome of Jonah's tomb. What fame this man won, by riding in a fish! Sennacherib is forgotten, but all the natives know "Yunus" and the tale of the big fish. On the morning of the Great Day, Jonah may be put in the dock with Doctor Cook. But for the present, the people are with him and he wears his medals unchallenged.

Telephones in Chile. Chile has 8,000 miles of telephones operated by an English company.

SEEKING HEALTH?

This means taking better care of the Stomach and helping the Liver and Bowels in their daily work. If assistance is needed, try

HOSTETTER'S Stomach Bitters

It has proven very beneficial in such cases.

Austria Protects Workers. In order to prevent the wholesale dismissal of employes of private firms, the Austro-Hungarian ministry of war has directed that army contracts will only be given to those firms who have maintained their staffs at the ordinary full number, and without any reduction in wages. Manufacturers acting in a contrary manner will be rigidly excluded from all further contracts, and they may also expect to have existing contracts canceled.

Important to all Woman Readers of this Paper.

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney or bladder trouble and never suspect it. Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease. If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased. You may suffer a great deal with pain in the back, bearing-down feelings, headache and loss of ambition. Poor health makes you nervous, irritable and may be dependent; it makes any one so. But hundreds of women claim that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, by restoring health to the kidneys, proved to be just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

A good kidney medicine, possessing real healing and curative value, should be a blessing to thousands of nervous, over-worked women. Many send for a sample bottle to see what Swamp-Root, the great Kidney, Liver and Bladder Remedy will do for them. Every reader of this paper, who has not already tried it, by enclosing ten cents, to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., may receive sample size bottle by Parcel Post. You can purchase the regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles at all drug stores. Adv.

For many generations Perth, and not Edinburgh, was the capital of Scotland.

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Portales Herald-Times

DEMOCRATIC IN POLITICS

Published Thursday at Portales, New Mexico... THE HERALD PRINTING COMPANY

WHY ANOTHER COUNTY?

A few individuals at Fort Sumner are again active in behalf of organizing another county with Fort Sumner as the county seat...

The inhabitants of the north-western part of Roosevelt county which part they propose to include in the new county are not in harmony with the program.

We believe the people of this part of Roosevelt county are proud of their county and have no desire for a change.

Running a county is in many respects like running a business concern, the larger the cheaper it can be run in proportion.

It is true that county officers will be paid somewhat in proportion to the valuation of the county, but the percent of the valuation required to pay county officers in the smaller counties is greater than in a larger county.

THE WANTON WASTE.

Along the tracks of the Santa Fe in this county are heaps of ashes, the remains of thousands of old ties that have been burned to get them out of the way.

A few years ago it was the custom to allow people to haul old ties away, but not being satisfied with this privilege, some people would take both old and new when available.

As scarce as wood is in eastern New Mexico, together with the high price of coal, it would mean considerable to the people to have old ties for fuel.

The legislature is now in session and numerous laws of various kinds have been introduced for the benefit of the people.

NEW TRAIN SCHEDULE.

The new train schedule seems to meet with the approval of most of the Portales people. The northbound train of course is somewhat early, but the progressive, industrious people of this town and vicinity are as a rule early risers, and are rather pleased to get an early start on a journey.

NATURALLY.

"At any rate, I can truthfully say my business is never at a standstill. "What is your business?" "Moving pictures."

OUR CLIMATE

While the people of the eastern and northern states are shivering with the cold, with the thermometer many degrees below zero with roads impassible from snow, and impaired train service we here in eastern New Mexico, the 'Land of Sunshine' are enjoying a delightful climate with pure health giving air and day after day of continued sunshine.

So far this winter the coldest temperature recorded is 9 above and the prospects are that is the coldest of the season. The roads have been good practically all winter and probably will remain so, while in the old states they will have mud, slush and raw unpleasant weather for the next three or four months.

The expense of building homes here is much less because we do not have to have protection against the extreme cold. The providing of shelter for cattle is an easy matter, in fact many ranchmen are in the habit of providing little or no shelter for their stock.

Again we boast of our summer climate. When the people of the older states referred to sweltering under the intense heat and with a heavy suffocating atmosphere, we read of people, by the dozen, being overcome by the heat, we go about in the comfortable invigorating atmosphere which gives comfort, health and delight to both man and beast.

THE MODERN DANCE.

The modern dance is an unmixed evil. It is almost a social crime. And the pity of it is that modern society recognizes it as one of the legitimate amusements of the day.

We were stopping at a fashionable hotel some time ago and while sitting in a sort of reception room overlooking the lobby, the dance hall was just adjoining and the windows were up and the doors were open.

The girls were dressed in modern fashion, short sleeves and low necks. Their forms were exposed even to the limit of decency.

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Agents for Eclipse and Daisy WINDMILLS None better were ever made.

NOTICE OF SUIT.

In the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico. G. C. Grant, Plaintiff.

vs. Fannie Grant, Defendant. No. 1073. To the Defendant, Fannie Grant, in the above suit:

You will take notice that a suit has been filed against you in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the state of New Mexico for the County of Roosevelt, in which G. C. Grant is Plaintiff and Fannie Grant is Defendant and numbered 1073 on the docket of said Court.

That the general objects of said suit are as follows: A suit for divorce on the grounds of desertion and abandonment and infidelity, and that he be restored to the status of a single person.

You are further notified that if you fail to appear and answer or plead in this cause on or before the 15th day of March, 1915, judgment by default will be rendered against you in this suit and the allegations in Plaintiff's complaint will be taken as confessed.

Compton and Compton are Attorneys for Plaintiff and their record address is Portales, New Mexico. Witness my hand and seal of said court this 18th day of January, 1915.

C. P. MITCHELL, Clerk. By J. W. BALLOW, Deputy.

Notice for Publication. Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., January 20, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Charles W. Townsend, of Arch, N. M., who on Feb. 19, 1912, made homestead entry serial No. 62360 for SE 1/4, E 1/2 SW 1/4 sec. 10, S 1/2 SW 1/4 sec. 11, township 2 south range 36 east N. M. P. 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 4th day of March, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: John W. Buckner, James B. Crawford, John E. Black and William H. Hall, all of Arch, New Mexico. C. C. Henry, Register.

Notice for Publication. Non coal land. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Jan. 13 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Jacob L. Gaudner, of Rogers, N. M., who on March 30, 1908 made homestead entry Serial No. 65260 for SE 1/4, E 1/2 SW 1/4 sec. 10, S 1/2 SW 1/4 sec. 11, township 2 south range 36 east N. M. P. 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 4th day of March, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Charles C. Maxwell, Samuel F. Anderson, Milford T. Fulerton and William W. Van Winkle, all of Rogers, 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., Jan. 18, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Guy Mathews, of Portales, N. M., who on September 23, 1911, made homestead entry No. 65139 for southwest quarter, section 14, Township 2 south range 36 east N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five 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 4th day of March, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Prentiss O. Naylor, James A. Tinsley, John M. Read and Joe Naylor, all of Portales, N. M. C. C. Henry, Register.

Notice for Publication. Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., January 16, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Louis M. Austin, of Rogers, N. M., who on June 1, 1908 made homestead entry Serial No. 65565 for SE 1/4 section 5 township 1 north range 36 east N. M. P. Meridian 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., at his office at Portales, N. M., on the 27th day of February, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Edgard A. Stovall, Henry P. Townsend, John W. Buckner and Jesse J. Williams, all of Arch, N. M. C. C. Henry, Register.

Notice for Publication. Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., January 18, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Rufus A. Palm, of Arch, N. M., who on August 29, 1908, made homestead entry No. 69752 for E 1/2, section 18, Twp. 3 S., range 37 east N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make final 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 March, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Casburn W. Pickett, Gus A. Owsney, Lewis L. Brown and Luther V. Brown, all of Arch, 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., January 19, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Robert Clark, of Texico, N. M., who on August 29, 1908, made homestead entry serial No. 6512 for NW 1/4, section 29, township 1 north, range 36 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 8th day of March, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: James A. Moss, John F. Vaughan, William McEntire and Layton A. Reeves, all of Texico, N. M. C. C. Henry, Register.

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 22 of each month.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior United States land office, Ft. Sumner, New Mexico, January 20, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Lydia L. Woolley, of Portales, N. M., who on Sept. 2, 1911, made homestead entry, Serial No. 69726, for NW 1/4 sec. 14 and NW 1/4 sec. 1, Twp. 2 S., range 35 E. N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make final 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 9th day of March, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: John E. Stephenson, Asbury B. B. Jones, Henry T. Allen and Edmond Owens, 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., January 20, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Joseph L. Zwisler of Canton, N. M., who on February 12, 1912 made homestead entry serial No. 68008 for South-half section 23 township 2 south R. 28 east N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before C. A. Coffey, U. S. commissioner at his office at Eida, N. M., on the 10th day of March, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Sidney P. Hoard, Edward Hoard, Lena Wilmes all of Claudi, N. M. Henry J. Zwisler, of Canton, N. M. C. C. Henry, Register.

Notice for Publication. Department of the Interior U. S. land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., January 20, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Wiley Todd, of Eida, N. M., who on April 17, 1908, made homestead entry No. 6343 for NW 1/4 sec. 9, Twp. 4 south, range 33 east, and on June 29, 1914, made additional homestead entry 011605, for SW 1/4 sec. 2, Twp. 4 S., range 33 E. N. M. P. 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 11th day of March, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Jackson W. Frame, James Stinson, both of Red Lake, N. M., John E. Glover and James W. Johnson, of Eida, N. M. C. C. Henry, Register.

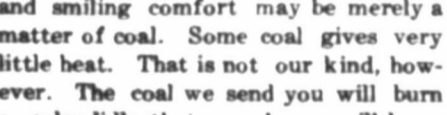
Notice for Publication. Non coal land. Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Jan. 23, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Rufus Naylor, formerly of Portales, N. M., who on September 2, 1911, made homestead entry serial No. 69818 for SE 1/4 Sec. 18, township 2 south, range thirty-four east N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before J. C. Compton probate judge Roosevelt co. at his office at Portales, N. M., on the 11th day of March, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: James A. Tinsley, Babe Freeman, Joseph B. Naylor, Guy Mathews, all of Portales, N. M. C. C. Henry, Register.

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ops, and you will be in line to
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next Spring and Summer. It is
nest endeavor to help build up
farmers and Stock Farmers of this
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Austin.
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Mr. Austin is
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med his farm

Mr. Read.
For press of time I have not
yet been able to get to the Doss
settlement and prepare a story
of that excellent community. I
passed thru that section the
other day and spent the night at
the hospitable home of J. M.
Read. It is a pleasure that will
not soon be forgotten to be en-
tertained by this splendid "old
couple." Mr. Read has lived
here eight years and is well
pleased with the country. He
came from Iowa and says the cli-
mate here is far ahead of that,
but owing to the fact that he
and his good lady are getting old,
too old really to care for their
farm, and also owing to the fact
that they have just the one boy,
they intend to return and spend
their remaining days with him.
Understanding all the facts I
was not surprised to learn that
Mr. Read is offering his most
excellent place at such a great
bargain. Thirty-five acres of
the 160 are cultivated. A few
young stock, hogs and Rhode
Island Red chickens round out
the farming activities here.

M. C. O'Brien.
I caught the ab ve named gen-
tleman on the move back to Ar-
tesia. He sojourned for a brief
period of time in the Delphos
community where he was en-
gaged in the stock business.
Having disposed of his stock, he
was returning to his home at
Artesia where he has 100 stands
of bees, and one of the very best
kept apiaries in that section.
Mr. O'Brien expects to increase
his bee business to several hun-
dred stands, and devote his en-
tire energies to this industry.
He is an experienced bee man,
and when I asked him if he
thought bees would do well in
Roosevelt county, he said he
thought so as soon as more al-

Always Helps
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RDUI
Woman's Tonic
Cardui when I feel a little bad,
me good."
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ngs, etc., are sure signs of woman's
that you need Cardui, the woman's
make a mistake in trying Cardui
has been helping weak, ailing
an fifty years.
Bottle Today!

falfa was grown here. I made a
deal for some of his most appetiz-
ing honey and will "show
keep sweet" for awhile anyway.
The Journalist.

School Notes.

Everyone was glad to see Miss
Grinstead back on duty Monday
morning.

The Periclean society will en-
ertain Friday afternoon from
3:00 until 4:00 o'clock. Every
one is requested to be present as
this program is expected to be
the best ever given.

The high school marched to
Miss Hayne's studio last Friday
afternoon where the following
program was rendered with
great success.

Thread Needle Street
Nora Fairly,
Even This Shall Pass Away,
Edith Reagan,
The Lady of Shalott,
Helen Lindsey,
Courtship Under Difficulties,
Leola Merrill,
The Racial Question,
O'Dwyer Danaway,
Kentucky Philosophy,
Edith Stovall,
The Engagement Announced,
Leta Smith,
A Change of Front,
Ora Crawford.

The mid-year final examina-
tions were held last week and
we congratulate ourselves upon
the excellent grades made.

The seniors called a class meet-
ing Monday and discussed plans
for the commencement exercises.

We, the students and faculty
of the high school, extend our
thanks to the school board for
their liberal gift to us in the form
of two India paper editions of
Webster's new international dic-
tionary, and the two dictionary
stands.

The basket ball game between
the boys of the Portales high
school and those of the Hereford
high school which was played
last Saturday resulted in a score
of 30 and 9 in favor of the Por-
tales boys. In spite of the fact
that the Hereford boys did not
make many goals, they did some
good, fast playing and the game
was highly exciting.

The Portales and Hereford
line ups were as follows:
Lee Langston—forward—captain
Arthur Terry—guard
Elmer Walker—guard
Howard Leach—center
Archie Williams—forward
Sylvan Norris.

The girls basket ball team of
the high school have challenged
both Hereford and Roswell for
games but have not received any
reply yet.

An addition of twenty-six
books was made to the high
school library this week. The
money for these was obtained
from the lecture, "Blue Birds"

given as a school benefit by Mrs.
King.

HONOR ROLL

FIRST GRADE
Clovis Garrett, Teddy Munzinger,
Minnie Munzinger, William Thompson,
Berle Moore, Cecil Cave,
Amos Henise, John Munzinger,
Lois Cave, Herbert Ryther,
Durward Jones, Johnie Allison.

SECOND GRADE
Thelma Prouty, Nettie Lee Allison,
Graydon Hough, Mabel Ballou,
Fremont Harris, Maxine Dameron,
Dudley Pitts, Weimar Norris,
John Wyle, Ruth Leon.

THIRD GRADE
Sadie Six, Vera Bell,
Ollie Fuller, Verona Thompson,
Bernice Blanchett, Ney Service,
Milton Anderson, Louise Allison.

FOURTH GRADE
Otto Panbell, Dorothy Ham,
Jewel Dunlap, Lavon Brown,
Kyle Dunlap, Howard Kennedy,
Carrol Dunlap, Charles Hart,
Carry Lynn Dawn.

Reserve your best manners for
your wife, and in time courtesy will
become second nature to you.

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Check No. 2056 on New State
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return same to C. B. Cozart
Grain Co. or this office.

Teachers Association Meets

[From the Talban Herald]

The teachers began arriving in
Talban Thursday evening just about
the time the bad weather struck us
and the weather was as permanent as
the visitors. Sunday now when the
last pedagogues had departed, hence
the sun shone out as bright as any
one could wish, which proved conclu-
sively that "all is well that ends well."

Not only did the teachers Association
meeting end well but it was a lively,
healthy, well meeting. Every subject
outlined in the program was discussed
fully whether the regular member on
the program were present or not. In
fact some of the most interesting dis-
cussions were in papers sent by mem-
bers who could not be present and
those present deemed it fit to argue
the question. This was the spirit of
the meeting, that is, each one attend-
ing came with the idea that he or
she could and would, either, learn
something or teach some one else
something for the good of education
in Roosevelt county, which fulfilled
the object of the meeting.

Our county superintendent, Mrs. S.
F. Culbertson, was, as usual, the "mo-
tive power" of the meeting and suffice
it to say that she "discussed some
subjects" with conclusive arguments.

Doctor Roberts president of the
state normal at Las Vegas came in
Saturday morning to grace the oc-
casion with his presence and lend
class to the discussions. Dr. Roberts
has some ideas to think about which
his lecture Saturday night disclosed
and which all who heard him are still
thinking about.

Professor J. S. Long, president of
the Association and Superintendent of
Portales schools gave this interview
which has been boiled down to con-
serve space:

It was the most enthusiastic teach-
ers meeting ever held in Roosevelt
county and showed conclusively that
the progress of schools in the county
was more than could have been ex-
pected by the most pessimistic of the
county educators.

Mr. Long was very emphatic in stat-
ing that the hospitality of Talban was
unexcelled and he was anxious to
state to the interview that his visit
here was very pleasant in all ways,
he says that everyone here met him
with courteousness in all ways. In
fact Mr. Long is according to his in-
terview, very well pleased.

The most interesting program of all
for those that were not teachers was
the Presentation and Dedication of
the Flag on Saturday afternoon at
three o'clock.

While the snow drifted along with
the fierce gale Professor Osborne as-
sembled the whole of the Talban
Public Schools in military parade be-
fore the flag-staff erected near the
main building and while all were at
attention, Mr. L. E. Davies, member
of the school board raised the flag.
Mrs. J. M. Cheshire made the follow-
ing address:

"As president of the Mothers' Club
of Talban I have the honor of present-
ing to the Public Schools of Talban
this magnificent flag which was pur-
chased and donated by the Mothers'
Club for this occasion. May the
boys and girls of Talban always be
true to the Red White and Blue and
'long may it wave over the land of
the free and home of the brave!'"

After Mrs. Cheshire's presentation
speech the several columns of shiv-
ering pupils under direction of Gen-
eral Osborne gave the impressive
military salute to "Old Glory" which
was now waving in the breeze!

Mrs. Jenny M. Herlihy read a very
interesting, intellectual and interest-
ing essay on the American Flag while
the listeners shivered from the per-
secution of the elements. It was plan-
ed for the Mothers' Club exercises to be
all out doors, but the snow and wind
forbid so after the school song: "The
Star Spangled Banner" it was decided
to finish the program in the school
house. After all were assembled in-
side Mrs. J. M. Suter recited that
patriotic, soulfilling piece, "The Ban-
ner Betsy Made", which was a very
appropriate prelude to the song by the
school "America". Never before has
Talban listened to such a rendition of
"America! Every school child present
had been taught that tune and had
been taught to use their lungs when
singing it. Be it known to the World
the school children of Talban can sing
"America". A grand and fitting finale
was the recitation by master Harold
Suter (in costume "Union and Lib-
erty". The little boy filled his posi-
tion "manfully." After this interest-
ing program the Mothers' Club served
refreshments to all who would partake.

The visiting teachers were Long
and Orr of Portales, who were cared
for by Mrs. Hensley; A. S. Croom, of
Dreno, Rhea Robbins of Macy, partook
of the good things Mrs. W. T. Wade
prepared; J. C. Webb of La Lande and
John W. Russell, of Upton bunked to-
gether at the Point A ranch; Miss
Marguerite Patterson, of Portales and
secretary of the association was en-
tertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs.

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The Portales Bank and Trust Company

C. I. Speight; Miss Lucile Armstrong,
of the Cottonwood Valley school vis-
ited with her old friend Mrs. Dr.
Thurmond; W. L. Brethaupt, of Sun
shine school, was excellently taken
care of by Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Atker-
son; Miss Mae Adams, of Red Valley
was another one at Mrs. Hensley's.

The hotel, under care of Mrs. Mc-
Cullough made it pleasant for those
who couldn't find individual domestic
domestics, and the Mothers' Club was
assisted in taking care of these folks
by Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jolly, Mr. and
Mrs. J. W. King, Prof. Osborne as well
as by Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McCullough
of the hotel. At the hotel were: Mrs.
Sarah Ellis of Elida; Miss Hazelwood
Moore of District No. 3; Miss Dulpuy
of District No. 3; Mr. and Mrs. J. H.
Kelso of Tolar; Mr. Judd Miller, of
Rancho; L. D. Montgomery, of Quad-
alupe county, and Miss Jenny M. King,
of La Lande.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY THE ROOSEVELT COUNTY TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

Resolved: That we extend our
hear y thanks to Prof. W. Fremont
Osborne for his earnest effort for the
entertainment of the visiting teachers.

That we truly appreciate the hos-
pitality extended us by the people of
Talban.

That we wish to thank the High
School for its excellent entertain-
ment.

That we especially congratulate the
people of Talban on having so effi-
cient helpful a Mothers' Club for the
support of school and we heartily
commend their spirit of co-operation.

That we wish to thank Dr. Roberts
of Las Vegas Normal University for
his kind helpful, and sympathetic in-
terest in the work we are doing. Also
that we greatly appreciate the lecture
delivered by him on Saturday night.

That we wish to thank Mrs. S. F.
Culbertson for her untiring interest in
our work, and incessant labors in our
behalf.

That we appreciate the efforts of
our president, Mr. J. S. Long to make
our association a success; and that
his conscientiousness as teacher is
highly commendable.

That we extend to Miss Marguerite
Patterson our appreciation for her
cheerful service as secretary.

That we humbly petition the legis-
lature to enact a law providing a
seven months' minimum term of
school; and that districts not having

sufficient funds be disorganized and
consolidated to such an extent as to
provide a seven months' minimum
term.

Signed by the committee:
J. H. KELSO,
J. C. WEBB,
JOHN W. RUSSELL,
Mrs. SARAH K. ELLIS,
A. S. CROOM,
W. L. BREITHAUPT,
LYDIA E. DUPUY.

NOTICE OF SUIT.

The State of New Mexico to Kookie
Clark Jones, Defendant:

You will take notice that there has
been filed against you in the district
court of Roosevelt County, New Mex-
ico, a suit wherein T. H. Jones is the
plaintiff, and that said cause is num-
bered 1081 on the civil docket of said
county; that the general object of
said suit is that the plaintiff obtain
a divorce from the bonds of matri-
mony now existing between you and
him and that he be restored to the
status of a single person; that the
grounds alleged are abandonment.

Unless you appear and plead in
said cause on or before the 26th day
of March, 1915, you will be deemed
to have confessed the allegations and
judgment by default will be taken
against you.

Plaintiff's attorney is James A.
Hall and his business address is Por-
tales, New Mexico.

In witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and the seal of Court
at Portales, New Mexico, this 4th
day of February, 1915.

C. P. MITCHELL,
County Clerk.
By J. W. BALLOW,
Deputy.

Do it today and let others talk about
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Something Good for Portales

The Praetorians will be organized in Portales in a few days more. State Manager J. B. Savage of Roswell will be in Portales for about ten days longer, assisting the district manager, A. L. Elmore, in organizing The Praetorians.

Life Insurance

The Praetorians sell life insurance at the right price. The 20-year pay policy is our leader. We sell eight different policies.

Fraternal Order

The reserve of The Praetorians is larger per member than any fraternal order in the United States. Many new members have come in this week and with the co-operation of all members The Praetorians will soon have a large membership in Portales.

The Praetorians

Home Office Dallas, Texas

H. C. M'CALLUM

For any and all kinds of hauling Telephone 104 and he will be right around.

Portales, .. New Mexico

COMMISSIONER'S PROCEEDINGS.

Proceedings of the board of county commissioners of Roosevelt county, at a recessed session of the regular January, 1915, term thereof, held in the court house at Portales, New Mexico on Thursday, January 4th, 1915.

Present: C. V. Harris, chairman, S. E. Johnson, commissioner and C. P. Mitchell, clerk, by J. W. Ballow, deputy.

It is the order of the board that the contract with the A. T. & S. F. Ry. Company with the board of county commissioners, relative to high ways on right of way be embodied in the minutes which said contract is in words and figures as follows, to-wit:

DUPLICATE
A. T. & S. F. Secretary's No. 32308 THE ATCHISON, TOPEKA AND SANTA FE RAILWAY COMPANY, WITH BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF ROOSEVELT.

CONTRACT - Relative to high ways on right of way, Pecos Division, Roosevelt District, County of Roosevelt, New Mexico.

Dated June 12th, 1914
This instrument, executed in duplicate this 12th day of June, 1914, by the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company, a corporation, hereinafter called the "Railway Company," party of the first part, and the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Roosevelt, hereinafter called the "Commissioners," party of the second part.

Witnesseth: The Railway Company, for and in consideration of the sum of One (\$100) dollar, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, hereby gives to the Commissioners upon the conditions hereinafter set forth a license to construct and maintain public highways upon the right of way of the Railway Company, in the County of Roosevelt, State of New Mexico, the location of which said highways is described as follows, and as shown on the blue print or map hereto attached and made a part hereof.

An Ungraded Road 12 feet wide on the property of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company, said road being from 40 to 80 feet north-westerly from center line of Railway Company's Main Track between M. P. 13 plus 5261 feet and M. P. 16 plus 3192 feet.

Also: An ungraded Road 12 feet wide, from 40 to 60 feet south-westerly from Center Line of said Railway Company's Main Track between M. P. 14 plus 3548 feet and M. P. 17 plus 1323 feet.

Also: An ungraded Road 25 feet wide, from 60 to 70 feet North-westerly

from Center Line of said Railway Company's Main Track, between M. P. 16 plus 4480 feet and M. P. 17 plus 1453 feet.

The Commissioners shall so construct said Highways that the same shall in no wise, at any time, either during the construction thereof, or afterwards, interfere with the use or operation of the railroad of the Railway Company, and the location and construction of said high ways, shall be subject to the supervision and control of the chief engineer of the Railway Company, both as to method and time.

The Commissioners shall at all times keep and maintain the same in such condition that no injury or harm shall accrue therefrom to the Railway Company or to its right of way or the railway tracks thereon located.

The Commissioners further agree that they will at all times hold and save harmless the Railway Company on account of any injury or damage which may result to it from the construction, maintenance or use of said highways, and that they will pay to the Railway Company the full amount of any damage which may be suffered by it on account of or occasioned by the construction, use, repair or maintenance of said high ways, or the failure of the Commissioners to perform and faithfully keep each and everyone of the covenants and conditions herein contained.

This license is given upon the express condition that the same is at all times, and shall be revocable at the will of the Railway Company, and the same is accepted by the Commissioners upon and subject to all the conditions in this instrument contained.

The Commissioners further agree that they will abandon the use of the said high ways whenever they shall be requested to do so by the Railway Company.

In Witness Whereof the Railway Company and the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Roosevelt, therunto duly authorized by regular order of the Board, have executed this instrument in duplicate, the day and year above written.

THE ATCHISON, TOPEKA AND SANTA FE RAILWAY COMPANY
By A. FOX,
Its General Manager

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF ROOSEVELT.
By C. V. HARRIS,
Chairman

C. P. MITCHELL, Clerk.
By GUY P. MITCHELL, Deputy

It is now ordered that court take a recess until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Friday, Feb. 5, 1915.

Court convened pursuant to recess of yesterday, present and presiding as then.

The following Constable Bonds were received, examined and approved, to-wit:

Lewis M. Anderson, Precinct No. 1. R. L. Perry, precinct No. 19. Oscar Anthony, precinct No. 2. I. C. Evans, precinct No. 5. It is now ordered that court take a recess until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Saturday, Feb. 6, 1915.
Court convened pursuant to recess of yesterday, present and presiding as then.

The following accounts were examined and approved and the clerk was ordered to draw warrants in payment of same, to-wit:

L. J. Deatherage, registrar, \$ 3.00
W. H. Rossom, judge of election, 2.00
H. P. Townsend, clerk of election, 2.00
S. A. Clark, judge of election, 2.00
T. J. Mullins, Sr., judge of election and ret. box, 2.24
A. S. Bramlett, work, Supt. office, 5.00
F. C. Rockman, judge of election, 2.00
W. B. Hensley, registrar, 3.00
R. Kornegay, judge of election, 2.00
T. H. Long, registrar, 3.00
S. F. Anderson, registrar, 3.00
H. H. Rowland, completing poll books, 1.50
J. E. Spears, judge of election, 2.00
W. L. Anderson, clerk of election, 2.00
A. J. Burkett, registrar, 3.00
S. Howell, jail repairs, 15.85
Dr. W. E. Patterson, medical services, 12.00
A. L. Mayfield, judge of election, 2.00
G. H. Newcomb, registrar, 3.00
Hall Litho' Co., Inv. No. 79898, 77
S. B. Boon, damage Clovis road, 25.00
M. B. Jones, office expense, 46.80
J. F. Morgan, registrar, 3.00
C. P. Mitchell, office expense, 60.40
There being no further business appearing at this time, it is ordered that court take a recess until the next regular meeting unless sooner convened by order of the chairman.
C. V. HARRIS, Chairman
C. P. MITCHELL, Clerk.
By J. W. BALLOW, Deputy.

DR. ROBERTS PLEASD WITH HIS VISIT.

[From the Taiban Herald] Las Vegas, S. M., Jan. 6, 1915.

The Honorable J. M. Cheshire, Taiban, N. Mex. My Dear Mr. Cheshire:

As you requested, I am sending you back a brief letter for publication. I enjoyed every minute of my visit while in Taiban. The greatest surprise I received while there was the large number of representative teachers that came in spite of the weather. The two days I was with you were the coldest I have ever seen in the Bailey, and yet you had a very good crowd at all your meetings. I was disappointed in your school buildings, but am pleased to know that you have already voted bonds for a new school building, which is really essential for the welfare of your boys and girls, and for the business interests of the town. The biggest asset that the town has in the way of advertising is its schools and its churches.

I am sorry that I was unable to see any class work, but I am satisfied your school teachers are doing good work. Your town is to be congratulated upon its Mothers' Club, and they are to be congratulated upon their public spirit in presenting to the school a handsome flag. I hope this is but the beginning of many good things that they will do for the public good. A good picture, given now and then, is a valuable addition to the equipment of the school, because of its character-making power. Just any picture will not do. It must be chosen with one object in view; that should be to develop the moral and aesthetic qualities of the child.

Congratulating you and your people again, I remain,
Your in high regard,
FRANK H. H. ROBERTS
he has held before.

If you want to know the real heart of a man, take note of his treatment of his wife and family. It tells

MADE IT CITY OF GARDENS

Minneapolis Club Has Planted Hundreds of Vacant Lots With Vegetables and Flowers.

The members of the Minneapolis Garden club planted 325 vacant lots to vegetables and flowers in the year 1911, 260,000 square feet to vegetables and 280,000 to flowers. It distributed 22,000 packages of nasturtium seeds to children; covered every vacant lot along two miles of the main arterial street with grass or flowers; cleared 600 acres of rubbish, and screened 30,000 feet of street frontage with bushy plants.

Under its influence 700 persons, not including its members, also gardened vacant lots, and 18,000 had gardens at home. Nineteen hundred acres in all were improved. According to figures gathered by the Survey the cost of the Garden club was \$2,684.48; the value of the crop was \$11,801.78. In Minneapolis there are 5,000 acres of vacant lot, sufficient to supply the entire state with vegetables. The economic value of vacant lot gardens to those who took them up greatly outweighed the cost. So many vegetables were grown that complaints were made by the grocers. Many of the stores were supplied with fresher vegetables at a lower cost. People in vacant lot gardens neighborhoods bought from the gardeners; the hotels during the week of the Minneapolis civic celebration served vacant lot vegetables.

Three hundred and twenty-five vacant lot gardens were started. Of these only eight were abandoned through lack of interest on the part of the gardeners.

For a fee of one dollar the Garden club gave seeds for a lot 40 by 120 feet; plowed and harrowed the lot; provided supervision and instruction all summer, and offered valuable prizes. It was soon discovered that it was not necessary to get formal permission for the use of lots. Since there was no cost to them, and the lots were to be restored in the same if not better condition, the owners had no objections. The local congressman secured government seeds for all the planting.

Before the middle of summer the garden fever had spread like a contagion. Appeals were made through the newspapers, and then by members of the club personally appealing before clubs, lodges, improvement organizations and other associations.

CLASSIC GARDEN IS REVIVED

Exposition of a Novel Kind Has Been Completed in the Champs Elysees, Paris.

An admirable display of French art in landscape gardening, an entirely new kind of exposition, has been completed in the Champs Elysees in Paris, France, where the society known as the Amateur du Jardin (amateurs of the garden) has laid out a series of picturesque gardens, models of the traditional classic type. The purpose of the exhibition was to cultivate a love of gardens.

As is well known, two centuries ago France was celebrated for her marvelous gardens, and the most beautiful displays of art in gardening were the work of the greatest of French landscape gardeners, Le Notre, who laid out the grounds surrounding Versailles, Chantilly and the Tuilleries, which for two centuries have attracted strangers in search of examples of model landscape gardening.

One may say that the harmony, the order, the rational arrangement shown in the gardens of France reflect the French taste. They may even be called gardens of intelligence admirably illustrating Descartes' theory that "man is the master of nature." The effect of a classic landscape garden differs entirely from that produced by a natural landscape garden. A promenade in a forest in the midst of rugged trees, dense thickets, rustic moss, gives a purely animal, sensual pleasure, for nature dominates man; on the other hand an intense, refined, purely intellectual pleasure results from a view of the well ordered, well kept, charmingly laid out French garden in which man dominates nature.

FAF FAF TO TROU

The last 20 days we go at a bargain. \$55,000, and we in Wyoming, also near West Plains, acres, one 140 acre. We will consider Mexico land. We also have a 3, which we would ranch in Roosevelt. If you have anyhness, come and s is worth money.

TROU PORTAL

In Memory of Little Perry
Little Perry Benjamin Ke was born, October, 30th, 1911. Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Keeter died January 29th, 1915. I common for fathers and moth to think that their children bright and sweet, but so attractive was little Perry that he won all the hearts that he came in contact with.

It was my privilege to know Perry from the time he was month old and I watched him grow from day to day like a ro bud that quietly opens its petals in the springtime to shed its fragrance on the morning air. The life of Perry filled our hearts with its precious aroma.

It is sometimes very difficult for us to read God's provid yet we should remember th doeth all things well. I came to earth for only a stay yet long enough to en himself into the very strings of father, mother friends.

We should comfort our with the words of the poet each life some rain must some days must be dark dreary; Be still sad he cease repining, behind the sun is still shining. While the home munity is poorer away, yet heaven the circle of the er by his entra said "Suffer come unto me not for of suc of Heaven." When the away the swe said "I can but I can go

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DEPOSITS GUARANTY

To Our New Mexico Friends:—

The following statement was taken from our books on January 30th, 1915, and we are running it in this space to show you the kind of Knockers will tell you that we are not big enough to take care of our customers; but if you will ask some one who has been doing the learn that WE MANAGE TO TAKE CARE OF THEM JUST THE SAME. There are lots of good banks that are not "GUARANTEED BANKS," and it is not our intention to imply such is not the case; BUT WE MAN WILL DECIDE IT IS BETTER TO BE SAFE THAN JUST SATISFIED.

RESOURCES:

Capital, Surplus and Profits	\$ 24,470.65
Deposits	99,189.92
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DR. J. S. PEARCE
PROPRIETOR

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE.

No. 1043.
Whereas on Oct. 17th, 1914, in cause No. 1043, pending in the District Court of the 5th Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, in and for the county of Roosevelt, wherein, T. J. Alliston, plaintiff and John L. Horn, Frances Horn and J. R. Sadler, are defendants, the plaintiff recovered a judgment and decree foreclosing a mortgage deed executed and delivered to plaintiff by said defendants, John L. and Frances Horn, for the sum of \$387.25 with twelve per cent per annum interest thereon from date of judgment until paid, and in addition a sum of \$39.45 as attorney's fees, with six per cent per annum interest thereon from date of judgment until paid, together with all costs of suit, upon the following described real estate to-wit: Lots Nos. two, three, four, five and six in Block No. 37, and Lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3 in Block No. 82, all in the Original Town of Portales, according to the plat of said town on file in the Recorder's office of said county of Roosevelt, said mortgage so foreclosed being of record at page 24 of Book "K" of the records for Most sage Deeds of said county.

And whereas, said underdeigned was appointed by the court in said decree as Special Master and as such directed by the court to advertise and sell said property as provided by law and apply the proceeds of said sale in settlement of plaintiff's said judgment and costs of suit.

Now therefore by virtue of said decree and the authority in me vested thereby, as such Special Master, I will on the 19th day of February, 1915, at the hour of two o'clock P. M., at the Northeast front door of the court house in the town of Portales, N. M., sell said described real estate to the highest bidder for cash for the purpose of satisfying said judgment and costs.

Witness my hand this Jan. 18th 1915.

BEN SMITH,
Special Master

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

In the District Court of Roosevelt Co., N. M.
Jerome P. Smith, plaintiff
vs.
C. P. Lyon & R. E. Brown, defendants.

State of New Mexico to the defendant, C. P. Lyon: The defendant, C. P. Lyon will take notice that a suit has been filed against him in the District Court of the 5th judicial District of the State of New Mexico, in and for the county of Roosevelt, styled and numbered on the civil docket of said court as above, and that in the same action, defendant, R. E. Brown, has filed his answer and cross complaint against the plaintiff and the defendant, C. P. Lyon.

The plaintiff sues the defendant, C. P. Lyon, to collect a note for the sum of \$645.00, executed to plaintiff by defendant C. P. Lyon, dated October 11, 1913, due two years after date with eight per cent per annum interest, from date until paid, and ten per cent additional on the sum due thereon as attorney's fees, it being alleged that by the terms of the mortgage executed to secure the due payment of said note and one other note, as hereinafter described, said above mentioned note became due October 12, 1914, and plaintiff further seeks to foreclose said mortgage so executed to secure said note and to have same decreed to be a lien on said premises, subject to the lien held on same, as described in said mortgage, of the defendant, R. E. Brown, and to have the premises sold for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness.

The defendant, R. E. Brown, by his cross complaint seeks to collect a note, as against the plaintiff and defendant, C. P. Lyon, in the sum of \$645.00, dated October 11, 1913, and due one year after date, with eight per cent per annum interest thereon from date until paid, and ten per cent additional on the sum due thereon as attorney's fees, no part of which, it is alleged has been paid, said note having been endorsed to said defendant, by said plaintiff and its payment guaranteed by him, same having been originally executed and delivered to plaintiff, by said defendant, C. P. Lyon, and by said plaintiff sold and guaranteed to this defendant, R. E. Brown; and defendant, R. E. Brown, further seeks to foreclose the mortgage executed to secure the due payment of said note so sold to him by plaintiff and said other note sued on by plaintiff, by which said C. P. Lyon, conveyed to said plaintiff the following described lands in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, to-wit: S. 1-2 of N.E. 1-4, S. 1-2 of N.W. 1-4, N. 1-2 of S.E. 1-4, and N. 1-2 of S.W. 1-4, all in section 28, township 1 south, range 36 east N. M. P. M., containing 320 acres of land, according to the U. S. survey, conditioned upon the due payment of said notes, and to have a lien decreed on said lands in favor of defendant, R. E. Brown, as prior and superior to any rights or claims of the plaintiff or the defendant, C. P. Lyon, in same and that same be ordered sold for the purpose of paying the indebtedness due said R. E. Brown, together with all costs of this action and that plaintiff's lien be decreed to be inferior and subsequent to that of said R. E. Brown.

The defendant, C. P. Lyon, is further notified that unless he enters his appearance in said action on or before the 20th day of March, 1915, that judgment will be rendered against him by default and the said plaintiff and defendant, as against him, be given the relief demanded in their respective complaints.

Compton & Compton are attorneys for the plaintiff, and T. E. Mears is attorney for the defendant, R. E. Brown, and their postoffice address is Portales, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and seal as the clerk of said court on this the 27th day of January, 1915.

C. P. MITCHELL,
Clerk.
By **J. W. BALLOW,**
Deputy.

CENTS AT WORK

For Sale—Gas engine in good shape. Walter Crow, Portales. 8-4t
See me for fresh cows and Jersey butter—L. W. Carleton. 4t
For sale: Span work mares and fresh milk cows. Harley Thompson. 6-4tp
We have recently printed some blank land leases, which are for sale at this office.

Wall paper, a' prices at Dobbs.
For Sale or Trade: for Maize—pigs, shoats and hogs. Red Feather Farm 8-4t

Curd pays the highest cash price for hides, chickens, eggs and turkeys at the second hand store.

For Sale—S. C. White Leghorn eggs, \$1.00 and \$2.00 per setting of 15. 8-4t
Walter Crow, Portales.

For Sale—Home grown Sudan seed. Good heavy seed, clear of Johnson grass, eight miles southwest of Portales, Arris Atkinson. 3-4t
For Trade—J. I. Case lister in good repair; for buggy, hack, wagon or feed. G. L. Hascher, Upson, N. M. 49-4t

When you want your suit cleaned or pressed phone 144, Landers and Bridges.

Anyone having broom corn in small quantities, bring it to the Portales Broom and Mattress Factory, H. V. Thompson, proprietor. 2-4t

FOR SALE—4 mules in fine shape to work, 2 and 3 year olds, and some Percheron horses. Cash or good notes. Wm. Battenfield, 4 miles se of Portales. 7-2tp

For Sale—Full blood Barred Rock eggs at 50 cents per setting of 15 eggs. Good hatches guaranteed. Place your order early if you want to be sure. W. A. Stuart, 1 mile south of Portales. 5-4tp

For Sale—Would trade for improved land near Portales, my home in Gainville, Texas. Four room home close in; modern conveniences. Address M. L. Hays, 426 N. Chestnut st. Gainville, Texas. 8-4t

WANT TO TRADE—Southwest Texas land in the following counties: Wilson, Karnes, Bee, Live Oak, Adams, Nueces, Kieberg, Brooks and Star counties, for New Mexico land. Also city property in several good South Texas towns which I will trade. Would like to list all I can get. If priced right will buy options. List your land with us—we can sell it. We buy, sell and trade. Warnecke and Stieren Land Co. Karnes City, Texas. 7-4t

Are You in Arrears?

Do you neglect? You know we need the money?

Notices for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Jan. 28, 1915.
Notice is hereby given that Clara E. Ziesler of Canton, N. M. who on Dec. 16, 1911 made homestead entry No. 6292 for E. 1/2 sec. 28 township 1 north, range 37 east, New Mexico Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. A. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office at Portales, N. M., on the 28th day of March, 1915.
Claimant names as witnesses: Sidney F. Hearn, Edward Hearn, Lena Wilman all of Casswell, N. M. Henry J. Ziesler, of Canton, N. M.
C. C. Henry, Register.

Notices for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., January 19, 1915.
Notice is hereby given that James A. Moss, of Tatum, N. M. who on June 4, 1903 made homestead entry No. 6712 for southeast quarter, section 28, township 1 north, range 37 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. A. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office at Portales, N. M., on the 28th day of March, 1915.
Claimant names as witnesses: Robert Clark, John F. Vaughan, William McEntire and Layton A. Reeves, all of Tatum, N. M.
C. C. Henry, Register.

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE.

No. 1042.
Whereas, on Nov. 12th, 1914, in cause No. 1042 pending in the District Court of the 5th Judicial District in and for the county of Roosevelt, wherein, J. R. Sadler is plaintiff and John L. Horn and J. C. Dunlap are defendants, the plaintiff recovered a judgment and decree foreclosing a mortgage executed and delivered by defendant, John L. Horn to L. W. Whitfield and by said L. W. Whitfield, duly assigned and sold to this plaintiff, for the sum of \$445.09 with six per cent per annum interest thereon from date of judgment until paid, together with all costs of said suit, upon the following described real estate, to-wit: "Seventy-five feet square off the Northwest end or end, next to the railroad track of Lots five and six in Block No. fourteen (14) in the original town of Portales, N. M., according to plat of said town on file in the Recorder's office of said county of Roosevelt; said mortgage so foreclosed being of record at page 7 of Book "G" of the records for Mortgage Deeds of said county of Roosevelt; and said defendant, J. C. Dunlap, also obtaining judgment in the same decree against said defendant, John L. Horn, in the sum of \$441.10 with twelve per cent per annum interest thereon from date of judgment until paid, same being decreed to be a second lien on the property as above described and subject to the lien of the plaintiff thereon, said mortgage so foreclosed in favor of defendant, J. C. Dunlap, being recorded at page 9 of Record Book "J" of the records for mortgage deeds of said county.

And whereas, said underdeigned was appointed by the court in said decree as Special Master and as such directed by the court to advertise and sell said property as provided by law and apply the proceeds of such sale, first to the payment of plaintiff's judgment and all costs, and the remainder if any to the judgment of defendant, J. C. Dunlap, and costs of suit.

Now therefore by virtue of said decree and the authority in me vested thereby, as such Special Master, I will on the 19th day of February, 1915, at the hour of two o'clock P. M. at the Northeast front door of the court house in the town of Portales, N. M., sell said described real estate to the highest bidder for cash for the purpose as aforesaid.

Witness my hand this Jan. 18th, 1915.

BEN SMITH,
Special Master.

Notices for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Dec. 31, 1914.
Notice is hereby given that Clara E. Binkley of Floyd, N. M. who on June 15, 1910 made homestead entry No. 6715 for S. 1/4 sec. 39 Township 1 South, range 37 E. 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, N. M., at his office at Portales, N. M., on the 28th day of February, 1915.
Claimant names as witnesses: John J. Jones, James E. Spear, Edward C. Price, all of Floyd, N. M. and John G. George, of Portales, N. M.
C. C. Henry, Register.

Notices for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Dec. 30, 1914.
Notice is hereby given that Clara E. Binkley of Floyd, N. M. who on June 15, 1910 made homestead entry No. 6715 for S. 1/4 sec. 39 Township 1 South, range 37 E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. A. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office at Portales, N. M., on the 28th day of February, 1915.
Claimant names as witnesses: Edgar F. Rice, George W. Jones, Joseph H. Gossard, H. M., on the 5th day of Feb. 1915.
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The Mother—I see a triangular tray to hold a piece of pie unharmed in a lunch box has been invented.

The Boy—But who would harm such a little piece of pie as you cut, mamma?

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Parson Knew Better. Uncle Jim Sugarfoot killed a fine rabbit for the entertainment of Parson Heavegrace, who was expected to dinner, but as rabbits were out of season he thought to avoid what might prove an embarrassing situation by making the parson think it was chicken he was eating.

"Brother Heavegrace," said Uncle Jim, when it came time for a second helping, "what part of de bird would you like now?"

With a merry twinkle in his half closed eyes, Parson Heavegrace replied: "If you all don't mind, Ah think Ah'll take de gizzard."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

The Attraction. Bacon—I understand in many of the Chilean cities women are employed as street car conductors.

Egbert—Now I can understand why men want to crowd the back platform.

Their Use. "Do you see where the Futurists and Cubists have gone to Spain?" "Maybe they use their pictures on the bulls to infuriate them in the ring."

The Bore. "I hate to ask Jinks about his health." "Why?" "He promptly tells me all about it."

BAD DREAMS Caused by Coffee. "I have been a coffee drinker, more or less, ever since I can remember, until a few months ago I became more and more nervous and irritable, and finally I could not sleep at night for I was horribly disturbed by dreams of all sorts and a species of distressing nightmare.

"Finally, after hearing the experience of numbers of friends who had quit coffee and were drinking Postum, and learning of the great benefits they had derived, I concluded coffee must be the cause of my trouble, so I got some Postum and had it made strictly according to directions.

"I was astonished at the flavor and taste. It entirely took the place of coffee, and to my very great satisfaction, I began to sleep peacefully and sweetly. My nerves improved, and I wish I could wear every man, woman and child from the unwholesome drug-drink—coffee.

"People do not really appreciate or realize what a powerful drug it is and what terrible effect it has on the human system. If they did, hardly a pound of coffee would be sold. I would never think of going back to coffee again. I would almost as soon think of putting my hand in a fire after I had once been burned. Yours for health."

Postum comes in two forms: Regular Postum—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages. Instant Postum—is a soluble powder. A teaspoonful dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

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The KITCHEN CABINET

Best be the tongue that speaks no ill. Whose words are always true. That keeps the law of kindness still. Whatever others do.

Best be the hands that toil to aid. The great world's ceaseless need. The hands that never are afraid. To do a kindly deed.

SOME DISHES NEW AND OLD. A FEW COMPANY DISHES.

Rabbits are cheap if easily obtained and plentiful and in many sections are common food. Here are a few ways of preparing them: Larded Rabbit Baked in Milk.—One rabbit will serve five or six people. Spread over the dressed rabbit thin slices of fat salt pork. Set in the oven and baste with the fat in the pan, then when well browned lower the heat, add milk and baste with the milk, dredging with flour after each basting. Cook for an hour longer. The rabbit may be browned in fat on the top of the rove and then put into the oven with the milk and cooked until perfectly tender. For the gravy take some of the fat or butter, mix with hot water an equal part of flour and add the hot milk from the pan. Season well and serve with the rabbit or pour over it. Serve with rice croquettes, each holding a small spoonful of currant jelly.

Rabbit may be parboiled and then fried as one does chicken, serving a gravy made from the fat in the pan. Rabbit Mashed.—Divide the forelegs and the body into pieces, wash all, including the heart and liver. Try out some fat salt pork and add two sliced onions to the fat, when yellow and two tablespoonsful of flour, a quart of veal broth, a teaspoonful of salt, a bit of bay leaf, half a teaspoonful of peppercorns, four cloves and the rabbit. Cover and let simmer until the rabbit is tender. Add a generous tablespoonful of butter, half a cupful of fruit juice or orange juice, and two lumps of sugar. The sauce should be spicy, sweet and sour, not too thick.

Chicken Sandwiches.—Chop separately, cooked chicken and ham or tongue. For each three-fourths of a cup of chicken take a fourth of a cup of the other meat. For each cup of meat chop fine one canned pimento, or its equivalent in bulk of olives stuffed with pimentos. Mix with mayonnaise to spread well and put on well buttered bread.

Scotch Short Bread.—Cream a cupful of butter, add a half-cupful of light brown sugar and four cupfuls of flour or its equivalent. Form the mixture into a fat cake and prick well all over with a fork. Sprinkle the top with caraway candies or bits of citron in flower design with the candies and bake in a moderate oven.

To secure a happy home, be happy yourself. That advice does not suit the person who waits life made happy by outside means and outside happenings.

Health, cheerfulness and a lively are best conditions to prosperity and contentment.

THE TEA TABLE. SAVORY DISHES.

The following is a change from the ordinary ways of serving chicken. Separate the chicken in pieces at the joints, set into a buttered baking pan, dusting with salt and add a few bits of butter, pour over boiling hot veal broth or salted water, cover closely and set in a hot oven. Let cook an hour and a half, baste twice and turn the chicken over when half cooked. When done remove to a platter and surround with spoonfuls of savory rice and serve with the sauce in a separate dish.

Sauce.—Melt three tablespoonfuls of butter, in it cook three tablespoonfuls of flour add a half teaspoonful of salt, and a dash of pepper, when smooth, and bubbling add three-fourths of a cupful of cream and the froth from the pan, a cupful at least. Cook until smooth and strain into a bowl.

Savory Rice.—Cook together a cupful of rice and a cupful and a half each of tomato puree and broth (using either chicken or veal), season with an onion, cut in halves with two cloves pressed into each half, a teaspoonful of salt, a chili pepper (with out seeds), chopped fine, and a dash of paprika. Cook until the rice is tender, add one-fourth of a cupful of butter and let stand until melted, then serve as above.

Burbank Sausage.—Select rather large potatoes of uniform size, cut out an opening through them with an apple corer after they are peeled. Put into salted boiling water and cook eight minutes, now drain and insert into each opening one of the small Deerfoot sausages, previously pricked with a fork. Bake the potatoes into the oven and bake until tender. Serve at up a clean load. When a load was lifted in this way many of the rods would come up hanging by one end. With the rods wired in bundles, the crane lifts a clean load consisting of several bundles.

Needs a Little Salt. "She is compelled to take Mr. Geizer cum grano salis," went on Miss Callowhill, pursuing the subject.

"That is quite true," assented Miss Winebiddle. "He certainly is exceptionally fresh."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Evening Clothes Easy to Fashion



A PRETTY velvet cap bordered with fur, and a muff to match, are easy to make and therefore interesting to those who like to undertake such things for themselves. With them are pictures of a lace evening cap and a small cape edged with marabou, which also belong among those modish accessories of evening dress that the home dressmaker may undertake with every chance of success.

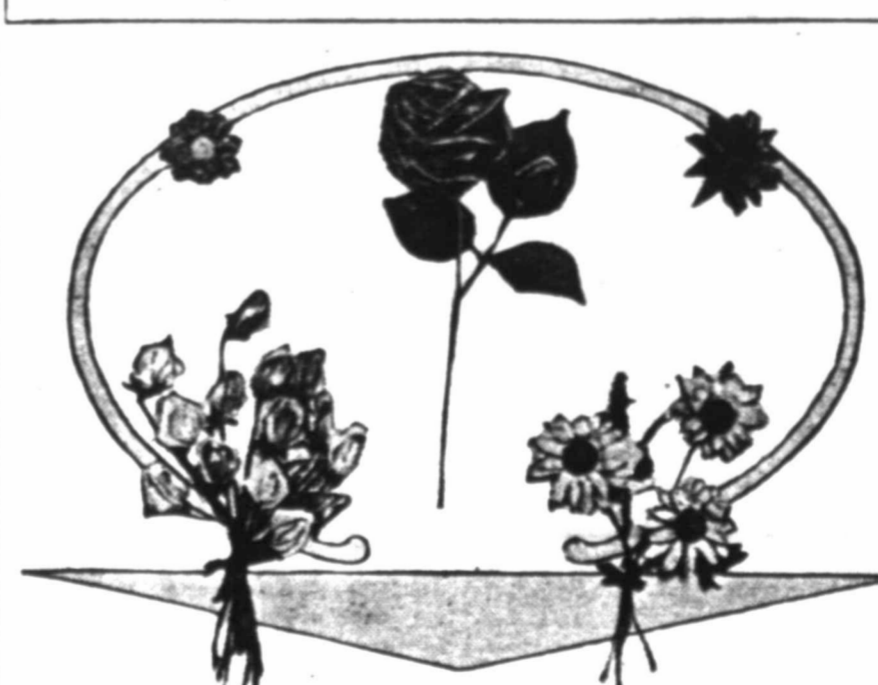
Marabou is made in all colors and in white and black. It is sold by the yard, and is inexpensive trimming, about as effective as fur. It is liked best in the natural taupe color, but for evening wear white and the varied light colors are available.

There are several patterns by which the velvet cap may be made. A straight band about the head, with a scant puff forming the crown, is simple and satisfactory. The band is made of crinoline or buckramette, covered with velvet and lined with silk. The crown of velvet may be supported with crinoline, if necessary, but is often merely lined with silk. The marabou edge is sewed to the band about the face.

Foundations for caps in other shapes are to be had ready made at the milliners. In any of them the band or brim about the face is to be covered with a bias strip of velvet and a soft padded crown, of scant fullness, set in.

The muff is made of puffs of velvet, wide but not full, shirred over small cord. Ready-made muffs beds (and ready-made) are sold in the dry-goods stores for the benefit of milliners and other women who make use of them. With the introduction of fur-closets and velvet in muffs they are in great demand. The ends of the muff of shirred velvet are finished with a fringe of fur. A collar of the same fur finishes the neck of the loose wrap. It is high and square at the back and at the front will roll up about the throat.

Sweet Peas and Other Ribbon Blossoms



THE ribbon rose still reigns triumphant among simulated flowers, as well as in the garden of nature. After it the violet, just now, divides honors with the sweet pea, which is a novelty in the field of flowers made of ribbon. A clever copy, quite faithful as to colors and sufficiently so in general appearance, is made of narrow satin ribbon in all the light colors. The blossoms are mounted on wire stems, very fine and flexible, and a big bunch of these light-colored blossoms in bouquets makes about the loveliest decoration for the corsage that can be imagined.

The ribbon daisy, made of very narrow white satin ribbon, and small flat rosettes like them in pale colors are worn on the latest fingerings. The daisies, roses and sinias, mounted on long stems, make fine table decorations, and with the exception of the rose are the best choice in ribbon flowers for that purpose.

But the makers of ribbon flowers and ornaments are so ingenious and have become so daring that today's favorites may be displaced tomorrow by some new arrival from the land of pretty things where all these tempting novelties have their origin.

Delicate Fabrics. Sheer fabrics, such as chiffons, organdies, dimities and all other materials that are too delicate to take starch, will gain their original crispness if three tablespoonfuls of sugar are added to the rinsing water. This is also the proper treatment for all velvets.

A good way to wash white silk is to take lukewarm water, make it quite blue and to each quart of water add two teaspoonfuls of pure ammonia. Use a good white soap, rinse in water prepared the same way, roll up and iron on the wrong side with an iron not too hot. Cleansing white silk in gasoline is also a satisfactory method. This should be done outdoors.

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Their Places. "Where did you go in the theater, Mrs. Comeup?" "We sat in the mezzanine boxes, but the girls preferred seats in the parquet."

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Take a Glass of Salts at Once If Your Back Is Hurting or Kidneys and Bladder Trouble You.

The American men and women must guard constantly against kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid which the kidneys strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys; to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water beverage, and belongs in every home, because nobody can make a mistake by having a good kidney flushing any time.—Adv.

Mary's little lamb sometimes grows up and becomes the goat.

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The Myphen Explained.
Mrs. Dearborn—You say that is Mrs. Burke-Martin?
Mrs. Wabash—Yes; Burke was her name and Martin was her husband's name.

THE PROFESSOR'S STATEMENT.

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Men with a keen sense of humor never try to tell funny stories.

DUTY SEEMS PLAIN

Why Progressives Should Turn to Democratic Party.

Goals for Which the Followers of Theodore Roosevelt Have Stood Find Their Best Exemplification in Woodrow Wilson.

Everybody is discussing the possible return of the Progressive to the Republican party. Nearly everybody seems to think this would be the logical place for the Progressives to go. Even some of the Progressives themselves have discussed only a possible return to the Republican party. That is not unnaturally the first thought, since the Progressive party, if it did not actually originate, certainly gained national dimensions as a protest against the methods and leadership which dominated the Republican national convention of 1912. The methods have been changed, at least in form. The offensive leaderships have been to some extent eliminated. Hence the thought of going back, as an alternative to going on, presents itself.

But is it not possible that some of the Progressives will go somewhere else? What is the matter with the Democratic party, or rather with the brand of Democracy of which President Wilson is the exponent?

Might not that be more to the liking of the Progressives than the brand of statesmanship for which Penrose, Barnes, Cannon et al. stand in the Progressive and the public mind? Surely the atmosphere would be more congenial in the Wilson environment than the atmosphere in which the old standpat crowd lives, moves and has its being.

There is the situation which at least suggests a possibility of a getting-together of real Progressives all over the country. Consideration of these facts and of this situation shows why it is at least possible that many Progressive voters, instead of just drifting back into the Republican party, will go on with Woodrow Wilson.

Prosperity to Aid Democrats.

Judge Martin J. Wade of Iowa City, Democratic national committeeman for Iowa, is not at all discouraged by the result of the election in his state or in the nation.

"Depressions in business are not political," said Judge Wade, at the Willard. "They come when least expected and depart in the same way. We have had a slowing up in business in many sections of the country, but there is just as sure to be a reaction as there is always a reaction in nature. The legislation enacted by a Democratic congress in pursuance of the promises of the Baltimore convention, will, I am confident, bring prosperity, and when it comes there will follow, as a matter of course, the just appraisal of the Democratic party."

"I cannot see where the Republicans can take great comfort from the elections. It is perfectly true the Democratic majority was cut down in the house, but the Democrats still are in control, and we have increased our majority in the senate. The overwhelming majority in the present house is unwieldy. The Democrats in the next congress will be able to carry out their program, and when it is finished we shall be in position to go before the people and ask for indorsement, confident that it will be given."—Washington Post.

The Tide Has Turned.

Secretary of the Treasury W. G. McAdoo, on his way to California, stopped in Chicago, and in the course of a short interview said that he looked for "a tremendous era of prosperity next year." He is receiving reports from all sections of the country showing that the organization of the reserve banks and the freight-rate increase have done much toward "steadying business conditions." He accentuated the fact that the tide had turned.

Mr. McAdoo said that the war had of course, been injurious to every nation, but he thought this country had reached the point now where in some ways the war is an actual benefit to it.

Bring About Good Times.

There is not a good citizen in the United States that cannot do his share toward bringing about good times. But sunny-side talk is not the whole duty of the citizen by any manner of means. As a matter of fact as soon as one becomes an optimist he finds himself pooh-poohed by the practical man. This is all wrong—all wrong! There is no considerable factor making for hard times in the country at the present time. There is entirely too much of the psychological factor. President Wilson was to an extent right in characterizing hard times as a psychological factor. But as such it is harder to deal with than absolute facts.

Democracy's Outlook Bright.

The shoe factories of Lynn are working every man they can get and turning out footwear in larger quantities than ever before to supply the orders from Europe. The nations at war on the other side of the Atlantic will not be able to get back to normal for 25 years, and meantime they must look to the United States for supplies. It is too early, perhaps, to talk about presidential candidates, but when the time comes we shall have plenty of the right kind of material.

UGH! CALOMEL MAKES YOU SICK! CLEAN LIVER AND BOWELS MY WAY

Just Once! Try "Dodson's Liver Tone" When Bilious, Constipated, Headachy—Don't Lose a Day's Work.

Liven up your sluggish liver! Feel fine and cheerful; make your work a pleasure; be vigorous and full of ambition. But take no nasty, dangerous calomel, because it makes you sick and you may lose a day's work. Calomel is mercury or quicksilver, which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel crashes into your bile like dynamite, breaking it up. That's when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. Listen to me! If you want to enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone. Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under my personal money-back guarantee that each spoonful will clean your sluggish liver better than a dose of nasty calomel and that it won't make you sick. Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning, because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working, your headache and dizziness gone, your stomach will be sweet and your bowels regular. Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely vegetable, therefore harmless and cannot salivate. Give it to your children. Millions of people are using Dodson's Liver Tone instead of dangerous calomel now. Your druggist will tell you that the sale of calomel is almost stopped entirely here.

Magnificent Volume.

The most sumptuous copy of Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet" in existence was recently sent from England to a purchaser abroad. The value of the book is between \$5,000 and \$7,500. It has been reproduced as an illuminated manuscript on vellum, and the volume is notable as being the entire work of one artist, Alberto Sangoraki, who was engaged upon it for 18 months. The title is in pearls set in gold, and the cover is embellished with 214 rubies and 36 emeralds.

DREADFUL PAINS GREAT SUFFERING

Was the Lot of This Lady Who Tells The Story of How She Recovered Her Health.

Dallas, N. C.—Mrs. Thomas Davis, of this place, says: "About two years ago, when I was eighteen years old, I was in a bad condition from womanly troubles. I fell off until I weighed not more than 85 lbs. I suffered dreadful pains in my hips, sides and abdomen, for about 5 days out of every month. I couldn't sleep at night, and the pains were so dreadful I couldn't tie down for the blood would seem to rush to my head. I felt I must have some relief, for it seemed that the awful suffering would surely kill me. I had read of what Cardui had done for others, and thought I would try it. After the use of one bottle, the pains had entirely stopped and I was able to sleep. After using four bottles, I was a well woman, I was regular, I got back my flesh, and I now weigh 135 lbs.; and am able to do all my work without any trouble. I certainly recommend Cardui to suffering women, for I know it cured me. My friends who saw me when I weighed 85 pounds and would see me now, would know what Cardui had done for me." Try Cardui.—Adv.

Proof Positive.

Visitor—The dear baby has got its grandmother's nose.
Aggrieved Papa—No, it hasn't, for she was around here this morning poking it into our business.

Her Platform.

At the Marshall home there was much discussion of woman suffrage and other political questions, and little Vera had always been a very much interested listener. "What will you do when you can vote?" a visitor asked her. "Help to put candy on the free list," was the unexpected reply.—Youth's Companion.

His Mission.

The Professor—The fish of America, north of the isthmus of Panama, embrace three classes, 30 orders, 223 families, 1,113 genera, 335 subgenera, 3,263 species and 133 subspecies. The Student—Well, professor, if you will let me off today I'll go out and see if I can get a string of genera.

If One's Sufficient, Why Proceed?

"A word to the wise is sufficient, and—" began the village bore. "Then let it go at that," snarled J. Fuller Gloom, who is blessed with a mean disposition. Poor Fido! Knicker—Do they lead a cat-and-dog life? Bocker—Yes, only the dog is mistle. Speaking of Aunts. "You say she is an auntie-quarrier?" "Well, that's what her fresh young nephew calls her."

The New York thief who stole a barrel of ink will probably get a term in the pen.

For sprains and bruises apply Hanford's Balsam thoroughly. Put it on, and rub it in. Adv.

Close relatives can be very distant if they are rich.

Many a great man is never heard of 20 miles from home.

AS IT APPEARED TO EBEN

Surely Was Something of a Miracle as Event Was Explained by the Minister.

Here is one of George W. Cable's good southern stories: "In a town in Georgia lives an old colored fellow who is a real thorn in the side of the local ministers, for the old fellow is always asking embarrassing questions of them touching mooted theological points," says Mr. Cable.

"One day old Eben had a long and earnest discussion with his pastor in reference to just what constituted a miracle. The minister found it no easy matter to make his ideas clear to Eben.

"I s'pose, now," said the preacher, "dat de greatest of all de miracles was dat de loaves and fishes. You 'member, of co'ce, dat dere was five thousand loaves and two thousand fishes which was eaten by the twelve apostles."

"'Sho, I 'member," replied old Eben, with a smile, "an' it always 'peared to me dat de miracle was dat dey didn't bust!"—The Sunday Magazine.

Mysterles of Golf.

Josephus Daniels, secretary of the navy, was invited the other day to go out and play golf.

"I can't play it," said Daniels; "I made up my mind some time ago not to go in for golf until they change the rules."

"How do you mean?" "Well, until they change the rules and make it as good a game as shindy."

"That recalls the tale they tell about the time Franklin K. Lane, now secretary of the interior, first undertook the mastery of golf.

Two enthusiasts over the game left a large set of clubs to Lane and they played a round. When they had reached the last hole Lane walked over to the nearest teeing place and began attempts to drive off with each club in his sack, one after another.

"The game's all over," they explained, gently.

"Well," asked Lane, picking up another kind of club, "can't I play my hand out?"—New York Sun.

Woman Royalties Made Army Officers.

For the first time in English history four royal women have been gazetted as colonels in chief of English regiments.

Heretofore several of them, including Queen Mary herself, have held German army titles and Queen Victoria naturally was the head of the British army, but now Queen Mary has been appointed colonel in chief of the Eighteenth Hussars of historic fame, while the Queen Mother Alexandra is associated with both the Nineteenth Hussars and the

Limited Disappian.

A small hepped little man was about to take an examination for life insurance.

"You don't disspate, do you?" asked the physician, as he made ready for tests. "Not a fast liver, or anything of that sort?"

The little man hesitated a moment, looked a bit frightened, then replied in a small, piping voice: "I sometimes chew a little gum."—Collier's Weekly.

Slow Delivery.

Mrs. Gotham—Who spoke at the dinner tonight, dear?

Mr. Gotham—Well, one of the speakers was the owner of that big department store.

"No wonder you're late, then." "Why?" "I happen to know his delivery is awfully slow."

You can always tell when a girl is jealous by the way she says she isn't.

To quickly cool burns and take the fire out use Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

And when the children are at play many are called but few answer.

An Ohio Druggist

Wm. Yeast, 367 May St., Akron, Ohio, writes:

"Through cold and exposure and improper food during the food, I was taken with appendicitis and acute intestinal catarrh. In June and July my life was despaired of, but recovered sufficiently to be up and around. My bowels seemed paralyzed. Could eat no solid food.

"The first of last December I decided to try Feruna. My appetite improved, and very soon solid foods could be taken. In two months time I gained 15 pounds. Now I am heavier than I ever was before. When I began to use Feruna my bowels commenced to move at once."

Those who object to liquid medicines can now procure Feruna in Tablet form.

Not Supplying the Two. The Angry One—For two cents I'd knock your block off!

The Calm One—Well, you won't get your working capital from me.

"Money Back" Medicine. Our readers never risk a cent when they buy Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh because every dealer in this line is authorized to refund the money if the Balsam is not satisfactory. Adv.

The Exception.

Payton—Are all the children bright? Parker—No; one's level-headed.—Life.

A Connecticut man has the face to say that he has built a clock that will run without winding.

Stop That Backache

There's nothing more discouraging than a constant backache. You are lame when you awake. Pains pierce you when you bend or lift. It's hard to rest and next day it's the same old story.

Pain in the back is nature's warning of kidney ills. Neglect may pave the way to dropsy, gravel, or other acute kidney sickness.

Don't delay—begin using Doan's Kidney Pills—the medicine that has been curing backache and kidney trouble for over fifty years.

An Oklahoma Case

Mrs. J. W. Barr, Cleveland, O. K. 18— says: "For months my kidneys troubled me and my back pained me so badly I had to take to my bed. My back was stiff and lame and the kidney secretions passed far too often. After trying different medicines without relief I used Doan's Kidney Pills. They permanently cured me."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 50c a Box

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

FOSTER-MELBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

BLACK LEG

LOSSES SURELY PREVENTED by Cutler's Bleeding Pills. Improved formula, reliable, prepared by Western physicians. Proved where other venous pills fail. Write for booklet and booklet—10-cent pkg. Bleeding Pills 50c. 15-cent pkg. Bleeding Pills \$1.00. The specialty of Cutler's medicine is due to over 15 years of specialization in venous and arterial ailments. Cutler's Laboratories, Berkeley, Cal., or Chicago, Ill.

Tutt's Pills

The dyspeptic, the debilitated, whether from excess of work or of study, drink or exposure to the elements.

MALARIAL REGIONS.

Will find Tutt's Pills the most rapid restorative ever offered the suffering invalid.

Sudan Grass

Pure, officially inspected, reconditioned Sudan Grass Seed in seamless cotton bags, prepaid, 5 lb. packages \$2.50; 10 lb. \$4.50. Cash to accompany order. Write us for prices on 100 lbs. or more. Our prices are right. BEE TURNER PEAR SEED CO., Lubbock, Tex.

W. N. U., Oklahoma City, No. 4-1918.

Canadian Wheat to Feed the World

160 ACRES FARM IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

The war's fearful devastation of European crops has caused an unusual demand for grain from the American Continent. The people of the world must be fed and there is an unusual demand for Canadian wheat. Canada's invitation to every industrious American is therefore especially attractive. She wants farmers to make money and happy, prosperous homes for themselves while helping her to raise immense wheat crops.

You can get a Homestead of 160 acres FREE and other lands can be bought at remarkably low prices. Think of the money you can make with wheat at its present high prices, where for some time it is liable to continue. During many years Canadian wheat fields have averaged 20 bushels to the acre—many yields as high as 45 bushels to the acre. Wonderful crops also of Oats, Berley and Flax.

Mixed farming is fully as profitable an industry as grain raising. The excellent grasses, full of nutrition, are the only food required either for beef or dairy purposes. Good schools, markets convenient, climate excellent.

Military service is not compulsory in Canada, but there is an extra demand for farm labor to replace the many young men who have volunteered for the war. The Government this year is urging farmers to get extra income into grain.

Write for literature and particulars as to reduced railway rates to Superintendant Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or

S. A. COOK, 225 W. 9th Street, Kansas City, Mo. Canadian Government Agent

You Look Prematurely Old

Because of those ugly, grizzly, gray hairs. Use "LA CREOLE" HAIR DRESSING. PRICE, \$1.00, retail.

"CASCARETS" FOR LIVER, BOWELS

For sick headache, bad breath, Sour Stomach and constipation.



Get a 10-cent box now. No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels...

SOME DISHES NEW AND OLD

Rabbits are cheap if easily obtained and plentiful and in many sections are common food.



When one is entertaining it is nice to serve some dishes which are especially appetizing.

SAVORY DISHES

The following is a change from the ordinary ways of serving chicken.

THE TEA TABLE

The custom of serving tea to guests is a pleasant and hospitable social moment.

NEEDS A LITTLE SALT

This is complained to take Mr. Green's corn cobs...

THE BORN

I hate to ask Jinks about his health. "Why?"

BAO DREAMS

I have been a coffee drinker, more or less, ever since I can remember.

THE ATTRACTIVE

Beacon—I understand it many of the Chinese girls who are employed as street car conductors.

Evening Clothes Easy to Fashion



PRETTY velvet cap bordered with fur, and a soft to match, are easy to make and therefore interesting to those who like to undertake such things for themselves.

The pointed evening cap is made of white satin that is bordered with silver figure and edged with either blue or black.

THE SHIRT-WAIST HOLDER

Made in white, gray or black are shirt-waist holders which are really narrow belts, fastening with three clasps and attachments of bodging.

Sweet Peas and Other Ribbon Blossoms



DELICATE Fabrics

Shower fabrics, such as cottons, or madras, dimities and all other materials that are too delicate to take steam, will gain their original crispness if they are washed in water.

THICK, GLOSSY HAIR FREE FROM DANDRUFF

Try as you will, after an application of Dandruff, you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair.

A little Dandruff immediately diminishes the beauty of your hair. No other hair-dressing will do this.

THEIR PLACE

"Where do you go in the theater, Mrs. O'Connell?"

BIG EATERS HAVE BAD KIDNEYS AND BACKACHE

Take a Glass of Salt in Once if You're Back to Hurting or Kidney and Bladder Trouble Yes.

WOMAN REFUSES OPERATION

She who gets rich quick is apt to go broke in a hurry.

TALE HOW SHE WAS SAVED BY TAKING LYDIA E. PINKETTS' VEGETABLE COMPOUND

Leadville, Ky.—"I think I never met a woman who would take Lydia E. Pinkett's Vegetable Compound."

QUARTZ MOUNTAIN

Biggest of the quartz mountains in the world is the Quartz Mountain in the State of Idaho.

THE SAGE

The constant noise of the world is a great deal of a nuisance.

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PERSONAL & LOCAL

R. M. Sanders was in Amarillo the first of the week.

Fine line of souvenir spoons at Whitcomb and Larrabee's.

New line of fancy box chocolates at the Kandy Kitchen.

Latest style, friendship bracelets at Whitcomb and Larrabee's.

Best dollar alarm clocks on the market, at Whitcomb and Larrabee's.

Good stock of window glass and mirrors on hand at all times see Dobbs.

We meet all catalogue house prices, in our line, Whitcomb and Larrabee.

Just Received—A car load of cotton seed meal and cake. C. B. Comart Grain Co.

Jeff Hightower returned Sunday from Memphis, Texas, where he had been on business.

Eighty thousand rolls of wall paper just arrived. Enough to supply the county at Dobb's.

Claude Anderson, one of the old timers here, now a resident of Slaton, Texas, is in town this week.

J. J. Swaggerty, of Elida, one of the prosperous cattlemen of that place was in town the last of the week.

Farms, Stores and hotels in Missouri, Kansas, Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and other states to trade for New Mexico stuff, see BRALEY and BALL.

A week end party from Fort Sumner, consisting of Howard Lindsey, Mr. and Mrs. Pen Carr, Misses Oaks and Beaubien spent Sunday in Portales, leaving Ft. Sumner Saturday about 12 M. and reaching Portales about 3 P. M., stopping at Toliar for lunch.

A. N. Freeman and family left Sunday for Dallas, Texas, to make their future home.

We write insurance on farm property and grain under the most favorable terms, at small cost. Braley & Ball.

Deputy County Clerk Guy P. Mitchell recently issued marriage license to the following: Hampton Byrd and Miss Beulah McCullough of Redland; Van Pate and Miss Maggie McCullough. Redland; and E. J. Cole man and Miss Lanie Fitzjeris, Arch.

Will Organize.

A. L. Elmore, deputy and general organizer for the Praetorians, has arrived in Portales with his family and will make his home here. He is being assisted by J. B. Savage, state manager for the same institution. Mr. Savage is a brother to Edgar Savage of Elida, and has many friends here. These gentlemen represent an organization of high standing and we understand are meeting with good success here.

Grocery Burns.

Fire was discovered in the cellar of the M. J. Faggard & Co. grocery Tuesday morning about 3:45 o'clock. It had gained considerable head way before it was discovered, but good work by the fire boys under Chief Hightower prevented total destruction. Practically all the stock was destroyed and the building and fixtures were badly damaged.

Change in Mail.

The change in the train schedule is causing much more of the northbound mail to go through the local office than heretofore. Postmaster Leach and his assistants stay on the job until six o'clock and all mail in before that time will be put up and go out the next morning.

Will Ship Hogs.

E. P. Williams of Inez has about 60 head of fat hogs which he will ship in a few days. Some of these hogs weigh more than 400 pounds each and from that down to 200 with an average of about 300.

The Herald-Times man had the pleasure of inspecting these hogs and they are one of the best bunches he has ever seen. They have been fed corn and maize in abundance and are so fat that they can scarcely move about. They should top the market.

Livingston Returns.

H. M. Livingston, the Portales Valley land owner, returned Saturday after visiting for some time at his old home in Wisconsin. Like all of them, he is glad to get back to Portales. He has become accustomed to our superb climate, and the frozen north with the thermometer many degrees below zero, a foot or two of snow and the other inconveniences, no longer appeal to him.

Strayed or Stolen.

One coming two year old red Durham heifer, branded 22 on right side. This animal disappeared from my place last summer. Will pay \$10. for information leading to her recovery, and if stolen will pay \$100. for evidence that will put the thief in the Pen. S. F. Lane, Floyd, N. M.

Piano For Rent.

With privilege of buying later and having rent paid apply on the price, or will sell now to responsible party on easy monthly quarterly or semiannual terms. Write at once for particulars to The Knight-Campbell Music Co., Denver, Colo. 8-84

Yoeman Organize

A homestead of the Brotherhood of American Yoeman was organized at the Woodman hall here Wednesday night, by J. Walker Hunter, district manager. There were 22 applicants for membership and all report a good time.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday, February 17, at which time there will be a banquet served in the hall, also the Clovis degree team from that place will be here to put on the initiatory work. All members are urged to be present.

Honor Roll Floyd School

First grade, Cleo King, Dorsey Nash, Bernice Lane; second grade, Mack Tolliver, Tallos Tolliver, Luther Jones; fourth grade Gladys Anderson, Homan King; fifth grade, Donnie Griffith, Geo. Lane, Willie Nickols, Ross Armitage, Elton King, Eulah Price, Lillie Griffith, Bertie Anderson; seventh grade, O. Pearl Nash and Lizzie Price.

Miss Mayme McCullough, Teacher.

Methodist Church

Regular services next Sunday morning at our church. Sunday school at 10 and preaching at 11. Subject, "The Things That God Hath Prepared for Those Who Love Him."

Our revival meeting which has just closed has been a wonderful spiritual uplift to all the churches of the town. Let us labor and pray to retain the good which has been gained and keep the revival fire burning, and this we cannot do unless we are regular and attentive to our church services.

We call in our night services for the revival which is in progress at the Presbyterian church A. C. BELL, PASTOR

In Memory of Mrs. Adams.

Mrs. Susan Pearl Adams formerly Miss Barnes, was born March 4, 1876, at Mortan's Gap, Hopkins county, Ky. She was converted and joined the Baptist church at the age of 15 years.

She was married to W. L. Adams in April, 1895. To them eight children was born, seven boys and one girl. The little girl and three boys have preceded their mother to a better world. Mrs. Adams has left four boys and a husband to mourn her departure.

She was a good wife, a loving mother and a kind neighbor. She, like thousands of other good women, was ever self-sacrificing for her family. For some reason she was never a member of the Portales Baptist church, and only her best friends knew she was a Baptist, yet no one could gainsay her quiet, unpretentious life.

She bore her illness with great patience and not a murmur escaped her lips. In the last weeks of her life her children and husband watched kindly and faithfully at her bedside and as the death angel came for her she said quietly to her husband, "I must go," and slipped away to be with her redeemed ones on the other side. Farewell good little mother, I trust your loved ones will meet you beyond the river. A Friend.

For Sale Cheap.

300 egg Cyphers incubator, as good as new. Also two iron beds and two sets springs. Will sell all for \$10, or will trade for one ton maize heads. Inquire at this office.

We have a large number of inquiries for Roosevelt county property. If you want to trade or sell list your property with us. BRALEY and BALL.

Card of Thanks

To the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted during our hour of trouble and sickness and contributed all that human kindness could suggest to help and comfort, we return our heart felt thanks and although such devoted friendship and kindness cannot remove the sad memories that linger around our vacant chair, it throws the pure light of an unselfish friendship into a darkened home.

R. W. Moore and R. M. Wood.

Baptist Notes.

Last Sunday was one of great interest in our church. We were glad to welcome among us a number of fine people and we trust that their connection with us will be one of mutual blessing. The baptismal service in the afternoon was one of great inspiration and helpfulness. Next Sunday morning we will have our regular service, subject, "Setting our affections on things above." Our night service will be called in during the meeting at the Presbyterian church. Everyone will be given a hearty welcome at our services. W. E. Dawn, Pastor.

New Goods Next Week.

S. F. Moore of the dry goods department of this store, has returned from the eastern markets where he bought a complete line of the latest designs in dress goods, trimmings and notions. These goods will be in next week. We have recently received a large shipment of shoes. Watch for our ad in the Herald-Times next week.

C. V. Harris, The Arkansas Store.

For Sale—Ten different kinds strawberry plants—all good. Red Feather Farm. 8-14

PORTALES UTILITIES COMPANY

Time To Get Busy

It is now but a short time till Spring and those of you who have not yet signed your power contracts should do so at once. Under the new rate schedules you may get power this year considerably cheaper than heretofore. The new rates also make it an object to sell water to your neighbors.



There is Real Economy in the Big, Central Power Station, and You, Mr. Farmer may get the Benefit of this Economy. Come into the office and let us talk the matter over. Those who own farms adjoining places where our equipment is in operation may make arrangements with us for getting water for irrigation purposes.

Portales Power and Irrigation Company