## Koc <br> SONS AD ON PAGE 7 PORTALES, N. M. ORGAN OF ROOSEVELT COUNTY MEW MEXICO.

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## IIEF JUSTICE MILIE APPONTED GOVERNOR

Then asked this afternoon over the long distance telephone if d been proffered the position of governor by President Taf proffered the position of go
Will you accept the position?" he was anted
Yes," was the reply
fustice Mills was reached at his bome in Las Vegas by the ane Citizen after a number of futile attempts had been mad ach him from this city

## the news bicerved here

The news that Juastice Mills had received the appointment as rnor was received this morning in Albuquerque in a private ram from Las Vegas which contained only the information President Taft had tendered the position to him and asked for cceptance. It did not say whether or not he would accept. This appointment is going to stir up the biggest kind of a "Mark my words, Mills will not satisfy the party in New
co."
Other
ther Republicans predicted that the selection would never be ed and that the committee on territories would be besieged red to take decided action.
One of the humorous phases of the situation is the fant line ride e W. H., or "Bull" Andrews. Tripping over the maralies and plains is the delegate, hurrying to reacue the grand old party an embarrasing plight at Washington, But ride as he might hareaven as he may the Hicoock, Lana and Nall conierence 1" to do but to retrace his stepe boelto the gtarting polan.

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First National Bank PORTALES, NEW MEXICO

Rainy Days
May yet come to us. Life has more UPS than DOWNS. Some say this drouth has knocked 'em to their knees, but wait, until we get irrigation. If you cannot see brighter prospects ahead, come to us for further information.

Yours very truly.

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK PORTALES, NEW MEXICO

Among the people of Albuquerque generally the appointment
of Justice Mills was good news, as the judge is popular here and
well liked, and it is thought his administration will reflect credit
on New Mexico. The friendship between President Tafiand Justice Mills which began at Yale may have been the reason for the selection of the atter to succeed Governor Curry. . ustice Mills graduated from
the Yele law school in 1877, a year before President Taft gratuated and the friendship which began during scheol days has been con tinued in after life. Witiam Joseph Mills was born at Yazoo City, Miss., January 11, 1849. His father was William Mills of Virginia, and his mother
was Harriet Beale of Philadelphia. His father died when he was was Harriet Beale of Philadelphia. His father died when he was
but a child and he moved with his mother to Connecticut, where his mother later remarried. Previous to graduation at Yale, Justice Mills attended private
schools and graduated at Norwich Free Academy. After leaving Yale he practiced law at New Haven, Conn., and later in New Mex ico, his appointment as chief justice of the New Mexico supreme court coming from President Mckinley. His first commission was dated January 31, 1898.
Twice reappointed by President Roosevelt, his present term
will expire Janary will expire January 30, 1910

Justice Mills was a member of both branches of the Connecti cut legislature at different times and before making New Moxico
his home took a prominent part in the affairs of Connectict tice Milts has two children, Wilson W. Mills, aged 20, who is a stu
tis dent at Yale aud Madeline, aged 13, who is with her father at Las Vegas.

Judge William H. Pope of Roswell has been appointed chief justice to succeed Justice Mills, according to a message received this afternoon by Judge Edward A. Mann from Governor Curry, who received word of the appointment direct from Washington. Judge Pope has been associate justice of the New Mexico supreme court since Octsber 19n, and previous to that time served for abount
a year as judge of the court of the first instance under President Taft, then governor ge neraion the Phillipines.- The Tribune Oit-

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Comprising 320 Acres on South and West Side of Portales 200 ACRES OF WHICH LIES WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS

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> 1 Best Location. On Good Elevation. Free from Dust of Busy Little City. Within or Adjoining Corporation. Town Building this Way.
> 2 Best Soil. As Some of Our Propositions are Acreage and many of the lots have Bearing Fruit Trees and Vines on them it Adds to the Value that the SOIL IS THE VERY BEST.
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> 4 BEST IRRIGATION INVESTMENT: The Electric Power Plant for 12,000 Acre Pumping Irrigation proposition is being InPumping Irrigation proposition is being of
stalled at Portales which is in Center of Irrigable Belt Covering over 100,000 Acres. 5 BEST BUSINESS OPENINGS: All kinds of New Enterprises will follow the kinds of New Enterprises will follow the
Installation of Irrigation Plant. A chance now to buy a lot for a home and get in on ground floor of New Enterprises.


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3 That two 20 acre tracts of best land on Dr. Penn place 18 feet to water and subject to irrigation, either of which is worth $\$ 1000.00$ at present.
only $\$ 100.00$ on same terms.
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$\$ 100.00$ on same terms.
$\$ 100.00$ on same terms.
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lot will cost only $\$ 100.00$ on same terms

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