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## RECORD CREAM SHIPMENTS

### More Than Five Hundred Cans From Portales During May

## MUCH ALSO FROM OTHER POINTS

### A Proven Money Maker And Business Steadily Increases

Five hundred cans per month sounds pretty big, but that amount of cream will be shipped from Portales this month. Up until Tuesday 413 cans had been received, and going at this rate the shipments for the month will exceed 500 cans. This is pretty good when you consider that cream shipping as an industry is only three years old in Roosevelt county.

This is a considerable increase over the same month last year, and the shipments will continue to increase because the farmers of this and other localities realize that it is a sure money maker and it does not require a great deal of money to make a start.

Figures from Elida are not obtainable, but conditions at that place indicate that cream shipping is still increasing there. Delphos and the towns on the cut-off are in the game pretty strong, and we believe that the shipments from this county will show an increase of at least one-third over last year.

A can of cream with a good test brings about five dollars, so it is readily seen that it is bringing at the present time about \$2500 per month into our town. What is shipped from all other points in the county will amount to nearly twice as much.

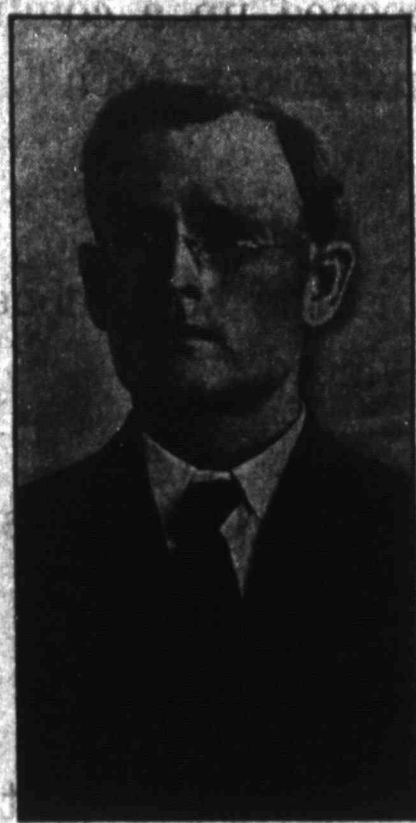
This is not all. The by products must be considered. The cream business has been a great boost and has been an incentive toward hog raising. The separated milk makes excellent hog feed particularly for young pigs and every cream man raises hogs. It has been a business getter for the inland merchants who now all buy cream. J. P. Nash of Floyd continues to be the leader among the country merchants and T. H. Long and son of Longs are a close second.

## Commissioners To Clovis.

County commissioners C. V. Harris, Ed Johnson and D. K. Smith accompanied by Heck Harris, went to Clovis in Mr. Smith's Ford on Monday to consult District Attorney K. K. Scott regarding some legal matters pertaining to the county. The trip was made with much difficulty owing to the bad condition of the unfinished portion of the road through the sand hills.

## State Highway Bonds.

It now seems probable that State Treasurer O. N. Marron next month will be able to sell the state highway bonds, totaling \$500,000. The law provides that the money derived from their sale shall be apportioned to each county according to the amount contributed to the state road fund. Under this apportionment Roosevelt county will receive \$12,500; Chaves, \$41,750; and Curry, \$15,350. There are plenty of road improvements needed, and the money can be spent to good advantage.



J. W. BALLOW  
Newly Appointed Clerk of Roosevelt County

The above is a splendid likeness of the new county clerk of Roosevelt county, Mr. John W. Ballow. The board of commissioners at their meeting on Tuesday unanimously chose Mr. Ballow to fill the unexpired term caused by the death of Mr. C. P. Mitchell. Mr. Ballow is an old timer in our county and one who is thoroughly competent to discharge the duties of the office. He has been deputy under Mr. Mitchell for the past three years and is familiar with the work of the office. We predict that the appointment of Mr. Ballow will meet with the approval of the citizens of the county.

Guy P. Mitchell has been appointed deputy county clerk.

## Return With Prisoner.

Sheriff Geo. C. Deen, accompanied by Deputy Sheriff Joe Beasley, returned Monday night from Crowell, Texas, bringing with them Walter Center, one of the boys charged with assaulting and robbing Ben White, an elderly man, at his home near Chaudell in the western part of this county. Harry Grady, the other boy in the case, was arrested in the vicinity of Ft. Sumner last week by deputy sheriffs B. B. Clayton and Joe Beasley. Both prisoners have made confessions to the sheriff and are now in the county jail awaiting their preliminary trial which will probably be held Saturday.

The sheriff and his deputy made record time on the return trip in a Ford, covering the distance from Crowell, Texas, 280 miles, arriving home in about nine and one-half hours.

This case adds two more to the many confessions the sheriff's office has secured during Mr. Deen's term. It is also gratifying to note that of the nine prisoners sent to the penitentiary during his term, eight made confessions and plead guilty. This shows the efficiency of our sheriff and his deputies and is indicative of the fact that through their efforts the county has been saved hundreds of dollars which otherwise would necessarily have been spent to secure convictions.

## From The Cut-off.

A. L. Mayberry and J. O. Wade prominent farmers from the northwestern part of this county were here the latter part of last week on business. They were pleasant callers at this office and ordered the Herald-Times sent for the next twelve months.

## MEMORIAL DAY WILL BE OBSERVED IN PORTALES

### Procession Will Form At Baptist Church, March To Court House Lawn, Where Program Will Be Rendered, Thence To Cemetery

### CO. M NEW MEXICO NATIONAL GUARD, WILL HAVE CHARGE OF PARADE

### Appropriate Program Includes Able Speakers—Committees Appointed To Assist In Success of Occasion And Decorate Graves

Governor McDonald has issued the following proclamation for Memorial Day:

It is now more than half a century since the clouds of war rolled away, let us hope forever, from our fair land. The lessons of peace have emphasized the horrors of war. A united people now gladly do honor to all, both living and dead, who risked their lives for the sake of home and country. "The animosities perish; the humanities are eternal."

Now, therefore, I, William C. McDonald, governor of the state of New Mexico, do hereby proclaim Sunday, May 30, 1915, as Memorial day in the state of New Mexico, and request that all of our people lay aside their ordinary tasks so far as this may reasonably be done; that they unite with the patriotic organizations in an earnest, genuine observance of the day; that the schools prepare such exercises as shall impress upon the young mind the glory of the past, and the respect and honor due those who played such a noble part in the great drama, and at the same time emphasize above all things the blessings of peace and good will among nations and men.

Done at the executive office this 17th day of May, 1915.  
Witness my hand and the great seal of the state of New Mexico.  
WILLIAM C. McDONALD.  
Attest: Antonio Lucero, Secretary of State.

In line with the above proclamation, Gov. McDonald as commander-in-chief of the National Guards of the state, instructed Gen. Herring to order all companies to parade in their home town on Memorial Day. Capt. T. J. Molinari conceived the idea that a general Memorial Day celebration in connection with the part Company M would have to take, would be the proper thing to do. Accordingly a meeting was held at the court house Monday morning at which a line of march was arranged and a very appropriate program was formulated as well as committees named to assist in making it a notable celebration.

The line of march will be in control of Company M, National Guards. All members are required to report at the armory at 10 o'clock sharp. All former members are invited to be present and march in uniform.

Such occasions as this are held in nearly every city and town in the United States and it is only proper that we should turn out one day in the year to show our respect and esteem, and commemorate the brave deeds of the deceased soldiers and decorate the graves. Everybody in the county is invited to attend and participate in this celebration. Let everybody turn out and make this a truly memorable occasion.

The speakers will be limited to fifteen minutes time. The parade will form in front of the Baptist church at 8 o'clock sharp. This will be after the singing convention is over and will give plenty of time for the program to be rendered at the court lawn. The Portales school children are expected to report to Prof. Fryor B. Timmons and Mrs. S. F. Oulberson, who will have charge of the party they are to take in the program.

The following committees were appointed: Singing, Mrs. A. W. Freeman, S. G. Bridges, F. R. Smith, Miss L. Carter, Miss Fannie Williamson. Old soldiers, (North and South) Judge C. L. Carter. School children, Prof. Fryor B. Timmons and Mrs. S. F. Oulberson. Citizens' parade, Dr. J. S. Pearce, Inda Humphrey, W. B. Reid, C. V. Harris and W. H. Ball. Floral decorations, Mrs. G. W. Carr, Mrs. Inda Humphrey, Mrs. W. O. Oldham, Mrs. Roy Connally, Mrs. G. L. Reese, Mrs. C. O. Leach.

## Order of March.

Company "M." National Guards in Olive Drab Uniform  
Old Soldiers of the North and South  
Spanish War Veterans  
Societies and Lodges  
County Officers  
City Officers  
Citizens on Foot  
Citizens in Conveyances  
School Children in Line  
Parade will form at Baptist Church and proceed to court lawn

## Program

Invocation—Rev. W. E. Dawn  
Song by School Children  
Memorial Addresses by J. F. Jones and A. A. Rogers  
Decoration of Graves  
Prayer by Rev. Hugh Smith  
Rifle Salute for the Dead by the Militia (blank cartridges)  
Benediction—Rev. A. C. Bell  
Column will reform and return in order



PROF. J. S. LONG

Prof. J. S. Long, accompanied by Mrs. Long, will leave Friday to attend the summer institute at the Silver City Normal school, where Mr. Long is one of the instructors. The session will last eight weeks. Later in the summer Prof. and Mrs. Long propose to go to California and attend the expositions, and may go direct from Silver City.

The following teachers from this county will attend the Silver City Normal: Prof. R. P. Connally, C. E. Evans, Misses Lucille Moore, Pauline Anthony, Watson, McAnally, Gertrude Good, Beatrice Cooper, and Ella Cook.

## Oratorical and Musical Contests.

Last Friday evening at 8 o'clock the annual oratorical and musical contests were given at the Cozy theater. These exercises marked the conclusion of commencement week of the Portales schools.

Miss Hallie Mitchell was awarded the Oldham medal in the girls' contest. Jere Hart was awarded the Joyce-Fruit medal in the boys and girls contest. Miss Irma Bell Smith was awarded the Williamson medal in the musical contest, and Carl Owens was awarded the Hardy Hardware Company medal in the boys' contest. Miss Emma Del Curto of the sophomore class was presented with a gold medal for having made the highest general average for the school year, in the high school. During the intermission while the judges were making their decisions, Miss Edith Reagan favored the audience with a musical reading entitled "In the Garden of My Heart." Miss Mignon Jones also rendered a piano solo in her usual pleasing manner.

Much credit is due the boys and girls of the Portales schools for the splendid work they have done during the past year, not only in their general school work, but in the musical and oratorical departments.

## Delicious Strawberries.

The Herald-Times force last week enjoyed a rare treat in the form of a box of large sized delicious strawberries, presented by Miss Alta Potes. They were of the Senator Dunlap variety and were raised by Miss Potes' mother, Mrs. V. C. Potes, in their garden in south Portales. Mrs. Potes has one of the best small gardens in town, in which she grows an abundance of fruit and vegetables. The strawberries would be a credit to any community, no matter where they are grown.

John Rogers of Taiban was here on business Tuesday.

## MORE PURE BRED CATTLE

### Jordan & Horney Ship Hereford Heifers From Crosby County, Texas

## START OF THOROUGHBRED HERD

### Located On Horney Brothers Ranch Southeast of Portales

Jordan and Horney received the first of the week 42 head of thoroughbred heifers from Crosby county, Texas. They are whiteface Herefords, are exceptionally good, and are to be the start of another big herd of thoroughbreds.

They average from 600 to 850 pounds in weight and have more the appearance of two-year olds than yearlings. An experienced cow man, when he saw them unloaded, expressed himself as thinking they were three-year-olds.

The heifers have been taken to the Horney ranch southeast of town. The Horney brothers are experienced and successful young cow men and Mr. Jordan has been fortunate in forming a partnership with such capable men.

This adds another to the long list of thoroughbred herds that are now in Roosevelt county. More and more it is apparent that this county is going to be some famous as the breeding place of high grade cattle.

## E. C. Price In Town.

E. C. (Uncle Cal) Price of Floyd, former county commissioner, was in town Monday looking after business. He is optimistic regarding the conditions and the outlook in that vicinity. Mr. Price was one of the first ones to see that a good bunch of cows was almost a necessity in connection with successful dry land farming in this county.

He preferred the Galloway breed and made a start with only a few, but now the herd has increased to about forty head. Mr. Price has raised some of the best mules ever raised in Roosevelt county and he keeps several good mares for breeding purposes. He states that all of his crop except a few acres, is planted.

## Another Coat.

The Roosevelt county court house this week is getting the finishing coat of paint which is a dark buff color. The trimmings are dark red and white. These make a very striking appearance and show the building up nicely. Chas. Goodloe has the contract and P. O. Naylor and A. J. Goodwin are doing the work.

## Going To Pest Property.

W. O. Dunlap says that he has found that he must take steps necessary to keep irresponsible persons from trespassing on the property he owns and controls. Some persons, particularly boys, have caused him a great deal of annoyance recently as well as damaged his property. He says however that he has no objection to his friends and responsible persons, providing they will first get permission.

## NEW MEXICO NEWS

Gathered From  
All Parts of the State

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

**COMING EVENTS.**  
July 1-2.—Cowboy Celebration at Las Vegas.  
July 1-2.—Meeting State Retail Merchants Association at Santa Fe.  
Sept. 25-30.—Northern New Mexico Fair at Hatan.

Silver City has a Country Club with about 100 members.

New Mexico's state building at San Diego is visited by 2,000 people daily.

July 22 has been named as Albuquerque day at the San Francisco fair.

The county of Dona Ana has purchased an auto for the use of the sheriff.

Five cars of silk and one of polo ponies passed through Gallup billed to Chicago.

George Rosington has been appointed receiver of the Albuquerque Traction Company.

Wanton killing of wild game in Ute Park during the past winter is reported from Cimarron.

The twenty-fifth annual commencement of the State College will be held Thursday, May 27th.

Farmers in the Roy district have purchased nine gas tractors for local farm use this season.

There has been talk of 30-cent wool and \$2 wheat, and now copper is expected to reach 25 cents.

Elephant Butte dam, including all its related features, was 90 per cent complete at the end of April.

J. E. Minner and sons of the Farmington section this season sold \$24,000 worth of wool and sheep.

Broom corn raisers in the Portales section have realized \$35,000 from the product of last season's yield.

The latest thing in the way of recreation for the business men of Roswell is in the nature of a golf club.

Rodeo, Grant county, has an immense deposit of sodium nitrate of commercial value, discovered in 1911.

Land Commissioner Ervies turned in to the state treasurer over \$9,000 of income from state lands during April.

The National Editorial Association will be entertained at Albuquerque July 24 on its way to the California Expositions.

Mrs. T. H. Felis, wife of Tom, the section foreman, arrived in Rock Island from Greece. She was twenty-two days on route.

Arizona's population as indicated by the 1914 school census, is 275,000. That of New Mexico, as indicated by the same census, is 255,000.

The local option election in several precincts of Rio Arriba county indicate that Monero, Lambertson, Las Truchas and Valarde voted dry.

Alamogordo valley has come forward with a most encouraging report on the fruit possibilities this season in that part of the state.

State Engineer James A. French is advertising for bids for the sinking of three wells in Estancia valley and sections in Torrance county.

C. C. Davidson of Tucumcari has been chosen to make selection of range riders in Quay, Guadalupe, Curry, Otero and Lincoln counties.

As a plea for state control of government land, Commissioner Ervies claims there is application for 4,000,000 acres, were the land available.

The Grant county road board has authorized the construction of a new county highway from Central to Santa Rita and Hurley. Work is under way.

Cowpunchers from Quay, San Miguel, Mora and Colfax counties, have accepted invitation to be present at the cowboy celebration to be held at Las Vegas July 1, 2 and 3.

Fine fruit prospects are reported from the Espanola valley.

Two railroads are appealing to State Land Commissioner Ervies for right of way to construct four miles of track to the 85 Copper Mine in the Lordsburg district, Grant county.

Milton Dow, pioneer merchant of Bernalillo county, and widely known throughout central New Mexico, died at the Presbyterian Sanitarium in Albuquerque, where he was taken several days ago for an operation in the hope of prolonging his life. Mr. Dow was 59 years of age.

A telegram received by the State Corporation commission from W. J. Black, general passenger traffic manager of the Santa Fe railway, announces that "radical reductions" in summer tourist rates from Missouri river points to Las Vegas and Santa Fe are to be made.

With the dry forces led by Cosme Martinez and Sixto Chavez and the saloons joining in the campaign against themselves, the town of Vallecitos, Rio Arriba county, went dry by unanimous consent at the election, sixty-two votes being cast against the saloons and none in their favor.

Thomas O. Miller, who was sentenced to serve from five to six months in the county jail of Mora county at the recent term of the district court at Mora, has been granted a pardon by Governor McDonald.

That Mrs. Kate Bell, the ashes of whose body were found among the ruins of her home at Mineral Hill, came to her death accidentally, through fire, origin unknown, was the verdict reached by a coroner's jury. The remnants of the body were taken to Las Vegas.

### Commencement Week.

The activities of the school for the past year were brought to a very successful close last week with various assemblies to please the populace.

A crowded house listened with much interest to Dr. David R. Boyd, president of the N. M. University, as he delivered the Baccalaureate address to the graduating class at the M. E. church Sunday, May 16. The address was full of sound doctrine and advice, profitable to any adults, as well as to the class just beginning the experiences of real life.

Overflowing is the term that will best express the conditions at the various exercises, notably the oratorical and contest at the Cosy, and the commencement at the Methodist church. These assemblies were practical demonstrations of the necessity of a large auditorium in connection with the school.

Perhaps the most thoroughly enjoyed affair that the patrons of the school have been permitted to enjoy for a long time was the commencement Thursday evening, May 20. The nine graduates showed that they are capable of meeting the competition that those from other schools will afford. The program that they rendered was different from the usual formal "God save the King" class, there being much variety and a well balanced selection of topics. The class oration, history, musical number, declamation, essay, poem, will, prophecy and valedictory were excellent, and equal credit is due each one. The quality of the entertainment, the appearance as well as the record of the seven young ladies and two young men makes this a class of which the citizenship may well be proud. Not in vain has the "Key of Knowledge" entrusted to them last year by the then departing seniors, been in their possession. And the presentation last Thursday night to the present Senior class was evidence to all that the continuance of our standard of excellence in the schools is assured.

The Portales Male Quartette rendered four enjoyable selections. The graduates, in the order of their part of the program as given above, are: Lee Langston, Nora Fairly, Willie Ferguson, Edith Reagan, Eunice Honea, Willie Warnica, Helen Lindsey, Bessie Dickbreder, and Hubert Yates.

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### Death of C. P. Mitchell.

Charles P. Mitchell was born in Polk county, Missouri, July 31, 1861, and died in Portales last Saturday at 3:40 p. m. The deceased had been in ill health for more than two years, but was able to be about until a few weeks before his death.

When a young man Mr. Mitchell came to Texas, coming from there to New Mexico about 16 years ago. He was foreman on a cow ranch for several years and acquired many of the cowboy's characteristics. While he did not hesitate to express his opinion on matters, he always respected the other fellow's views. Mr. Mitchell was charitable, constantly doing favors for others and was ever a friend to the man who was down and out. A great many of his charitable acts never became known.

He was elected county clerk in 1909 and re-elected in 1912 for a period of five years. By his death Roosevelt county has lost a most faithful, efficient and accommodating county official. He was never too busy, and was ever ready to give information to whoever sought it. His familiarity with the records of his office was remarkable.

Mr. Mitchell is survived by his widow, formerly Mattie Lang, to whom he was married in 1893, and two children, Guy P. and Miss Hallie.

The deceased was a member of the Masons, (R. A. degree) I. O. O. F., Woodmen and Elks. The funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church by Rev. A. C. Bell, after which Portales Lodge A. F. and A. M. took charge and conducted the Masonic services at the cemetery. It was one of the largest funerals ever held in Portales.

The town and community has lost a most useful citizen and one who will be keenly missed. The bereaved family has a host of friends who extend their heartfelt sympathy at this sad time.

### Kansas Club Meeting.

The Kansas Club had a very enjoyable meeting Saturday evening, at the Brown Ham ranch west of town.

A talk by C. L. Sanders on cultivation and irrigation was much appreciated. E. P. Kuhl gave a talk on marketing which if put into practice ought to be of much benefit to the farmers of the Portales Valley. Ralph Converse also gave a talk on Denia onions.

A luncheon was served on the lawn, after which a literary program of songs, instrumental music and recitations, was given. At a business session it was decided to hold an all day picnic July 4th, and invite everyone to participate.

The rest of the evening was spent in playing games and in a social way. The hosts and hostesses certainly have the thanks of the club for the evening's splendid entertainment.

### Reporter.

### Kuhl Getting Results

E. P. Kuhl is making a fine showing on his small tract this year. He makes a careful study of gardening and fruit growing and is combining theory with practise. The fine appearance his place now makes shows the energy and ability of the owner.

Mr. Kohl was in town Wednesday with a load of radishes and other garden truck which were the finest we have seen.

John D. Farwell, of Chicago, was here the first of the week inspecting the Portales Valley.

### Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., May 22nd, 1915.  
Notice is hereby that Grover C. Grant, of Jax, N. M. who on December 8, 1910 made homestead entry Serial No. 99778 for SE 14 section 17 township 33 South Range 17 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 3rd day of July 1915.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Harrison H. Carder, James S. Kelley, Benjamin Gates, all of Jax, N. M.; James B. Garrett, of Portales, N. M.

# New Goods

We have just opened up a complete new stock of Groceries and invite our friends and customers to call and see us.

Red Star Flour is the best money can buy—try a sack and be convinced.

We pay cash for your Cream, test any day in the week, and will pay you cash for your chickens and hides.

We have just received a shipment of enameled ware prices can not be beat any where also shipment of alluminum ware. Prices that you never heard of before on this popular ware.

# M. J. Faggard & Co.

### CENTS AT WORK

Watkins' remedies can be had at Curd's second hand store. 15-tf

Wanted—To buy a few steer calves. C. L. Sanders. Phone 134. 17-tf

For Sale—One second-hand hack or one new hack. C. V. Harris. 23-tf

For Sale or Rent—New and second hand Oliver typewriters J. A. Fairly. 13-tf

For Sale—Portales Valley grown Sudan grass seed. C. L. Sanders, Phone 134. 18-tf

For Sale—Kaffir corn bundles and other feed, see Thompson Bros., Portales. 13-tf

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

Found—Automobile license No. 3327, N. M., 1915. Owner can get same at this office by paying for this notice. 23-tf

For Sale Cheap—Registered Jersey bull two years old last September, formerly owned by W. E. Brown. Carl Mueller, Portales. 16-tf.

To Horse Owners—Silver Cloud, my saddle and harness horse, will stand the season at my place 5 miles east of Arch. Terms, \$10 to insure, \$7.50 season, \$5.00 cover. W. J. Ward. 15-8tp.

Would you like the agency for a cement silo that can be sold as cheap as a wood silo? If so, write the Interlocking Cement Silo Co., 720 Insurance Bldg., Oklahoma City. 18

For Sale—Splendid five acre tract two miles from town. Good four room house and windmill. Also several choice farms and town property at bargain. 22-tf T. J. Molinari, Owner.

For Trade—Four five and six year-old Jersey cows to trade for threshed grain. Come and see the cows right now. Twelve miles west and four miles north of Portales. Geo. E. Scott, Lacy, N. M. 19-5t

Taken Up—At my place 3-1/2 miles east of Portales, about May 12, one 2-year-old filly, light bay, branded J with horizontal I at top, connected on left thigh. Owner can have same by paying for care of animal, and this notice. J. C. Crume. 23-2t

For Sale Reasonable—Several good shallow water farms in the Portales Valley, some highly improved and under irrigation, some unimproved. Also implements, teams and complete farming equipment. Easy terms to right party. Carl Mueller, owner. Portales, New Mexico. 16-tf

Dr. Frederick Clark, famous baritone; Miss Helen Woytuch, American violinist; Grover Stroh, pianist, at the Cosy Saturday night.

Regular Meals 25c

Short Orders

When in Clovis, eat at the

## Ogg & Boss Cafe

Open day and night

Clovis, - New Mexico

### "MONEY"

The mint makes it, and under the terms of the CONTINENTAL MORTGAGE COMPANY you can secure it at 6 per cent for any legal purpose on approved real estate. Terms easy; tell us your wants and we will co-operate with you.

PETTY & COMPANY 21-12t  
513 Denham Bldg DENVER, COLO.

New Mexico Normal University, Summer School  
Las Vegas, N. M.,  
June and July, 1915



One and one-third fare on certificate plan provided there are fifty in attendance holding certificates showing the purchase of one way tickets to Las Vegas, N. M., at regular one way fare.

W. S. Merrill, Agt.

## We Have Just Received

A shipment of U Wanta and Jockey Club Coffee, none better, 3-lb. can - \$1.10  
Moses Best, Made Rite, and Pride of the Rockies Flour, per cwt. - \$4.00  
No. 3 Statesman Coffee - 85c  
No. 4 Statesman Coffee - \$1.00  
25c can Jack Frost Baking Powder - 15c  
No. 2 Genessee Cut String Beans - 10c  
1 doz. No. 1 Walker's Pork and Beans - 90c  
1 doz. No. 1 Walker's Chili Con Carne - 90c  
1 doz. No. 3 Calif. Goody Goody Peaches \$2.00

### FARMERS—

Bring us your cream—we pay the highest cash price. Test any amount, any day

# JOYCE-PRUIT COMPANY

# THIS BANK

IS MORE THAN JUST A BANK

It is your friend. It is the medium of exchange between you and the rest of the world. Its drafts are honored everywhere. It protects your savings. It loans you money when you need it. It exerts a strong influence in upholding the moral and material interests of your community, of yourself. It is safe, it is sound, it is conservative, it is strong. It is a GOOD place for your savings. Your name to an honored check is a good endorsement.

The  
**Portales Bank and Trust Company**

## The Sizzle of Our Fountain

May be heard from morn 'till night,  
Dispensing to all those who face it.

### GENUINE DELIGHT

Cool delicious Sundaes, flavorings galore!  
Each one so refreshing, it calls for

JUST ONE MORE

DOBBS' CONFECTIONERY

## SPOT CASH STORE

I have recently bought a complete stock of groceries, which are being sold in the old Fred Crosby building just west of Humphrey & Sledges' hardware store. By selling for spot cash only, I am able to supply you with groceries at a greatly reduced price. These goods are clean and fresh. We invite you to call and inspect them and get our prices.

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## ARGENTINE PRIDE SPURNS BIG PROFIT

Refuses Offer of \$17,500,000 For New Dreadnought Moreno.

## NATIONS AT WAR WANT IT.

Greece, Peaceful, Made Largest Bid Against Many Other Countries—Acquisition of Vessel Would Have Given Her a Big Naval Advantage Over Turkey.

New York.—Argentina's patriotic pride in her new super-Dreadnought Moreno, which sailed recently from Newport News, is strong.

Not even a profit of about \$6,000,000 in cash could induce the South American republic to sell this warship, one of the largest afloat, which was built at Camden, N. J. The offer was made by Greece through an agent in this city, acting on instructions of the Greek minister in Paris, whose government was willing to pay \$2,500,000 for the American built vessel. The cost to Argentina for the construction of the Moreno was about \$12,000,000.

Greece, however, was not the only country that made bids for the immediate transfer of the warship for military considerations that would net Argentina a large profit.

Italy, it is understood, is anxious to add the great sea fighting machine to its navy, although her offer was not as large as that made by the Athens government.

The first intimation that negotiations had been in progress mentioned Russia as the bidder, but the fact of Russia's inability to use the navy she now has eliminated that country as one of the nations that coveted the Moreno.

"Yes, there have been offers for the sale of the Moreno," said Manuel A. Molina, acting Argentine consul in New York. "I am not sure which countries made the bids, but I know that all of them were rejected by my government."

The fact that Greece, not yet embroiled in the European conflict, was the highest bidder for the new sea fighter confirms a recent statement that the Hellenic power has been making pretensions military preparations, which included the purchase of the United States warships Idaho and Mississippi for \$12,000,000 and are now followed by the further offer of about \$17,500,000 for the Moreno to add to her ready made navy.

Greece has also bought about 100,000 tons of explosives, and a large quantity of hospital supplies, besides ammunition. The further fact that Greece was able to pay \$12,000,000 in cash for the two American vessels and was ready to pay the amount bid for the Moreno also indicates a favorable condition of the Greek exchequer or the readiness of a friendly power to advance the necessary money.

The New York agent to whom the Greek minister in Paris intrusted the important mission is in close social and commercial relations with Argentina, but the government at Buenos Aires refused to consider even the flattering offer that would mean a profit of 50 per cent of the battleship's cost.

The prospective purchaser or purchasers were encouraged in their negotiations by the controversy that developed between the Argentine government and the New York Shipbuilding company, which built the Moreno, over the payment for extra work which delayed the delivery.

The acquisition of this vessel of 27,500 tons displacement and a speed of 22 1/2 knots by the Greek navy in case of a conflict with her ancient and natural enemy, Turkey, would be of great importance and would give that country a greatly superior naval strength over that possessed by Turkey.

Argentina has proudly rejected the great inducement, and the Moreno will continue to fly the blue and white flag. The transport Chaco of the Argentine navy brought the crew for the Moreno and is now at Philadelphia. The Chaco will follow the super-Dreadnought south.

## DOG A "PANHANDLER."

Bubbles Collected Pennies Enough to Pay For License.

Warren, Mass.—For the license of Bubbles, a dog owned by Edward W. Burns, former proprietor of the Hotel Ramezelli, 200 cents were paid to Town Clerk William F. Duncan. Bubbles collected the cents himself from traveling salesmen and other guests in the hotel. He is a Boston bull terrier, six years old and is known to every child here.

Bubbles will not be satisfied unless he is given a cent. At all times he will refuse silver. When a cent is thrown to him he grabs it in his teeth and runs to a corner of a room and then returns for more.

At the beginning of the year Mr. Burns' son began to save the cents received by Bubbles. The cents are on exhibition in the window of a Main street store.

New Shoes Every Six Weeks. London - It is estimated that six weeks is the life of an army shoe and that for a year of the war 71,000,000 pairs will be necessary.

## ZEPPELIN RAIDS TEST OF MACHINE

New Dirigible Used In Recent Flights Over England.

## OFFICERS FEAR MORE BOMBS

Motorcycle Said to Have Toured Path of Raider and Indicated Route With Brilliant Headlight—People Treat Bombs Lightly, but Officials Take Many Precautions.

Lowestoft, England.—A tour by motorcycle over the path which the latest Zeppelin raider took across and around this section of England supports the opinion that he had no particular military object in view. The big dirigible first was sighted at Southwold soon after midnight and disappeared over the sea at Lowestoft about an hour later. It made an extended tour over a considerable area, dropping a large number of incendiary bombs and a few explosive bombs, but spending nearly half its time maneuvering in the neighborhood of Henham hall, a rambling old mansion. It is possible the pilot mistook the hall for some other building which he supposed to be of military importance.

The dropping of the numerous incendiary bombs appears to have been done in an effort to set fire to barns or hay-



Photo by American Press Association.

STACKS OF BOMBS DROPPED OR EXPLODED BY ZEPPELIN.

stacks, which would illumine the landscape and enable the pilot to locate some landmark by which he could get his bearings.

Dispatches from Holland quote German naval officers as stating the Zeppelin used for this raid was a new one and the trip was in the nature of a test. Overseas navigation is an art only to be acquired after long experience, and it is possible the visit to this section had little significance except as training for pilots and men.

The raider passed over Lowestoft two or three times, a calm night making maneuvering easy. A fire bomb which fell into a pile of timber did damage estimated at \$25,000, and the two or three explosive bombs which found targets did slight damage.

Elsewhere there was nothing to tell of the passage of the invader except some holes in the ground, some broken windows, doors torn from their hinges and a gossiping countryside. The broken windows and damaged doors were regarded lightly by the inhabitants, and their feelings were rather of astonishment and surprise than fear or dismay. "I've lived in this house twenty years, and nothing like this ever happened before," was a characteristic comment in the farming districts.

There are many stories of miraculous escapes, but most of them have little basis in actual fact. Countryside gossip is also busily engaged in rounding up mysterious spies, and fully half the people in the visited district believe the hazy story of a mysterious motorcycleist who piloted the visitor by means of a headlight of peculiar brilliancy.

While the civilians are generally inclined to treat lightly the result of the Zeppelin activity, military men in charge of the various defense projects incline to a more serious view. They are generally of the opinion that the raids are in the nature of reconnaissance and will be followed by more determined attempts shortly. Zeppelins have now reached the English coast several times, and with good luck and favorable wind they may be expected to return actually in larger numbers and with more serious intentions.

Allies' Air Man's Brilliant Escape. Paris.—An air man of the allies was fired on near Ghent, but by flying up side down he made the Germans believe he had been killed, and they ceased shooting. Suddenly he resumed his upright position, dropped two bombs and escaped.

Paris Idolizes Jacques Goujon. Paris.—Before he lost an arm Jacques Goujon, seventeen, killed two German sentries, blew up two quick runners with bombs, was captured, escaped and carried to the French lines a German machine gun. He has been given a medal.

## Notice To Taxpayers

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### PARTY'S FAITH KEPT

Secretary Redfield Talks of Democratic Record.

Action Taken Has Been in the Interests of the People and Not at the Dictation of Private Interests.

Denunciation of "calamity howlers" and a vigorous defense of the policies of President Wilson's administration were the features of a speech at Indianapolis by Secretary Redfield of the department of commerce before a meeting of representatives of Indiana manufacturing interests.

The secretary defended the tariff, lauded the federal reserve act, declared that the Clayton antitrust law and the federal trade commission act have made plainer the way of the business man, and asserted that in the condition of the country today "there is no happiness for those who would do evil to the administration."

The secretary quoted several news paper articles to show that the country was on the way to prosperity, and paid caustic respects to "purveyors of pessimism."

"Our party has kept its faith," the secretary said. "It has not been given orders by the people to revise the tariff downward only to answer by revising it upward. One thing at least no one dares say about the tariff law namely, that it was prepared by any body in his own interest. Never was there a measure of the kind more free from personal taint, more purely intended for public as distinguished from private purposes."

"Look and see how many of our partisan opponents venture to rise in public and denounce the federal reserve law. It is admitted on all hands if not in words at least in silence, by our adversaries, that this thing has been well done. On it with confidence rest the operations of some of the very men who cry loudest in criticism of our policies."

"Aye, but business legislation. Well, let us face the question of business legislation boldly, for concerning it there is naught we have to fear. We have made plainer the way of the honest business man; our opponents themselves being witnesses, the Clayton law and the federal trade commission law are good. They put no obstacle in the way of any honorable man. They make his road more plain. They give him a forum in which he may be heard."

### RECORD SPEAKS FOR ITSELF

Figures Show Gratifying Condition of Business Due to Underwood Tariff Law.

In the month of May, 1914, when under the Underwood tariff, the importations of the United States showed the greatest excess over the corresponding month for the previous year under the Payne-Aldrich law—\$34,000,000—the \$14,000,000 food excess was attributable to the effects of the great drought of the summer before.

On account of the revision downward of the iniquitous "Schedule K," in accordance with Democratic protection promises, increased importations of manufactures of wool amounted to nearly \$2,400,000. How far this was from discouraging the legitimate woolen industry of the country may be judged from the fact that importations of free raw wool amounted to \$6,789,000, as against no wool importations in May, 1913. Cotton manufactures increased in amount \$765,000, while unmanufactured cotton came up to \$1,590,000. Leather came up \$773,000.

Chemicals, drugs and dyes dropped off \$1,788,000. The copper schedule showed less importations by \$574,000. Iron and steel, and manufactures, showed a loss of \$346,000. Wood and manufactures of wood fell off \$301,000. Contrast the results in these great lines of manufacture with those which were prophesied before the Underwood law was passed!

The best cure for false tariff argument is simple statement of fact. We Democrats are not afraid of the record. The more it is studied the better for us.

Presidential appears to be as hard to take as to pronounce.

### CLOSER TO RANK AND FILE

President Wilson's "Unbending" Will Adds to His Popularity With the People.

What might be called the humanizing of President Wilson goes on apace. When he first walked over the horizon into our political ken he was fresh from purely intellectual fields and there was in his speech and bearing the slight chill of the academic atmosphere. While the common man looked upon him with that respect due a wonderful thinking machine the respect was mingled with awe. In Woodrow Wilson he failed to recognize plain Tommy Wilson, in other years Princeton's popular football coach. Thirty-five years of academic pursuits ending in the presidency of Princeton was a training so unusual for an American political leader that the nation felt a little embarrassed and awkward in the presence of its polished president. When he spoke it was in periods so chaste that their very excellence overwhelmed the man in the street.

Gradually the president has been breaking down the wall between himself and the rank and file. He has felt the warmth of contact with men of all ranks and has responded with a counter glow that reveals itself in speech and bearing. In a letter to Representative Doremus explaining his inability to take the stump in the fall campaign the president falls into the easy language of the people in a way that shows the progress of his unbending. "Every patriotic man ought to stay on his job until the crisis is passed," Mr. Wilson writes. Later he alludes to the presidency as "my job." President Wilson of Princeton university would not have dared do that. President Wilson of the United States of America writes in apparent unconsciousness of the racy colloquialism.

Most men who have climbed to the White House have found to their regret that their position placed a gulf between them and the people. With the present occupant of that mansion the effect seems to be the opposite. The longer he remains in office the closer appears to be the rapprochement between him and everyday folks. —Chicago Daily News (Ind.)

### CHANGE THAT WAS NEEDED

Amendment to Clayton Law Necessary to Correct a Measure of Grave Injustice.

The senate adopted without division an amendment to the Clayton antitrust bill which will deprive patentees of the sweeping powers put into their hands by the decision in the mimeograph case. The amendment makes it illegal "to insert a condition in any contract relating to the sale or lease of or license to use" any patented article or process, the effect of which will be to put such restrictions on the purchaser, lessee, or licensee as would require him to "acquire from the seller, lessor or licensor, or his nominee, any article or class of articles not protected by the patent."

This covers the particular point involved in the mimeograph case. It follows the opinion of Chief Justice White, who wrote the opinion for the dissenting judges, stating what in his opinion the law was, but in view of the majority opinion he felt it imperative it should be enacted by specific legislation. The language of the opinion was stronger than usual in judicial opinions, but hardly more so than the question warranted.

The stretching of authority granted by a patent to cover the trade in articles subsidiary to its use asserts a vicious principle and can be used to sustain grave injustice.

### Who Is Looney Now?

Governor Haines, of Maine, makes a mistake when he says in his public addresses. "The foreign policy of this administration has made us the laughing stock of the whole world. The whole thing would be humorous were it not so intensely pathetic and tragic."

Three months ago that would have been all right. It is not all right now, and it will not appeal to one thinking man of any party. President Wilson mapped out a certain line of procedure during the Mexican crisis. It succeeded. If it had failed, criticism would have been in order, but without plunging the country into disastrous war the president accomplished his purpose.

Governor Haines does not say that our foreign policy is the laughing stock of Europe, but that was said only a few months ago. Europe is not laughing much nowadays. Our foreign policy has marked elements of superiority over that which has blossomed into a European war. We commend to Governor Haines this recent statement by the London News on the subject of diplomacy: "The example of the United States must hereafter become the model of the civilized world."—Boston Journal.

### No Hope for Roosevelt.

Whether the Republicans and Progressives reunite or not, and whether they nominate Mr. Roosevelt or not, cannot affect the result of the next presidential election. There is no Republican in the field who can defeat the president, and many of the Progressives recognize that their objects are being attained, while if the Republicans and Progressives should each make a nomination the returns of 1912 would be repeated. Mr. Roosevelt might as well dismiss all thought of the presidency.

The contingencies make progress by feet, not miles.

All is lost! The men are having fashion shows now.

Neutrals are not half so tired of war as the men in the trenches.

Doughnuts are to be made smaller in some cities. Why not make the hole larger?

So far as the brass bands are concerned, the elections do not come a bit too often.

A deadly parallel of the various official war reports would be more deadly than parallel.

Most European rulers will find their names prominently inscribed in the others' black books.

Those all-wool suits made of vegetables ought to go nicely with a turn-up nose and carrot hair.

Nothing depresses a chap caught in the enemy's territory so much as to be addressed as "Old Scout!"

Nevertheless, there are parts of Europe where the American free-jack counter would make a decided hit.

The safest thing for a vessel threatened with destruction is to disguise itself instantly as a Swiss warship.

A mouth organ will serve a useful purpose if it makes a soldier in the trenches forget that his feet are wet.

There is nothing more pathetic about the last rose of summer than there is about the last chunk of winter coal.

On the principle that taking one's umbrella along prevents rain, building quake-proof cities ought to prevent earthquakes.

A soldier's description of a shower bath in one of the trenches shows how man's ingenuity can ameliorate the horrors of war.

As time goes on the number of men who are proud to have the bartender call them by their first name grows steadily smaller.

Monte Carlo reports decreased revenues as a result of the war, but this is a "horror of war" that the world views with equanimity.

When our prominent writers are not advertising smoking tobacco they are purchasing particular kinds of automobiles. It is a hard life.

The old-fashioned man who used to live seven laps ahead of his income has been forced by hard times to reduce the distance to three laps.

The public is warned against washing its hair with soap. Sound advice. Always mix water with it, except when a thin quality of soap is at hand.

Somebody says the women are going to wear high silk hats. This will relieve mere man of a crushing responsibility that he never really enjoyed.

Unless one's nervous system is badly deranged, he will get just about as much pleasure out of the muttonheads of this world as he will from its wisacres.

The generally accepted definition of a "joy sleeper" is a fellow who "pounds his pillow" at an hour of the morning when nearly everybody else is at work.

To keep the boy on the farm give him an auto, says a student of the problem. It is quite conceivable that it will have more of a pull with him than a plow.

When a very eminent and respectable magazine begins to advertise "Nothing about the war," one almost suspects that other people are getting tired of it, too.

One reason for calling womanhood the "fickle" sex may be found in the changing waist line thereof. A man's waist line stays put in all but circumferential measurement.

It is said that a motor car in European war service lasts only about ten days. Then it is ready for the scrap heap. Just think of that when you are struggling with your upkeep!

The Liberty bell is to be heard from coast to coast over the new long distance instead of being sent on a junk stinking trip. These modern inventions do cut out some of the old abuses.

A dispatch states that China will give \$25,000 for the murder of an American. She can get him murdered much cheaper than that in this country, if the old scale of thug prices is still in force.

The congress of tailors which has decreed the "Prince Albert" coat must go are very foolish if they think the young Daniel Websters and Henry Clays of the law schools of this country are going to accept any dictation of that kind.

Battleship hats are declared for certain reasons to be the latest style for women. There was a time when there seemed to be a foundation for the submarine type, but at the present the dreadnaught style seems to carry the mass of fashion.

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now that this war is going to be de-  
cided, not by a series of brilliant,  
showy victories in grand battles, but  
by a trial of stamina and power of en-  
durance between the allies and their  
Teutonic enemies.

Nowhere do the conditions of war  
demand of the allies so much patient  
endurance and indifference to great  
sufferings as on the eastern front,  
where the Russian army is laboring  
under most cruel disadvantages owing  
to scarcity of railways and almost to-  
tal absence of good roads, while the  
Germans have in their rear the most  
perfect system of strategic railways  
in the world, built entirely for the pur-  
poses of an aggressive war against  
Russia.

For this trial of endurance and  
stamina the Russian army is emi-  
nently suited, both collectively and in-  
dividually. There is no other soldier  
in the world who can stand so much  
physical pain and privation as the  
Russian.

In this connection one may recall a  
characteristic scene described in the  
Russkoye Slovo of Moscow, by its cor-  
respondent at the front.

The scene took place at a field hos-  
pital. In front of a large tent a crowd  
of wounded soldiers, straight from  
the trenches, were waiting medical  
aid. A kindly Russian priest was  
handing round mugs of tea, which he  
poured from a large samovar. The  
soldiers drank their tea with frank  
expressions of enjoyment on their  
faces—all except one. He sat silent-  
ly brushed aside the proffered hand  
of the priest, and when the latter pressed  
upon him a mug of tea mumbled dully:

"Can't. The tooth aches. Please,  
can I see the doctor?"

The priest could not refrain from re-  
proaching the big fellow for troubling  
the doctor with a toothache.

"Why," he said, "fancy a strong,  
healthy fellow like you coming here  
with a toothache, just after the battle,  
when the doctors are so busy with  
really important cases. Couldn't you  
wait?"

"It aches something awful," mumbled  
the soldier.

"Then, why didn't you come earlier,  
before the battle?"

"It didn't ache then. It started  
aching only when the bullet got in my  
mouth. It stuck there."

The soldier touched his cheek with  
his finger.

Only then did the priest realize how  
unjust he was in reproaching the sol-  
dier with malingering. He hurried for  
a surgeon, who hastily examined the  
soldier's mouth. The bullet could not  
be seen from the inside, but he could  
feel it through the cheek.

"Now, hold tight, little brother," he  
said, arming himself with pliers,  
"and don't you move."

"Ready to obey, your honor," re-  
plied the soldier, quite briskly, forget-  
ting the pain.

A most painful operation ensued.  
The surgeon made one pull, then an-  
other, and yet another, and all proved  
unsuccessful, and only the fourth pull  
brought out the bullet. With his  
mouth bleeding profusely, he asked  
the surgeon to let him have his bullet  
as a souvenir. Smiling and happy, he  
sat down to tea.

"Ah, it is good to drink hot tea now.  
I got quite cold. My back is wet and  
cold—all sticky."

"What is the matter with it?" in-  
quired the priest.

"Oh, it must be a bullet—grazed my  
back," answered the soldier, quite in-  
differently.

The priest again called the sur-  
geon. The soldier was quite upset to  
trouble "his honor" when he was so  
busy.

"A through wound," anxiously re-  
marked the surgeon, after a quick ex-  
amination.

"Well, there you are," quite cheer-  
fully retorted the soldier; "she went  
in and out. So why waste your time  
over her? No harm done. If your  
honor would only bandage it, I shall  
be all right."

The surgeon had to bring down the  
whole weight of his authority to pre-  
vent him from scooting back to the  
trenches with a fresh "through"  
wound in his chest.

This sturdy, simple-hearted soldier,  
so indifferent to pain and privation, is  
but a type of Russia's peasant war-  
riors. Against an army of such war-  
riors all the impetuous German on-  
slaughts will break like sea waves  
against a granite rock.

"Young Turk" Homesick.

East Lansing, Mich.—Homesickness,  
stronger even than the fear of the al-  
lied fleets battering at the Darda-  
nelles, caused M. A. Mehmedoff, a  
sophomore agricultural student at M.  
A. C., to pack up his belongings and  
start for his home in Constantinople.  
Mehmedoff was one of the "young  
Turks" and a good student.

Called a Misdemeanor.  
Paris.—A French court has decided  
that it is a misdemeanor to call a per-  
son an "embusque"—a shirker of mili-  
tary duty—and has fined a man \$10  
for applying it to another.

## VALUE OF TRAINING.

The young man or woman who is  
so fortunate as to possess parents  
wise enough to anticipate the future  
as far as possible are given a fair  
chance when they reach the threshold  
of life, but the average young person  
suffers from the handicap of lack of  
preparation. As soon as he reaches  
a working age he is turned loose  
upon the world to make his way, and  
being untrained in any one line of  
endeavor and consequently denied the  
opportunity of working on a party  
with his more fortunate brothers the  
foundations of whose lifework have  
been laid with infinite care and skill,  
it is no wonder that he is handicapped  
from the very start. He does the best  
he can, probably, but in this day of  
trained knowledge and specialized  
labor he cannot reach very far and must  
be satisfied, as a rule, with the small-  
er and less lucrative results which are  
possible to him. It is the man who  
labors under the heavy handicap of in-  
competency who rails the most about  
the unfairness of life's chances. He  
realizes that he cannot accomplish the  
results possible to the trained work-  
er, and the pity of it is that such a  
condition exists through the lack of  
forethought on the part of those who  
reared him to manhood.

Rain drops are almost always  
charged with electricity. The charge  
is often positive, rarely negative. Many  
observers have measured the charge  
approximately, and made it from 0.000,  
000,000,000,001 to 0.000,000,000,  
001 amper per square centimeter.  
Prof. F. Herath of Kiel describes in  
the Revue Electrique the experiments  
by which he has measured them. He  
received the rain on a fine metallic  
cloth 25 meters square, insulated and  
attached to a galvanometer in a cellar.  
The galvanometer registered photo-  
graphically. Among the facts he  
proves are these: Rains with a con-  
stantly positive charge are much more  
frequent than those that change to a  
negative. The passage from a positive  
to a negative charge corresponds  
to a momentary cessation of the shower.  
The quantity of positive electric-  
ity brought by the rain is 15 times  
greater than that of the negative. The  
positive current in a steady rainfall  
are 0.000,000,000,001 amperes per  
square centimeter. The negative cur-  
rents never exceed 0.000,000,000,  
001 amperes per square centimeter.

Many persons are wondering these  
days what material is being used in  
the construction of aeroplanes of the  
warring European nations. Constant  
flying—service which continues day  
after day—has caused a belief that  
metal has supplanted wood to a con-  
siderable extent. As a matter of fact  
the flying machines are made almost  
entirely of wood. The propellers of  
the aeroplanes are in most instances  
made of selected ash, which in addi-  
tion to being strong and light, will not  
split under vibration or shock. Built  
up layers of spruce with mahogany  
centers are also in use. Spruce is  
used in the construction of the frame  
because of its markedly straight grain  
and freedom from hidden defects.

It ought to be just as easy to end  
war as to begin it, some people seem  
to think, but they fail to give due  
weight to facts. One nation, it often  
happens begins a war which involves  
many. When many nations are in-  
volved, one may wish to stop fighting,  
but that would not end the war. A  
war is like a fire. It's easy to start,  
but no one can tell how far it will  
spread before it comes to an end.

A sociological expert has recom-  
mended to the authorities of a west-  
ern college that the nonresident stu-  
dents shall not be permitted to spend  
more than \$600 a year. And in some  
other colleges students are doing  
all kinds of work, some of it of a ma-  
jinal nature, to get the money barely  
necessary to pay their tuition. The  
latter are the class of students whose  
college education is going to do them-  
selves and the world the most good.

The censor in Petrograd is always  
able to find some place at which the  
Russians are chasing the Germans,  
and the Berlin censor is never at a  
loss to pick out a place where the  
Russians are fleeing. Why not form  
a circular course and all sides could  
be happy pursuing the enemy at all  
times?

Why is it that the average citizen  
pays no attention to the thermom-  
eter except when he wishes to know  
precisely how uncomfortable he is  
from excessive cold or heat?

Nations are not influenced by  
prize ring rules. If so, the United  
States might be expected to be ready  
to challenge the winner of the Euro-  
pean war.

About the only thing that is being  
accomplished by the persons who ar-  
gue that there never was an Adam is  
to spoil the story of Eve.

Let the thermometers do their  
worst. Summer is coming eventually.



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Notice is hereby given that Emma Henderson  
of Hama, N. M., who on July 20, 1906, made  
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section 24, township 22 south, range 22 E., and on  
March 6, 1911, made additional homestead en-  
try for NW 1/4 SW 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, and NE 1/4  
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has filed notice of intention to make final five  
year proof, to establish claim to the land above  
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sioner, at his office, at Portales, N. M., on the 29th day of June, 1915.  
Claimant names as witnesses:  
Simer J. Cameron, Jonathan P. Fern, Andrew  
Whitt, Vila Krite, all of Hama, N. M.

You are, therefore, further notified that the  
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Commissioner, at his office at Portales, N. M., on the 29th day of June, 1915.  
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of Dalphos, N. M., who on Dec. 20, 1906, made  
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Notice is hereby given that John W. Saffold  
of Redfield, N. M., who on Aug. 20, 1911, made  
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Mexico has applied to elect under the acts of  
June 21, 1906, and June 20, 1908, Indemnity School  
Lots 3294, 3295, and 3296, the following described  
public lands to-wit:  
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217

# AT MISS CADY'S ZOO

Violet Lane Found Both Home and Happiness in It.

By JOHN TRENT.

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Among the frivolous young folk in the village Miss Arabella Cady's select boarding house was known as "The Zoo." As Sally Hecker vivaciously explained it to her fellow teachers at the high school, "It is a human zoo, anyway, if there could be such a thing!"

"First," said Sally, "there is our own reverend principal, Mr. Dale—is he not a perfect bear, a big, growly, grizzly bear? And Doctor Coleman is a perfect polar bear, so cold and unmannerly and restless! And Miss Twitchell is a feline—soft and purry and with sharp claws that scratch, and a biting tongue. And," Sally giggled, "I heard Mr. Dale say that the new boarder, the young man—who works in the drug store, was a puppy, and everyone knows what a silly goose Mrs. Jones is, and all the rest of the house full are just as funny and freakish. Oh, no; Miss Lane, don't go to the Zoo to board!"

Violet Lane, the new teacher, smiled mirthfully at Sally's description of Miss Cady's boarders.

"You are too late, Miss Hecker; I've engaged board there and I don't care what you say about the rest of them, but I do think Miss Arabella is a perfect dear."

A gale of laughter greeted her remark. "A dear! What did I tell you, girls?" cried Sally. "Oh, don't mind our foolishness, Miss Lane; you are a dear yourself and entirely eligible to go to The Zoo. Perhaps you can do some missionary work among them all."

Violet smiled and was silent. She could not explain to these giddy girls how pleasant and homelike was the little chintz-hung room at Miss Cady's, where she had unpacked her belongings that very morning. How quiet was the home atmosphere of the place and how delicious the well-cooked food!

They could not appreciate what this position in the Vineland school meant to a girl who had worked her way up from an orphaned and friendless childhood, who had paid for her own education and who had never known what a real home was like.

To Violet Lane Miss Cady's Zoo was a charming colonial home filled with delightful people. It was more than that, it was home. So, accompanied by the unwarranted pity of her companions, Violet Lane turned in at Miss Cady's gate; smiled as they hurried away in affected fear of its inmates, and was still smiling as she opened the front door.

The smile died away as she met the fierce, dark gaze of Homer Dale, the principal of her school. Mr. Dale, a tall, dark, studious-looking man, growled a greeting, tried to smile and failed utterly, before he desperately bolted into the sitting room and hid himself behind a newspaper.

Violet was puzzled. "I don't believe he likes me," she thought, as she mounted the stairs. At the top she met little Miss Twitchell, who had lived for many years at the Zoo. She had a little, dried-up face and form, and spoke in a rasping little voice.

"Oh, it's you, Miss Lane—Lane or Dane, did you say? Oh, Lane! I really thought you were a little girl, but la! when our school teachers wear such short skirts and flounce around so, how is a body to know? Humph!"

"She is scratchy!" decided Violet as she removed her hat and slipped off her gown preparatory to dressing for supper. "But I don't care—a real home has cats and dogs, and sometimes, I suppose, a tame bear, and I may as well make friends with them; make pets of them, perhaps."

She sat down at the crowded table, with violet eyes and rosy lips and cheeks and hair like pale corn silk, surely this flower face did not belong here among these sterner countenances.

The drug clerk passed the butter twice to Violet and ventured a remark about the weather. Mr. Dale frowned at his overtures and again passed the butter to the new boarder.

Miss Twitchell made a scratchy remark and fat Mrs. Jones giggled. Violet blushed and Doctor Coleman emerged from his polar bearishness long enough to remark that she looked feverish, and suggested to Mr. Dale that there might be an epidemic of scarlet fever threatening the school.

"Oh, I have had scarlet fever," reassured Violet, hastily.

Doctor Coleman froze up again and asked for another cup of tea.

The remainder of the meal was eaten in silence and the guests passed out to the broad piazza where each one immediately appropriated a comfortable chair.

Violet sat down on the top step and felt very lonesome. The women were embroidering and talking in low tones; Doctor Coleman was reading a medical journal, the drug clerk had returned to his soda water fountain, and Mr. Dale was looking very stern and unapproachable behind a newspaper.

Miss Arabella Cady, fat and rosy, bustled out dressed in her second-best attire.

"I'm going over to Sister Amy's for a while," she said as she went down the steps. She passed beside Violet

and laid a plump hand on the girl's head. "Don't get lonesome, honey—there's a piano in the parlor—make yourself at home!"

"Thank you, Miss Cady," quavered Violet, for she was very near to tears. Presently she arose and went into the dim parlor. She had learned to play by ear and she had a sweet, untrained voice. There were so many old songs that she knew by heart, and as the melodies threaded out from her fingers she sang softly to their accompaniment.

"Annie Laurie," "Bonnie Doon," Tosti's "Goodbye," "Love's Old Sweet Song"—and as she sang the words of this last favorite love song of several generations Violet became aware that other voices were added to her own.

Somehow, the dim room had mysteriously become populated with shadowy forms. There was the reedy treble of Miss Twitchell, the deep bass of Doctor Coleman, the throaty alto of Mrs. Jones, and the rich baritone of Homer Dale. Miss Crotty, the milliner, hummed like a bee, and the Bennets, husband and wife, sang all of the key in no particular voices at all.

But they all enjoyed it and Violet said never a word, but when the song was finished her fingers drifted into the melody of "Silver Threads Among the Gold," and something in the old song brought tears to many eyes and it ended in a quavering sob quickly stifled by Miss Twitchell.

Then they were silent while Violet sang "The Rosary." At the end of the first few bars Mr. Dale's baritone took up the song and together they sang it through to the end.

Violet was trembling with happiness when the piano was closed at last and she went out to the porch with her fellow boarders.

How animatedly they all talked; Doctor Coleman, reminded of his boyhood, told witty stories; Miss Twitchell confided a half-forgotten love affair that had to do with a church choir in which she had once sang; Mrs. Jones had been reminded of a lost little one, and ever after that the listeners treated the middle-aged widow with tender deference; Miss Crotty told of how she had always wanted to study music, but there had been no money and many mouths to feed and—millinery paid better wages.

Homer Dale was silent; his eyes never left Violet's lovely face as the girl, in return for the confidence of these new-found friends, told the sad story of her loveless life. She told it simply and straightforwardly.

"My dear," quavered Miss Twitchell, at last, and she quite forgot to scratch, "you are a wonderful girl—and I believe we are going to love you—and I hope you will forgive me for what I said on the stairs!"

"Dear Miss Twitchell!" murmured Violet, as she impulsively kissed the faded cheek so near her own.

Still Homer Dale said nothing. The others chatted so fast that they entirely forgot his presence. When bedtime came Violet saw his extended hand, and her own little one was lost in its warm grasp.

"Thank you, Miss Lane, for confiding in us this evening," he said gravely.

As she prepared for bed a tender smile curved her lips. "If these are the bears and cats and geese of Sally's story, I must say that I adore the occupants of Miss Cady's Zoo! I believe—I'm going—to be very happy—here!" And Violet drifted into slumber.

Sally Hecker faced her fellow teachers with a tragic wave of her hand toward Violet Lane, who was walking home with Homer Dale.

"Girls, look!" she commanded.

"There goes the most successful animal trainer in the world—Violet Lane! What is her record? Merely that she has tamed Miss Cady's Zoo to a man—or a bear! Miss Twitchell swears by her—Miss Crotty worships her—Doctor Coleman grows her praises to whoever will listen—the drug clerk is hopelessly in love with her—and Mrs. Jones has offered to adopt her! What can we do? The menagerie is tamed by a little blue-eyed girl!"

"There is Homer Dale, the big, brown, growly bear," reminded Miss Fenn, mischievously.

"Oh, he is the most cowed of them all," retorted Sally, brightly. "In fact, Violet is to lead him through life with a chain of roses—fact, girls, they are engaged! Isn't it lovely that she is to have a real home and real folks at last?"

### World Learns Slowly.

Landsmen, as well as mariners who a few centuries ago sailed round the earth, should have observed, even with a little traveling, that objects such as mountains, hills, towers, trees, etc., which had not been sooner seen, suddenly began to come into view, then were approached until their full height appeared, thus duplicating the appearance and disappearance of ships at sea. Yet through ages these simple phenomena, proving beyond doubt the rotundity of earth, to say nothing of eclipses, which showed the circular shadow of earth on the moon, taught little or nothing to the greatest of men, to say nothing of the merely shrewd ones; and there are many people clever in everyday affairs of life today who still cling to the ignorance of ancients and of years so modern as those of the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries.

### Cause and Effect.

"I wonder why the average among us have such an itching for wealth?" "Very likely it is because we have to scratch for a living."

## THE JITNEY BUS.

The New Factor in Cheap and Rapid Transit.

Six months ago the term jitney was unknown in the east. Derived as it is supposed to be from a combination of the words jolt and tittle, with the "ney" suffix as a diminutive, the word has long been in use on the Pacific coast. Now, however, it will appear that jitney is quite a common word, and with such buses operating in Philadelphia and other cities it may be said that this peculiar type of conveyance has come to stay. Briefly, the jitney bus is an automobile charging 5 cents per passenger, jitney being the slang for a nickel.

With the cost of automobiles constantly going down, there is no reason why there should not be a five cent fare for reasonable distances. During the past few weeks the jitney bus has appeared in cities all over the west. It is supposed to have originated in Houston, Tex. During one past month 800 of them have appeared on the streets of San Francisco. Other figures as given in the news columns of the paper are 100 cars in Kansas City, Fort Worth 141 and Seattle 300. Associations to operate jitney buses are forming in Milwaukee, Denver, Ogden, Omaha, Vancouver, Portland, Oakland, Des Moines, St. Louis, Joplin and Baltimore. Feb. 1 ten routes were established in Omaha. Kansas City has twenty-seven. At the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco 2,000 jitneys are expected to operate along the road to the exposition.

Street car men are alive to the situation, and measures are being taken to meet the new competition. The strap hangers of America are in glee over the new situation, which will give them the choice of auto buses or street cars. The present indication points to adoption of the auto bus lines in nearly every large city of the United States where the operating taxes permit.

While motor buses for carrying passengers have been established in European cities for many years, London depending largely upon them, the use of autos at the nickel fare usually charged by street car lines had never been generally tried out.

In Washington several 5 cent buses are in operation, but they had never been considered a success or a serious competitor with the street cars. It was in Phoenix, Ariz., that the present sweep had its origin. During a strike there in 1913 the 5 cent buses were put to work, and so successful were they that the other western cities adopted the idea, private capital coming forward when it was found that the small buses could be made to pay a profit. Town Development Magazine.

### A Municipal Pier and Railway.

The municipal pier recently dedicated in Santa Cruz is the result of the work of a committee of private citizens who realized the need for water transportation facilities in addition to rail facilities at Santa Cruz in order to forward the city's industrial interests. Santa Cruz in former years depended entirely upon the Southern Pacific railroad. The line harbor which Monterey bay provides made shipping by water easily possible, however. The citizens therefore voted almost unanimously in favor of issuing bonds in the sum of \$105,000 for the building of a municipal pier. The pier was completed in December. It is a little over half a mile long and eighty feet wide at its outer end. A railway, also municipally owned and operated, runs its entire length, and this connects with the Southern Pacific railroad at its shore terminus, also with the Ocean Shore railroad. Two lines of steamers now touch at the port of Santa Cruz. It is said that a decided improvement has already been observed in the city as a result of the construction of the municipal pier.

### City Bureau of Foreign Trade.

The Houston Chamber of Commerce has added to its various departments that of a bureau of foreign trade in view of the probabilities that the trade relations between Houston and the Latin-American countries will undergo important developments that will open up vast new fields for the manufacturers and larger jobbing houses of Houston. The bureau is not restricted to Latin-American trade, however, but includes possibilities of trade with Japan and other countries. In addition to providing the bureau with a library, including commercial directories of the principal cities of those countries, arrangements have also been made under which the services of translators will be at the disposal of members of the chamber of commerce for writing letters in German and Spanish.

### CHEERFUL SURROUNDINGS.

It is a prophetic fact that some of the biggest corporations in the country have come to believe that it pays to make the surroundings for their workmen pleasant and cheerful as well as sanitary. Flowers don't make plows, but they make more plows. In other words, the healthier and more contented a man is the more work—and better work—he can do and will do. No matter how good or how poor a workman a man may be, he is still human, and he cannot help but respond to his surroundings. If they are cleanly he will be cleanly; if they are cheerful he will be cheerful; if they are bright and energetic he will be that much more efficient.

## SOY BEAN FLOUR.

Heretofore soy beans have been used largely as a stock feed; to a slight extent commercially as a source of oil. Recent experiments indicate that there is an enlarging field for soy beans for human food. In England, especially, is this use of the soy bean becoming significant. There the bakers use a flour consisting of 25 per cent of soy bean meal and 75 per cent of wheat flour. This is used for bread and the product is said to be very palatable. Though rich in protein and oil, fully ripened soy beans contain no starch, or, at the most, only traces of it. Such a food product is very valuable for people who like bread, but must limit the amount of starch.—American Agriculturist.

## SWEET CLOVER FOR CATTLE.

As a Pasture For Live Stock It Exceeds Alfalfa, an Authority Says.

Sweet clover excels alfalfa as a cattle pasture and is superior to all other crops for improving soils deficient in organic matter, though it has been lately overrated as a crop to grow under all circumstances. These conclusions are reached as a result of investigations by the agronomy department of the Kansas State Agricultural College.

"In the past two years," says C. C. Cunningham, assistant in cooperative experiments, "there has taken place in the popular mind a radical change in opinion regarding sweet clover. Once considered a noxious weed, it is now recognized as a valuable crop. To a large extent sweet clover is deserving of this change of opinion regarding it but, like any new crop that suddenly comes into favor, it has been overrated for growing under all conditions in Kansas. It has proved valuable however, under certain conditions and for special purposes."

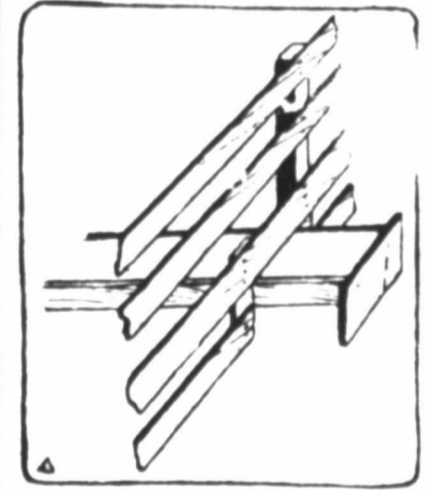
"Sweet clover can be grown to advantage for hay in eastern Kansas on some soils not adapted to alfalfa or red clover. It is, however, a substitute for these crops and is useful for hay when the more valuable kinds cannot be successfully grown."

"Sweet clover is of value as a pasture and soil improvement crop and will undoubtedly be extensively utilized for these purposes. Properly handled, sweet clover will furnish more pasture than most other pasture crops, especially on the poorer types of soils. It excels alfalfa as a pasture for cattle in that it rarely causes bloat. Sweet clover is superior to all other crops for use in improving soils deficient in organic matter."

"During the past two years the agronomy department has cooperated with many farmers in western Kansas in testing sweet clover on the uplands. The results obtained were not very successful. "Because of the high cost of the seed, the short life of the crop, the uncertainty of getting a stand and the smaller yields of forage as compared with the sorghums it is doubtful if sweet clover will prove a satisfactory crop on the uplands in western Kansas."

### Makes Feeding Swine Easy.

Here is a pattern of a hog trough which has good points. Simply cut out the lower panel of the fence to make



an opening large enough for the trough to project about a foot outside the pen. It is convenient to use and has nothing to manipulate or get out of order.

### PRUNING FRUIT TREES.

Many old orchards have been neglected for some time and as a result are choked with water sprouts and dead limbs.

Trees in this condition should not be pruned all in one year. The first year remove the suckers and all of the dead wood and most objectionable crossing branches. The second season more of the unnecessary crossing branches may be cut out. After this a light pruning each year will do.

Prune regularly, not spasmodically. Head in young trees, thin out old trees.

Prune during the dormant season. Prune close. Do not leave stubs. Paint all large wounds. Keep the tree from suckers. Do not allow stock to prune your trees.

Water sprouts are the result of too heavy pruning. An ax or hatchet is not a pruning tool.

Unpruned, unspayed and uncultivated orchards are not money makers. The orchard is not a profitable source of firewood.—J. E. Carmody, Kentucky Station.

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Four Shovel Volunteer Walking Cultivators, regular price \$27.50 now

**\$14.00**

# JOYCE-PRUIT CO.



Dr. R. H. Bailey left today for Artesia on business.

W. O. Oldham left for Dallas and other Texas points Wednesday.

Judge J. C. Compton and C. W. Terry left today for Dallas, Texas.

Mrs. W. S. Merrill left Sunday to visit friends at Ft. Worth and Dallas.

Good \$35 refrigerator in good condition for \$12.50, see J. B. Sledge.

A. A. Beeman, the Elida banker, was in town this morning between trains.

J. W. McKissick of Minneola is visiting at the home of Frank Beard this week.

Coe Howard and wife left Wednesday for San Francisco to attend the World's Fair.

The musical treat of the season at the Cosy Saturday night, May 29th. Admission 25 and 50 cents.

Egbert Wood, proprietor of the Portales Drug store, this week bought Chas. Hart's Studebaker car.

The finest attraction ever in Portales, at the Cosy Saturday night, May 29th. Admission 25 and 50 cents.

W. S. Odell and wife left Wednesday for Woodward, Oklahoma, and we understand will make their future home there.

We sell wide tread Fords which fit the roads and can be operated year after year at a total expense of TWO CENTS per mile. Ask to see the new models. P. E. Jordan, Agent.

Glezn and Melville Rogers, sons of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Rogers, returned today from Los Gatos, Cal., where they are students in the Montezuma Ranch school. They will spend the summer at home.

### Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to our many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father.

Mrs. C. P. Mitchell  
Hallie Mitchell  
Guy P. Mitchell.

### To Visit Old Home.

Mrs. Thyra Johnson, one of the teachers in the Portales schools, left Saturday for Gainesville, Texas, where she will visit for a few days and then go to Greensborough, Alabama, her old home, where she will spend the summer. Mrs. Johnson has made an excellent record as a teacher here and has made many friends in Portales.

### Portales Visitors.

Dr. W. B. Orner and Jim Mauldin of the Lacy community were in town Saturday, bringing several of the school children of that place, and, among other places, they visited the Herald Times office. They wished to show the children what is necessary in the way of equipment and work to get out a newspaper. Visitors are always welcome at this office.

### Temperance Program

There will be a Temperance program rendered by the young people at the Methodist church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

### NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas, on the 5th day of April 1915 in cause No. 1065, pending in the District Court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, wherein Susie L. Cheney is plaintiff and J. G. Hilton is defendant, the plaintiff recovered a judgment upon a promissory note and mortgage executed by John S. Pruett and Lucinda A. Pruett, his wife, to the plaintiff on the 25th day of July, 1911, in the sum of \$635.80, together with costs of suit, and a decree foreclosing said mortgage, given for the security of said sums and amounts, against the defendant, who purchased said property since the execution

of said note and mortgage, upon the following described real estate, to-wit: The northeast quarter of section twenty-one in township two south of range thirty-three east of the New Mexico Meridian in New Mexico, containing one hundred sixty acres, with all improvements thereon; that said judgment at the date of the sale hereinafter mentioned will amount to the sum of \$655.02 with all costs of suit; and, Whereas, in said decree the undersigned, T. J. Molinari, was appointed special commissioner, and directed by the Court to sell said property according to law, and to apply the proceeds to the satisfaction of said judgment and costs;

Therefore, by virtue of said judgment and decree, and the power vested in me as such special commissioner, I will, on the 10th day of July, 1915, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the northeast front door of the court house, in the town of Portales, New Mexico, sell said described property, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, for the purpose of satisfying said judgment interest, costs and accruing costs. Witness my hand this the 26th day of May, 1915.

### NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas, on the 26th, day of February, 1915, in cause No. 1062, pending in the District Court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, wherein Ida Koening is plaintiff and Grace E. Lawrence and Howard W. Hyatt are defendants, the plaintiff recovered a judgment upon a promissory note and mortgage executed and delivered by Joseph E. Fain and Celestia I. Fain to the plaintiff on the 7th day of March, 1910, in the sum of \$275, with interest at 12 per cent from March 8, 1913, 10 per cent attorney's fees, and cost of suit, and a decree foreclosing said mortgage, given for the security of said sums and amounts, against the defendant, Grace E. Lawrence who purchased said property since the execution of said mortgage and the defendant, Howard W. Hyatt, who is claiming under a mortgage, upon the following described real estate, to-wit:

The Southwest quarter of Section thirty-four in Township one South of Range thirty East of the New Mexico Meridian in New Mexico; that said judgment at the date of sale hereinafter mentioned will amount to the sum of \$386.79 with all costs of suit.

Whereas, in said decree, the undersigned, A. W. Freeman, was appointed special commissioner, and directed by the Court to advertise and sell said property according to law, and to apply the proceeds to the satisfaction of said judgment and costs.

Therefore by virtue of said judgment and decree, and the power vested in me as such special commissioner, I will, on the 10th day of July, 1915, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the northeast front door of the court house, in the town of Portales, New Mexico, sell said described property, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, for the purpose of satisfying said judgment interest, costs and accruing costs. Witness my hand this the 26th day of May, 1915.

A. W. Freeman, Special Commissioner. 23-4

### Commissioners Proceedings.

Proceedings of the board of county commissioners of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, at a recessed session of the regular April, 1915, term thereof, held at the courthouse in Portales, May 14, 1915.

Present:—C. V. Harris, chairman, D. K. Smith, commissioner and C. P. Mitchell, clerk, by J. W. Ballow, deputy. The jury of view, to-wit: J. S. Knight, Ben Hall and J. H. Powell, having therefore been duly appointed to view and make the proposed public road delineated for by C. A. Jolly, et al., having filed a favorable report of their findings. It is therefore ordered that said petition be and the same is hereby granted as prayed and the clerk is ordered to see that said described road is properly posted in conformity with law, which is accordingly done.

It is further ordered that said road be opened for travel and the proper officers open and work the same from and after 60 days from the date hereof.

The following accounts were examined and approved and the clerk was ordered to draw warrants in payment of same, to-wit: Mountain States T. & T. Co., L. D. phone calls \$25.92 Mountain States T. & T. Co., L. D. phone calls \$1.30

E. E. Morrison, com. on taxes \$5.17 C. A. Coffey, burial supplies for Jim Blankenship \$24.80

G. H. Perdue, care and supplies for Jim Blankenship \$6.75 Mrs. Emma Large, board for Jim Blankenship \$5.00

There being no further business, it is ordered that court take 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.

### COMMISSIONER'S PROCEEDINGS.

Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Roosevelt county New Mexico, at a recessed session of the regular April, A. D. 1915 term thereof, held at the court house in Portales, in said county and state, Tuesday May 25, 1915. Present; C. V. Harris, chairman, D. K. Smith and S. E. Johnson commissioners.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, C. V. Harris, who announced that the County Clerk, C. P. Mitchell, died May 22nd, 1915, and that the board was therefore without a clerk. It was then directed by unanimous consent of the board that Commissioner S. E. Johnson, should keep the record and minutes of this meeting.

The chairman then announced that the first order of business would be the selection of one for appointment to fill the vacancy caused in the office of the county clerk by the death of Mr. Mitchell. It was moved by D. K. Smith and seconded by S. E. Johnson that J. W. Ballow be by this board appointed to fill the office of County Clerk in and for Roosevelt county, New Mexico, for the unexpired term of C. P. Mitchell. C. V. Harris, D. K. Smith and S. E. Johnson, upon roll call, each voted in favor of the motion, and it was thereupon declared that J. W. Ballow was by this board appointed to fill the office of County Clerk for the unexpired term of C. P. Mitchell, and he was thereupon directed to file immediately a good and sufficient bond and his oath of office, as required by law.

The board thereupon adjourned until tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock.

C. V. Harris, Chairman.

D. K. Smith.

S. E. Johnson.

### TUESDAY, MAY 26TH, 1915.

Court convened pursuant to recess of yesterday.

Present, C. V. Harris, chairman, S. E. Johnson and D. K. Smith, commissioners, J. W. Ballow, clerk.

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

G. C. Deen, board of prisoners, January, 1915 \$2.50  
G. C. Deen, board of prisoners, February, 1915, \$4.00  
G. C. Deen, board of prisoners, March 1915, \$18.00  
G. C. Deen, board of prisoners, April 1915, \$68.00  
G. C. Deen, board of prisoners, from 5-1-15 to 5-25-15, inc. \$39.50

No further business appearing, it was ordered that court take a recess until the next regular meeting, unless sooner convened by order of the chairman.

C. V. Harris, chairman.  
J. W. Ballow, clerk.

### NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas, on the 5th day of April, 1915, in cause No. 1061, pending in the District Court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, wherein Susie L. Cheney is plaintiff and John W. Tolbert and Nellie E. Tolbert are defendants, the plaintiff recovered a judgment, upon a promissory note and mortgage executed and delivered by the defendants to the plaintiff on the 30th day of March, 1910, in the sum of \$506.40 together with cost of suit, and a decree foreclosing said mortgage, given for the security of said sums and amounts, against the said defendants, upon the following described real estate, to-wit:

The northeast quarter of section thirty-three in township four south of range thirty-six east of the New Mexico Meridian in New Mexico; that said judgment at the date of sale hereinafter mentioned will amount to the sum of \$616.48 together with all costs of suit; and,

Whereas, in said decree, the undersigned, T. J. Molinari was appointed special commissioner, and directed by the Court to advertise and sell said property according to law, and to apply the proceeds to the satisfaction of said judgment and costs.

Therefore, by virtue of said judgment and decree, and the power vested in me as such special commissioner, I will, on the 10th day of July, 1915, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the northeast front door of the court house, in the town of Portales, New Mexico, sell said described property at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash for the purpose of satisfying said judgment interest, costs and accruing costs. Witness my hand this the 26th day of May, 1915.

T. J. Molinari, special commissioner. 23

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Our representative in Portales district, Mr. Elmore, will be glad to explain our plans and special benefits to you. Give him your application. Any of the members in Portales will be glad to tell you how much they think of their policies in the Praetorians.

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S. F. Lane, one of the prosperous stock farmers of Ployd was in town for a short time Saturday.

HAY! All hay prices greatly reduced to move our stock. For prices see Portales Utilities company.

We now have a good supply of eastern blacksmith coal on hand and are prepared to fill your orders. Connally Coal Co.

C. C. Reagan one of the farmers who lives south of Melrose was here Wednesday and was a pleasant caller at this office.

Judge W. R. McGill and Thos. Spencer, of La Lande, came over Sunday with D. K. Smith and spent a few days here the first of the week.

Adjutant Gen. Harry T. Her-ring passed through here Tuesday on his way to make an inspection of the Military Institute at that place.

We have recently received a car of eastern blacksmith coal and are ready to fill your orders. Cannally Coal Co.

W. H. Braley & Son write hail insurance on all kinds of crops, in strong old line companies, either cash or on time. 20tf

J. F. Jones came in last Friday from the Bob Dunlap place west of town, where the Persian sheep are lambing. He reports a good crop.

**At the Cozy Saturday.**

Musical News—Dr. Clark will shortly go on a transcontinental concert tour by automobile and he may be assured in advance that his success will be a great one, if the work done on Sunday is a fair sample of what he will give his audiences.

His voice is rich and full and his musicianship is undoubtedly great, in addition to which he has a personality which is pleasing.

His singing of Chanson Bachique from Hamlet was sung with real virtuosity. For the next group Dr. Clark donned a beautiful characteristic costume and sang "Lord God of Abraham" and "It is Enough" with unwonted fervor and splendid effect.

So telling are these songs with the appropriate costume that the wonder grows that no one ever thought of doing them in this way before.

Miss Helen Woytych, violinist, is a true virtuoso, bowing perfect and her playing indicative of native talent plus careful teaching.

Arkansas Gazette, Little Rock. Cozy theater, Saturday night, May 29th.

**A Most Successful Gardener**

C. L. Sanders, who took first prize in the contest held by the Portales Utilities Co., for the most attractive farm surroundings, is one of the most successful gardeners in the Valley.

At the present time his strawberry patch is supplying most of the town and they are fine ones too. Mr. Sanders is making a specialty of truck and if it all compares with his strawberries Portales residents may rest assured they are getting the best that can be grown.

Latest style, friendship brace lets at Whitcomb and Larrabee's

**Start a Meat Farm.**

This section is well adapted for making a specialty of livestock. Every year feed in abundance may be produced for every kind of animals to grow fat on. And livestock farming is a splendid business when conducted in a business-like way. No farming section ever prospered permanently until livestock became a leading line.

Just now is the time to plan for fall and winter operations with cattle, hogs and sheep. The planting season is still here and more kaffir corn, milo maize, feterita, and sorghum may be planted. Part of the crop should go into the silo. Anyway, plant more feed.

Many complain that, though they had much feed, they were unable to buy stock to eat it. Their feed was therefore practically thrown away, barring the grain. There are those who have found it difficult to turn their kaffir corn and milo maize into cash on short notice for lack of a market. They could have turned this grain into money through hogs, cattle and sheep, but had no money to buy the stock.

This scarcity of money for the feed lot has hampered many a man. Indications are that next fall money will be available for the responsible small feeder. Conditions are changing and feed lot loans are preferred by those who loan money on stock. It is a short time loan on stock which is gaining in value every day it stays in the feed lot.

The farmer with plenty of feed about the place will find help to get livestock to eat it next fall and winter.—A. M. Hove in Roswell Evening News.

Joe Lang, Jr., came in Tuesday from Dalhart to visit a few days with his folks here.

**Livestock The Thing.**

The man that raises livestock is seldom refused credit at the bank and the stores. But as a rule such men have balances at the bank and pay cash at the stores, thus getting the benefit of cash trading. Livestock raising on the farm reduces the element of risk considerably and places farming upon a business basis. The cropper must take his chances with the seasons, insects, speculators and poor markets, but the man with livestock must hold till prices suit him.—Farm and Ranch.

**A Surprise Wedding.**

Roy Parsons and Mrs. Dorothy Hatcher were married last month in Canyon City, Texas. Both are well known here. Mr. Parsons is the son of Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Parsons, and Mrs. Hatcher has spent several months in the city, possessing an unusually fine voice and singing frequently in the different churches. The wedding, news of which has just been received here, was a surprise to their friends, and even to Mr. Parson's parents.—Roswell Evening News.

**To Arkansas.**

D. B. Rockey, accompanied by his wife and her father, C. J. Cox, passed through here Sunday on their way east. Mr. Cox will go to Oklahoma and the Rockeys will go to Arkansas to inspect the farm for which they recently traded. The party is traveling in two wagons fastened together and hauled by four burrows, with one following behind to use in case of emergency.

Walter Morgan, one of the prominent citizens of the Rancho community, was here last Friday on school and other business.

**Obituary To B. M. McCall.**

Byron M. McCall was born in Carroll county, Missouri, May 12, 1856, and died in Portales, May 19, 1915. He came to Coleman county, Texas, when a young man and lived there until thirteen years ago, when he moved to this county and settled near Macy, where he lived until about a year ago, when he moved to town.

He was married in 1880 to Callie Aston who survives him, together with three sons, J. N., J. E. and H. A. McCall. The second mentioned is county assessor and the former is his assistant.

Mr. McCall was a Christian gentleman of the highest type. He was a believer in the golden rule "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you," and he practiced it in his every day life. If he had an enemy anywhere it is not known.

He joined the Presbyterian church when 19 years of age, was also a member of the Woodmen, and was buried by the local Woodmen lodge. The members of the family have a large number of friends who extend their sympathy at this sad time.

**Zinn Dies.**

R. M. Sanders received a letter from D. L. Zinn at El Centro, California, stating that his brother, Fred Zinn, died Friday, May 14, at that place. He had been confined to his bed only four days.

The deceased lived here for a couple of years previous to the time he went to California, which was about a year ago, and had many friends in Portales who will regret to hear of his death. He was a member of the I. O. O. F.

The Herald \$1.00 a year and worth it

**Enjoy Outing.**

The Sunday School of the Central Christian Church held a basket picnic at the Battlement place Tuesday. This is a very desirable place for such an outing and it is reported as being a very enjoyable affair.

Fishing, games and other amusements were indulged in and one of the most popular things of the occasion was the delightful basket lunch which was spread under the trees.

**Langton Notes.**

Mrs. Shea was a Langton caller last week.

Mr. George, our mail carrier, missed one trip on account of sickness.

Lloyd Wharton came over to Langton Wednesday on business.

Our school continues until June 25th.

Mr. Hunsinger has gone after a fine stallion for the Eden Ranch company.

**Portales Defeated.**

The Portales base ball team met defeat at the hands of the Elida team on the latter's grounds Sunday by the close score of 13 to 16. It was a hit and run game in which Elida proved to be the luckiest. The batteries were Moore, Jones and Langston for Portales, and Davis and Tusk for Elida.

**Curd Sells Out.**

R. E. Curd who has been in the furniture and second hand business for some time has sold his stock of goods to J. P. Pysatt. The consolidation of the two stocks will give Mr. Pysatt quite a large assortment in that line. Mr. Curd will again engage in the cattle business somewhere in the county.

# PORTALES UTILITIES COMPANY

## LET HER RAIN

Let'er rain! The law of averages shows that the average rainfall per annum is twenty-one inches in this District. It will be dry this summer. Provide against that by the ELECTRIC RAIN MAKER.

WAR still on in Europe. Indications point to higher grain and meat prices.

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