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### THE HIGHWAY IS INPECTED

By Governor McDonald and State Engineer James A. French.

### HIGHLY PLEASSED WITH THE WORK

Work Will Begin Between Portales and Elida at an Early Date.

The official inspection of the Portales-Clovis state highway was made Wednesday when Governor Wm. C. McDonald and State Engineer James A. French accompanied by foreman D. W. Jones came over the road from Clovis. Word was received here shortly before they arrived and several cars were hastily gotten together by the members of the county road board and other citizens and the visitors were met on the edge of town.

While here the distinguished visitors were escorted over the south road now under construction and then over to the sand near Delphos. We understand Mr. French stated that work would commence on the Delphos sand just as soon as the highway is completed from Clovis to Texico which will be about 30 days. They returned to Clovis late in the evening.

We understand they were highly pleased with Mr. Jones' work on the state highway and his force will be kept going as fast as possible and road rushed to completion. Ed Wall chairman of the county road board said, "we are fortunate in securing such an efficient man as Mr. Jones to build roads in this county" after he made an inspection of the road between Portales and Clovis early in the week.

S. F. Lane of Floyd was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Town clerk W. H. Braley went to Roswell Monday on business.

Carl Turner and wife of Redland were in town shopping Friday.

J. Frank Joyce of the Joyce-Fruit Co. was here on business Friday.

E. C. Murrell was a business visitor in Clovis Saturday returning Sunday.

S. Street and C. J. Mackey and their families of Elida were visitors here Sunday.

T. D. Cain the Elida hotel man, was here Saturday having some dental work done.

Jim Burton, the variety business man of Elida was transacting business here Saturday.

Misses Jewel and Montana Grinstead spent the week end with their parents at Redlake.

Miss Ada Lee Crozier of Hagerman arrived Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Garner.

S. E. Ward, manager of the Portales Power and Irrigation Co left Wednesday morning for eastern points.

Jess McCormick, Clarence Venable and Bob Youcham of the Dora community were in town on business Monday.

C. E. Twining and family of Paola, Kansas arrived Wednesday to visit at the home of Mrs. Twinings sister Mrs. W. S. Merrill. Mr. Twining was formerly Santa Fe agent at Elida.

### Taxes.

Contrary to expectations taxes will be about the same as last year, on some classes of property lower and in a few instances higher. The county commissioners exercised a great deal of care and made the levy for county purposes just as low as possible.

The taxes on a dry quarter of land except in the three bonded school districts, where the land is without improvements will be \$8.21 as against \$8.14 last year. The taxes on horses and mules will be considerably less than last year and on cattle slightly less. The taxes on irrigated land will be about 20 per cent more but less on all kinds of improvements.

With few exceptions all the business houses in Portales will have more taxes to pay this year due to the raise made in valuations of the state tax commission.

### Prof. Zingg Insane.

Prof. O. C. Zingg one of the prominent educators of the state has been declared insane. He is well known among the teachers in Roosevelt county as he taught a couple of terms at the summer normal here. The Albuquerque Journal of Saturday says the following:

East Las Vegas, N. M., Nov. 27.—Judge D. J. Leahy last night signed an order committing Prof. O. C. Zingg, president of the state normal school at El Rito, Rio Arriba county, to the state asylum for the insane in this city. The court's decision was reached after hearing expert testimony from Dr. H. H. Smith and Dr. M. F. DesMaras who pronounced Zingg a victim of delusory insanity. While he is apparently normal much of the time Zingg has periods of violence and his case is considered to be of the incurable class.

### Hamilton Murdered.

D. R. Hamilton, a former resident of Portales was murdered Saturday night near Los Palomas, New Mexico. He left Roswell about two weeks ago with a bunch of horses and was enroute to the Black Hill range of mountains near Albuquerque. Camp was established in a vacant house where Hamilton was found having been shot to death.

It is supposed that the crime was committed by a young man who was helping Hamilton drive his horses and that robbery was the motive as the murdered man was supposed to have a good sum of money on his person.

Hamilton owned a fine farm, two miles east of Portales and lived here until about three years ago when he sold out and has lived most of the time since at Roswell.

### More for Roads

At a called meeting of the County Commissioners held Wednesday the levy for road purposes was made five-tenths of a mill instead of two-tenths. This was done by reducing the levy made for general county purposes.

This action was taken at the request of a number of the leading citizens of the county who believed the levy made for roads was insufficient.

### Pendley—Langston.

Coleman Pendley son of Mr. and Mrs. John Pendley and Miss Maggie Langston daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Langston were united in marriage at the bride's home Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock, Rev. A. C. Bell officiating. Only a few of the near relatives and friends were present.

### Threshers at Work.

Four threshers are hard at work in the vicinity of Inez according to J. B. Vernon one of the prosperous farmers of that section who was in town Wednesday. It will require several months to thresh the enormous crop.

"The crop is fully one-third larger than last year" says Mr. Vernon and nearly every farmer is ready for the thresher to commence work.

### Prohibition Carries.

Prohibition carried at the election held here Wednesday by a vote of 107 to 95. Seven votes were mutilated. Under the law another election cannot be called for four years. The law provides that the town council must pass an ordinance declaring the town dry.

The election was quiet but closely contested and nearly every registered voter casting his ballot.

W. O. McCormick of Rogers returned last week after serving for about 30 days on the Federal jury at Santa Fe.

B. W. Kinsolving and Ed Wall the Elida members of the county road board were here on official business Monday.

J. W. Spurlock and Bob Keller prominent stockfarmers of the Redland community were business visitors here Monday.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Hancock spent the week end with her grandfather, G. W. Robertson and other relatives at Elida.

Miss Lucille Moore returned to Elida Sunday after spending the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Moore.

Eyes tested free by C. J. Whitcomb.

J. R. Shock, the Upton school teacher was in town Saturday and while here purchased a Ford from the Highway Garage.

Arthur Bowers, electrician for the Portales Power and Irrigation Co. who spent his vacation with his parents near Springer returned Sunday.

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

Rev. J. T. McClure, pastor of the first Methodist church of Roswell lectured on prohibition at the courthouse Monday night.

Mrs. S. A. Morrison and children spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Lang who live in the Bethel community.

Cut glass and silverware, C. J. Whitcomb.

Guy Smith and family arrived Sunday from Tennessee and will again make their home here. Mrs. Smith is a daughter of T. A. Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Thompson visited at the home of their son, C. B. Thompson this week. They formerly lived at Greenfield, N. M., but are on their way to Oklahoma where they expect to live in the future.

### Beard Buys Dairy.

Frank M. Beard has bought the I. J. Wilcoxon dairy. Mr. Wilcoxon will devote his time to feeding and growing range cattle as he has considerable range and has raised an abundance of feed.

Mr. Beard has a fine location for the dairy business, being about one and one-half miles west of town where he has a small irrigated farm with alfalfa and other necessary feed growing and is equipped to give the milk consumers of our town excellent service.

### Fire Saturday Night.

The residence of D. W. Wiley was totally destroyed by fire Saturday night. The fire is supposed to have caught from a defective fuse. The house was located on the school addition, south of town and is outside of the city water district.

The fire had gained such headway before material aid could be rendered that only the piano and a few household effects were saved.

### Cassius Carter Dies.

Cassius Milton Carter, the youngest son of Judge and Mrs. C. L. Carter died at the family residence Sunday morning at three o'clock. The funeral services were held at the Presbyterian church Monday afternoon and the interment later at the Portales cemetery.

A. B. Austin of Clovis was here on business matters today.

John Tyson the Taiban cattleman was in town today on business.

County Assessor J. E. McCall made a visit to the ranch at Macy this week.

H. J. Hundley is now employed in the grocery department of the Joyce-Fruit store.

Mrs. W. I. Luikart and a party of friends of Clovis were visitors here the first of the week.

Mrs. Mary A. Gilson left Wednesday for Bluffs, Illinois to visit her daughter for a few weeks.

Dwight Reynolds, engineer at the irrigation plant left Wednesday to spend his vacation at Wichita, Kansas.

Wm. E. Billington of Allie and Miss Martin J. Turner of Redland were married Tuesday by Rev. J. M. Manes of Causey.

Miss Elizabeth Garrett, the blind vocalist and composer entertained a good sized audience at the Cosy Wednesday night.

Manager J. L. Blunt left last week for points in Texas in the interest of the Roosevelt County Creamery. He is expected back in a few days.

J. R. Dutton and Mr. Pruitt prosperous farmers of the Redlake section were in town Monday and were pleasant callers at this office.

Mrs. M. B. Jones and son, Kenneth returned Sunday from Buffalo, Mo. where they had been visiting relatives for a couple of weeks.

Deputy sheriff B. B. Clayton, Bascom Howard and Arthur Terry were in Taiban Saturday and while there attended the meeting of the Woodmen of that town. Several candidates were initiated and a banquet was served.

### Masonic Meeting.

Many Royal Arch Masons from out of town were here to attend the meeting of the local chapter last Friday and Saturday. Degrees were conferred on Ben Acker, C. H. Letton and Fred Steig of Elida. Saturday night a sumptuous banquet was served.

### BAPTIST NOTES.

Last Sunday was given over to the temperance movement. Bro. A. C. Bell preached in the morning to a well filled house. Bro. Milton Reece, of Clovis, gave a fine talk in the evening at the Methodist church.

Subject for Sunday morning "Paul's passion for Israel." In the evening the "Life of Christ." Remember that you are welcome to our services.

W. E. Dawn, Pastor.

### New House.

Carl Johnson, our progressive Portales Valley farmer has just bought a car of lumber and will erect a new house on his farm eight miles northwest of town. The Johnson Bros. farm is one of the best in the Valley and the owners propose to have improvements in keeping with their farm.

### Beat Clovis Again.

The Portales High school football team added another to their string of victories when they journeyed to Clovis Thanksgiving day and defeated a team at that place said to have been composed of high school pupils, shop workmen and other good players of the town. The score was 14 to 6.

"Jewel" the Master Broadway production at the Cosy Friday night.

D. A. Woolverton, the architect and contractor spent this week with home folks. He expects to go to Upton in a few days and build the Gore residence.

Coe Howard, Roy W. Connally and their wives returned Sunday from a very enjoyable automobile trip to Junction City and other points in that section of Texas.

"Jewel" postponed to Friday December 3rd. Everybody should see this great photo play by the authors of Scandal and Hypocrites, Louis Weber and Phillips Smalley. At the Cosy Friday night.

Gordon Wilson of Redland got his foot crushed Wednesday while on his way to Portales with a load of corn. He attempted to climb on the moving wagon and his foot slipped under the wheel.

S. E. Moore, the Pioneer photographer, of Portales will be in Elida the first and third Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of each month and will be prepared to do your photo work in a first class manner at reasonable prices at the Boddy gallery. 50tf

Business is growing with the Santa Fe and a new telegrapher will be added to the force in a few days. Lloyd Evans the freight man has been transferred to a position on the main line west of Clovis and has been succeeded here by Earl Patterson.

### ROOSEVELT COUNTY WINNER

Not Only In Agriculture But In All Other Things



Winings at the State Poultry Show Gives This County Lead.

Roosevelt county is proving herself to be not only the banner agricultural county of the State but is moving up in the lead in many lines. Among these is the raising of high-class poultry. At the State poultry show at Albuquerque last week more entries were made by our county than any other except Bernalillo and they made a good showing to.

Dr. J. L. Reid, proprietor of the Red Feather farm was in charge of the birds from here and he reports the following winnings: White Wyandottes, Elbert Terry, first cockerel, second pullet, second pen and the cup for the champion cockerel of the show, Carl Mueller, third cock, third pen, and first cockerel for S. laced Wyandottes.

Partridge Wyandottes, Buchanan Bros., first cockerel and second pen. Rhode Island Reds first pullet, second cockerel, first hen, second cock and second pen. There were 92 single comb R. I. Reds exhibited and the only premiums lost by the Red Feather farm birds was won by Oklahoma birds. Black Minorcas, first cockerel, third pullet, and second pen, by Red Feather Farm. In addition to this Dr. Reid also captured the state cup offered by the Rhode Island club.

The above winnings show that these gentlemen have some of the best poultry in the state and are sure to make Roosevelt county show up well at all exhibitions. This week one of our newcomers, Thad Rice, who has bought the Reynolds place, imported 12 hens and a rooster of the Barred Rock breed from eastern points, so hereafter we may expect some prize winning poultry from his pens.

Portales has an opportunity to get the meeting of the State Poultry Association for next year. We understand it will not be held at Albuquerque next year and it remains for our people to get busy and pledge sufficient funds for the necessary expenses so that the matter may be taken up with the proper authorities before the end of the present year.

### Doss Items.

Everybody has made use of the good weather and are about done gathering feed.

Prof. Sam J. Stinnett and family visited Guy Mathews and family Sunday.

R. T. Perry and Frank Cranford and their families of Macy returned Sunday from Texas.

R. E. McAllister and family of Delphos returned home Sunday from Texas.

On account of the inclement weather our people did not attend at Shelby Thanksgiving.

Joyce-Fruit shipped a car of beans this week.

# NEW MEXICO STATE NEWS

**COMING EVENTS.**  
Jan. 17-18.—Convention of Alianza Hispano-Americana at Albuquerque.

Belen is to have a new high school building.  
Many people visited Deming to see the Liberty Bell.

Over 20,000 sheep were shipped from Gallup last week.  
Albuquerque banks gained a million in deposits in two months.

On account of scarlet fever, Gallup amusement places were closed.  
Thirty-five cars of black range cattle were shipped from Eagle in one day.

A thousand-old *R. ...* search for *R. ...*  
A new *Woodman of the World* camp has been instituted at Albuquerque.

An effort is being made to organize a state chapter of the American Mining Congress.

The Panhandle and Southwestern Stockmen's Associations will meet in Albuquerque in March.

Rufino Garcia of Metcalf, Ariz., slashed his throat with a razor in a barber shop at Albuquerque.

It is stated that the big Mimbres valley tract near Deming has been taken over by eastern capitalists.

The sum of \$14,301 will be available for the District Court fund in Santa Fe county for the year 1916.

Seventy-eight thousand pounds of mohair, enough to fill one full-sized box car, was shipped from Tyrone.

State Treasurer O. N. Marron sold the \$186,000 territorial refunding bonds at par and a premium of \$11,476.25.

The civic center idea for the public schools was one of the five topics at the educational convention at Albuquerque.

Fire that burned for four days on a cut-over of the American Lumber Company near Ketter was put out by the rains.

It is estimated that 75 cars of broomcorn, will be marketed at Portales this season, with a value of approximately \$60,000.

The Portales-Clovis state highway has been completed from Portales to the Curry county line and work on the Clovis end is well under way.

A contract covering oil exploration and development work on state lands in New Mexico has been prepared by Land Commissioner Robert P. Ervlen.

Miguel Sedillo, who was shot at Albuquerque by Deputy Sheriff Ramon Ortiz when he refused to give up a knife, has left St. Joseph's hospital.

Giving her assets as \$3,640 and her liabilities at \$2,750, Mary Robinson of Albuquerque filed a petition in bankruptcy in the Federal Court at Santa Fe.

John Murray White of Albuquerque filed a petition in bankruptcy giving his liabilities as \$15,397.00. His assets are \$185, of which \$150 is exempt.

Former District Judge E. A. Mann of Albuquerque was killed when an automobile turned over at a curve on a sandy road three miles north of Gallup.

No less than one of every hundred inhabitants in New Mexico registered at the New Mexico building at San Diego from January to November 1, this year.

Auto thefts are reported on the increase at Santa Fe.

Mrs. Cora M. Stewart of Kentucky arrived in Albuquerque, where she will address the members of the State Teachers' Association at its annual meeting.

The December term of District Court in San Juan county will probably be postponed until some time in January or February, owing to shortage of court funds.

A strong plea for recognition of university graduates in certification of teachers, was made at Albuquerque before the educational council by Dr. Mitchell in place of Dr. David R. Boyd.

In the cases of U. S. vs. Juan Vigil, Nicolas Apodaca, and two cases against Teofilo Apodaca, charged with perjury, U. S. District Judge Pope, at Santa Fe, instructed the jury to find for the defendants.

A dispatch from Santa Rita tells of a suicide at the big copper camp when T. Sterling, Sr., a former switchman at Albuquerque, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head with a revolver.

State Engineer French has announced that the State Highway Commission will cooperate with the Grant County Road Board in building a first class highway to connect Lordsburg with Tyrone and Silver City. The project will cost about \$42,000.

There are now 409 convicts under the supervision of Warden J. B. McManus. The congestion in the state penitentiary was relieved somewhat when twenty-six prisoners were sent to the road camp of Las Alamos.

## JUAN RODRIGUEZ GUILTY

WILL BE HANGED FOR KILLING MARION CARTWRIGHT.

After Escaping From Sheriff He Was Recaptured and Convicted of Slaying Man Who Tried to Save Daughter.

Roswell, N. M.—A jury found Juan Rodriguez guilty of murder in the first degree. Only one penalty is possible under the verdict, and that is hanging. Rodriguez killed Marion Cartwright, an aged rancher, who came to the assistance of his daughter when she was attacked by the Mexican, according to the state.

Interest in the case, already keen in Chavez county, was heightened when Rodriguez escaped shortly after the empanelling of a jury to try him was begun. He evaded recapture for nearly two days by going thirty-six hours without anything to eat. He had wrapped a piece of canvas around his body in lieu of a coat. He was able to get only six miles away from Roswell. John Cartwright, son of Marion Cartwright, with whose murder Rodriguez was convicted, and George Williams, were the men who caught the fugitive.

**Big Appropriations for Improvements.**  
Albuquerque.—The list of authorized appropriations contained in the last issue of the Santa Fe Magazine follows: Albuquerque division: Bridge No. B-57, protection work, \$2,500; Gallup, purchase of land for proposed new mechanical facilities, \$13,000; Seligman, temporary addition to the dining room, \$2,000; Gallup, grading for the construction of new mechanical facilities, \$80,000. New Mexico division: Koehler, construction of 708 feet of track, \$1,500. Third district: Increased weight of rails and fastenings, \$4,800; Poso, construction of a 745-foot track to serve the Holly Sugar Company, \$1,600. Pecos division: Red Bluff, construction of fifty-car capacity stock pen, \$1,800; Clovis, conversion of power plant to use fuel oil instead of coal, \$2,200. Rio Grande division: Increased weight of rail and fastenings between Bayard and San Jose, \$1,200; El Paso, construction of spur track to serve the El Paso Smelting and Refining Company, \$1,000.

**Zinc Output Worth Million.**  
Santa Fe.—New Mexico has been a zinc producer for quite a number of years and this year the production will touch the million-dollar mark. The total recoverable zinc, whether marketed as spelter or oxide, from crude ore and concentrates shipped from New Mexico last year and calculated in terms of spelter and zinc in zinc oxide, was 18,403,392 pounds, valued in terms of average price of spelter for the year, at \$938,573. In terms of marketable metal, the value of the zinc contained in ore from New Mexico in 1914 was \$44,354 less than the silver output, and \$233,123 less than the gold output.

**Frijoles Bring Farmers \$75,000.**  
Morlaty.—It is estimated that frijoles alone will bring into Torrance county \$75,000 of outside cash this year. H. M. Mathews of Estancia is the largest bean grower in the valley. He raised 104,160 pounds of beans off 150 acres. This was at tended to by himself and two sons.

**Money for Roads.**  
Santa Fe.—Upon the plea of H. O. Bursum, the State Tax Commission granted Socorro county the right to levy 9.17 mills instead of 7.765 mills so that \$19,000 may be available for the Mogollon road.

**Find Program of First Teachers' Meet.**  
Santa Fe.—A program of the first annual meeting of the New Mexico Educational Association has been dug up by Rupert F. Asplund. It was held in the First Presbyterian church at Santa Fe, Dec. 28 to 30, 1886, and the association will, therefore, next year celebrate its thirtieth anniversary. The address was made by Gov. E. F. Ross, and Chief Justice E. V. Long spoke on "The Need of the Hour."

**Pickhandle Blow May Be Fatal.**  
Las Vegas.—Fred L. Jones, a Santa Fe railroad fireman, who was hit over the head with a pick handle by J. R. Cleveenger, a Santa Fe locomotive engineer, is in a serious condition and may not recover. His skull was fractured, and he is suffering from concussion of the brain.

**Writ Is Denied.**  
Santa Fe.—District Judge E. C. Abbott denied a writ of habeas corpus to Frank Clapp and H. E. Herbert, the two young men held here on the charge of obtaining magazine subscriptions under false pretenses.

**Will Improve Road.**  
Santa Fe.—State Engineer James A. French, who has recovered from his illness, has authorized the expenditure of \$42,000 on the Lordsburg, Tyrone Silver City highway, part of the Overland road.

**Municipal Christmas Tree.**  
Santa Fe.—The municipal Christmas tree this year is to be in the capitol grounds. If the Capitol Custodian Board gives its consent.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Nov. 17th, 1915.  
Notice is hereby given that Elias B. Gregory, of Redland, N. M., who on Feb. 2, 1912, made homestead entry No. 010226 for E. 1/2 sec. 19, T. 4 S., R. 10 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final 5 year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before C. A. Coffey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Elida, N. M., on the 27th day of Dec. 1915.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Charles V. Burnett, of Redland, N. M.; Arthur A. Weidner, Benjamin I. Pendleton, Samuel L. Gussel of Elida, N. M.  
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Claimant names as witnesses: Louis P. Baum, James E. Thornton, Charles H. Ebbitt, George W. Robertson, all of Redland, N. M.  
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# Editorials

## PARTY'S RECORD BAD

Country's Revenues Wasted by the Republicans.

Millions Thrown Away on "Pork" and Yet Leaders Presume to Advise Democrats as to Proper Method of National Defense.

National defense is not a partisan matter, but it is just as well to say right now that the administration and the Democratic majority in both houses of congress would do well to pay scant attention to Republican counsels.

The present comparative helplessness of the United States is directly and specifically the result of Republican blindness, Republican carelessness and Republican "pork."

The Republican party had absolute control of the nation's affairs for sixteen years. It managed so well that at the end of that time the trained reserve of the United States army consisted of sixteen men. It saw the Spanish war increase our responsibilities and difficulties at least tenfold, yet was content with an army less than four times as great as had sufficed during our previous isolation, while our feet takes a lower rank among the navies of the world today than it did in 1898.

Through all those sixteen years, in spite of repeated warnings, the Republican party was spending enormous sums on "pork," putting \$5,000,000 into a single "fort" on the bleak, inaccessible plains of Wyoming for the benefit of Senator Warren; building navy yards in Maine that no battleship could reach, for the benefit of Senator Hale; wasting the nation's money on every side. And yet this is the party which comes forward now and claims a monopoly of wisdom in the matter of national defense!

Such impudence is sublime, but not convincing. President Wilson and the Democratic majority in congress can get all the advice they need from trained experts in the army and navy. They do not need any counsel from Senator Warren, Reed Smoot, Gussie Gardner, or any other Republican wiseacre.—Chicago Journal.

### Administration's Program.

Retention of the import duty on sugar, and extension of the "war emergency" tax beyond December 31, are the only two revenue measures decided upon by the administration.

In an official announcement from the treasury department Secretary McAdoo states that these two measures will be recommended to congress at the opening of the session.

Just what, if any, additional measures will be taken, has not been determined by the administration. Though Secretary McAdoo and other advisers have consistently frowned upon a bond issue, it is possible that an issue of Panama canal bonds will be made to finance the army and navy in the preparedness program, and kept as a separate transaction, leaving the ordinary receipts to care for ordinary disbursements.

Secretary McAdoo will recommend that the free sugar provision of the Underwood-Stimmons bill, which places sugar on the free list May 1, 1916, be withdrawn for several years, and that the emergency tax be continued until the close of the war in Europe.

### Poor Policy to Advocate.

The trade balance in favor of this country for the month of September is \$146,343,919, or at the rate of about \$1,760,000,000 per year. Such a commerce is too one-sided to be healthy. England and France already have begun paying with bonds for supplies which in ordinary times they would pay for with goods. We need larger imports to keep exchange steady, to make permanent trade.

Yet this is the time which Republican "statesmanship" chooses as appropriate to raise the tariff and cut down still further our already too scanty

imports! The party which advances a scheme like that must be hard pressed for an issue.

### Simple Process the Best.

The great purpose of the "collection-at-source" provision of the income tax will be equally well served by a simple provision for information at the source. The corporations may fairly be asked to furnish information of salaries and stock and bond holdings on which the government can proceed in the performance of its own plain duty to collect its own taxes. The corporations cannot fairly or economically be required to do the collecting when with the same information in hand, the government can do it with fewer chances of evasion.

No tax gains in certainty or justice through confusion or duplication in methods of collection. The simpler the process the better.—New York World (Dem.)

### Imports Now Too Low.

The object of a high tariff is to reduce imports or as the St. Louis Republic well puts it, "to keep foreign products out of the United States. The one serious danger to the country's prosperity today is that imports are already too low.

### Will Oppose Filibustering.

Congress will find many serious questions before it, and a public sentiment behind it that is constantly growing less patient with filibustering methods.

It might be well for builders of theoretical fireproof structures to study the composition of the incombustible stogie.

"Is kissing worth \$1.25 a minute?" asks an exchange. How do we know unless you let us have a peek at the lady?

There is use for all things. The air raids over the English metropolises show where the famous London foggs come in handy.

A student of affairs says a woman's life should vary. Well, don't the moving picture shows offer something different every day?

The French are said to be using absinthe for high explosives. It always was deadly, but hitherto only in a retail way, so to speak.

We have now come to that time of the year when the man who takes a cold bath every morning thinks it something to brag about.

Doc Wiley says intemperance eating is almost as common as intemperance drinking, but nevertheless we risk a second piece of mince pie.

The rubberneck who stands at a street crossing on a breezy day is one of those who believes that it's an ill wind that blows nobody good.

Famine is said to be decimating the ostriches in Africa, most of the tin cans and copper kettles being used for war purposes, we presume.

Medical men say kissing spreads disease germs from mouth to mouth, but gossip spreads lots more dangerous germs than that by the same route.

Cat-skin fur is not accounted durable, and therefore is a negligible factor in the active fur trade. Alas, that this cannot be said also of the cat itself.

Although this year's wheat crop is said to be well above 1,000,000,000 bushels, despite the rains, one fancies that the biscuits will be more or less soggy.

The enormous sums spent on war would not be so much regretted if those who are taking the profits were to be looked to for payment of the bulk of the taxes.

The statement that there are one hundred and eleven varieties of snakes in the United States indicates that the experts have failed to take account of "snakes in the grass."

Now that the solemn and public duty of swatting the fly has ceased for the time, it is in order for the truly altruistic to turn their attention to doing their Christmas shopping early.

A Philadelphia girl, picked as the most beautiful young woman in America, says she owes her good looks to singing. We look for a horrible time in our neighborhood until she fades out.

It is said there are 400,000 telephones in use in Chicago. It is useless to expect the world to come to the bridled tongue era when science makes so little provision to encourage silence and meditation.

Chinese merchants who bought large supplies of German dyes before the war opened are now disposing of their surplus stocks to American manufacturers at a large profit. The world's commerce in the twentieth century is wonderfully well organized.

The cigarette has received another jolt, administered by physicians diagnosing cancer. They say that smoking cigarettes or short-stemmed pipes is dangerous by reason of the irritation of the lips occasioned by the heat. That irritation of the cuticle is a cause of cancer is now generally agreed.

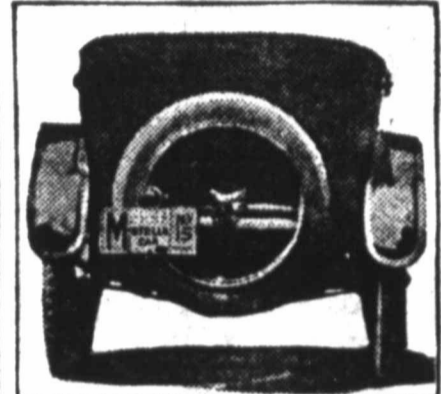
## SAVE CAR FROM THIEF

SIGN THAT MAKES FOR PROTECTION OF OWNER.

Automobile Tag is Claimed to Be the Best Invention That Has Been Put on the Market.

An automobile tag, claimed to be the most efficient device yet put on the market for the purpose of preventing the theft of cars, has recently been offered to the public by a Philadelphia concern. It is a metal plate that can be locked over the license tag and bears the startling inscription: "If this car is driven with this plate on, it is a stolen car."

The plate is simply a device for covering the license number of the car with a bright colored plate bearing words which are sure to attract



No Better Protection Against Theft Could Be Had Than This Simple Plate Which is Placed Over the Usual License Tag.

attention. The intending thief cannot remove the tag without breaking the lock or using a skeleton key. This device has met with great favor among insurance companies which issue burglar and theft insurance policies for automobiles. One company has ordered 100,000 plates, and is making them a feature of its policy.—Popular Science Monthly and World's Advance.

## FARMERS DEMAND THE BEST

As a Class They Have Been Quick to See the Advantage of the Automobile.

There are 42,348,883 farmers in the United States.

Long ago the American farmer discovered he could not compete successfully with his prosperous neighbor unless he adopted the most modern agricultural equipment. The man with the hoe has given way to the tractor-driven cultivators; the cradle has been replaced by giant power harvesters that reap and thresh the grain in a day; the family horse has been pensioned off for a faster carry-all—the motor car.

With the average farmer, the buying of a motor car is an investment. With him time is money, and the automobile saves time. When a trip to town is necessary the car will make the journey in but a fraction of the time required by the horse and buggy.

Four years ago, in the ten states included in the "grain belt" there were 130,000 motor cars. At that time the proportion of farm cars was less than one in eleven. On January 1, 1915, in these same states—Minnesota, Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin, Nebraska, Missouri, North Dakota, South Dakota and Oklahoma—records show a total of 559,730 motor cars in operation. In four years, this number has more than quadrupled.

Of this tremendous total, one-half the cars are owned by farmers.

In these ten states alone the motor cars operated by farmers cost over \$250,000,000. These same farmers are spending over \$200,000 a day for new cars.

### When Motor Misses.

If the motor persists in missing when only a light load is being carried, before resorting to adjustments of the carburetor try making spark gap a little wider, presuming of course, that the magneto is being used. On the other hand, if the motor misses when there is a heavy load on board it may possibly be obviated by closing the spark gap slightly.

### For Blowout Patches.

In an emergency, a roll of tire tape is handy for making a blowout patch. Strips of the tape are laid over the opening after it has been cleaned with gasoline, until a criss-cross web is formed. A piece of cloth is laid on to prevent the tube from sticking.

### Automobile Statistics.

There were 1,666,987 automobiles in use in the United States at the end of 1914. The revenue paid to the states from automobile licenses amounted to \$12,270,036, and chauffeur's fees reached the total of \$427,179.

### Not Enough "Juice."

When the starting motor stalls easily and fails to spin the crankshaft as it should, you may be sure that either the liquid in your storage battery does not test up to 1.275, or else the contact points of the line switch are not making good contact.

### Best Place to Keep Tires.

Heat and light are enemies to rubber. Extra automobile tires will keep in better condition if they are in a case which excludes the light. The cool, dry cellar is a good place to keep any tires not carried on the car.

## NOTICE OF SUIT.

No. 1145  
In the District Court of Roosevelt county New Mexico.  
P. N. Valliant, Plaintiff.

vs.  
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 P. 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] 47-4t

The blondes are holding their own despite the dyestuff shortage.

The good old-fashioned housekeeper is mistress of the servant problem.

The up-to-the-minute girl tries to make her feet her greatest attraction.

Now that golf has killed a caddy it may try to break into the football class.

When it comes to forecasting weather, the goose pimple has it all over the goose bone.

By advancing in price the harmless necessary egg is again becoming famous—or notorious.

If radium isn't going to do all the doctors claim for it, why should it continue to be so costly?

Probably men change their minds as often as women, but they don't advertise it as much.

Improved wireless communication will not make it any easier to get war news past the censors.

Our corn crop is worth \$2,133,000,000. Would some belligerent like to borrow \$1,000,000,000 in corn?

Dynamite is a great aid to agriculture. Doubtless Europe will produce some wonderful crops some day.

Those of us who cannot live up to the long-legged styles for men fortunately will not be compelled to try.

Somebody ought to invent a new color. The makers of women's shoes have exhausted all the colors there are.

Despite Edison's latest invention, the telegraphic system of lovers' glances still is a lap ahead of the wireless.

The "baby" submarine will have a crew of only two men, but they will be kept so busy they won't have time to get lonesome.

A medical man says bad teeth lessen one's power to think. A throbbing molar rather quickens thought—of the profane variety.

The trick in building submarines is not in making the craft go down, but in bringing it to the surface again—by its own mechanism.

If Edison should put the horse out of business in this country before the end of the war we can easily sell the stock on hand to Europe.

No Humburger cheese has been received in New York in a long time. Still this can hardly be regarded as one of the horrors of war.

The duration of the war will make it a long job for history to supply all the details of the news that have been omitted by the censors.

All the crowned heads of Europe would be too busy to marry just now, even if they were not already in that blissful condition, the married state.

The announcement is again made that tuberculosis is soon to become a back number. Still, the same prediction was made about war some years ago.

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**J. R. Elmore District Deputy**

Our Dist. Deputy, Mr. J. R. Elmore of Clovis will do some work in Portales during Dec. See him when he is here and let him explain our plan to you. The Praetorians have a splendid Council at Portales and it is my desire to see several more of the Portales members bring their wives into the Order.

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### Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, U.S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Nov. 13th 1915.  
Notice is hereby given that Luther M. Walker of Rogers, N. M., who on March 31, 1911, made homestead entry No. 9945, for NW 1/4 section 17, T. 4 S. Range 35 E. N. 10. 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, Roswell, N. M., at his office, at Portales, N. M., on the 27th day of December, 1915. Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas H. Long, of Longs, N. M. James H. Kennedy, Charles C. Maxwell, Fred L. Maxwell all of Rogers, N. M.  
A. J. Evans, Register.

## POULTRY FACTS

### WHITE WYANDOTTES IN FAVOR

One of the Most Important Things for Beginner Is Selection of Breed—Seven Good Characteristics.

(By JOHN C. LYSTER.)  
When a beginner starts a poultry plant, large or small, one of the most important things for him to consider is the breed he wants.

If after eggs only it would be policy for him to select one of the Mediterranean breeds, such as the Leghorn. If he desires to market mature birds he should keep a meat breed like the Cornish or the Brahma. If a general purpose fowl is his aim he must select the White Wyandotte for the following reasons:

First. As layers this breed has proved its superiority to all others, as shown in three recent laying competitions, when the grand average for White Wyandottes was 190 eggs in one year—a far better record than that of the Leghorns or the Reds.

Second. White Wyandotte eggs are large and brown, an advantage that is of great importance in the markets of my vicinity.

Third. The chicks are hardy and grow to broiler size quicker than any



White Wyandotte Hen.

other breed, and the fine feathers, being white, do not spoil their appearance when dressed for market, as in the case of Breed Rocks.

Fourth. The White Wyandotte makes a good roaster and a profitable capon. The males will average about eight pounds and the females around five or six pounds.

Fifth. Pullets hatched in April, with proper housing, feeding and attention, will lay late in October, when the egg market is advancing its prices.

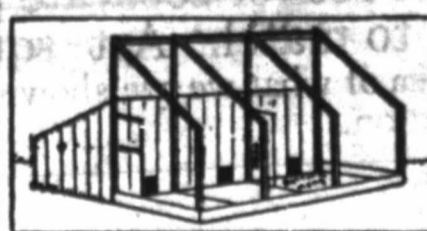
Sixth. The small, rose combs of the White Wyandotte are never frosted, thus eliminating a trouble that affects large-combed breeds in cold weather. It is generally recognized that the White Wyandotte continues laying in the coldest months.

Seventh. As mothers the White Wyandottes have no better. They are not continuously broody, but are faithful, careful and attentive when setting or mothering chicks. I have analyzed the White Wyandotte very carefully, and have failed to find any breed that combines these seven characteristic features that make the White Wyandotte a sure money-maker if given proper attention.

### RATLESS PENS FOR CHICKENS

Fine Woven Wire Stretched Around Bottom of Coop Keeps Rodents Away, Thereby Saving Chicks.

Last year we had many young chickens caught by rats and eggs taken from under setting hens. This spring we made the rat-proof pens shown in the drawing, writes Mrs. E. P. Rich of Oregon in Missouri Valley Farmer. A one by six inch board was set in the ground to keep the rats from digging under. Then we stretched fine wire netting two feet wide all the way around above the board and from the top of the coop at the back corner.



Ratless Pens for Chicks.

Bring everything with woven wire. The enclosure was partitioned off into pens and the hens were set in the house. We kill rats or mice by spreading a thick coating of calomel on a slice of bread and butter and put where they can find it.

### Temperature of Brooder.

As the weather becomes warmer you will have to see that the brooder is not too warm for the young chicks. Common sense ought to teach anyone that the heat required for brooding the chicks in cold weather is not required when the weather gets warm, but we often forget these things, to the detriment of the young chicks.

### Dry Bran for Chicks.

Dry bran placed before the chicks at the fifth day is a good feed and prepares them for the heavier dry mash which should start around the seventh to tenth day, when the chicks are ready to stand a feed that is heavier in ash and protein.

## DAIRY TALES

### MAKING A PROFIT IN CREAM

Many Dairymen Are at Loss to Know Which is Most Profitable Way to Dispose of Product.

(By G. L. MARTIN, Montana Experiment Station.)

The rapid development of the ice cream business within the past few years and the increased call from city trade, hotels and restaurants has created a large demand for sweet cream.

For these trades it is desirable that the cream should test about 20 per cent, but often the test may vary up to 40 per cent, depending greatly upon the method of operating the hand separator. When selling cream to creameries, the price is quoted per pound of butterfat, but for ice cream and hotel purposes it is customary to pay by the gallon. As a consequence many dairymen are at a loss to know which is the most profitable way to dispose of their cream. The following general rules may serve to determine the relative market price per pounds of butterfat or gallon of cream:

To find the value of a gallon of cream when butterfat is a certain price per pound, multiply the percentage of fat by 8 (the number of pounds in a gallon) and the product by the price per pound. At 30 cents per pound for fat, 20 per cent cream would be worth 48 cents per gallon; 25 per cent cream, 40 cents per gallon; 30 per cent cream, 72 cents per gallon; 40 per cent cream, 96 cents per gallon. At 35 cents per pound for fat, 20 per cent cream would be worth 56 cents per gallon, and so on.

To find the price per pound for butterfat when the price per gallon of cream is known, divide the price per gallon by eight times the per cent of fat. At 40 cents per gallon, 30 per cent cream would be worth 25 cents per pound of fat. At \$1 per gallon, 40 per cent cream would be worth 31 2/3 cents per pound of fat.

### CONVENIENT AS MILK STOOL

Lard Tub or Large Candy Pail Can Easily Be Converted into Handy Device for Dairy Barn.

(By G. A. RANDALL.)

The cut shows a handy milk stool and one very easily made. From a lard tub or large candy pail, with a key-hole saw cut out the wood at the top, as shown. One may thus make three or more legs, as desired. I find four



A Convenient Milk Stool.

are best. The top hoop must be removed to do this. Remove the side handles or ball and cut in the center of the bottom two semicircular openings to fit the hands as desired, these for a handle. This stool is stout, light and the right height for an ordinary person.

### Most Profitable Cow.

The dairy farmer realizes that the comfortable cow is the most profitable cow and that induces him to look after the comfort of all his stock. Naturally he gets better returns from them.

### Cleaning Dairy Pails.

In cleaning the dairy pails, special attention must be given the ears and seams, else dirt and milk will be lodged there, souring and tainting the milk as soon as drawn.

### Unprofitable Cow.

There is no longer an excuse for the unprofitable cow, the Babcock test and a pair of scales, and it is easy to ascertain whether or not she is "delivering the goods."

## DAIRY NOTES

To have your cows milk long, milk them clean.

Uneven salting and working make streaky butter.

Good cows are the first essential of profitable dairying.

It pays to please and satisfy a cow. A happy cow is a profitable cow.

Use the curry comb and brush on the dairy cow every day. It pays.

To feed economically, cows should be fed as individuals, not as a herd.

Cream that is being ripened should be strained several times before it is ready for churning.

There is more money in feeding a steer than in feeding a poor dairy cow, and much less work.

Protect the cream and milk from being contaminated by stable air by

## LIVE STOCK



A Southdown Sheep.

### PROFITS IN BREEDING EWES

Beginner Should Select Animals With "Solid" Mouths and Good Udders—Avoid the Old Ones.

(By PROF. HOWARD HACKEDORN, Missouri College of Agriculture.)

More profits have been made from breeding ewes than from most other classes of live stock, in the last few years. The present scarcity and high price of cattle and feeder lambs make them more doubtful sources of profit at this time.

Practically all breeding ewes on the market now are western ewes. Among this class, ewes of Merino blood predominate. These ewes will weigh from



A Southdown Sheep.

85 to 110 pounds and shear 5 to 7 pounds of wool. About 130 or 140 of them can be put in an ordinary stock car.

The beginner should buy ewes with "solid" mouths and good udders. Experienced sheepmen frequently succeed with ewes with loose and broken teeth, but for the novice it is not advisable to try the extremely old ewes.

Western ewes will raise good spring lambs when mated with rams of good mutton type. A vigorous, strong yearling ram should serve 35 to 40 ewes. A list of Missouri breeders who have rams for sale can be secured from the department of animal husbandry, University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo.

### BUILDINGS FOR LIVE STOCK

Proper Ventilation is Often Neglected and Animals Suffer in Consequence—Let in Sunlight.

Stock barns should be thoroughly ventilated, whether for hogs, cattle, horses or sheep. It is just as detrimental to an animal to breathe impure air as it is for a human being. A system of ventilation is inexpensive and its results are remarkable.

The buildings should be kept clean and disinfected often enough to insure destruction of poisonous germs. Floors in hog pens, cattle barns, etc. should not be made of boards, for such floors are full of cracks and knot holes, which, with the space underneath them, afford a favorable place for the accumulation of fetid matter.

If hogs have cholera in a board floor pen, and the floor and the accumulation is not taken out and the building thoroughly disinfected, hogs placed in the same pen years afterward are liable to contract the disease from latent germs in the filth. Sunshine being the best disinfectant, movable hog houses and pens are always best.

### PUSHING SWINE FROM START

Interesting Data Gathered by Dean of Wisconsin Station—Keep All Young Animals Growing.

Young animals make more pounds of gain from their food than when older. Dean Henry of Wisconsin gathered a lot of data on this, and found that 35-pound pigs required 293 pounds of feed to make 100 pounds of gain, 75-pound pigs required 409 pounds of feed, 125-pound hogs, 437 pounds of feed; 174-pound pigs, 482 pounds; 226-pound pigs, 498 pounds; 271-pound pigs, 511 pounds, and for the 230-pound hogs it took 535 pounds of food to make the 100 pounds of gain, or nearly twice as much as the 35-pound pig. This emphasizes the importance of pushing the hogs from the start in order to make the most economical gains.

It has been found at the North Dakota experiment station that April pigs can be made to weigh 200 to 250 pounds by November 1.

### Value of Young Brood Mares.

One good, sound young mare, bought from some reliable farmer or breeder, is worth more for breeding purposes than half a dozen so-called "bargains" picked up in the city.

### Hogs Bred for Pork.

Where hogs are bred for pork, it is wise to breed two litters a year. In breeding sows for their progeny to keep up and increase the herd, breed once a year.

### Fertilizer Value of Milk.

The fertilizer value of milk comes back in the skimmed milk and if this is fed to hogs it stays right on the

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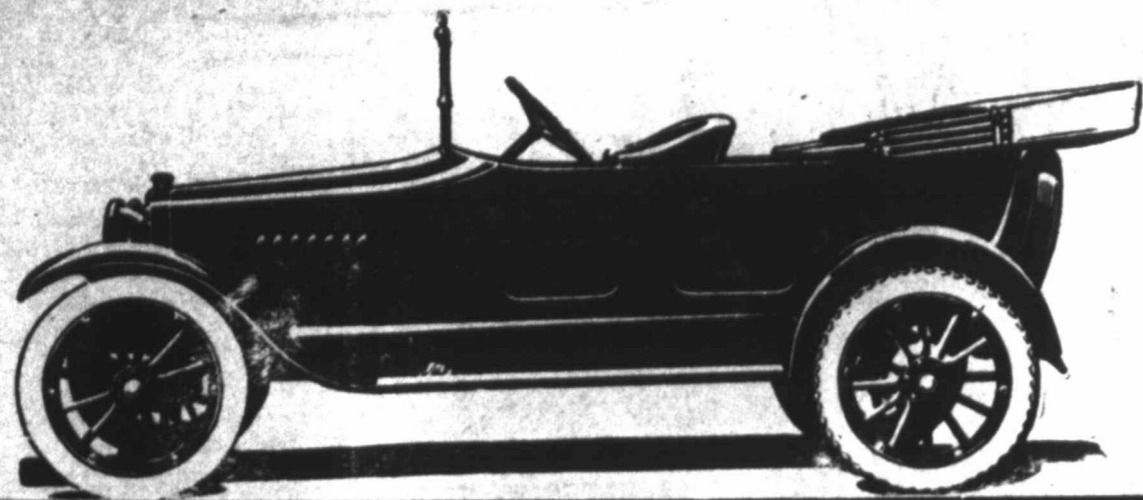
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**Dereño Doings.**

Mrs. Blackmore's mother, of Memphis, Texas is visiting her this week.

Mrs. B. T. Ross and daughter Mrs. Katie Stratton went to Mangum, Okla, to the bedside of a sick daughter and sister.

Mr. Moore, teacher of the Dereño school and Mr. Owens of Blanco are keeping bachelor hall in the Roberts house now.

Mr. Sweetman has returned from Texas and has taken his place as superintendent of the Hebron Sunday school.

John Harker moved his well machine to the S. Howell place last week.

Rev. Purvis will preach at the Hebron school house the first Sunday in December.

W. C. Stone of the Diamond Tail ranch unloaded three loads of hay at Tolar last week.

O. J. Richmond and family have moved to their farm near Dereño from Taiban where the children have been attending school.

**Redlake Items.**

Thanksgiving was observed at many homes at Redlake, and sad was the lot that befell the Redlake turkeys on that day.

The young people of Redlake enjoyed a fine dinner last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Nelson. We are all glad that Homer is married so we can have a place to go when we get hungry.

The new thrasher that was ordered by Wyatt Bros. was unloaded in Elida Saturday.

Charles Caldwell, the Redlake Pedagogue, spent Thanksgiving with friends in Elida, returning Sunday night.

Rex Borough bought a barn from Teddy Irvin and moved it on his new homestead.

The school at Redlake is still

on the progress, with some new pupils, the first two months came to an end last Friday. During Christmas the school will put on a home talent 'Negro Minstrel' with the aim to secure funds with which to buy an organ for the school. Watch for the date.

**Upton Notes.**

Crops at this place are practically all gathered.

Emmet Gore is preparing to build a new house on the place he recently purchased from J. H. Hatfield.

Andrew McNutt went to Delphos Saturday to bring home some cattle and a young mare.

The Upton postoffice is moved one-half mile north from its original location.

The Upton store seems to have found a permanent location. Mr. Gore has moved it into one room of his residence. It certainly is one of which we should be proud with everything clean and up-to-date.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramage went to the box supper at Benson Friday night with John W. Russell in his Ford.

Among the others who attended the box supper at Benson from this place was Gurr and Rubie Ford.

The Benson school children report that they are going to get a basket ball.

J. R. Shock, teacher at this place spent Thanksgiving at the home of his father-in-law D. L. Smith at Floyd.

**Garrison Notes.**

We are glad to note that our school house is completed, school has begun and is moving along nicely under the leadership of J. W. Stone of Redland.

Our new school house 24 by 36, is built on a solid rock foundation, thoroughly painted and has ample amount of blackboard

The people of the district feel very grateful to the directors, Daton Brown, J. C. English and G. D. Toland for the excellent judgment in planning the building also for letting the contract to J. D. Wagner of Causey whose work is a model of neatness.

Rev. J. D. Wagner preached an excellent sermon for us last Sunday and will be with us again next Sunday when we expect to organize a Sunday school.

Garrison is pushing onward and upward and bids fair to be one of the most progressive districts in the county.

The singing at Dr. Talley's Friday night was well attended and everyone reports a very pleasant time.

**Floyd Items.**

Floyd is still here, but has made a little change since our last writing. Tradesday is now Monday instead of Friday.

Portales may now look for our cream dealer on Tuesday. Our people are very enthusiastic over the advance of price of cream all of which is due to the new creamery. If the cow and separator had not proven such a benefit where would we and our country have been today? So taking the past as an example, why not get more cows and separators.

Our new school house is now completed. Of course we are very proud. We consider the directors were fortunate in securing D. A. Woolverton of Portales, who is a very fine architect and mechanic, to construct the building.

Mrs. N. B. Bingham and daughter, Mrs. A. A. Nichols, marketed their Thanksgiving turkeys recently which amounted to near one hundred dollars.

We are going to have a Christmas tree at the school house, and are looking forward to its being a most pleasant event.

**A FEW SUGGESTIONS FOR USEFUL XMAS. GIFTS**

Our Dry Goods Department will show some very useful and appropriate merchandise in wearing apparel and novelty goods for any member of your family or any other person you care to remember this Xmas. We suggest you give us a look through our different departments before making up your mind what you will give. No matter what age or sex you will find something anyone of good judgment will appreciate and show the good sense and taste of the donor.

**DRY GOODS** Bath robes and slippers to match; House slippers or pair shoes; Hat any shape, color or price; Hosiery, the good kind, silk, lisle or cotton; Initial handkerchiefs; Silk mufflers; Caps and scarfs to match; Belts or gloves; Hand bags for the ladies, something different. Any number of small trinkets at popular prices. Handsome toilet sets; Manicure sets or separate pieces; Infant toilet sets; Ivory-oid mirrors; Brushes and a number of toilet sets, very useful all to match; Art square rugs \$10. to \$25. We mention only a few of the many different articles here, just to give you some idea of what we are showing. Make us a call and let us show you the many very appropriate articles that will be on display next week for your inspection.

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