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FARMERS RAISE BIG CROPS

Make Good Money From Broom Corn and Grain Crops

STOCK AND DAIRYING INCREASING

J. M. Grisso Makes Great Record With Broom Corn and Grain

It is quite natural for people to be optimistic when they are making good and accumulating some of this world's goods. Such is the condition that exists among the stockfarmers of Roosevelt county who have just gathered abundant crops, in fact the most enormous that have ever been grown here.

Without exception scarcely this year, all have raised fine crops and have it gathered without being materially damaged. One of these is J. M. Grisso who lives just north of Carter. He is especially proud of the record he made with broom corn.

This is only one of the many crops raised on Mr. Grisso's farm. He raised 30 acres of maize, six of kaffir, seven of corn and two acres of Sudan grass. He believes in Sudan grass for this country and proposes to plant 10 acres next year, after being successful this year, and build a silo to provide silage for his dairy cows.

He owns ten milch cows and will patronize the Roosevelt County Creamery in which he is a stockholder.

Makes Splendid Showing.

Miss Edith Reagan a graduate of the 1915 class of the Portales High School made a splendid showing in the contest of the New Mexico Interscholastic Oratorical and Declamatory contest at Albuquerque. The following is taken from the Albuquerque Journal:

Miss Edith Reagan, of the New Mexico Normal university, followed with an oration on "Tact," in which she delineated the important part that tact plays in success. She lauded tact not only in national but also in individual life and had high words of praise for President Wilson and his tactful course, as she called it, in diplomacy and administration. Her presence, delivery, forcefulness were such that many in the audience felt certain she would get the first prize.

Portales Girl Wins.

Portales people are taking a prominent part in the meeting of the New Mexico Educational Association at Albuquerque this week according to reports coming from there. Among those in attendance from this county are County Superintendent Mrs. S. F. Culbertson and Town Superintendent J. S. Long.

Janice Wyly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wyly won first prize in oral spelling contest and tied for first place in the written spelling contest, according to a telegram received from Supt. Long Tuesday. The following piece is taken from the Albuquerque Journal of Wednesday:

Janice Wyly, a sweet-looking miss from Portales, yesterday forenoon spelled down all competitors, some twelve in number. A Tucumcari girl was second in the contest.

Tax Levy Fixed.

Elsewhere in this issue will be seen the proceedings of the board of County Commissioners who met Wednesday and fixed the tax levy for the year 1915. The levy of nine mills for the town of Portales does not include the special sewer tax which the Commissioners considered was in excess of the amount allowed by law.

Deputy assessor J. N. McCall said work on the books would be commenced Friday morning and he expected to have the books in the hands of County Treasurer M. B. Jones in four weeks.

Keachie to New Mexico.

John B. Keachie, former proprietor of the creamery at Stewart, Minn., left right after the Minneapolis convention for Portales, New Mexico. He has purchased an interest in a new creamery at that place and will have charge of it.

The creamery industry in New Mexico is still in its infancy, but there will be at least one thoroughly posted and experienced buttermaker and manager after Mr. Keachie arrives. We regret to see him leave this state as he regarded as one of our best creamery men, but join his many friends in wishing him every success in his new venture.—Dairy Record St. Paul, Minn.

Still Growing.

Time makes larger turnips in Roosevelt county. The latest is one weighing 11 pounds grown by F. G. Edmonds whose farm is about 11 miles south of Portales. This turnip is well formed and has a circumference of 29 1-2 inches. It was grown without irrigation.

Methodist Church.

There will be the regular services at our church next Sunday. We were sorry to miss the opportunity of preaching to the fine audience that came out Sunday morning but on account of a severe attack of lagrippe I had to call in both the services. Come again next Sunday and worship with us. We always welcome you.

G. M. Williamson, president of the Portales Bank and Trust Co., is in Houston, Texas this week on business.

PORTALES BUSINESS MEN ENTERTAIN FARMERS

Roosevelt County Farmers, Cream Producers and Business Men From Adjoining Towns Are Guests At Banquet Here Monday Night

FITTING CELEBRATION IN HONOR OF FARMER'S CREAMERY OPENING

More Than One Hundred and Fifty Attend The Most Successful Meeting of Its Kind Ever Held in Portales and Was a Most Enjoyable Occasion

The reception and banquet given the stockholders of the Roosevelt County Creamery and other visitors by the business men of Portales Monday night was a success from every standpoint. There was a good attendance numbering about 150 many coming from distant points, Elida, Clovis and Texico-Farwell. These get-together meetings are becoming numerous in Portales for the people have good reason to rejoice at the many accomplishments that are being made.

This meeting was in honor of one of the greatest accomplishments that has ever been made by the people of our county, that of building the Roosevelt County Creamery. At this meeting every attempt was made to place the credit where it was due but the greatest credit of all, in our estimation, is due the farmers of the county as a whole, for it was they who furnished the money to build the Creamery and it is to them that we must look in a large measure for the support that will make it a success.

J. L. Blunt, manager and the largest stockholder in the Creamery, proposed the celebration but the matter was taken in hand by the business men of Portales who worked in conjunction with Mr. Blunt in the matter of entertainment. The entertainment of the evening was commenced at the Cozy theater which had been engaged for the evening. The guests went from there to the Armory where a splendid feast had been prepared by the Womens' Club. Everything had been made in readiness by the ladies and in a few minutes after the guests had arrived all had been served and were enjoying one of the best spreads that had ever been given at a public gathering in Portales.

At the close of the banquet, the attention of the guests was called by Rev. E. P. Kuhl, and W. O. Oldham was made toastmaster of the evening. Mr. Oldham is a man who is well in touch with the situation and proved to be a good man for the occasion. His talks made recently at meetings held in Portales have caused much favorable comment and the talks he made when he took the floor and introduced the speakers were very timely.

The first talk was made by J. L. Blunt, the manager and the man who actually planned and constructed the creamery. Mr. Blunt thanked all who had assisted him in the work of organization of the Creamery corporation and mentioned especially A. A. Rogers and S. E. Ward of the Portales Utilities and Portales Power and Irrigation Co. respectively. He also read a telegram from Mr. Rogers who is in Pittsburg, Penn. on business expressing regret that he could not be present, extending congratulations and wishing for the success of the creamery. Mr. Blunt made a strong and convincing plea to the farmers to support the creamery.

J. P. Deen, C. V. Harris, G. W. Carr and R. L. Blanton spoke on the benefit the creamery will be to the business men of the town and of the cream business generally as a revenue producer, which, with a good market will bring prosperity to all.

Judges Jas. A. Hall and G. L. Reese, recognized as two of the most able speakers in the county, were present and made talks on the benefits of the dairy industry and of its great possibilities in our county. Alex Shipley of Clovis and C. W. Harrison of Farwell, the bankers, assured the people of Portales of the kindly feeling that exists in their towns toward the people of this county and made very interesting talks.

Henry Katchel, of Carter, a cream producer and stockholder in the creamery made the most spectacular address of the evening and it was to the point. He urged the producers to stick by the creamery and help make it a success. Ben Pendleton, of Elida, a director in the creamery spoke for the farmers of that section and said he hoped to see more interest taken in the creamery by that section than is being shown at present.

Capt. T. J. Molinari whose ability as a speaker at booster meetings is well known, made one of his characteristic addresses. Among other things he spoke of the great natural advantages of our Valley and county for dairying. E. P. Kuhl showed by figures the big money that can be made in the dairy business and advised the stockfarmers to stick by the dairy cow.

At the conclusion the first pound of butter made at the Creamery was sold at auction to the highest bidder. The bids were made up from the guests at the various tables of which there were three. There was a keen rivalry and price paid was \$17. The total amount bid was over \$45 which given to the Womens' Club. During the bidding C. W. Harrison made a motion that all money bid go to the Club and for this it was decided to send Mr. Harrison the butter.

We believe the farmers and other guests appreciated the entertainment which was provided for them and trust the business men will provide more such entertainments in the future as they are a fine thing and bring our people together for the benefit of all the community in general.

Delightful music was rendered by Mesdames Beaver, Knapp, Nixon and Chas. Payne. The reading by Mrs. Chas. Timmons was also very much appreciated.

Weekly Newspaper An Asset

The weekly newspaper is one of the greatest assets in any community, and yet it is seldom that such an enterprise receives the credit due for its share in the upbuilding and development of the community in which it exists. Perhaps, it is because that in this enlightened age the newspaper is so closely interwoven into the life of the community it is looked upon as a necessity, and its continued existence in our midst, always upholding the progress and welfare of the community, has become so common that one naturally expects and knows that the paper will do the right thing.

There are times, however, when the citizens of the community should bespeak a few good words for the weekly newspaper. During the organization period of the Roosevelt County Creamery the two newspapers of Portales were untiring in their efforts in boosting this great enterprise, and the various committees in charge wish at this time to publicly thank the management of our two papers for this work. We feel that the creamery is a great thing and that it will be a boon to the farmers and business men of our county. Its existence has already been the cause of a raise in the price of butter of almost seventy-five per cent, and the newspapers certainly did their part in securing the creamery and thereby securing this increase. We all know that when anything is doing we can count on our weekly newspapers.

As manager of the creamery and as chairmen of the various committees, in behalf of ourselves and of the committees, we wish hereby to publicly extend our thanks to The Portales Herald-Times and The Portales Valley News. J. L. Blunt, W. O. Oldham, W. H. Ball, C. V. Harris.

Notice Companions.

Special meeting for degree work, Friday and Saturday nights, November 26th and 27th. Also annual election of officers Saturday night. All members are requested to be present at this meeting if possible. J. E. Priddy, H. P. W. S. Merrill, Sec.

Will Keep Record.

J. A. Fairly, whose corn crop is one of the best in the Portales Valley, has decided that he will set a day in the near future when he will have some disinterested parties present and keep a record of the weights of some of the corn gathered that the yield per acre may be ascertained.

Will Appeal Case.

Compton and Compton attorneys for Sam Conn decided to appeal his case to the supreme court in case a new trial is not granted. Conn was convicted of manslaughter when he was tried at Roswell for which the penalty is not less than one or more than 10 years in the penitentiary. The jury recommended clemency.

P. E. Carter was a visitor here between trains today.

WINTER CATTLE ON ALFALFA

Portales Valley Comming To Front With Its Splendid Opportunities

THOUSANDS OF CATTLE ARE FED

Many Famous Herds In The Valley Are In Fine Shape

Thousands of White Faced calves are being fed this winter in the Portales Valley. There are other breeds also but the White Faces are predominating. Many stockmen who have Durhams or other breeds are selling and replacing their herds with the Herefords as they seem to bring a better price and are more desirable in other ways.

A trip through the Valley reveals the fact that it is surely coming to the front as a cattle feeding district. Nutrious alfalfa for grazing with an abundant supply of maize and kaffir which is raised here and is bought at such reasonable prices makes an excellent combination which is hard to beat.

One of the most promising herds in the Valley is owned by the G. P. Smith Cattle Co. which are being feed near Bethel. They number 300 coming yearling heifers and are the best herd of high grade White Face heifers that have ever been in the county. They were bought from the Williamson-Oldham Cattle Co and are from the herd of cows which they brought here last spring from Texas.

Another equally good herd is the steers from the same herd of cows owned by the Williamson-Oldham Cattle Co which are being wintered on the H. M. Livingston farm three miles west of town. This herd consists of 350 head which are in most excellent growing condition.

There are many other smaller herds in the Valley, thriving and in excellent condition which are sure to make good money for their owners. Wintering stock is getting to be one of the principal industries of the Valley and one which is sure to grow.

Schedule Change?

It is reported that the Santa Fe will go back to the old schedule in the near future. No official confirmation can be made of this report at the local depot, as Mr. Merrill says that he has had no notification of any change. A. B. Hale will continue here in the capacity of cashier, the agent at Willard, which place Mr. Hale was to go, having decided not to resign.

Will Hold Bazaar.

The members of the U. D. C. will give a bazaar, early in next month in the Neer furniture store. The proceeds will be used to defray the expense of building a coping around the Confederate Circle in the cemetery.

U. D. C. Meeting.

The U. D. C. met at the home of Mrs. C. V. Harris Wednesday evening. The members took their fancy work and no program was rendered. Refreshments were served and a general good time was reported.

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Editorials

NO NATIONAL ISSUES

President's Policies Not Affected by Recent Elections.

Contests in Off Years Have Not for Some Years Past Had a Great Deal of Effect on National Campaigns.

After surveying the results of the recent elections, the New York Sun remarks:

"There has certainly been no spontaneous or spectacular demonstration of increased confidence in and popular approval of the domestic policies of President Wilson."

Quite true. And what, may we ask, did this year's elections have to do with the domestic policies of President Wilson?

The American people have quit voting on national issues in local elections, a circumstance altogether creditable to their intelligence. They determine their presidential politics in presidential years and attend to other affairs in the off years. Now and then a candidate for office who has reason to know his own political weakness tries to pin his candidacy to the national administration and pretend that a vote for him is a vote for the president, but his constituents know better.

President Wilson's domestic policies had no more to do with election results this year than had Mr. Bryan's lectures on the Prince of Peace. The voters of New York were not thinking about the president. They were thinking about the new constitution, woman suffrage, the direct tax and the Whitman administration.

In Massachusetts they were electing a governor, and they chose an able man in preference to a very good Democrat who has already had two terms. Massachusetts Progressives, having a lucid interval, supported Mr. McCall. In Maryland and Kentucky, where the Democrats elected governors, there were bitter contests with in the party over local issues, and it is unlikely that one voter in a thousand gave a moment's consideration to national affairs.

Possibly the Sun means that the general result of the elections reveals a tendency toward political reaction, as shown by the triumph of Tammany in New York county, the victory of the old Republican machine in Philadelphia, the rejection of municipal ownership in Detroit, the repudiation of prohibition in Ohio and the general failure of woman suffrage in the great eastern states. That may be true, but the worst defeat of all was sustained by the new constitution in New York, which was framed by a conservative Republican convention and championed by the ablest of conservative Republicans, Ellhu Root. In fact, the majority against Mr. Root's constitution breaks all previous records in American politics. It is unique.

Partisans are entitled to the satisfaction of deriving whatever measure of comfort they can from off-year elections, but they deceive nobody except themselves. The time is past when national campaigns can be won or lost in such contests as those which were decided recently.

Would Go Light on Tariff.

Our foreign trade is spoken of as a marvelous, and it is so when compared with our own records. Compared with like figures in relation to populations and wealths of foreign countries, it is small, and capable of being made permanent instead of accidental. In fact, foreign trade is a life preserver for our domestic trade through the demands created by our exports to pay for our imports. It would be contrary to Democratic principle to take a reactionary course upon the tariff for reasons so impermanent as those of the war. The less done about the tariff the better, consistent with the needs of the treasury.—New York Times.

Advertising Talks

NEWSPAPER BEST TO REACH MASSES

No Other Form of Advertising as Profitable or Successful, Declares G. N. Gunderson.

Newspapers were defended as an advertising medium by G. N. Gunderson, formerly editor of the Fargo Forum and now business manager of the Northwest Grain Growers magazine, in a talk before the Town Criers of Fargo, N. D., recently. Mr. Gunderson said, among other things:

"Newspaper advertising is quick acting commercial medicine, not only a stimulating tonic, but a tissue builder. It brings business when it is needed most."

"The newspaper is the record of the day's events. Everything that happens today that can have any human interest to its readers is recorded. It is as essential to our business and social life as the air we breathe or the food we eat to our physical nature."

"I know you will all admit the truth of the last statement, so why not the first? If the newspaper is as essential to our business and social life as the air we breathe or the food we eat to our physical nature, why shouldn't advertising in such a medium be of the very best? Every man who uses any advertising will admit that his greatest problem is to get it written and set up in such a way as to attract the most attention. While written in an advertising way, in such a way that every statement is capable of convincing the readers. Next his greatest problem is, what method or medium employed will attract the attention of as large a number of people as possible, cost considered?"

"This is a question that I did not want to answer with my own conclusions alone, therefore as soon as I heard that I was expected to say something on newspaper advertising at this meeting, I immediately got into communication with such men as Wm. Wrigley, Jr., of the Spearmint gum fame; John S. Ridenour, managing editor of Judicious Advertising; John Lee Mahin of the Mahin Advertising agency, advertising manager John Wanamaker & Co., and others, all of whom answered that, cost considered, newspaper advertising enabled an advertiser to reach the largest possible number of would-be customers at the lowest possible cost than newspaper advertising. This can easily be figured out by taking the circulation figures of any of our dailies, their advertising rates, and decide upon your space; then next make up a list and see if there are any other forms of advertising that will enable you to reach the same number of people at the same cost. You can't do it."

Most Efficient Business Builder.

"Furthermore, newspaper advertising used as the only means of publicity by any advertiser has proved a more efficient business builder than any other single medium. Without knocking any of the other many forms of advertising I want to cite an illustration which the managing editor of Judicious Advertising mentioned in his letter. He said: 'I have in mind an advertiser who struggled along for a number of years on an appropriation of \$15,000. This appropriation was spent for catalogues, personal letters, etc. During this time he remained virtually unknown in his field and failed to increase his business in proportion to the increased demand for his products. Two years ago he was persuaded to use newspapers and magazines which involved the expenditure of \$150,000 yearly, and during these two years he has multiplied his business by ten and now is in almost complete control of the market in one of his lines in this country and Canada.' It is also said that a few years ago John Wanamaker, who had heretofore continually carried a full page advertisement in one of the Philadelphia dailies decided to omit this particular paper for a year. The result was that during the year John Wanamaker did not carry his page advertisement in this paper, a direct circulation loss of 20,000 was immediately felt by that paper. Who says people don't read newspaper advertisements and who says that advertisements in newspapers, which are placed directly next to the 'record of the day's events,' go by unnoticed and are not read?"

One Example.

"A story is told of a man who in order to try to keep down the cost of keeping his delivery horse, commenced to mix sawdust with the horse's oats, each day increasing the quantity of sawdust and reducing the amount of oats, at the same time using the choicest straw for bedding for the poor beast. Just when the old man thought he had almost succeeded in

getting the old horse to like sawdust just as well as oats, the poor beast died. This illustrated a moral that applies to every retail advertiser. No matter how much you spend for other forms of advertising, if you start skimping on the real food source for your business you are sure to feel it sooner or later, just as this man found that he would now have to invest in another horse, whereas, had he not been foolish enough to try this experiment he would still have had his old horse."

"Newspaper advertising also enables a retailer to get his message before the people quicker than he could by the use of any other medium."

"Newspaper advertising also enables the retailer to reach the people as often as he wishes, this without any extra clerical work, or having to trouble with compiling new mailing lists often, etc. The newspaper's subscription list is his mailing list, therefore all he needs to do is to get up his copy and call up the newspaper office for their advertising man and his ad appears in the next issue of their paper."

"Summed up, newspaper advertising is therefore the quickest and cheapest means of communication between the advertiser and the masses."



INFERTILE EGGS KEEP BEST

Do Not Permit Male Bird With Flock After Hatching Season—Farmer Sustains Big Loss.

It is conservatively estimated that there is an annual loss in eggs in this country of \$45,000,000. Practically all of this enormous loss is sustained by the farmers of this country, as it is on the general farms that the great bulk of eggs is produced. A very great part of this loss can be prevented by the production of infertile eggs, which are laid by hens that do not have a male bird with them. The male bird has no influence whatever on the number of eggs laid. Therefore, as soon as the hatching season is over the male should be removed from the flock.

The greatest trouble from blood rings in eggs occurs in hot weather. Special care should be given to the gathering and storing of the eggs during the late spring and summer months. At these times the eggs should be gathered at least twice a day, placed in a room or cellar where the temperature does not rise above 70 degrees Fahrenheit, and marketed two or three times a week.

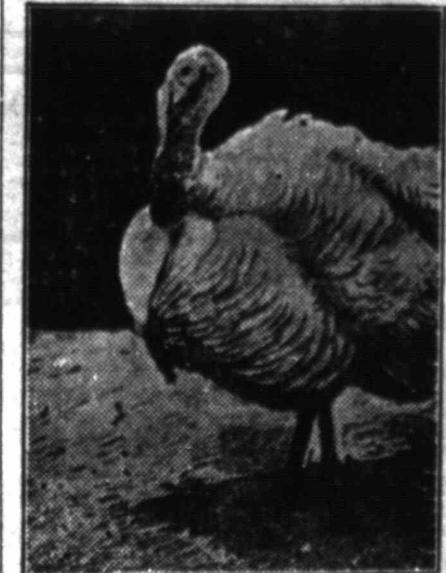
Blood rings are caused by the development of the embryo of a fertile egg and its subsequent death. It is impossible to hatch an infertile egg because a blood ring to form in one. It is generally considered that eggs become infertile from seven to fourteen days after the male bird is removed from the flock. Repeated experiments have shown that where fertile and infertile eggs are kept under similar conditions, the fertile eggs spoiled much quicker, due to the fact that they deteriorate faster than infertile eggs in the average summer temperature. Summer heat has the same effect as the hen or incubator on fertile eggs. Sell, kill, or confine the male bird as soon as the hatching season is over.

CHIEF CAUSE OF BLACKHEAD

White Hollands Do Not Visit Corn Fields in Fall Gorging Themselves on Unripened Grain.

An experienced poultry raiser was asked why so few White Holland turkeys were afflicted with blackhead. Was it because they are more hardy than any other breed of turkey?

His reply was that while the constant introduction of new blood into the White Holland would produce a



White Holland Turkey.

more robust specimen than the Bronze, the latter breed being so common in neighborhoods that the stock is apt to be related, he believed the real reason for the absence of blackhead in White Holland flocks was the fact that, as a rule, they do not visit corn fields in the fall, gorging on unripened grain, which is the chief cause of blackhead in turkeys.

NOTICE OF SUIT.

No. 1145
In the District Court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico.

S. A. Tipton, Belle Souther, Emma Hall, Frankie Tipton, Edward Tipton, Vena Tipton, Howell Carr, Ida E. Dyer and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to Plaintiff, Defendants

The defendants, S. A. Tipton, Frankie Tipton, Howell Carr, Ida E. Dyer and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to Plaintiff, hereby notified that suit to quiet title to Block No. (7), in the Bogard, addition to the town of Portales, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, and to establish a lost or destroyed deed dated the 14th day of June, A. D. 1908, signed, acknowledged and delivered by E. S. Tipton and S. A. Tipton, his wife, to Mrs. Blanche Goodloe and her husband, J. Rush Goodloe, has been commenced against them in the District Court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, by said plaintiff.

Said plaintiff charges in his complaint that he is the owner of the fee simple title to said above described land and that same is evidenced by a certain deed executed and delivered to this plaintiff by one J. C. Coursey, and dated the 12th day of June 1915, a copy of which deed is attached to the complaint in this action.

Plaintiff further charges that defendants make some claim to said premises adverse to the estate of the plaintiff, and he prays that the plaintiff's title and estate in said described premises and that said lost deed be established, and plaintiff's title be established against any adverse claim of the defendants and that the defendants be barred and forever stopped from having or claiming any right or title to said premises, and that said plaintiff's title be forever quieted and confirmed and set at rest.

Said defendants are further notified that unless they enter their appearance in said suit on or before the 15th day of January, A. D. 1916, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in his complaint and judgment will be rendered against them by default.

Plaintiff's attorneys are Compton and Compton and their business address is Portales, New Mexico.

Witness the hand and seal of the clerk of said Court this 9th day of November, A. D. 1915. J. W. Ballow, clerk. [Seal] 47-41

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas on the 8th day of June, 1915, in cause No. 1099, pending in the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, wherein Virginia A. Nolan, formerly Virginia A. Boswell, is plaintiff, and Robert E. Curd, Mary A. Curd, Sallie G. Bryant and A. E. Siegner, are defendants, the plaintiff recovered a judgment upon a promissory note and mortgage against the defendants, Robert E. Curd and Mary A. Curd, in the sum of \$531.39; personal judgment against the defendant Sallie G. Bryant in the sum of \$398.45; personal judgment against the defendant A. E. Siegner in the sum of \$117.10; that the items of judgment against the defendants Sallie G. Bryant and A. E. Siegner are that portion of the total judgment against the defendants Robert E. Curd and Mary A. Curd, which were assumed by said defendants, Bryant and Siegner, upon a purchase of portions of the property described in said mortgage; that the total amount due the plaintiff upon said judgment at the date of sale hereinafter mentioned will amount to the sum of \$561.87 together with cost of suit; that in said decree plaintiff's said mortgage given for the security of said sums was foreclosed upon the following described real estate, to-wit:

The Southwest quarter of Section Twenty-four in Township Two South of Range Thirty-Five East; and, Whereas the undersigned, Lee Carter, was in said decree appointed Special Commissioner and directed to advertise and sell said property according to law and in the following manner, to-wit:

First: The East half of the Southwest quarter of said section twenty-four.

Second: The West half of the said Southwest quarter of section twenty-four.

Therefore, by virtue of said judgment and decree and the power vested in me as such Special Commissioner, I will on the 8th day of December, 1915, at the hour of two o'clock P. M. at the 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 of suit and accruing costs.

Witness my hand this 30th day of October, 1915. Lee Carter, Special Commissioner. 46

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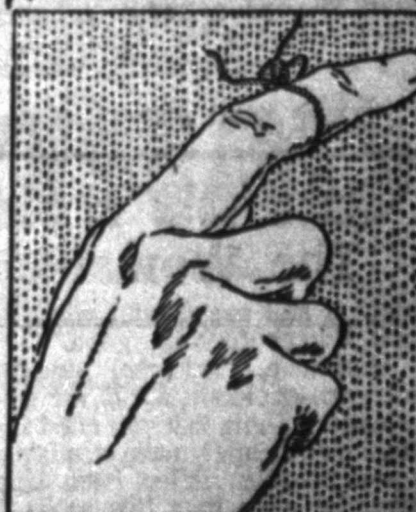
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LISTEN

If you find a certain road closed to you in life, and ambition lies ahead of it, you must find a way of skirting that path to reach your ambition. If obstacles lie in your way, you must either climb over or find a road around them, and you will, if you are made of the right stuff

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We are prepared to serve you promptly and efficiently.

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W. O. OLDHAM P. E. JORDAN H. C. WAGGONER.
President Cashier Asst. Cashier

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If you want home grown trees that are healthy and propagated from varieties that have been tested and do best in the West, it will pay you to investigate all that claim to have nurseries on the Plains. Plainview Nursery will pay \$5.00 a day to anyone who will investigate, if they do not find that we have the largest and best stock of home grown trees anywhere in Texas west of Fort Worth or in New Mexico. We are practically the only institute that has a stock of fruit trees ready for the market. For your good and ours too, we solicit your investigation. Plainview is not far away. Would it not justify you to visit our nursery and see what can be done on the plains in the way of propagating and growing fruits.

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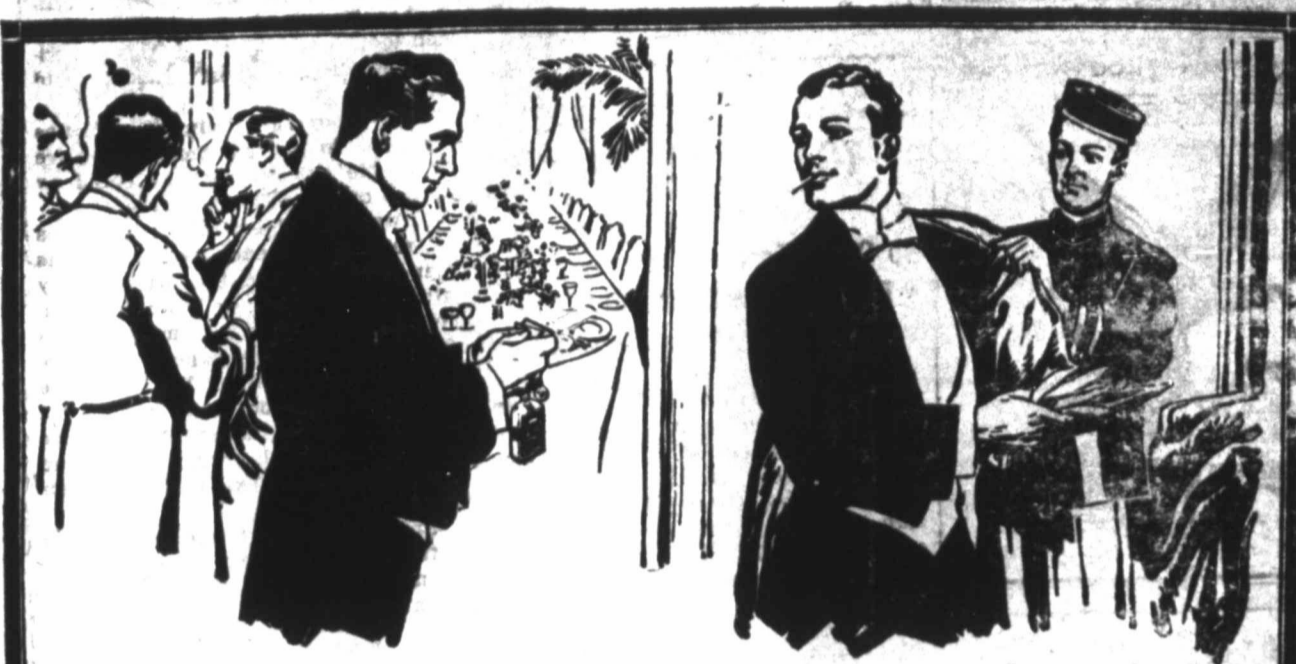
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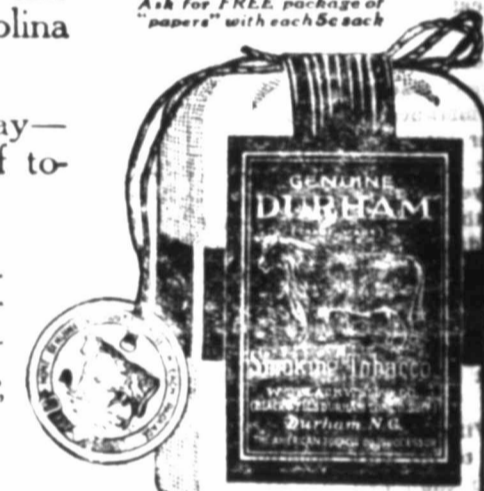
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A weather prophet tells us that the coming summer will set a heat record. Looks as if nature is playing into the hands of the ice men.

One of the wonders of nature is that a trout weighing half a pound today will scale four pounds when the angler tells about it next week.

At a marriage in New York a sugar princess married a pineapple king. Such a marriage might be called a sweet fruition of romance.

CHINA'S FIRST LOCOMOTIVE.

Wily Old Li Hung Chang's Rebuke That Was Linked With a Wink.

There is a curious story concerning the first locomotive ever seen in China. Li Hung Chang was given permission to construct a railway from the sea to his mines upon the condition that steam power should not be used, and for several months the cars were hauled by mules.

Then Mr. Kinder and some of the foreign machinists secretly constructed a locomotive out of such material as they could find in China. It was a rude affair, and it was never able to make more than five or six miles an hour, but it was a great advantage over the mule teams, for it could haul seven or eight cars of coal at that speed, where it took four mules to haul one.

But when the mandarins at Peking learned that foreign devils were using a fire-eating monster on the railway they immediately made a tremendous fuss about it and visited Li Hung Chang to account for violating his condition.

The old gentleman took it very coolly and pretended not to know anything about it, but he afterward restored himself in favor by issuing an order forbidding Mr. Kinder and his associates from their presumption and forbidding them to introduce any more new fangled foreign notions into China. Shortly after he secretly patted them on the back and raised their pay.

The excitement quieted down and was soon forgotten. Then Mr. Kinder set up steam in his clumsy old engine and was allowed to run it without interference. Later a couple of regularly made locomotives were imported from Europe and have since been hauling the coal trains on that road.

Thumps in Pigs. Thumps commonly attack young pigs that are overfed and under exercised and they may live for months affected for a few weeks. Feed light, laxative slops, without corn, and add an ounce of linseed oil to the quart of slop. Roots and alfalfa hay would be good for the pigs. Turn them out for abundant exercise every day. Allow free access to slaked lime, wood shavings and wood charcoal.

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Notice for Publication.
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Oct. 18th, 1915.
Notice is hereby given that John Youst, of Dona M. M. who on April 2, 1910 made homestead entry Serial No. 5700 for NW 14 NE 14, NE 22 NW 14 and SW 14 NW 14 section 25 Township 4 South Range 34 East N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before J. C. Compton, Probate Judge, Roosevelt County, N. M., at his office, at Portales, N. M. on the 29th day of Nov. 1915.
Claimant names as witnesses: Clarence E. Venable, Robert L. Youchan, James A. Murphy and Ed Hudson all of Red Lake, N. M.
A. J. Evans, Register.

Notice for Publication.
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Ft. Sumner N. M., Oct. 18, 1915.
Notice is hereby given that Ben E. Newton of Dona New Mexico, who on January 7, 1909 made homestead entry No. 61280 for NE 1-4 section 25, Township 4 S., Range 34 East N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make five year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before J. C. Compton, Probate Judge, Roosevelt County, N. M., at his office at Portales, N. M., on the 29th day of Nov. 1915.
Claimant names as witnesses: Lee Evans, Mariona C. Carter, Jesse M. McCormack and Clarence E. Venable all of Red Lake, N. M.
A. J. Evans, Register.

POULTRY



TAME HENS LAY MOST EGGS

Poultry Keeper Must Be on Good Terms With Members of His Flock—Make Friends With Chickens.

When a man says his hens don't lay or pay, or both, a little observation will usually disclose the fact that his hens are too shy and nervous to stay on the nest long enough to lay an egg. Have you ever watched the successful poultry keeper, the one who is making poultry keeping pay, how his fowls run after him whenever he has occasion to enter the poultry yard? The best results cannot be obtained from hens that are wild and shy. The poultry keeper must be on good terms with his hens or his hens won't lay for him. A hen that is so wild that she will fly off the nest or roost whenever anyone enters the poultry house cannot be a good layer. She is in a continual nervous state for fear someone will come within sight of her and hasn't time to think of laying eggs.

But there is another disadvantage beside the one that directly affects your pocketbook in having "wild" fowls. It isn't conducive to good temper to have your fowls start cackling and crowing every time you happen to get near them, nor is it very convenient when you have to chase a place every time wife wants a chicken for dinner. Viewed from any angle the tame hen is by far the more desirable. It isn't hard to tame chickens. On the contrary, it is the easiest thing imaginable. It is simply a matter of being friendly whenever you are around the fowls, instead of throwing stones at them every time they get near you. But the fowls are by far the easiest to tame when young. Start making friends with your chicks this summer and your next hens will be tame ones.

RHODE ISLAND RED IS IDEAL

Hens Are Extra Good Mothers, Protecting Young as Few Fowls Do—Eggs Are in Demand.

I consider the Rhode Island Red as the farmer's ideal fowl, says a writer in *Agriculturist*. Its heavy covering of feathers helps to keep it warm so its food can be utilized more favorably for egg production. Its plump yellow body is as free as that of a white fowl from disfiguring dark pin feathers, always a disadvantage in



Single-Comb Rhode Island Red Cockerel.

marketing. The hens are extra good mothers, protecting their young as but few fowls do. The chickens grow fast and get to laying as soon as any other of the American breeds. They lay beautiful large brown eggs.

I have shipped eggs to a small city for the past two years and the grocery man says they sell better than any eggs he handles. I have raised poultry for 25 years and have kept Leghorns, Brahmas, Cochins, White Wyandottes, White Plymouth Rock fowls and crosses of these breeds and most of the time have had the Barred Plymouth Rock. It has always been a stand-by and still is a favorite. From my two pens of two-year-old Barred Plymouth Rock fowls during the past winter, I had an average of half as many eggs as hens, but the Rhode Island Red fowls did better than that.

Assist the Little Chicks.
This hot weather, if the chicks hatching in the incubator are among the last coming out and have already pipped and partly broken the shell about their head, you had better help them farther out at this point, as a chick dies quickly at this stage of hatching. To shut up the incubator and leave it another hour may mean a chick that is lifeless and past coming out next time you look.

Success and Failure.
Some people fail with chickens because they are easily discouraged. Others succeed for the simple reason that they keep hard at work, cleaning up, fighting vermin, matching as much as possible. One must be persevering to succeed with poultry.

DAIRY



TWELVE GOOD SILO REASONS

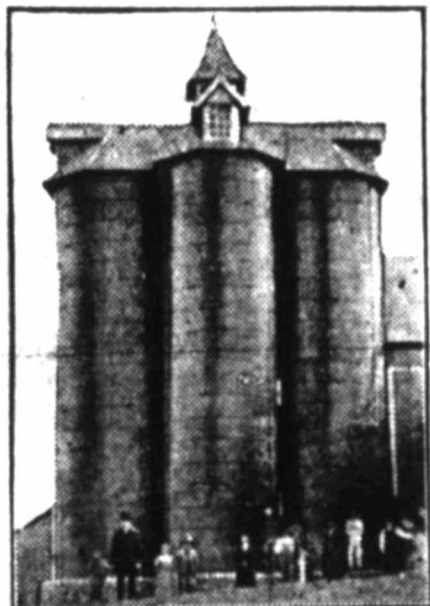
One Great Obstacle, the Cost, May Be Partly Overcome by Constructing Pit Affair.

Shall I build a silo? This question is being asked by the more enterprising farmers and ranchmen all over the West.

The cost of the silo is the greatest obstacle, but if this stands seriously in the way a pit may be dug and finished at a cost not exceeding fifty to one hundred dollars for material. Pit silos are very satisfactory and are certainly to be desired rather than to have no silo at all.

Twelve good reasons why the farmer should provide himself with a silo are given by T. B. Woodward of the dairy division, United States Department of Agriculture, in *Farmers' Bulletin* No. 556. Every one of them touches some spot of vital importance to the feeder.

1. More feed can be stored in a given space in the form of silage than in the form of fodder or hay.
2. There is a smaller loss of food material when a crop is made into silage than when cured as fodder or hay.
3. Corn silage is a more efficient feed than corn fodder.
4. An acre of corn can be placed in the silo at less cost than the same area can be husked and shredded.
5. Crop can be put in the silo during weather that could not be utilized for making hay or curing fodder.
6. More stock can be kept on a



A Battery of Silos on a Pennsylvania Dairy Farm.

given area of land when silage is the basis of the ration.

7. There is less waste in feeding silage than in feeding fodder. Good silage properly fed is all consumed.
8. Silage is very palatable.
9. Silage, like other succulent feeds, has a beneficial effect upon the digestive organs.
10. Silage is the cheapest and best form in which a succulent feed can be provided for winter use.
11. Silage can be used for supplementing pastures more economically than can soiling crops, because it requires less labor, and silage is more palatable.
12. Converting the corn crop into silage clears the land and leaves it ready for another crop.

Almost anything in the way of forage crops may be put into the silo and will keep until it is needed.

DAIRY NOTES

Always generally educates the cow to kick.

Peanuts make a splendid crop on the dairy or hog farm.

A good dairy cow is the most profitable piece of property on the farm.

Keep the cows clean and you will not have so much trouble with stringy milk.

The income of the dairy is the most constant and systematic income of the entire farm.

For dairy cows the temperature of the barn should not fall below 40 degrees or rise above 60 degrees.

The good milker is the cow that turns the most feed into the largest flow of good, rich, healthful milk.

The young calf's digestion is very easily upset. Be careful that it is rightly fed and kept in clean quarters.

Leave all other work to help a cow that appears to be in trouble, whether it is your cow or your neighbor's.

Carelessness is one of the most common causes of failure on the dairy farm. Look to your work and to the details every day.

EPITAPH ON STEPPING STONE

Found on Slab Just Turned Over After Fifty Years.

Columbia, Conn.—Needing a flat stone for repairs that he was making, Edward Phillips pried up one which for over fifty years had been used as a stepping stone near the farmhouse back door. To his surprise he saw on the reverse side, in fairly plain letters, the inscription:

In memory of Emily, daughter of Mr. Joseph and Mrs. Eunice Smith, who died April 15, 1814, aged six months and fifteen days.

Rest, thou, sweet slumberer, in the peaceful grave; Short was thy life; forgotten soon shall be. Except the few who, drowned in sorrow's wave, With painful pleasure still remember thee.

Nobody knows where the stone had been used or where it came from. Mr. Phillips' father bought the house over fifty years ago and the stone was at the back door then for a stepping stone. It is five feet long and nearly two feet wide.

LAST SHOT OF CIVIL WAR.

Woman Asked Police to See if Old Gun Was Loaded—It Was.

New York.—The "last shot of the civil war" was fired recently in a courtroom. It came from a gun which had been hanging for years on a wall in the home of the late Willard H. Hodgson. The musket had been carried in the war of the rebellion by Mr. Hodgson's father.

Mr. Hodgson's sister was preparing to move to another house, but was afraid to take down the old musket. She called in Lieutenant Henry Brown of the Flatbush police station and turned the gun over to him. He took it around to the station house and showed it to Attendant Patrick O'Loughlin of the Flatbush court, which is in the same building.

Standing in the corridor O'Loughlin pointed the gun at the floor and pulled the trigger. The old war musket was heavily loaded, and there was a report which startled the police reserves and the people in the courtroom.

WANTS A NATIONAL BANK IN CANAL ZONE

Helm of Kentucky Would Go After South American Trade.

Washington.—Representative Helm of Kentucky has a plan to establish a national bank at Ancon, in the Panama canal zone, with branches elsewhere in that country. He would call it the Pan-American bank and give it a capital stock of \$25,000,000, divided into shares of par value of \$100 each.

Just before congress adjourned Mr. Helm introduced a bill to incorporate the Pan-American bank, and when the sixty-fourth congress convenes he will press it for action.

"The commercial tieup resulting from the European war has convinced every thinking man in this country that foreign trade is a vital element in our domestic prosperity and that the continents of North and South America have greater identity of interests than was ever realized before," said Mr. Helm. "There never was a time when opportunity was knocking so loud at our doors. The commerce and business of a continent are within our grasp. The manufacturing enterprises in Central and South America are very limited, and it is to this matter that I wish the attention of the country could be directed.

"Few, if any, of the republics to the south of us have the means of transporting or delivering their products to any other country. Under existing conditions nearly all the trade of Central and South America to Central and South America.

"About the only means of creating commercial and business relations are banking facilities, transportation, press bureau and mercantile agents. Under the federal reserve act a bank with \$1,000,000 capital in the United States can establish a branch bank in any of the countries in Central or South America. This provision, in my opinion, does not meet the conditions. What we need is a bank of sufficient proportions and magnitude and importance and prestige to handle the business of the continent.

"The government of the canal zone is going to be just as stable and steady as the government of the United States. If we establish a bank on the canal zone it becomes identified with the locality. Our government is behind it. That guarantees confidence and makes it a sure go. The governments to the south of us would be inspired with confidence in the institution."

Girl Made a Lieutenant.

Petrograd.—Army orders contain the promotion of a young woman, Alexandra Lagerer, to lieutenant, with sixteen other girls belonging to families of Don Cossacks.

She has been fighting alongside male relatives since the beginning of the war. Eight of these have been killed, and Miss Lagerer was a prisoner, but she killed her guard and escaped and led a reconnoitering party which captured eighteen ahians.

CENTS AT WORK

Wanted.—to buy, a Jersey cow for cash Address E. Box 155, Portales 452tp

Wanted.—Turkeys, Chickens, Hides and Furs. J. A. Saylor, at old Hippy Lbr. yard. East Side Square. 45 4t

FOR SALE.—A good combined horse, 7 years old, about 16 hands high. Apply to S. N. Hancock, Portales, or G. W. Robertson, Elida.

Wanted.—To buy 2 or 3 room house, must be a bargain. Address Box 171, Portales, N. M. 48tf.

For Sale.—Four fat hogs. D. A. Lee Redlake. 47 4t

For Sale.—Good bronze turkeys for breeders. H. C. Bedinger. 49-3t

For Sale.—Thoroughbred Hereford Bull, 3 years old. Jake Lamb, Floyd, N. M. 49-3t-p

Wanted.—1500 cattle to pasture. Good grass and plenty of water, and no loco. Will take cattle by the month or will lease pasture. Its the old Six-shooter Pasture. H. O. Rogers, Redland, N. M. 48 1f

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Notice for Publication.
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Nov. 17, 1915.
Notice is hereby given that George F. Baum, of Elida, N. M. who on July 25, 1911, made homestead entry No. 69360 for S.E. 1/4 Sec. 12 T. 2 S. R. 31 E. N. M. P. M., and on July 16th, 1914, made additional homestead entry No. 011458 for SW 1/4 Sec. 12 T. 2 S. R. 31 E. N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final 5 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 29th day of Dec. 1915.
Claimant names as witnesses: Louis P. Baum, James E. Barton, Charles H. Sublett, Geddy W. Cochrane, all of Elida, N. M.
A. J. Evans, Register.

Notice for Publication.
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Nov. 17th 1915.
Notice is hereby given that Luther M. Walker of Rogers, N. M. who on March 11, 1911, made homestead entry No. 69415 for NW 1/4 sections 12, 13, 14, S. Range 36 E. N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before J. C. Compton, Probate Judge, Roosevelt County, N. M., at his office, at Portales, N. M., on the 27th day of December, 1915.
Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas H. Long, of Longa, N. M. James H. Kennedy, Charles G. Maxwell, Fred L. Maxwell all of Rogers, N. M.
A. J. Evans, Register.

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"Thanksgiving"

And We ARE Thankful

WE'RE thankful that we're alive--instead of being shot full of holes; that we're all good Americans,--citizens of the best country on earth; thankful that business is good; that Prosperity is here, and getting stronger every minute; we're thankful for your confidence in us, and the good trade you've given us;--yes, for all these things, and many more, we're thankful! We have a host of good things to be thankful for, this year. --And so have you.

AND SO, it is altogether fitting and proper at this time; that we express it in our appearance, as well as hold it in our minds; that gloom be banished, "and joy be unconfined." Every man, woman and child under the Stars and Stripes has Reason to be thankful, this year;--And now is the time to show it!

DRESS Up, good people! Put on your best 'round the festive board with smiling faces and

thankful hearts. The **TURKEY'S** roosting low; the Mince Pies are on the Pantry Shelf; the Cranberries and golden Pumkin's are a'watin' on the vine. Who'd be so craven, at a time like



this, to pull a long face over the things he hasn't got,--when he already has so much! Cheer up, good friends ALL,--look the part,--for this is

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Come in and let us help you with the "DRESS UP" part,--with Clothes that will make you Look the Prosperity yo'ur thankful for. Come in!

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KING TURKEY



Never before have the people of Roosevelt county had greater reason to be thankful than they have this year. Abundant crops and general prosperity is theirs and Thanksgiving day is one which may be fittingly observed for the many blessings they have received.

PERSONAL & LOCAL

Ed Rosson, of Arch returned from Texas Tuesday.

Full line of optical goods, C. J. Whitcomb, Jeweler.

W. B. Reid, of Amarillo, Texas was here the first of the week on business.

Wanted: Customers for milk and cream. Frank M. Beard, phone 129. 47 tf

John Kimbrel and T. E. Holder of Elida were business visitors here Tuesday.

Cut glass and silverware, C. J. Whitcomb.

Lee Percifull, the garage man of Elida was in town Saturday on business.

Eyes tested free by C. J. Whitcomb.

Mrs. J. D. Skinner of Henrietta, Texas arrived recently to visit her sister Mrs. D. A. Ferguson.

Arthur F. Jones, who is now located at Aztec, N. M., dropped in the first of the week on business.

R. K. Puckett returned Tuesdos from Texas after and absence of several days on a business trip.

Judge W. R. McGill of LaLande was a business here Wednesday. He accompanied County Commissioner D. K. Smith.

Miss Madgaline Humphrey, of Clovis, arrived Tuesday to visit her niece Mrs. Harold Rogers and other relatives.

The Roswell Evening News contains an account of the marriage of Miss Grace Payton to Carl Wright. Miss Payton formerly lived in Portales.

County Commissioner S. E. Johnson was here Wednesday attending the commissioners meeting. He came in his car and was accompanied by Mrs. Johnson.

Rev. W. E. Dawn returned Friday after attending the Baptist Convention. He returned via his ranch at Des Moines making the trip from there overland.

Honea District.

Mr. Skelton has returned from Fort Worth, Texas where he has been at work for some time, and will spend some time with his family here.

Mr. Trobough returned Sunday afternoon from Plainview, Texas. He was accompanied home by his son who will spend a few days with his parents.

Miss Eunice Honea of Portales has been the guest of her sister Mrs. Boone the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McCollum and children, Monroe Honea, Jr. and Sam Boone and family visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Boone Sunday.

Hamp Black of near Eiland is visiting his mother this week.

Mr. Currie and family returned last week from Texas, where they had spent several weeks.

Misses Prebble Boone and Rosy Alls entertained quite a number of their friends at the former's home on the thirteenth of November in honor of their birthdays. Games were played and refreshments served, all present enjoyed themselves hugely.

Misses Eunice Honea and Eula Ross spent Saturday and Sunday in Clovis, shopping, seeing the Elks Carnival and visiting relatives and friends.

Commissioners Proceedings

Proceedings of the board of county commissioners of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, at a recessed session of the regular October, 1915 term thereof, held in the court house at Portales, Wednesday, Nov. 24th, 1915.

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

The board fixed the 1916 tax levies at and for the following purposes, to-wit:--

COUNTY LEVY.	
Court Fund,	.0002
General County,	.0026
General Road,	.0002
Wild Animal Bounty,	.0001
General School,	.0043

SPECIAL LEVY.	
Town of Portales,	.009
Town of Elida,	.0015
School District No. 1,	.0007
School District No. 2,	.0006
School District No. 49,	.0004

STATE LEVY.	
State Purposes,	.003
Charitable Institutions,	.00015
Interest and Sinking Fund,	.0003
State School,	.0005
Cattle Indemnity,	.0005
Sheep Sanitary,	.003

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

J. A. Moss, supplies for indigent. \$12.50

S. E. Johnson, expense. 26.00

No further business appearing at this time, it is now 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.

R. A. Cromer, of the Cromer community was in town the last of the week and reports most prosperous conditions in his locality.

Strayed.--Sorrel bronco mare branded Diamond H on left shoulder, wire cut on right hind leg. Reward. J. B. Raymond. 48 2tp Portales, N. M.

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