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## PORTALES IS MARCHING FORWARD IN BUILDING!

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### IRRIGATION OFFICIALS HERE.

All the main construction officials of the Westinghouse Engine & Electric Co. of Pittsburg Pa. have arrived in Portales to help on the speedy and accurate installation of the first 5000 acre unit of our irrigation plant. These gentlemen include Ward S. Arnold of Chicago who is the gas producer expert for Westinghouse people and who has made two previous visits to Portales, helping and overseeing the final test of our water supply and other important things. Then we have W. G. McConnon, who doesn't deny being the Scotch-Irish man that his name indicates and who is an expert along the line electrical engineering. He will oversee the installation of the electrical features of our plant which is one of the largest and most important parts of the plant now going in. Along with Mr. McConnon comes A. E. Van Deirse who is a traveling salesman for Westinghouse Company. Then, Mr. Pyles has been here since Sunday and has charge of the engine department in particular. With all these experts on the ground at Portales and with the walls of the power house well nigh completed and with the good rains which enable our people to prepare the ground for the water, all things appear to be working out the speedy completion of the irrigation plant and a great crop for the farmers whose land will be ready for the water in May.

### INVESTIGATING OUR IRRIGATION PLANT.

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### MORE BUILDINGS LAUNCHED.

J. W. Tucker is the contractor for the new bungalow residence six miles west of Portales. This place has been bought by Virgil D. Randle of Greenville, Texas who is having a splendid home and other improvements built upon it.

The drawings for the R. M. Sanders building which will be erected shortly and which will close the gap between the Joyce-Pruit Co. and the C. V. Harris Co. buildings, have been accepted. The contract will be let some time this week by Mr. Sanders who has Fred Wagner as architect, and work will begin immediately.

The brick work of the Joyce-Pruit Co. building is going up, while the basement is receiving some finishing touches.

The W. I. Luikart residence is receiving the finishing touches and will be "a thing of beauty" and ready for occupancy by the end of the present week.

J. E. Dickson is building a splendid bungalow residence on his 320 acre homestead south of Portales next to the D. Z. ranch. Mr. Dickson is also installing a private pumping plant for irrigation on his place.

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## GROWING, ANYHOW.

Whether Senator Beveridge has placed his statehood report in a cold storage plant or is really consuming so much time to carry out his expressed intention of making "the best statehood report ever made," is a question that you can answer to suit yourself. It is useless to reiterate that statehood means tremendous things for New Mexico. But in the meanwhile, it is being pretty effectually demonstrated that New Mexico cannot be held back by the lack of it.

Did you ever stop to take account of stock for this territory at present? As one reads in the daily papers little items from here and there, of the arrival of a little bunch of Pennsylvania farmers and a carload of chickens at Clovis, of one more big mine opened in Grant county, of an increased force of men at work on an irrigation system in San Juan county—all these little things perhaps make little impression amid the rush of baseball news and the speculation as to whether Ballinger is investigating Pinchot or vice versa.

But when you stop and add together the small items, county by county, the total begins to be amazing. Never has there been such a continuous stream of money for investment coming into the territory. It is coming quietly and may escape notice as except as one casually reads the news from day to day, of the new concerns incorporated in the territorial secretary's office.

Building is going on everywhere. You may be complaining of hard times in Albuquerque—but a look around shows a neat and perhaps an expensive residence going up on every other corner; bigger business blocks going up and projected than ever before, great fraternal edifices under construction. The same is true everywhere. In Portales they are building a solid block of fine modern buildings to take the place of a square vacated by reason of a fire. In Portales also carload after carload of material for an immense pumping plant is arriving. In the Estancia valley a great pumping plant is about to be started. In the Mimbres valley, an electric concern is extending its transmission lines out in every direction to enable the farmers to pump their water as cheaply for irrigation—with fifty cozy new farmhouses erected in the last few months. On the Las Vegas grant one of the biggest private irrigation enterprises in the country is being rushed. In the San Juan county immense reclamation systems are under way, they are building in a new transcontinental railway, and new farmers are coming in every day. Hundreds of thousands of actual money are being taken out of the mines in the south, an unending stream of coal is flowing out of Colfax county, new towns are springing up along the Pecos, and the development of the wilds of Socorro reflected in a big building boom at Magdalena, its shipping point has started on a big scale.

Over in the plains country they are planting twice as much "truck" as they ever did before, with lots more farmers to plant it. It has rained, the grass is going to grow on the great ranges and the dry farmers are not going to worry about the looks of the sky from now on.

But what's the use—it would take a whole library to tell our business; need it badly for a good many reasons; but if we lose out for the twentieth or thirtieth time this year—New Mexico will go right on growing. You can't stop her.—Albuquerque Journal.

## WHAT OTHERS ARE DOING AND SAYING.

### IRRIGATION EXPERT COMING.

William L. Rockwell, U. S. Department of Agriculture, in charge of irrigation investigations, with headquarters at San Antonio, writes the Secretary of the Commercial Club that he will be in Hereford about April 15. Mr. Rockwell further states that he will be glad to talk to any of our people who are interested in irrigation. He is an expert of national reputation and will examine in to Hereford's water supply while here.—Brand.

The papers of Curry county are warming up to the proposition of the establishment of the capitol for the county which takes its name after our ex-governor just resigned, which will be decided

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in a special election held for that purpose April 30. So far these papers have confined themselves to referring to the two nominees in the field—Clovis and Texico—as "Promoter's Paradise," the "Border Town," etc. We all know, however, that after the smoke of this campaign has blown over that both Clovis and Texico will remain true to the best interests of their great empire; regardless of which one of them lands the seat of county government.

The board of commissioners of Chaves county have hit upon a novel yet simple plan of road making over the sands between the metropolis and some of the border villages. In a stretch of some ten miles of sand between Roswell and Mesalero it is proposed to take a fourteen-inch plow and plow two furrows of the regulation tread the whole distance at a good depth. These furrows will then be filled with what is known as Bear Grass and packed down hard. Then a good stiff soil will be put on top of the Bear Grass and rolled until the furrows present an even firm roadway. This plan will be watched with great interest to see what success will be made of the new project and if it brings the required results will probably be adopted by similar bodies who are put to the task of making roadways over the sands.

### TINSLEY EXPERIMENTING ON FIVE FARMS AT ELIDA.

Prof. J. D. Tinsley of the New Mexico Agricultural College has accepted a position with the Santa Fe Railway company as its agriculturalist for New Mexico. He has already established five experimental farms in the vicinity of Elida representing as near as possible every character and condition of soil. He proposes to experiment, not only with kinds of crops, but with varieties of seeds and the proper time for planting various crops and proper soil conditions for this locality.

The Commercial Club of Hereford, Texas, ever a believer in publicity, has hit upon the plan of publishing a paper for local circulation as a means of awakening public interest in the club and what it is trying to do for the town. It will be a monthly periodical and the subscription rate as announced in its first issue is "one good boost for Hereford." It is easy to see why the town of Hereford today has some 4500 inhabitants and a highly developed country around it. The pioneers who started the town some ten years ago were solid 18-carat empire builders and the spirit of optimism which they have maintained during the years past has begat a population of 99 per cent boosters who are yet looking and working to a greater and better Hereford.

The outcome of the National Woman Suffrage Association, which

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convened in its forty-second annual conference in Washington last week is expected to radically effect the progress of suffrage in this country. Since the convention a year ago the advance in suffrage support in the United States has been remarkable. This year will witness even greater strength in the movement.

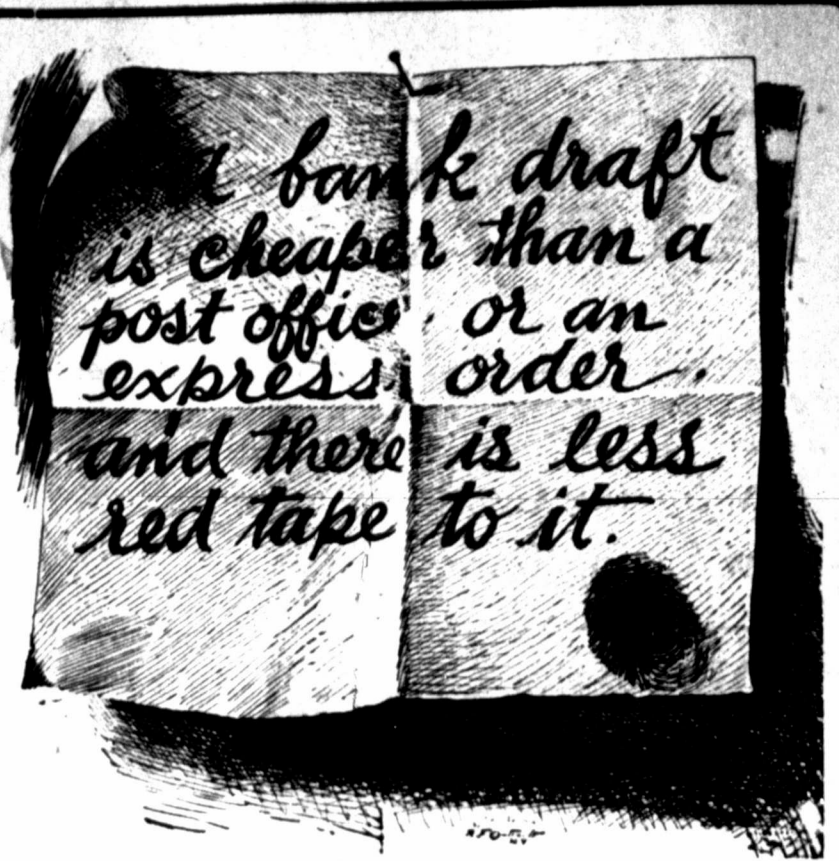
A grateful and courteous reply from President Taft, flatly declaring he entertains no personal feeling in connection with the hissing episode at the suffragists convention held in Washington last week and mingling his regret over the incident with the sorrow of the delegates because it might be used in an unfair way to embarrass the cause of the Woman Suffragist movement, should be sufficient expression as to the President's feeling in this matter and ought to put a kibosh on the unholy utterances of the press. That much more significance has been given to the incident than it deserves cannot but be acknowledged even by that injurious Texas editor who suggested that when the ladies hissed the President he doubtless took them for a lot of geese. Selah!

### THE HIGH COST OF DYING.

A Chicago civic body has been investigating the high price of living and incidentally finds that proportionately the cost of dying is much greater. That is to say, the expenses of funerals under customs in vogue and the prices charged for services and accessories are excessive and, of course, are a tax upon the living who survive. The committee of inquiry goes so far as to suggest remedial legislation.

### CHARGE FOR POLITICAL LECTURES.

An entirely novel plan has been originated in the State of Washington. It does not look to the elimination of money in cam-



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paing, but rather to facilitating the poor man in his effort to compete with the rich or with candidates backed by wealth. At a meeting in Spokane last week Chas. H. Braden, candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress in the third Washington District, announced that he purposed raising funds for his campaign publicity by charging admission fees to his campaign speeches or lectures. Mr. Braden, it seems, has considerable reputation as a lecturer. He was a Baptist minister until five years ago when he engaged in the real estate business.

## NEWS OF WEEK IN BRIEF

Governor Patterson of Tennessee has pardoned Col. Duncan B. Cooper, the murderer of Senator Cormack. Young Robin Cooper will likely be tried again as the Supreme court reversed the findings in his case. Governor Patterson thus uses his office and powers to stand by his political friends of whom Col. Cooper was among the best. As to just where justice comes in, it is a little hard to see.

Senator La Folette has opened up on Attorney General Wickesham charging him openly in the senate with being hand in glove with the Rockefeller Morgan interests.

Mississippi has another outburst of mob violence in which a negro is shot, lynched and burned.

The Democrats of the country had a big get to gether love feast meeting in Indianapolis on the night of the 13th at which Folk, Sulzer, Marshall and others spoke and John W. Kern presided.

There was a raid in New York City on the white slave dealers of that city recently resulting in about 25 arrests.

Now come the sugar trust and the Taft administration as principals in a transaction which is fast taking on the earmarks of a national scandal, the specific charge in the premises being that the government sold 55,000 acres of valuable Friar lands in the Philippines to the Havemeyer interests, both unlawfully and against public interest.

Once again a legal opinion of United States Attorney General George W. Wickersham, who stopped important suits against the beef trust immediately upon taking office, who rendered an opinion upholding Ballinger and viciously attacking Louis R. Glavis and who framed the administration railroad regulation bill containing a proviso legalizing the Southern Pacific Union Pacific merger, is being relied upon to absolve the Taft administration of blame.—Tribune Citizen.

President Taft thinks that four years, especially if the other three are as rough and unmerciful as the past year has been, will be quite sufficient for him. We feel sure that the county will quite agree with him, if the sugar trust and railroad interests do not spoil the situation.

The Veteran Journalist, William H. Smith, passed peacefully away, at the residence of his son-in-law, Dr. James H. Worth, in Albuquerque, on the evening of 17. Mr. Smith had been for the past 29 years editor of the Albuquerque Journal and for 59 years, all told, he followed his chosen profession of journalism.

There is a good outlook for the irrigation projects in New Mexico owing to the fact that the mountains are packed with snow.

Caleb Powers of Kentucky convicted accomplice of the murder of Governor Wm. Goebel is making the race for Congress from his district with a good show of election. He was pardoned by the present Republican Governor of Kentucky and is now playing the role of persecuted hero.

Mark Twain has returned to his home in New York State from the Bermuda Islands where he went for recuperation. He is no better and is confined to his couch.—Ex.

In a ringing speech in the senate the 18, Senator Nelson of Minnesota declared himself opposed to Taft's railroad bill on the grounds that it protected the trusts.

The suffragettes moved on the capitol at Washington the 18th with a monster petition for equal suffrage. The petition being signed by 500,000 people.

Senators Hale of Maine and Aldrich of Rhode Island, have announced their intention of retiring at the end of their present terms of service, March 1911. They have our full and complete permission.

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## DRY FARMING PROGRESS '09.

H. B. Henning, Secretary Territorial Board of Immigration Tells of Accomplishments of Conservationists.

The year 1909 has been the most important in the history of New Mexico, from the standpoint of development of agricultural resources. The year's development, has brought under cultivation not less than 200,000 acres of raw land, while approximately double that acreage has been laid out for cultivation during 1910. Of this very considerable total, about two thirds has been and will be dry farming land. Construction has begun on a number of important irrigation projects, which in the aggregate will reclaim many thousands of acres. These, however, are still in the development stage, while the dry farming lands are producing. Without any accurate statistics available as to actual yields it is difficult to give any very close estimate of what the year's development of dry farming lands has added to the permanent value and wealth production of the territory. The best method of securing such an estimate is to glance over the dry farming districts of the territory and see the development which has occurred in the centers of population, which exist because of the surrounding farms.

East of Las Vegas, there lies a vast tract of mesa, or table lands which are ideal dry farming lands. Three years ago these lands were leasing slowly at \$5 an acre. At the recent land show in Chicago, Las Vegas lands were represented by no less than half a dozen companies, all of whom are engaged in taking people to the same Five dollar lands, now worth easily \$15 dollars an acre and up. The city of Las Vegas has felt the influence of the demand for these lands, and the influence is shown in increasing the valuation of town property, as well as of the farming lands.

Three years ago where the hustling little city of Clovis now stands, there was nothing but vacant prairie. Two years ago Clovis had only a depot. It didn't even have a water tank. Now Clovis has 5000 people, big school building, electric lights, water works, sewer system and a street car line in prospect. It has several big hotels and is doing a flourishing business with a territory extending 50 miles each way. The secret of the growth of Clovis is found in the homesteads and farm houses which dot the prairies thickly for many miles in all directions. Melrose, Taiban, Blacktower, St Vrain and a half dozen other smaller towns in this same east central section of the territory, tell the story of what dry farming has been doing this past year in the way of wealth production.

Tucumcari, in Quay county is another shining example of what dry farming has been doing in our agricultural production. This town is only about seven years old. It has more than 4000 people and there is not an idle piece of tillable land for five miles around it.

These are mentioned merely as instances of what dry farming has done. The fact that dry farming will succeed in New Mexico, is responsible for the 40,000 homestead entries of the past three years, for the 7,000,000 acres of the public domain which have been filed upon and for the million acres which have been added to the cultivated area.

The particular benefit to our agricultural industry, which has resulted from 1909, however, is found in the lessons our dry farmers have learned. First and most important of these is the stern lesson, that on dry farming land they must follow dry farming principles. Up to the season

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of 1909, New Mexico, over most of its dry farming area, had enjoyed three years of exceptionally bountiful rainfall. The farming done was hardly "dry farming"; it was the more nearly rain belt farming. The newcomers did not follow dry farming principles and methods closely, because they did not have to. During 1909, however, the rainfall over the greater area of the farming regions not only returned to normal, but went somewhat under normal. Then it was that those farmers who had learned how to "dry farm" succeeded, while those who had not, suffered. Considering how little the majority of our farmers really knew of the dry farming and the special methods of cultivation which must be followed for its success, the crops grown during the past season were remarkable. But the season as a whole was a hard one and it taught the farmers the imperative need to "know how." They are now seeking every means to that necessary knowledge and they are getting it. There was a keener interest among the farmers of New Mexico in the last session of the Dry Farming Congress than ever before. Their interest will show more and more strongly as time goes on.

In the mean time the matter of education is being looked after. The last New Mexico legislature appropriated a considerable sum of money for the purchase of a tract of land in the Tucumcari district for use as an experimental farm, the farmers of that district undertaking to operate it and pay cost of maintenance. This farm will be in full blast next season, with expert dry farmers in charge. Similar experimental farms are being maintained in the Las Vegas district. Last and probably most important of the educational efforts is that of the Santa Fe railroad. This road has employed Prof. J. D. Tinsley, for years the field expert of the New Mexico Agricultural College, and an active member of the Executive Committee of the Dry Farming Congress, to become the dry farming instructor for the people along its line in New Mexico.

Prof. Tinsley, who knows New Mexico thoroughly, will first undertake to determine in which districts dry farming can be suc-

cessfully carried on. This done, he will organize farmer's institutes in every community and in each community and under each

institute he will establish an experimental or demonstration farm. This farm will be used not only to teach farmers how to

till the land, and the needed lessons in seeding and tillage, but also will be used to determine which crops are best adapted to the several altitudes and soils and the varying rainfalls.

The educational movement is by far the most important development of the dry farming industry in New Mexico in 1909. It will gain full headway in 1910 and even during the coming season, its beneficial effects will be apparent.

In the meantime enough work has been done, sufficient acres have been made to support families, a sufficient number of flourishing towns have been built and maintained to prove that not only has the dry farming industry come to New Mexico to stay, but that it is to become second only to irrigated land in the wealth production of the new state.—Dry Farming Bulletin.

### HOW TO HELP THE TOWN.

Some wise editor has written a code of instructions and rules to be followed by the man who wants his town and his fellow townsmen to prosper by the united efforts of the business men. The following are a set of commandments which have been going the rounds of some of the newspapers lately:

1. Thou shalt not go away from home to do thy shopping, nor thy sons nor thy daughters.
2. Thou shalt patronize thine own merchant, also the printer, and they shall patronize thee.
3. Thou shalt patronize thine own merchants; that they shall not be driven away from their homes to find food for their children.
4. Thou shalt pay thy bills very promptly that thy credit may be good in the land where thou dwellest and thy neighbor greet thee gladly; then deposit thy surplus in the banks of thine own town.
5. Thou shalt not knock the props from under thine own town in order to be revenged upon thine enemy lest thou perish with him.
6. Thou shalt not incline thine ear to the voice of pride, nor permit vanity to come over thy heart.
7. Thou shalt spend thine evenings at home, that they may come and give nourishment to such as come after thee.
8. Thou shalt not bear false

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### County Assessor.

Burl Johnson wishes to announce himself as a candidate for the office of Assessor of Roosevelt County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

A. S. Bramlett wishes to announce himself as a candidate for the office of Assessor of Roosevelt County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

J. E. McCall of Macy wishes to announce himself as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of Roosevelt County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

### County Superintendent.

Mrs. S. F. Culbertson wishes to announce herself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Superintendent of Education Roosevelt County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

### Probate Clerk:

C. P. Mitchell wishes to announce himself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Probate Clerk of Roosevelt County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

### Sheriff:

R. A. Bain wishes to announce himself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Roosevelt County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

### Treasurer and Collector:

W. H. Montgomery wishes to announce himself as a candidate for the office of Treasurer and Collector of Roosevelt County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

J. A. Tinsley wishes to announce himself as a candidate for the office of Treasurer and Collector of Roosevelt County subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

R. J. Reagan wishes to announce himself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Treasurer and Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

### Commissioner

G. D. Hawkins of Floyd desires to announce himself as a candidate for Commissioner of District No. Three, Roosevelt county, subject to action of the Democratic primary

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A number of years ago J. K. Houston, a pioneer prospector and mining man of Pinos Altos, came across a couple of ears of corn in a perfect state of preservation. He took them home and preserved them as relics and there they were found after his death. The corn came into possession of Robert Kircher who as an experiment, planted some of it to ascertain what effect, if any, the centuries that had elapsed since it matured, would have upon its powers of fructifying. To the astonishment of Mr. Kircher, the corn grew rapidly and this without irrigation. When harvest time came he gathered a number of ears from the century old seed corn and this week sent several samples of them to Jose Montez of this city. The ears are small but well shaped, but the most curious feature is the color of the grains which are a deep blue although a few grains are alternate blue and

## Farm Topics.

From Field and Farm, Denver, Colo.

In lecturing to hobos on alfalfa it is safer to mention that it needs no replanting for years than that it must be cut several times each season.

Parson Twine.—Every man frequently says: "I have tougher luck than any other man alive." As a matter of fact, all us have lots of good luck. I always claim to have a hoodoo which works long hours in queering me, but as a matter of fact when I think it all over I decide I have had nothing but good luck all my life. And the same thing is true of you.

E. A. Grubb.—We plow much land, requiring too much help, too many sore shouldered horses and mine the life out of our soil too quickly. What we need is to adopt methods requiring fewer acres in grain, potatoes, etc.—getting proper yield from those we plant—and leave more acres for clover, alfalfa and grass that will enable us to grow meat animals to advantage and thus keep up a diversity and our bank account growing.

F. W. Mondell.—As a people we have been woefully neglectful of industrial education, including agricultural education. In view of the fact that the foundation of all prosperity is the farm, the forest and the mine and that it is the producer on the farm, in the forest, the mine, shop and factory who creates all wealth, it is clear that it is imperative that we should educate the youth of the land as to the advantages, the importance and the dignity of agricultural and industrial pursuits.

Spring is now well under way and already the house fly, the dirty fly, the typhoid and cholera infantum fly, will soon swarm in thousands and millions unless precautions are taken. The house fly, which we are taught in our childhood to treat with kindness, has been exposed. Its habits are filthy. It breeds in stables and garbage pails and carries the filth in which it revels and tracts it across the sugar the butter and the beefsteak. It paddles its horrid feet, gummy with the vilest rotting matter, in the baby's milk. The doctors have declared war on the house fly. It probably disseminates every disease. It is a nuisance and must be exterminated. In an age of knowledge, screens and cheap disinfectants there is no excuse for flies in any household. Clean up the premises and get rid of their breeding places.

Governor Stubbs. The genial days of spring call to our memory again the duty we owe to that ancient and useful friend of man—the tree. In all the ages of the world it is true to our interest and loyal to our service. It has furnished the cradles and coffins of our ancestors, has given comfort and shelter to the peasant and the prince, to the poor man and the potentate. Trees have always figured in our divine and patriotic relations. Among them the religion of man was born. Groves were the first cathedrals of our race. Birds, singing in their branches, gave

white. The peculiar color has given rise to a great deal of speculation as to the cause while the fact that the corn grew without irrigation makes it an interesting specimen to dry farmers in this section who think that perhaps a new dry farm corn has been discovered. The corn is not kafir corn but is the Indian corn variety.—Silver City Enterprise.

us the first idea of sacred music and the choir. God planted them in Eden for the sustenance of our first parents. From their leaves were fashioned their first garments. When God's displeasure threatened the extinction of our race, Noah looked into the forest and found there the means of salvation. It was under the oak that Jehovah conversed with a great man of Israel. It was in the treetops that David heard the voice of the Lord. It was among the palms of the Garden of Gethsemane that Jesus spent the last evening of his life. The battle of American freedom was consummated under the apple tree of Appomattox.

### CROPS ON THE SOD.

The best way to handle virgin sod is to plow carefully either fall or spring and then put the land to immediate use, the exception being, persistent grasses and vegetation requiring constant cultivation to kill, but even such fields may be put into corn or other crops easy to cultivate. The best crops adapted to virgin sod are grains such as wheat and oats, or ninety day Indian corn. It has been said that Colorado is not a corn growing country, but this idea may be dissipated as improved cultural methods are followed. Careful experiments seem to demonstrate that the effect of our cold nights is fairly compensated by a maximum of sunshine and that the altitude is overcome by extra good prices. The failures have occurred thru attempting to grow corn according to eastern methods. I have been experimenting with Indian corn for several years and in 1908 won special mention at the National Corn Exposition at Omaha and in 1909, at the United States Land and Irrigation Exposition at Chicago. I showed corn, some of which seemed to warrant the decision that it was fully up to the average of that grown in humid regions. I have tried corn under all conditions—on clay as well as on sand, with and without irrigation and have never failed to push the corn to ear. Naturally I regard so sure a crop as worth while and as a preparatory crop it cannot be excelled. Followed by wheat it will give approximately ten more bushels to the acre. The old cantaloupe and melon growers are rapidly finding that green virgin sod is the only soil for big results. Tomatoes do extra well. I recommend the practice I introduced several years ago, and now almost universally employed in Colorado, of planting tomatoes in arid sections much closer than in humid regions. The original recommendation was 24x24 feet, but I now put the rows 34 feet by 2 or 24 feet apart. The advantage of close planting is less exposure of ground to the sun. With irrigation there is no advantage in setting the plants so far apart for in arid regions we usually have more fruit and less wood. Cabbage is well adapted to virgin sod. Potatoes do especially well and I might enumerate other things. The main thing in irrigation farming of whatsoever sort is to carefully observe the cultural directions adapted to a dry climate. Ninety-nine per cent of the failures are to be ascribed to the stubborn persistency with which farmers fall back into eastern ways. I do not recall a single failure where western methods were used.—G. E. Richardson in Field and Farm.

### WALKS PUT DOWN AT FORT SUMNER.

Fort Sumner, N. M., April 13.—The cement walk movement has reached the residence section, two citizens having had fine walks laid.

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## COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE.

**FLOYD.**  
H. S. Douthit and his mother went to Portales Sunday. There was a good crowd at singing Sunday.  
Cal Price's brother and sister, James Price and Mrs. Berry left Monday for Oklahoma.  
Mr. Edmonson and family who have been living in Portales the last two months have returned home.  
We are notified that an interesting program will be rendered on Thursday night, April 28, at Floyd by the school pupils. Everybody invited, the county superintendent being especially urged to be present.  
The Floyd singing class organized Sunday evening with J. I. Jones as chairman and J. C. Heffington leader. Everybody is invited to meet with them every Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.  
Misses Josie and Nellie McClennen, Venus Armitage and Elmer McClennen took supper Sunday with the Misses Heffington.

**RICHLAND.**  
Farmers are very busy now planting grain. J. B. Stratton planted sixteen acres last week. A wagon load of Richlandites attended the dedication of the Holiness church at Causey on the tenth.  
Mr. Munson returned from

Texas Tuesday.  
Rev. J. D. Wagner came over and preached Monday instead of Sunday, his regular day. Conference will be in progress next Sunday and he will be detained there.  
J. B. Stratton has a very badly sprained back caused by a heavy lift.  
Sunday being Mrs. Earl Stratton's birthday, a number of her relatives and friends planned a surprise for her. About ten o'clock they gathered at her house with pans, baskets, etc., which proved to be full of good things to eat and all enjoyed the royal spread which followed.  
It is reported that Jake Williams and J. C. Henderson, both about fourteen years of age, went hunting one night this week and got lost. They were found next morning at "Six-shooter" Mills, about twelve miles from home.  
Mrs. Henderson is quite sick as is also Mrs. Cone's mother.  
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**ARCH.**  
The farmers are all rejoicing since the rain.  
Miss Ivy McCoy of Redland visited friends here last week.  
Mr. Dickson of Roswell is building a nice residence on his place south of the D. Z. ranch.  
Levi Boulter left for southern New Mexico last week.  
H. M. Nichols has returned from Carter where he has been teaching a singing school.  
W. A. Williams made a business trip to Portales last week.  
**BETHEL.**  
Business is going on in this part of New Mexico now. From one to four plows on every farm.  
Mr. Stevenson and family who have been visiting here returned to their home at Shafter Lake, Texas, Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Billie Merrill have rented their house and moved into the Dallas Green house.  
Ed Douthit and Estes King of Floyd are batching in what is

known as the "catch all."  
A wagon load of our Lacy friends attended the literary here Saturday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jay are the proud parents of a new son.  
Otho Clark is visiting relatives here.  
**GOOD NEWS.**  
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### ORDINANCE NO. . . . .

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE INSPECTION OF ELECTRIC WIRING IN THE TOWN OF PORTALES, N. M. AND CREATING THE OFFICE OF CITY INSPECTOR

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Portales, New Mexico:

**SECTION 1.**  
All wiring for electrical lights or appliances, in or on any building, and in or on any street or alley in the town of Portales, New Mexico, shall be installed in accordance with the National Electric Code and in its latest supplement.

In addition to Class B, 12th of the National Electric Code, all wires at potentials of 500 volts, and above, must be carried at least six feet above all other wires, at all points.

In addition to Class B, 12th of the National Electric Code, cross arms bearing wires at voltage of 500 or above must be carried at least six feet above all other cross arms.

In class C, 12th omit words "in plain sight" for installations in mercantile or other than residential buildings.

**SECTION 2.**  
The office of Town Electrical Inspector is hereby created, the same to be appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Trustees. He shall inspect or have inspected all wiring done in this town and shall enforce its installation in accordance with this ordinance.

**SECTION 3.**  
All persons desiring to do electrical wiring in the Town of Portales, New Mexico, shall first furnish bond to the town and secure a contractor's license from the town clerk. Bond shall be in the sum \$1000.00; license fee shall be \$20.00 per annum, payable quarterly, in advance and the town clerk shall require written recommendation from the town electrical inspector before issuing any license.

**SECTION 4.**  
Any contractor desiring to install electric wiring in or on any building shall first obtain a wiring permit from the town inspector. Application for permit shall be upon printed form furnished by the town and shall contain description of wiring to be installed; this application to be filed in the town records. Any subsequent change in wiring installation shall be issued for \$1.00 each, to be paid to town inspector.

**SECTION 5.**  
No repairs or additions shall be made to any existing wiring in or on any buildings, except on conditions that mains and feeds to point of change or addition, also the change or addition itself shall be in accordance with this ordinance. Application and permit shall specify changes to accomplish above.

**SECTION 6.**  
No installation shall be approved by the town inspector until the same is safe guarded against undue and unsafe voltage rise by proper grounding of service wire, as recommended by the National Electric Code.

**SECTION 7.**  
All persons doing electrical wiring shall notify the town inspector before any part of installation is concealed, and no portion shall be concealed without written approval by the town inspector.

**SECTION 8.**  
No service company or other person shall connect or allow to be connected any portion of a wiring installation, until a certificate of approval shall have been issued by the town inspector.

**SECTION 9.**  
The town inspector shall charge for inspections of wiring in buildings, as follows:

- 1st. For installations of concealed knob and tube first ten outlets or part, \$2.00; subsequent outlets 5 cents each.
- 2nd. For installations of open molding or conduit wiring, first ten outlets or part, \$1.00; subsequent outlets 2 1/2 cents each.
- 3rd. For installations of motors, minimum, \$1.00, each motor above one 25 cents.
- 4th. For installations of signs or fixtures, first 25 lights or fraction, \$1.00, subsequent lights, 1 cent each.
- 5th. Minimum charge for any inspection, \$1.00
- 6th. For each re inspection made necessary by faulty con-

struction, 50 cents.

**SECTION 10.**  
The town inspector or deputy is authorized to enter upon and examine all premises at all reasonable hours to ascertain if the ordinance is being complied with.

**SECTION 11.**  
The town inspector is authorized to have service disconnected from such wiring installation, in or on buildings and in or on streets or alleys, as may, in his judgement, be hazardous to property or life, such wiring not to be again connected to service until brought into accordance with the requirements of this ordinance. The town inspector may, at his discretion, notify one owner of wires to have them removed, and have wiring done in accordance with this ordinance within 30 days from date of such notification.

**SECTION 12.**  
Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance, or interfering with the enforcement thereof, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined not less than \$25.00 and if doing wiring, shall have his license revoked by the city.

**SECTION 13.**  
This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after five days from the date of its publication.

Read first and second time and ordered published.  
H. B. RYTHER, Clerk.

### ORDINANCE NO. . . . .

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE ELECTION OF A TOWN TREASURER AND TOWN MARSHAL

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Portales, New Mexico:

**SECTION 1.**  
That hereafter at all elections to be held in the Town of Portales, New Mexico, for the election of a Mayor, Board of Trustees and town clerk, there shall also be elected a town treasurer and a town marshal for said town to hold their offices for the period of time prescribed by law; that said officers shall be elected in the same manner as is the other town officers.

**SECTION 2.**  
The town treasurer shall, before entering upon his duties, take oath of office and execute unto said Town of Portales, a bond in the sum of Five thousand (\$5000.00) dollars to be conditioned for the faithful discharge of the duties of said office; that the duties of said town treasurer shall be as prescribed in Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 of Ordinance No. 3 of the Ordinances of the said Town of Portales, New Mexico.

**SECTION 3.**  
The town marshal shall likewise take the oath of office prescribed by the ordinances of said town and shall execute a bond with good and sufficient sureties to said Town of Portales, New Mexico, in the sum of Twenty-five hundred (\$2500.00) dollars, conditioned that he will faithfully discharge all the duties of said office as marshal.

**SECTION 4.**  
The duties of town marshal shall be as prescribed by Sections 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21 of ordinance No. 3 of the ordinances of the said Town of Portales, New Mexico, and such other duties as may devolve upon him under the laws of the Territory of New Mexico and the ordinances of said town.

**SECTION 5.**  
All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed and this ordinance, to go into effect upon and after its passage, approval and due publication.

Read first and second time and ordered published.  
H. B. RYTHER, Clerk.

The plays "Jack's Bluff" and "A String of Pearls" given by our home dramatic club at the Wonderland Friday night was a creditable entertainment and was listened to by an appreciative audience.

Rev. G. W. Dunlap was called to Mesilla Park, N. M. to see his son who is very ill and there will be no preaching service at the Presbyterian church Sunday, 24 Sunday School as usual at 10 a. m.

### ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

It is hereby ordered by this board that an election be and the same is hereby called to be held at Bailey school house, Prec. No. 8, Union School house, Prec. No. 13, Cromer P. O. Prec. No. 6 and Painter P. O. Prec. No. 23, on the 3rd day of May, A. D. 1910, for the purpose of electing one Justice of the Peace and one Constable for each of the said precincts; said elections to be held and conducted in accordance with the laws of the territory governing such elections.

The following were appointed judges of said elections, viz:

Bailey school house, Prec. No. 8—Thos. D. Despain, W. C. Waterson and Will Loughbridge.

Union school house, Prec. No. 13—Sam Huston, J. W. Powell and Ben L. Beaver.

Cromer Prec. No. 6—H. W. Dodeson, J. L. Swofford and E. B. Childers.

Painter Prec. No. 23—A. W. Ferrin, J. R. Shock and J. H. Griffin.

Signed: C. V. Harris, Chairman.

Attest—  
C. P. Mitchell, Clerk.

### ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

It is hereby ordered by this board that an election be and the same is hereby called to be held at Elida, Prec. No. 2, Tolar, Prec. No. 5, Redlake, Prec. No. 17, Ingram, Prec. No. 20, and Perry school house, Prec. No. 22 for the purpose of voting on "Local Option Herd Law" for said Precincts, said elections to be held and conducted in accordance with the General Election laws of territory of New Mexico, governing Justice of the Peace elections in said territory. The following were appointed judges of said elections, viz:

Prec. No. 2—C. W. Osborn, R. R. Jones and R. M. Grissom.

Prec. No. 5—E. D. Cullup, T. A. Hall and Marvin Brite.

Prec. No. 17—M. F. Davis, Cal Langston and J. O. Oldham.

Prec. No. 20—J. H. Long, W. J. Jones and R. T. Teakell.

Prec. No. 22—G. L. Berry, A. F. Sebastian and E. Russell.

Signed: C. V. Harris, Chairman.

Attest—  
C. P. Mitchell, Clerk.

Lloyd Canfl formerly of Portales Drug Co., this city and late of Hadam, Kansas, came in Monday and will be here some days making proof on his homestead near Portales.

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