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IN ORDER TO REDUCE OUR STOCK

To make room for Larger Stock coming.

We will for the next 60 DAYS give you 5 per cent discount on all Stoves, and are making a reduced price on all classes of Hardware, Implements, Wind Mills, Piping, &c., especially Moline and John Deere Plows.

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Furniture Company

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Mattresses, Comforts, Blankets and Feathers

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FEBRUARY 14 IS

Valentine Day

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VALENTINES,

From six for a Nickel up to \$2.00 each.

From the UGLIEST to the PRETTIEST

from the Comliest to the Neatest. Come

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Cards are arriving Daily.

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Staple and Fancy Groceries, Flour and Feed.

Our goods are all Fresh and New and we handle a full stock of the best of everything in our line. Call and in the

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Red Cross Drug Store,

We handle Pure Drugs, Sundries, Toilet Articles, Jewelry.

Our Prescription Department is under the supervision of a graduate and licensed Pharmacist.

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We like opposition.
We defy competition; And under no condition will we budge from our position, as the Cheapest place to buy Hardware in Portales.

Hardy Hardware Co.

A car of Ellwood and American Hog and Rabbit fence. Cable wire, barb wire, nails and roofing on hand. Every rod of fencing guaranteed.

COMMERCIAL CLUB ORGANIZED.

The business men of Portales met at the court house Tuesday night and organized a Commercial Club, there being thirty-three members enrolled. Every one present was greatly interested and the club promises to be a grand success from the start. The Portales band was present and furnished good music, which was appreciated by all. After the members were enrolled the following officers were elected: Ben Blankenship, President. F. W. Swift, Vice President. G. L. Reese, Sec. and Treas. It was decided that the membership fee be \$5.00 and that the dues be \$1.00 per month, and the following committees were appointed:

Committee to solicit memberships: W. G. Johnson, Coe Howard and Ursi Keen.

Committee to draft constitution and bylaws: G. W. Carl, C. O. Leach and G. L. Reese.

Committee to see about re-establishment of Portales and Bronco mail route: C. O. Leach, W. G. Johnson and W. O. Oldham.

Committee on procuring cotton seed: J. A. Fairly, Norton Meek and John Harris.

This club will fill a long-felt need of in Portales, and will do more good toward upbuilding the town and increasing business than anything else that could be done, and we sincerely hope that every man in Portales will join and assist in making this the leading city in New Mexico.

That the club will be a suc-

cess is evident from the amount of interest displayed by every member, and the time will come when every citizen of Portales and vicinity will feel deeply grateful to the organizers of this most laudable enterprise, for when the business men organize themselves for the betterment of their town they can do an immense amount of good, and outside people seeing that the citizens are interested in the growth of their city know that it is a wide-awake, enterprising place and a good place to live.

Portales has needed a commercial club for a long time, and now that she has it business will steadily increase and she will grow in population more rapidly than ever.

Since the business men have shown that they are interested in the upbuilding of the town we predict that within a year Portales will have another railroad, be incorporated, have an electric light plant, water, works and an ice factory, and be doing twice the business she now is, and the Commercial Club will have been the main cause of this growth.

This organization should have the support of every person living in or near Portales, for with the growth of the town the value of property will increase, and thus every property owner in this part of the country will be benefited.

The Club will meet again next Thursday night, when a regular meeting time will be agreed upon. Everybody is invited to come out, and it is of especial importance that all business men be present.

A Reason For Everything.

There is a reason why so many people do business with us.

There is a reason why we have One Thousand Depositors.

There is a reason why we have in the fullest degree the confidence of the people.

There is a reason why we do not have to ask our borrowers to make sacrifices to pay their notes due us.

There is a reason why we do not have to borrow money.

There is a reason why we are lending money when other banks don't.

The Reason is Good Management and that the best there is in banking is found at the

FIRST NATIONAL BANK
Of Portales, N. M.

The finances of the country continue to get stronger day by day as the heart-hearted depositors realize there is no danger of their money, and that it is now put into the banks and not into the hands of speculators. In fact there is a surplus of money in circulation in the United States now than ever before, and the stringency has all but been forgotten in the big money centers. If the people had not persisted in drawing their savings from the banks the situation would never have been so bad; and this should be a lesson to the timorous ones.

Messrs. J. W. Morris & Son will commence work overhauling their gin at this place sometime in March and will have a large and complete gin of 4-70 outfit when completed as they are going to install two more 7 aw stands, gin press, new suction and all that go to make an up-to-date gin. We predict a good business this year and a better one in 1909.

Pleasant Valley.

The new school house is now completed and Sunday school was held in it last Sunday for the first time.

Mr. Thurman has purchased the Seal dugout and is now living in it. We extend a hearty welcome to Mr. Thurman and family. There was singing at the school house Sunday night. All report good singing and a large crowd in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Givens visited S. L. Brown and family of Clovis the latter part of last week, and while there Mr. Givens' mule broke loose and strayed away.

W. H. Wood made a business trip to Portales Monday.

Miss Flora Sneed and Messrs. Raymond Follett, Chas. Givens and William Schweikhardt took dinner at Mrs. Armstrong's Sunday.

The farmers are busy turning over sod in this vicinity, preparing to put in a large crop this year.

Bascom Howard.

Bascomb Howard announces in this issue as a candidate for the office of Probate Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Roosevelt county.

We feel that Mr. Howard needs no introduction to the public as he has principally settled the entire county, having done the most noble work of any young man in the county by securing so many homes for the homeless. He came here four years ago and has shown by his actions that he is worthy and competent to fill the office he is asking for, and promises to fill it to the entire satisfaction of the public, should he be the choice of the people.

A. G. Watson accompanied by his family left Wednesday morning on a business trip to Amarillo.

T. M. Laster is now prepared to sell you coal New Mexico product, therefore good coal, also feed stuff. Be sure and watch for his ad to appear in the Herald.

Portales Springs.

Work seems to be the order of the day, therefore we are out of order, but we are making preparations to help our old friend Capt. W. C. Harrison plant his claim in Alfalfa. He was not pleased with the results of his last year crop. Keep looking on Capt. may success crown your efforts.

Quite a crowd of young people attended the closing exercises of the Trambel School. Those who attended were Ruff Reynolds, Geo. Miller, Zelle Sandifer, Henry Jones and Misses Fannie Garrett, and — Nash, all report a nice entertainment.

The new organ of Mr. and Mrs. Sandifer was christened Sunday evening by the committee. All say that they are willing to rechristen it at any time.

The Lyceum has a nice program for Saturday night Feb. 1st. Every one is especially invited.

Mr. Kaune made the banner trip to the brakes for posts last week, made it in five days, "catching bulging post some."

Rev. Funderback and son have purchased the place of Geo. Miller and Tom Inard. Mr. Miller is thinking of going to Arizona.

S. S. has been changed to 10:30 in the morning, all try and be on hand next Sunday.

It's your time "Far away Mimes." For the present I am, Guess Who?

Notice of Democratic Mass Meeting.

A mass meeting of the Democrats of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, is hereby called to meet at the court house in the town of Portales, New Mexico, at the hour of 1 o'clock, p. m., Feb. 15, 1908, for the purpose of reorganizing the Democratic Executive Committee of said county, and for such other business as may come before said meeting for consideration.

At Portales N. M. Jan. 27, 1908.
G. L. REESE,
Chairman Executive Committee.

Last Saturday was a busy day in Portales, and the streets were crowded with horses and wagons, some of them coming from as far as a hundred miles. Every day is busy a day here, but some days are exceptionally busy, and on these days the crowds that throng the streets are indeed a pleasure for a business man to witness.

A car of Corrugated Roofing received. Hardy Hardware Co.

For Sale.

100 acres 2 miles N. E. of Portales, 120 acres under fence, 90 in cultivation and 15 in hog pasture. Good 6 room house, green house, stable and crib. One 4-2 horse power gasoline engine, good well of water with wind mill and tank, 2500 choice fruit trees set out last spring. A few peach trees, grapes and berries that will bear next spring. A rare bargain for a nice one. For further information apply at the Herald office.

Mind Your Business.

If you don't nobody will. If it is your business to keep out of all the trouble you can and you can and will keep out of liver and bowel trouble if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They keep biliousness, malaria and jaundice out of your system. 25c. at Pearce & Dobbs drug store.

How's Your Digestion?

Mrs. Matt Dowling of No. 23 5th Ave., San Francisco, recommends a remedy for stomach trouble. She says: "Gratitude for the wonderful effect of Electric Bitters in a case of acute indigestion, prompts this testimonial. I am fully convinced that for stomach and liver trouble Electric Bitters is the best remedy on the market to-day." This great tonic and alterative medicine invigorates the system, purifies the blood and is especially helpful in all forms of female weakness. 50c. at Pearce & Dobbs drug store.

If a cough once gets into your system it acts on every muscle and fibre of the body and makes you ache all over. It especially affects the intestines and makes you constipated so in order to get rid of a cold thoroughly and without delay you should not take anything that will tend to constipate. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts upon the bowels and thereby drives the cold out of the system. It contains no opiates — it is pleasant to take and is highly recommended for children. Sold by Pearce & Dobbs.

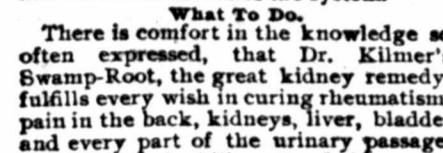
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Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It.

Prevalency of kidney disease. Most people do not realize the alarming increase and remarkable prevalence of kidney disease.



While kidney disorders are the most common diseases that prevail, they are almost the last recognized by patient and physician, who content themselves with doctoring the effects, while the original disease undermines the system.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage.

It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night.

What to Do. There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage.

The Last Wishes. Vicar's Wife—No, the vicar is not in just now. Is there any message you would like me to give him when he returns?

Old Woman (cheerfully)—Please, mum, Martha Higgins would like to be buried at two o'clock to-morrow afternoon.—London Punch.

"We Have Many Similar." The following is an extract from a letter received from Mr. H. H. Meyers of Stuttgart, Ark.: "You would greatly oblige me if you would introduce Hunt's Lightning Oil at Milligeville, Ill., as I have many friends and relatives there, in whom I am much concerned, and I understand the Oil is not kept there. I can recommend it as the best medicine I ever had in my house."

Clemency can never exist itself with more applause than when there is the justest cause for resentment.—Pliny.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. ALL KIDNEY DISEASES. RHEUMATISM, BRUISES, DIABETES, GRAVEL, CALCULI, NEURALGIA, MIGRAINE, HEADACHE, INDIGESTION, BILIOUSNESS, COLIC, CONSTIPATION, URINARY AFFECTIONS, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE URINARY SYSTEM.

SICK HEADACHE. Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Heavy Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Headaches, and all ailments connected with the stomach, liver, and bowels.

LEWIS' SINGLE BINDER STRAIGHT CUT CIGAR. You Pay 10c for Cigars. Not so Good. F. LEWIS Peoria, Ill.

SPOT CASH. FOR SOLDIERS AND HEIRS. All Federal soldiers and sailors who served 90 days between 1861 and 1865 and who have not received their full pay are entitled to additional money.

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A School for Servants.

Bridget and Dinah and Katrina continue to receive the censure, not to say abuse, of the public press and private individuals for their alleged unsatisfactory performances of their duties in the kitchen, in the laundry, in the dining room—in short, "upstairs, downstairs, and in their ladies' chambers."

Anniversary of Anthracite.

Anthracite coal was first used for domestic fuel in February, 1808, although it had been used by gunsmiths and blacksmiths for nearly 40 years previously.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hunt's Catarrh Cure.

Not "Just as Good"—It's the Best.

One box of Hunt's Cure is unfailingly, unqualifiedly and absolutely guaranteed to cure any form of SKIN DISEASE.

After a woman has made a strenuous but successful effort to marry a certain man she is apt to discover that he is very unattractive.

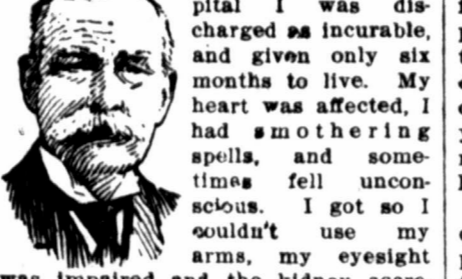
After a man takes pride in his achievements of virtue.

A German company is now telephoning wirelessly from Nauen to various places in Germany, 50 to 60 miles distant.

FIVE MONTHS IN HOSPITAL.

Discharged Because Doctors Could Not Cure.

Levi P. Brockway, S. Second Ave., Anoka, Minn., says: "After lying for five months in a hospital I was discharged as incurable, and given only six months to live."



When I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, but they went right to the cause of the trouble and did their work well. I have been feeling well ever since."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

NOT QUITE THE SAME THING.



"Simpleton seems to have a fortune in his mine."

"Er—no! The fortune's only in his mind."

SUFFERED TWENTY-FIVE YEARS. With Eczema—Her Limb Peeled and Foot Was Raw—Thought Amputation Was Necessary—But Lives Life Saved by Cuticura.

"I have been treated by doctors for twenty-five years for a bad case of eczema on my leg. They did their best, but failed to cure it. My doctor had advised me to have my leg cut off."

The Judge's Inkwell. Judge Boyd, of the Irish bench, kept a supply of his favorite "pizen" on the desk before him in an inkstand of peculiar make.

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YOUNG MAN'S BRIGHT IDEA.

Some People, However, May See Selfishness in Suggestion.

The head of a certain Pittsburg manufacturing concern is an old gentleman who built up his business from nothing by his own dogged and persistent toil, and who has never felt that he could spare the time for a vacation.

"Tom, I've worked pretty hard for quite a while now and have done pretty well, so I have about decided to retire and turn the business over to you. What do you say?"

A Proud Boy. An Englishman who was traveling in Turkey last winter to study the people says that the children have very little respect for their parents compared to their conduct in other countries.

"Nails are a mighty good thing—particularly finger nails—but I don't believe they were intended solely for scratching, though I used mine largely for that purpose for several years."

Changed His Mind. "Well, what are you doing there?" asked the lady, addressing a tramp who had just climbed a tree in time to escape a savage bulldog.

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of J. C. Watson.

Growth of Lutheran Church. The Lutheran church has had a remarkable growth in membership in the last 35 years.

Its Dangerous. To neglect a cold the results are too often very serious. Bronchitis, Pleurisy, Pneumonia, and Consumption are frequently the consequences.

Only One "Bromo Quinine." This is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day.

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AGE AFFECTS POETRY.



Orfs Boy—A lady with some poetry. Editor—How old? Boy—Bout 18. Editor—What!!! Show her in at once, boy.

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Dr. J. S. Christian, the well known Physician of Lindale, Texas, in writing Mr. T. J. Burrow, of Troupe, Texas, says: "Lindale, Texas, Feb. 16, 1907."

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Anti Cigaret
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No town can be a success-
 and she is filled with public
 citizens who are willing to
 do a little work for the public
 good. We believe the majority
 of the citizens of Portales are in-
 terested in making this one of the
 principal cities in the territory
 out they need a leader; someone
 who will take hold of every op-
 portunity that presents itself
 and work for good of the town.
 The first thing that should be
 done is to incorporate Portales
 and give the city an opportunity
 to grow in business enterprises
 as well as in population. Then
 a commercial club should be or-
 ganized to advertise the advan-
 tages of the town and to work for
 an increase of business enterpris-
 es. With the town incorporated
 and a good live commercial club
 Portales would soon be the
 leading city of New Mexico, and
 the increase in value of property
 and the growth of business would
 more than pay for the time ex-
 pended by the members of the
 club. We need more railroads
 and a commercial club could do
 good work toward securing them.
 We need an electric light plant,
 water works and an ice factory.
 If one will invest their money
 in enterprises of this kind
 the city is unincorporated
 or they have no guarantee that
 someone else will not put up in
 position to them. Anyone
 coming over this matter will
 see that nothing can be
 done toward making this a thriv-
 ing business center until we in-
 corporate the town, and we be-
 lieve everyone interested in the
 upbuilding of Portales will be in
 favor of incorporation if they but
 give the matter a few moments
 thought. Every day we let go
 by without taking up this matter
 is that much valuable time lost,
 and it will be regretted when the
 town is incorporated and it is
 seen how much good incorpora-
 tion does.

"If you can't be a patient
 leader," is one of the good max-
 ims that applies to all persons at
 all times, and especially persons
 who think they can't help their
 town. If you can't say a good
 word don't say any.

Tell us the news of all others
 may share with you. This enjoy-
 ment derived from hearing of
 happenings of interest. It is im-
 possible for us to hear of every-
 thing that happens in less than
 you make it a point to help us. So if
 you know of anything that would
 probably interest the people, tell
 it to the Herald and we will see
 that it reaches our readers.

The Herald is working for a
 greater Portales and Roswell
 county, and will continue to do
 work until Portales is the leading
 city and Roswell, the richest
 and best county in the Territory
 of New Mexico. If you wish to
 work by sending in articles, tell-
 ing of the improvements being
 made in your community.

We wish to thank those who
 have sent in communications
 from other places and hope they
 will continue to let us hear of
 the happenings of their commu-
 nities. These communications
 are interesting to the people of
 New Mexico in general as well as
 to those who live where they
 were sent from, as they give an
 idea of what the whole country
 is doing.

Some of the leading business
 men of Portales met at the court
 house last Saturday night and
 discussed the organization of a
 commercial club. It was decided
 that a petition be circulated
 among the business men of the
 city to find out if the majority
 are in favor of the organization.
 This is the first step in the right
 direction, and we hope by next
 week to be able to tell of the or-
 ganization and the list of the

officers elected, for we believe
 the people realize the importance
 of a commercial club and will
 enter into it with interest. Let
 the good work go on.

A person who is opposed to
 any enterprise that is beneficial
 to the public is called, in some
 localities, a "mossback," and we
 think it a very good name. This
 class of people never want to do
 anything for the good of their
 community unless it is dollars and
 cents in their pocket. There's
 no use in arguing with them,
 for when you tell them that
 it will do the town good they say
 "D— the town; where do we
 get anything out of it?" The
 only way to treat a "mossback"
 is to utterly ignore him, and he
 will finally fall in line just for
 the sake of good company. And a
 converted "mossback" makes the
 most enterprising, hard working,
 public spirited citizen of any, and
 we hope there are any in Por-
 tales they will soon be brought
 to see the folly of their ways.

We haven't seen any of those
 dollars without "In God We
 Trust" on them yet, and would
 be exceedingly grateful if some-
 body would bring or send one to
 us for a year's subscription to
 the Herald. Just think! You
 can get fifty-two copies of the
 official organ of Roosevelt county
 for the paltry sum of a dollar—
 less than two cents a copy—
 and every copy contains inter-
 esting and articles of interest
 for every person in New Mexico.
 Why, the stories published in
 the Herald are worth more than
 that, much less the happenings
 of the county and territory and
 other substantial reading matter.

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 WE WILL APPRECIATE YOUR TRADE
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 The PORTALES REALTY CO. Will sell your land
 houses and lots to the best advantage and give every-
 body a square deal. List your lands, improved and
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 turns. Relinquishments sold, accounts and notes col-
 lected, Fire, Stock and Life Insurance. Come and
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YOUR BUSINESS SOLICITED.
The Portales Lumber Compa-
ny wish to announce that they
have just received a car load of
highly celebrated Austin White
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Our Leading Brands are DRIPPING SPRINGS
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STAG SALOON
 JACK NICHOLS, Prop.
FINE WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS
 Try Our Choice Case Goods

NOTICE TO W. O. W.
 Lodge meets every Monday
 night. All members earnestly
 requested to attend.
 W. M. Cox.

For Sale.
 One good gentle milk cow for sale.
 For further information and price,
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LOCALS and PERSONALS

Mac Tabner made his usual trip to Texico this week.

Hughes' for fresh home made Cakes, at Star Bakery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Slaughter left first of the week for Sturgeon, Mo.

See our line of dishes before buying elsewhere. Hardy Hardware Co.

Martin O'Connell of Clovis spent Sunday in Portales with home folks.

Home rendered lard can now be had at Horton's market.

Mrs. T. M. Luster returned Sunday from an extended trip in Texas and Oklahoma.

Silk Handkerchiefs and Mufflers at a reduced price at the Arkansas Store.

Ed Mangus, who has been visiting in Portales the past month or so returned to Causey Monday.

Go to Caraway's for nice dressed chickens. Phone 45.

N. A. Ferguson, with Warren Foosee Co. of Farwell, Tex. spent a few days in Portales visiting first of the week.

A job lot of Factinors at cost at the Arkansas Store.

W. M. Cox returned last Friday from Melrose, Clovis and Texico, where he had been on legal business.

Go to the City Meat Market for your fresh and cured meats, chickens, eggs, etc.

W. J. Wisdom, living five miles west of town paid the Herald office a pleasant visit Saturday.

Everybody buys the Enamel Roasters, they are much better than the common sheetiron ones. Hardy Hardware Co.

House and Lots for Sale.

One two room house and two lots east of new school house, 1 1/4 mile from court house, for sale. G. W. Copeland.

A Serious Accident.

Last week while on her way to Rev. Goodwin's house, Mrs. E. J. Smith fell and hit her head on a rock, rendering her unconscious and cutting a very deep gash in her head. She is still under the doctor's care, and though some better is not out of danger yet.

It is not necessary for you to worry about the safe keeping of your valuable papers such as wills, deeds, mortgages, etc., when you can rent a Safety Deposit Box from the P. B. & T. Co., where they will be absolutely secure.

From Plateau.

Plateau, N. M.
Jan. 25, 1908.
Roosevelt County Herald, Portales, N. M.
Dear Ed:
I am a subscriber to your paper and see you ask for correspondents, so am writing you from Plateau, 6 1/2 miles north east of Elida.

It is being built by the Plateau Townsite Co. (Incorporated) of Plateau, which has 160 acres on the P. V. railroad, and is selling lots and building houses in spite of the "panic."

E. D. Ryner has about completed his new store house and has a part of his stock already in portofice.

J. L. Monroe now has his store building on the "nstitute and is prepared to supply the wants of his customers. His family is temporarily domiciled in the C. P. White house.

School is doing good work with fifty pupils enrolled. J. E. McCall has not been in school since Christmas, having entered the Portales Commercial College.

There is talk of moving the school house on to the townsite. This may be voted on at the April election.

T. R. Norris is visiting his daughter in Oklahoma.

ANONYMOUS
For the Best of Everything, phone 45.
Bring your chickens, eggs and butter to the Horton Market.

Program for the Roosevelt County Teachers Association to be Held at Portales.

The following program, being intended for out-of-town teachers, is suggestive rather than final. The Portales teachers on the night of the 15th will give an entertainment to the visiting teachers, the details of which will be arranged later.

Hon. J. E. Clark, Superintendent of Public Instruction for New Mexico, will probably be with us and in that event his address will be the leading feature of the meeting.

Feb. 14th:
Invocation, Rev. Carlton, Psychology, Chap XIII, Attention Short paper, A. D. Glasgow, Elida, Chap. XIV, Conception, short paper, W. W. Mills, Plateau.
Discussion by association on papers read.
Primary work, Mrs. S. F. Culbertson, Portales.
Reading:
Song.
Chap. XVI Association, short paper, W. G. Russell, Portales.
Discussion by Association, Noon.
Piano Solo.
The Relation of Patrons to the Success of Promising Normal Unity of Interest Between Teachers and Pupils, W. O. Young, Portales.
Discussion by Patrons.
Music.
Reading:
Relation of Statehood to the upbuilding of the Public Schools of New Mexico, W. F. Osborn, Portales.
Discussion by the Association.
Feb. 15th:
Invocation, Rev. Lawrence Russell, Song, America.
History of Education, Revival of Learning and Humanist, short paper, Miss Elberta Spay, Elida.
The effect of Luther's work, L. C. Merstelder, Texico.
The Purpose and Results of Jesuitism, J. H. Fortner, Portales.
Noon.
Business Session.
Field Work.

Admitted to the Supreme Court.

William D. McBea, of Melrose, was admitted to the bar at the January term of the supreme court, which convened last week. Mr. McBea is the father of Melrose, having settled in the place where Melrose now stands some five years. He has been identified with the development of Roosevelt county in a very marked degree, having engaged or supervised the stock of almost every enterprise that has been started in Melrose and vicinity. He has worked faithfully and untiringly for the upbuilding of the county since the day he landed in New Mexico, and has achieved that portion of success which his untiring energy so greatly deserves. The admission of Mr. McBea to the bar marks a period in his life to which he has long aspired, having decided early in life to make the law his life profession. Mr. McBea is of Scotch descent, and is a native of Texas. He was reared in West Texas and had all the hardships and lack of school advantages which is so characteristic of the plains in early 80's and 90's, but by persistent efforts and a determination to succeed, he has pulled himself up until his chances for success in life are flattering. He is a staunch democrat, being one of the county committee members from Roosevelt county, and stands ever ready and outspoken in denouncing unclean politics.—Albuquerque Journal.

Ask for the Tickets

A number of the enterprising business men of New Mexico have interested themselves in giving away, absolutely free, a beautiful Diamond Ring, a Gold Watch and a valuable Organ.

The organ is to be given to the organization receiving the greatest number of votes, and the diamond ring and the gold watch to the two individuals receiving the greatest number of votes—the one getting the greatest number get the ring and the one receiving the next highest the gold watch.

The plan is a novel one and at once commends itself to the public, there being no outlay on the part of any one other than the people who are doing this to stimulate cash trade, and at the same time bestow valuable gifts that will be a permanent advertisement to them.

A ten cent purchase entitles to one vote, 20 cents to two votes, 50 cents to five votes, \$1 to 10 votes, and so on. Tickets should be filled out in ink or indelible pencil and can only be had from the firms who have secured an interest in the contest, and on cash purchase. No change whatever is made for tickets. You can vote for the organization and individual of your choice, on each ticket. Each week the vote will be counted and the standing announced in the Roosevelt County Herald. A disinterested committee will be selected to count the votes.

Contest will close April 15th, 1908, at noon, at which time the organ will be awarded the organization having received the greatest number of votes, and the diamond ring and watch to the individuals having received the greatest number of votes.

The merchants interested in the affair agree, should it occur, to divide the amount of the prize equally among the winning contestants.

The following firms will supply voting tickets free of charge on line of goods indicated and take pleasure in explaining all about the contest:

Voting Box at Pearce & Dobbs Drug Store.
Organ, Diamond Ring and Watch on Exhibition at Hannan & Son's Jewelry Store.
Pearce & Dobbs, drug, wall paper, M. F. Fagard, Groceries.
Warren Foosee & Co. Dr. Good Clothing.
Hannan & Son's Hardware and Whomie's.
R. M. Saunders Stationery and Printing, J. A. Hanna and Son's Hardware, C. W. Morris & Sons Grocers and Rip's Jordan Lumber Co., Lumber and Building Material.
A. B. Austin, Bakery and Confectionery.
Portales Herald, Stationery.

The Vote for the Merchants' Prizes.

It appears that the Democrats in congress are pretty generally in favor of the admission of New Mexico at this session of congress. It remains for our delegates to get the Republicans in line and see that they vote for the admission of New Mexico. If forty per cent of the Republicans in congress will vote for the statehood bill there is no doubt of its passage. Surely our national delegate ought to get four Republicans out of every ten in congress to vote for the measure.—Santa Fe Eagle.

On all sides there are indications that the financial depression is over, and that a few weeks more will find the country swinging back to the conditions of prosperity that existed before the panic came upon us. All we need is plenty of optimism and a little patience. Take a cheerful view of things.—Silver City Independent.

If you need a stove, then get a Charter Oak from the Hardy Hardware Co.

We want to move in our new building soon, and want to sell all we can before we move. Reduced prices on everything at the Arkansas Store.

It depends upon the pill you take, DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills known for constipation and sick headache. Sold by Pearce & Dobbs.

A satisfied customer is one who has rented a Safety Deposit Box of the P. B. & T. Co. and got value received for his money.

For Sale.
Registered Poland-China hogs for sale cheap. Apply at Bain & Duncan's Blacksmith Shop.

When to go Home.
From the Binffon, Ind., Banner: "When tired out, go home. When you want consolation, go home. When you want fun go home. When you want to show others that you have reformed, go home and let your family get acquainted with the fact. When you want to show yourself at your best go home and do the act there. When you feel like being extra liberal go home and practice on your wife and children first. When you want to shine with extra brilliancy go home and light up the whole household." To which we would add, when you have a bad cold go home and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and a quick cure is certain. For sale by Pearce & Dobbs.

A Home Made Happy by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.
About two months ago our baby girl had measles which settled on her lungs and at last resulted in a severe attack of bronchitis. We had two doctors but no relief was obtained. Everybody thought she would die. I went to eight different stores to find a certain remedy which had been recommended to me and failed to get it, when one of the storekeepers insisted that I try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I did so and our baby leaved well today.—Geo. W. Spence, Holly Springs, N. C. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy always cures and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Pearce & Dobbs.

THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE COMPANY
Orange, Mass.
Many sewing machines are made to sell regardless of quality, but the New Home is made to wear. Our guarantee never runs out. Sold by authorized dealers only. For sale by Pearce & Dobbs.

NEW LAW

passed by congress forbidding railroad operators working more than nine hours a day, has created demand for about 30,000 more telegraph operators than can now be secured. Railroad companies have cut railroad wires into telegraph departments of

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Sold Raw or Cooked, by the Pound or order
MRS. C. M. HINES, Proprietor

Do you have backache occasionally, or "stitches" in the side, and sometimes do you feel all tired out, without ambition and without energy? If so, your kidneys are out of order. Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They promptly relieve backache, weak back, inflammation of the bladder and weak kidneys. Sold by Pearce & Dobbs.

When you want the best, get DeWitt's Carbolyzed Witch Hazel Salve. It is good for little or big cuts, boils or bruises, and is especially recommended for piles. Sold by Pearce & Dobbs.

Everybody loves our baby, rosy sweet and warm. With hissy places on her neck and dimples on her arms. Once she was so thin and cross, used to cry with pain—Mother gave her Cascasweet, now she's well again. Sold by Pearce & Dobbs.

Seven Years of Proof.
"I have had seven years of proof that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best medicine to take for coughs and colds and for every diseased condition of throat, chest or lungs," says W. V. Henry, of Panama, Mo. The world has had thirty-eight years of proof that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best remedy for coughs and colds, la grippe, asthma, hay fever, bronchitis, hemorrhage of the lungs, and the early stages of consumption. Its timely use always prevents the development of pneumonia. Sold under guarantee at Pearce & Dobbs drug store. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

It is very important and in fact it is absolutely necessary to health that we give relief to the stomach promptly at the first sign of trouble—which are belching of gas, nausea, sour stomach, headache, irritability and nervousness. These are warnings that the stomach has been mistreated; it is doing too much work and it is demanding help from you. Take something once in a while; especially after meals; something like Kodol For Dyspepsia and Indigestion. It will enable your stomach to do its work properly. Sold by Pearce & Dobbs.

THE GREAT SEWING MACHINE
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If you want either a Vibrating Shuttle, Rotary Shuttle or a Single Thread (Chain Stitch) Sewing Machine write to THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE COMPANY Orange, Mass.
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THE PORTALES STEAM LAUNDRY
Rough dry family work a specialty. Why try yourself out doing the washing when we can do it better, cheaper and quicker? We guarantee all work to be perfect and satisfactory in every way.
PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY
THE GILKESON ROSWELL'S NEW HOTEL
One block west of post office. Free sample rooms. Rooms with private bath. J. E. GILKESON, Prop.

THE GRILL CAFE.
Under entirely new management. Our service is unsurpassed. Nicest, daintiest meal in Roswell. Come see us when in Roswell.

Notice.

The Portales Grain and Coal Co. say they want to sell you Capital Stock Food. 1st.—Because they need the money. 2nd.—Because it makes your stock mend up. 3rd.—It makes your hens lay eggs like they should. What is the use of feeding your chickens and never getting any money out of them?

We have the only Safety Deposit Boxes in this section and we are offering them to the public at reasonable prices.
P. B. & T. Co.

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Machines rented by week or month. Sold on Easy Terms.

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Good meals and clean beds. Don't fail to stop with us when in town.

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Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup
Relieves Colds by working them out of the system through a copious and healthy action of the bowels. Relieves the cough by cleansing the mucous membrane of the throat, chest and bronchial tubes.
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Announcements.

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN.
For President of the United States.
For County Supt. of Public Instruction:
We are authorized to announce the name of E. H. ROBINSON, as a candidate for County Superintendent of Public Instruction, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.
We are authorized to announce the name of SAM J. STINNETT, as a candidate for County Superintendent of Public Instruction, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.
We are authorized to announce the name of MRS. S. F. CULBERSON, as a candidate for County Superintendent of Public Instruction, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.
For Sheriff:
We are authorized to announce the name of W. M. COX, as a candidate for Sheriff of Roosevelt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.
We are authorized to announce the name of J. B. CRAWFORD, as a candidate for Sheriff of Roosevelt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.
We are authorized to announce the name of R. A. BAIN, as a candidate for Sheriff of Roosevelt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.
For Probate Clerk:
We are authorized to announce the name of CHAS. P. MITCHELL, as a candidate for Probate Clerk of Roosevelt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.
We are authorized to announce the name of BASCOM HOWARD, as a candidate for Probate Clerk of Roosevelt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.
We are authorized to announce the name of R. Y. GREGG, as a candidate for Probate Clerk of Roosevelt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.
For Collector and Treasurer:
We are authorized to announce the name of B. J. REAGAN, as a candidate for Collector and Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.
For Tax Assessor:
We are authorized to announce the name of J. E. UNCLE JOSH MORRISON, as a candidate for Tax Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

Portales Public School Notes.

W. F. OSBORN, Superintendent.
ROOM 1.
The days of the year 1908 are gliding swiftly away and the passing of each one is fraught with peculiar interest to the little folks of the primary rooms.
Sunshine makers are they, and in return for their good cheer they deserve much encouragement from parents and teachers.
ROOM 2.
Attendance of this room is good. We are sorry to lose little Vivian Hillingsworth from our ranks. Her parents have moved to Colorado.
The pupils of this grade are doing excellent work, and especially in numbers.
GRADE 3.
The pupils of this grade are doing fine oral work in geography.
We are glad to note the enthusiasm manifested by the pupils, which accounts for their constant attendance.
GRADES 4 AND 5.
Mrs. Keen came to see us yesterday afternoon. We appreciate her visit very much.
Our attendance continues good but some few are tardy occasionally. We ask the parents to get their children in on time.
GRADE 6.
Last Friday afternoon a very interesting program was rendered by our society.
Miss Beryl Johnson made us a very pleasant call on Friday afternoon.
Our grade regrets very much to give up Eddie and Beder Bedgood, who are soon to move to their claim.
Our work is progressing nicely, especially in Arithmetic.
GRADES 7 AND 8.
The eighth grade is studying "As You Like It." Some members of the class do not like the play.
The attendance of the 7th and 8th grade pupils was very good last week. Let us have this sort of work throughout our school term. A good record in school is a splendid recommendation.
Some of our patrons have vi-

ited us this term. We would like very much to have you all visit us and see our work. The school room is our home several hours each day. Visit our school and see where your children live.

HIGH SCHOOL.

We are glad to admit back to our ranks Morris Bramlett, who has been absent on account of unavoidable cause.
The pupils of the ninth grade are doing excellent review work in advanced arithmetic.
The pupils of the eleventh grade are reading and enjoying Caesar.
Miss Lizzie Brassfield of the ninth grade is out of school this week on account of illness.
Gay Coats was absent Monday and Tuesday on account of sickness.
The tenth grade Latin class is doing some strong work now.
The pictures which were made of the High School by C. U. Williams were received Wednesday. The pictures are excellent in every respect and one of them is to be sent to Territorial Supt. J. E. Clark for publication in a bulletin.

We have an abundance of money, our cash and exchange being over ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$100,000.00). For the present we will lend our CUSTOMERS and FRIENDS money for actual needs. If you have kept your money with us and are now without, we are ready to show our APPRECIATION in a manner commensurate with the value of your ACCOUNT as a depositor when times were good. If you have not been fortunate enough to have had a deposit account with us, we may help you anyway circumstances will govern.

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ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

J. W. Cox of Texico was in Portales a few days this week.
Try a sack of that B. B. flour at the Oklahoma Store.
J. W. Farmer left this week on a business trip to Frederick, Okla.
E. H. Robinson of Texico, candidate for Supt. of Public Instruction was in Portales this week.
For Silverware, the finest ever brought to Portales, see Pearce & Dobbs.
W. H. Campbell of Roosevelt, N. M. was in the city this week and was a pleasant caller at the Herald office.
On all winter Lap Robes I will give 10 per cent off for cash. R. M. Sanders.
Mrs. L. J. Tolman who has moved to Portales recently from Olmito, Okla. was a pleasant caller at the Herald office this week.
A Brand new stock of Groceries at the Oklahoma Store Phone 21.
Amous L. Clayton who has been working in Portales for the past few weeks returned to her home at Full City Nebraska Wednesday.
B. B. Flour is the Best. Every sack guaranteed, at the Oklahoma Store.
J. W. Standard has bought the John Floyd farm, near the Chesher place six miles east of town for the consideration of \$1000.
Miss Buda Harrison who has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Harrison of this place returned to Amarillo Wednesday.
Miss Golda Dunkleberger who has been in Portales visiting the past few weeks returned to her home at Full City Nebraska Wednesday.
Mr. E. B. Terrell and wife have moved to Claudell, N. M. where "Little Jack County" will work on the C. Heart Ranch, near that place.
Claude I. Anderson and wife accompanied by his wife sister Miss Nora Ramsey, returned to Portales this week from an extended trip to Mangum, Okla.
S. P. Moody has moved his furniture store to the Warren-Foehde building, formerly occupied by the J. W. Osborn grocery store, when in need of furniture see him at his new stand.
P. M. Rigland, eye specialist, will be at Pearce & Dobbs' one day only, Feb. 8th, 1908. Have your eyes tested free.

W. M. Cox.

To the citizens and voters of Roosevelt county:
I come before you as a candidate for sheriff, and having served for two terms as first deputy here and several years in the same capacity in Texas, I feel that I am well qualified for the position, and ask your support in the coming primary.
My life and services in the office of Deputy Sheriff is before you and if you think I merit your support and you should elect me your sheriff I will serve you to the best of my ability, having for my motto, "Faithfulness to my office, regardless of friend or foe."
Respectfully,
W. M. Cox.

Presbyterian Church.

The subject of the 11 a. m. sermon will be, "Influence, Salt and Light."
We will join the Methodists in a union Temperance service at their church Sunday night.
All are invited to these services.
Lawrence Russell, Pastor.

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Those enterprising druggists, Pearce & Dobbs, invites everybody to call and see them at the Portales Drug Store, and price their goods. They guarantee to please you both in quality and price.

Mares For Sale.

Good work and brood mares for sale. For information see W. J. Martin, at Humphrey & Sledges.

The Oklahoma Store is the place to buy your Groceries, Phone 21.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, N. M., Dec. 11, 1907.
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Joseph A. Grimes, contestant, against Homestead entry No. 6221, made June 23rd, 1906, for Northwest quarter Section 21, Township 4, South, Range 35 East, by Samuel R. Choat, Contestee, in which it is alleged that Samuel R. Choat has wholly abandoned said tract, has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months prior to the date of said contest affidavit and that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party, and that his alleged absence from said land is not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States in time of war; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 3rd, 1908, before W. E. Lindsey, United States Commissioner, at Portales, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 12th, 1908, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, N. M.
The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed December 30th, 1907, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.
HOWARD LELAND Register.

Notice.

There will be held in Portales New Mexico Jan. 31st and Feb. 1st a special examination for those teachers now holding permits or for anyone wishing to avail himself of the opportunity of taking an examination.
All permits heretofore granted will be void after the above date.
Yours truly,
J. A. FAIRLY,
Co. Supt.

J. P. STONE, President
B. BLANKENSHIP, Vice-President
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