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PORTALES, NEW MEXICO, THURSDAY, JULY 21, 1910.

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Last Saturday's south bound train brought a number of the irrigation officials to Portales while Sunday's and Monday's train reinforced the number, so that the following have been looking over the plant:

Operating superintendent, W. R. Chambers, who will remain in Portales in this capacity the rest of the season; Messrs. Chapman and Arnold of the Westinghouse Electrical Mfg. Co.; Messrs. H. Rittenhouse, J. H. Vincent and O. A. Keach of Wichita, Kansas; Mr. P. E. Fuller of Phoenix, Arizona.

All these gentlemen are well pleased with the plant in which they and the local farmers at Portales are alike interested. They spent nearly all the week in the city, acquainting themselves minutely with every detail of the working of the pumps which are bringing new life and hope to Portales and Portales Valley with every stroke.

It would be hard to say which of the wells were doing the best. All but four are delivering from 750 to 1,470 gallons per minute, owing to the state of development. Some, like the Servis-Tyson well, which did poorly at the start, owing to the unusual amount of sand, have now blossomed out into things of beauty and joy forever, delivering practically 1,000 gallons per minute when they are only partially developed and still pumping sand by the wagon load. The Priddy and Sledge well, for example, on the school section, is beating all expectations, running at 1,000 gallons per minute on the second day it was pumped. The same may be said, however, of all but four of the 56 now ready and being operated. It is regretted that not all the farmers are ready for the life giving waters which are coming now so freely. Some 40 farmers are making good use of the water. Mr. Seth Morrison is having the water "flowing like 'lasses down a 'tater row" on his place next to town where he planted 100 bushels of Irish potatoes and which have been suffering for water.

MR. HALL WISHES A WORD
Elida, N. M., July 20th, 1910.
Rev. E. P. Alldredge,
Portales, N. M.

Dear Sir:—In the few late issues of the Herald I notice that you have frequently used my name in a way which is calculated to lead the public to believe that I have made frame up with certain other parties for the purpose of attempting to capture the delegate convention, and also you state that I drove an auto into Portales before the Statehood bill passed for the purpose of consummating such frame up. With reference to those statements, I desire to say that at no time was I at Portales, having driven there in an auto as you state, on political business prior to the passage of the Statehood bill. I was convinced, erroneously so it seems, long before the bill passed that the bill would be killed in the congressional committee and that we were no nearer statehood

than we were many years ago. I did drive to Portales a few days after the bill passed in an auto, which is possibly the time you refer to, but at that time I was not in Portales on any political business and neither Judge Compton nor Mr. Gillenwater knew the errand that called me to the county seat.

With reference to the statements that you have made to the effect that myself and certain other candidates were lined up with the county Chairman, in accordance with a plan preconceived, for the purpose of sinister motives, I desire to call your attention to the fact that in the delegate convention which met in Portales last March I was a delegate from Elida, having with me the proxies of the other two, and that when the votes were taken on the nominations for Chairman I voted three straight votes for Mr. T. E. Mears every time the vote was taken, except

however when the election was made unanimous at the request of Mr. Mears.

It seems to me that the only line up that has been made is that there are certain politicians in Portales who are fighting any and all candidates who happened to speak the courage of their convictions, and stand out boldly and openly for a nomination by delegate convention in order that the full and absolute power might not be left in Portales, and to the end that the people in the country should have that representation to which they are of a right justly entitled. I happened to be one of the candidates who had the courage of my convictions, but had the Central Committee seen fit in its wisdom to have nominated, under the circumstances, by a primary I should still have been a candidate and I would have bowed down humbly and meekly to the will of the majority in its decision. I believe that the people should rule, and I am unable to see how such could have been the case in a primary, for as I see it no one would have had a voice except the town of Portales, and if the people of Roosevelt County shall say by their vote on July 30th that the stand which I have taken in favor of a delegate convention was against their interests, then I shall be satisfied and will be a loyal supporter of the nominated ticket let it be composed of whosoever it may be. However, I shall always be found to have sufficient courage to speak that which I believe in this and all future campaigns.

Yours very truly,
JAMES A. HALL.

COMMENT

It will be observed that Mr. Hall cites as a reason for his stand for a delegate convention for the nomination of delegates to the constitutional convention the specious argument that it was "in order that the full and absolute power might not be left in the town of Portales, and to the end that the people in the country should have that representation to which they are of a right justly entitled." Now this form of argument seems to be a favorite theme for some who say

that they favored a convention for the nomination of delegates to the constitutional convention, and to some it may present a very pleasing appearance, but as a matter of fact if this argument as presented by these gentlemen is sufficient grounds for a convention under present conditions why is it that these men say that ordinarily they are in favor of a primary, but now favor a convention for the nomination of delegates to the constitutional convention in view of the high cost of holding a primary, etc? As a matter of fact the voting strength of the county does not repose in the town of Portales. In the recent city election for aldermen the total vote cast did not exceed 225. This was the total number of legal voters for the incorporated town of Portales. The total vote of the county in 1908 for the democratic candidate for delegate was a fraction over 1700. Taking it for granted that the outlying country districts have been much depopulated since that time on account of the prevailing drouth, yet is it not justice to all the best interests of our county to permit an honest and equitable representation of each individual voter, no matter where the seat of population is? This premise is made on the ground that Portales had the voting strength of the county, which is far from being founded in fact as will be observed from the above figures. If such were the case as Mr. Hall states, is it right to repose an advantage to the country precincts by giving them representation by the convention method? Let us illustrate: Suppose some one of our county precincts, and there are several of them in this category, which only has a dozen voters who will enter the convention room Saturday, July 30, and participate in the selection of these three delegates. According to the convention plan this handful of voters have a voting strength in the county convention to every 100 voters which Portales and Elida possesses. Is it necessary to give the country precincts an unfair advantage in this manner of representation in order to stay "the full and absolute power of the town of Portales" which Mr. Hall is pleased to credit to the county seat? It had just as well be said in carrying this argument to its last analysis that as Portales was the repository of this "full and absolute power" (?) Mr. Hall thought it a patriotic duty to foist unfair means into the present campaign to wrest the scepter from a cruel despotic oligarchy.

It is as plain as day to all thinking people that this argument that "in a primary no one would have had a voice except the town of Portales" has no foundation in fact or reason and we are persuaded that the candidates who are using this argument know better, but are seeking to incite and inject prejudice in the minds of the country people against those who are making their living in the town. Be not deceived and prejudiced by this specious argument. A candidate who upholds this form of argument is either "playing to the country vote," or else he is grossly ignorant of the facts in the case, and Mr. Hall is by no means a backwoods chicken.

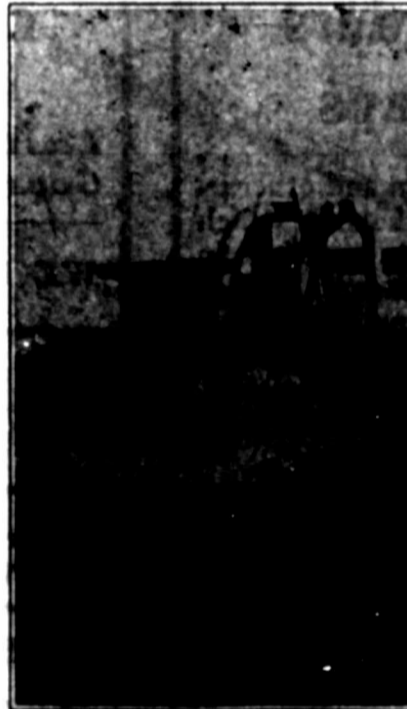
Mr. Hall says he is in no frame-up with Mr. Compton, etc. Now, if the reader will look up Judge McGill's statement and telegram printed in another column of this issue, he will see the evidence.

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Having been informed that C. M. Compton Sr., in a public speech on the streets of Portales last Saturday, July 16th, asserted that he had never made any overtures to me, looking to a combine of and the candidacy of himself, Jim Hall and myself, and that any statement to that effect was a lie, I feel it incumbent upon me to give the facts in the case to the public and let them judge for themselves:

TELEGRAM
Portales, N. M., June, 21, 1910
Judge McGill,
La Lande, N. M.

Meet me and Jim Hall in Clovis today. Important business.
(Signed) C. M. COMPTON.

As I did not meet him as per his request, but incidentally met him in Portales a few days later, I spoke to him about the telegram, whereupon he drew from his pocket a letter which he said he had written intending to mail same to me, also that he had written a similar letter to Jim Hall at the same time, and handed the letter to me. I read the same which was in substance as follows:

"The people of Portales are endeavoring to furnish all three of the delegates which the county is allowed in the constitutional convention; but I believe that Jim Hall and you (McGill) and myself (Compton) ought to be elected; and, as I am very strong in the county and town and as my son is county chairman of the democratic committee, this will give us an advantage to defeat them. If a line-up of this kind suits you, let me know at once. Signed, C. M. Compton Sr."

After reading said letter, he reached and took the letter out

of my hands and put it back in his pocket and still has it in his possession unless he has destroyed it. He then asked me what I thought of the combination, to which I replied that it did not suit me to make a combination with anyone. The substance of this proposed combination was rehearsed, as herein set out, to Mr. Compton in the presence of Jim Hall and T. D. Cain of Elida, and Coe Howard of Portales, perhaps others, in front of the Portales Hotel, July 7th, 1910, the said C. M. Compton admitting the substance of the foregoing statements as true.

WM. R. MCGILL.

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A certain lot of irresponsible parties are keeping themselves busy in the present campaign circulating the report that "the primary crowd", meaning those who favored the primary method of making nominations to the constitutional convention, were making their fight with the purpose in view of freeing the Portales Irrigation Company holdings and other corporate interests from taxation for a given number of years. This report is utterly without a resemblance of truth or reason and any intelligent person should first consider the source from which it springs. The Portales Irrigation Company is by no means a benevolent institution and it would be absurd to presume that the stockholders had ever thought of pleading exemption from taxation or any other exactions required of corporate or individual interests. This form of argument is very poor "campaign thunder" and will not long engage the minds of intelligent people.

Our Only Hope

It is now as plain as day that machine rule has come to Roosevelt county. The people expected a primary, had a right to a primary and needed a primary; and the central committee in its March meeting passed a resolution that the committeemen then be appointed to "serve until the coming primary election or until their successors are elected and qualified"—that is to say, there should be a primary; the committeemen then holding office should give place to those elected by the people of the several communities themselves. A convention was not then thought of; and everyone understood and the resolution so reads that this central committee, elected or appointed to arrange for this primary, should go out of office at the coming primary election (now changed to a convention) at which time the voters of the several precincts would elect a man of their choice to fill the place. But the county central committee up at Portales last week and, under the direction of three candidates who have not only pooled their interests, if reports are true, but who have worked night and day at their job, this committee, by a vote of 15 to 12, did away with the primary—and at one fell stroke kicked the people out and put on a convention combine to take the place of the primary. Then what? They denied to the people of the several precincts the right to elect their own precinct chairman and ordered the appointees of the convention combine to go down to their several precincts and take charge for the next two years and run the democratic party according to the machine, whether the people wanted them or not! Now there it is, a bold brazen despotic hand of the machine, denying and defying the people. In God's name, have we come to that? Yes, and there is just one way to escape it,—on the last Saturday in July when you hold your precinct mass meeting, defy the machine and elect your own precinct committeemen—a man who is the choice of your community—elect him openly; then elect your delegate to the county convention; instruct him to vote against these machine men first, last and all the time. Do that and Roosevelt county is free; fail to do it and you are but helping the machine in its despotic defiance of the people's right to rule.

The C. C. C. Company

This is the latest. We know it is, because we got it straight from headquarters? What does it mean? That depends upon what you are after. At first it meant Compton & Co. But this was soon changed to Compton Candidate & Compton, County Chairman & Co. Somehow this was hardly broad enough. Accordingly the Company side stepped down to Elida and took in another member, the style of the firm then becoming Compton, Cain & Co. After considerable juggling, however, the Company came into the open and filed incorporation papers as the Compton Convention Combine Co. W. A. Gillenwater was then taken in on probation, Jim Hall elected to life membership and T. D. Cain was exalted to the place of manager. The Company immediately turned its largest gun on Portales people who opposed the Convention Combine Co., fired a broadside at the editor of the Herald and others against them; they descended upon Portales Tuesday of last week to see if there was anything left of the town. It took them two days to make up their minds that Portales survived the onslaught, whereupon they returned, reloaded, to try again. They claim to be the democratic party in Roosevelt county and they have run their convention scheme over the people; and now claim to have Mr. C. M. Compton already nominated by ten votes and Mr. Hall by three votes.

Yes? And did you say: "Let the people rule," gentlemen? Please inform us where the people come in with the C. C. C. Co.

The Herald's Position

The Herald wants every voter in Roosevelt county to know our position on the present campaign for the nominating of our three delegates.

1. We have no war to make on any man personally or any set of men; personally nor are we out in an effort to boost certain candidates,—we propose to leave this last duty to the people and the candidates themselves.

2. But we are opposed to three or four men getting together and making a combine to get themselves nominated, and in order to carry out their scheme, running a convention scheme over the people and thus taking the nominations out of the hands of the people and putting it in the hands of forty delegates, and boldly coming out and saying that they have the nomination "cinched." That is not democracy; that is high-handed, despotic ring-rule; and we propose to fight it and to fight the men who are behind it.

3. We believe that each precinct ought to elect its own precinct committeemen to serve for the next two years, for the reason that the present committeemen (all but seven of them) are appointees selected by county chairmen C. M. Compton Jr. assisted by his father who is not only a candidate but the father of the convention scheme; and all these precinct committeemen were appointed as

temporary officers to arrange for the coming primary (or convention which has been substituted for the primary) and their work is now done. No set of men appointed by any county chairmen or otherwise have the right to install themselves on the people for two years or two hours without the consent of the people of the precincts. Let the different precincts, when they come together to select their delegates to the county convention, there and then elect their own precinct committeemen. Aren't you a free people? Haven't you the right to say who your precinct committeeman is to be?

4. We believe the people should fight this convention combine which was fathered by and is supporting Mr. C. M. Compton and Mr. W. A. Gillenwater from Portales and Mr. Jim Hall from Elida because other sections of the county have a right to have candidates. But we do not propose to tell the people whom to vote for, as we believe that there are worthy men who are free from the C. C. C. Co's. (that is, the Compton Convention Combine Co.) who can put their cases before the people and that the people can and of right ought to instruct their delegates for these untrammelled American citizens. This is our position and we expect to contend for it.

What Do They Mean?

What does the convention combine mean by refusing the people of the different precincts the right to elect their own precinct chairmen? They say that it is because the primary was done away with. But who did away with the primary,—was it not this same convention combine? Suppose that two years from now, this same combine gets in the saddle and runs a convention over us again? When will the voters have another chance to elect the precinct chairmen of their own? "Two years after that," you say? That depends, Mr. Voter, on whether or not you have in meantime put down this convention combine and buried this despotic machine. The resolution passed in March committee meeting plainly indicates that all these present committeemen, from all the different precincts, were temporary and should hold office only "till the coming primary" at which time each precinct should elect chairmen of their own choice. Now, that the convention scheme has been run over the people rough shod and substituted for the primary that the people expected and had a right to have, do these men who formed and pushed this convention combine over the people have the audacity to say these precinct chairmen—all but seven of whom were named by C. M. Compton Jr. assisted by his father and all of whom were named as temporary officers pending the selection of their successors

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ors by the people,—shall hold over "till the coming primary?" Suppose that they keep us from ever having a primary again? Then, Mr. Voter, these men who were appointed as temporary officers will continue to hold over? How do we know? We know by what they did up here in the committee meeting at Portales,—knowing themselves to be appointed as temporary officers and appointed by a chairman whose father is a candidate and who assisted the son in naming almost every man of them,—they deliberately voted to perpetuate their office and install themselves on the people of their several communities whether they were wanted or not! And this too, in spite of the protests of the ten of the committeemen who did not want to serve longer, unless their people elected them? Will the high-minded patriots of the democratic party of this county submit to such dictations? Or, will they rise in their might on the last Saturday in July and elect precinct chairmen of their own and also elect their delegates and send them up here August 6th, to put down the machine and let the people rule?

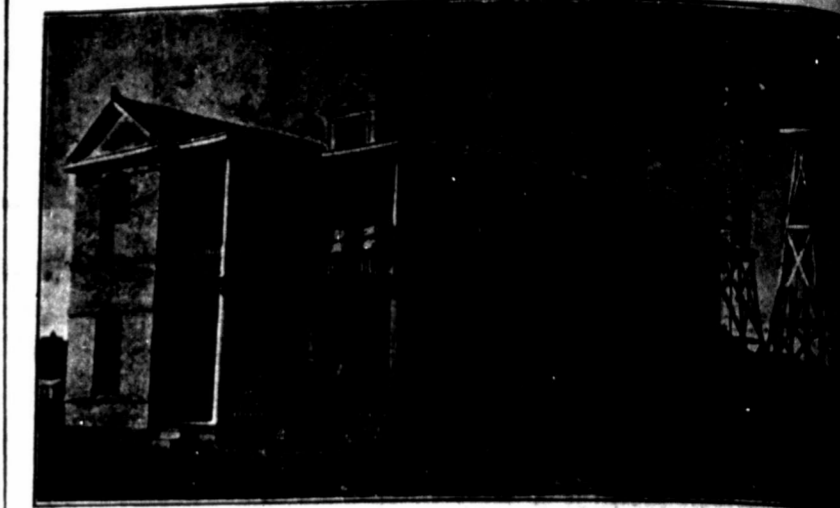
ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

It is hereby ordered by the board that an election be and the same is hereby called to be held at Tolar precinct 5, Floyd precinct 4 and Delphos precinct 25, all in Roosevelt county, New Mexico, on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1910 for the purpose of voting for or against "Local Option Herd Law" in said precincts. Minco precinct 6 and Kermit precinct 27 both in Roosevelt county, New Mexico, for the purpose of electing one Justice of the Peace and one Constable for each of said precincts; said elections to be held and conducted in accordance with the General Election Laws of the Territory of New Mexico governing Justice of the Peace elections. The following were appointed judges to hold elections, viz:—

Floyd prec. No. 4, Izell Jones, Ed Spears and C. T. Gregory.
Tolar prec. No. 5, R. W. Nowlin, W. W. Hamilton and R. S. Alexander.
Delphos prec. No. 25, E. C. Cummings, Dee Totten and N. C. Howell.

Minco prec. No. 6, J. B. Latta, E. P. Shields and J. H. Sprows.
Kermit prec. No. 27, W. J. Hobson, C. P. White and J. L. Moore.

Signed,
C. V. Harris, Chairman.
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No. 618.
The Portales Bank & Trust Co.,
Plaintiff,

vs.
W. W. and Sadie E. Newson,
Defendants.

The defendants, W. W. and Sadie E. Newson, will take notice that a suit has been filed against them in the 5th, Judicial District Court for Roosevelt County, N. M., styled and numbered on the docket of said court as above, said plaintiff having filed with its complaint an affidavit that the defendants are non-residents of New Mexico and process by publication ordered.

The nature and objects of said suit is to collect a promissory note executed to plaintiff by defendants March 16, 1908, and due six months, and upon which there is a balance due of \$92.97 with 12 per cent per annum from June 7, 1910, until paid and ten per cent additional thereof as attorney's fees, and to foreclose a mortgage given to secure said note and the due payment thereof on the N. W. 34 feet of Lots one and two in Block No. 15, in Portales, N. M., same being recorded in Mortgage Record "C" at page 28 Record of Mortgages of Roosevelt Co., N. M.

The said defendants are notified that unless they appear and answer in said cause by the 23rd day of August, 1910, judgment will be rendered against them by default and the plaintiff given the relief demanded in its complaint.

T. E. Means is attorney for plaintiff and his business address is Portales, New Mexico.

Witness the Hon. W. H. Pope, Judge of the 5th Judicial District Court of New Mexico and the seal of said court this June 29th, 1910.

S. I. Roberts, Clerk.

By Llewellyn Carter, Deputy.

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OTHER COUNTIES FORGING AHEAD OF LOCAL VALLEY

It is a fact easily verified that the progress of irrigation development in the other counties of New Mexico rapidly leaving the central Rio Grande valley in the lurch. New organizations are getting busy every week in San Miguel, Colfax, San Juan and other counties under the new irrigation district law. There are several new and highly active development propositions up in Taos county. The Chama Valley Land and Irrigation Co., and others are bringing about a big change in the map of Rio Arriba county, and the Tierra Amarilla grant is the scene of rapid development. Thousands of dollars are being spent in the Mimbres Valley, the Portales Valley and elsewhere for irrigation by pumping, and every dollar spent is bringing in a stack of dollars on the investment. Bernalillo and adjoining counties will be behind the procession unless the people rise to the occasion and begin an organized campaign for the utilizing of their lands and water, now idle and producing no results.—Albuquerque Journal.

Teething children have more or less diarrhoea, which can be controlled by giving Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. All that is necessary is to give the prescribed dose after each operation of the bowels more than natural and then castor oil to cleanse the system. It is safe and sure. Sold by Pearce & Patterson's Pharmacy.

NEW RAILROAD HAS FILED PAPERS Santa Fe, N. M., July 7.—Incorporation papers filed today in the office of Territorial Secretary James J. Kelly by the Rock Island, Texico, Farwell & Gulf Railway

Co., of Texico, Curry county. The capitalization is \$250,000,000, divided into 2,500 shares. The railroad to be constructed will be 75 miles long, from Texico to a connection with the Chicago, Rock Island & Choctaw railroad, 20 miles east of Tucumcari, traversing Curry and Quay counties. From Texico, south a Texas corporation, similarly named, will complete the road from Texico to Pyote on the Texas Pacific. The incorporators and directors are: M. J. Healy, Texico, 2,142 shares; S. H. Withers, Farwell, Texas; J. W. Childers, Texico, D. A. Lanthicum, Farwell; Ed. T. Massey, Texico; T. J. Allen, Texico; K. K. Runnels, Texico; T. B. Martin, Texico; Harry L. Patton, Clovis, each one share.

TEXAN'S AIRSHIP PASSENGER LINE.

St. Louis Mo., July 6.—The incorporation of the Universal Aerial Navigation Company has revealed plans for a commercial passenger airship that rival the dreams of Jules Verne. Officials declare within a year they will carry up to a hundred passengers at a speed of 100 miles an hour, if desired.

The machine is the invention of J. W. Omar of San Antonio, Texas, but at present a St. Louisan. One is in process of construction in the shops of the inventor here.

The inventor claims that his ship can start either from the land or water. He declares it will ascend straight into air or can be launched in the manner of an aeroplane.

The new airship is called a gyroplane, so named from the fact it is a combination of gyro-scope, the helicopter and the aeroplane. Its promoters say it can be built in any size, from a two-man "runabout" or seven-passenger "touring car" to a monster of the air that will carry 10 or 100 passengers.

It is planned to construct machines that will maintain a regular passenger service between cities and states and even countries. The machine has been inspected by Government engineers and many experts in machinery and navigation of the air. They all have pronounced it the greatest invention of the kind that ever has been seen. Omar has studied aeronautics twenty years.—Dallas News.

WHAT THE KIDNEYS DO.

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All the blood in the body passes through the kidneys once every three minutes. The kidneys filter the blood. They work night and day. When healthy they remove about 500 grains of impure matter daily, when unhealthy some part of this impure matter is left in the blood. This brings on many diseases and symptoms—pain in the back, headache, nervousness, hot, dry skin, rheumatism, gout, gravel, disorders of the eyesight and hearing, dizziness, irregular heart, debility, drowsiness, dropsy, deposits in the urine, etc. But if you keep the filters right you will have no trouble with your kidneys.

Fritz Sena, 1205 Twelfth St., East Las Vegas, N. Mex., says: "Experience has proven to me that Doan's Kidney Pills fulfill the claims made for them. For several weeks I suffered constantly from backache and in the morning when I got up, I had acute pains across my kidneys. Exercise brought some relief, but it did not entirely rid me of the trouble. The kidney secretions pained in passage and at times were discolored. Hearing so much said in praise of Doan's Kidney Pills, I procured a supply and commenced their use. After I had taken a few doses, I noticed a marked improvement and before I had finished the contents of the box, I was completely cured. I have been entirely free from kidney complaint since."

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THE AMOUNT OF WATER TO APPLY

In a dry season like this it perhaps is not necessary to conjure water users not to irrigate too much. Over saturation checks the growth of plants and trees by lowering the soil temperature but at the same time completely shuts out the air. This practice takes money out of the grower's pocket. Roots, like human beings or anything else that breathes, must have air for life and growth. The water-holding capacity of soils runs from forty

to sixty per cent of the total solid volume and forty-five per cent of the whole is about as much water as should be put on the soil at any time.

The best results from the application of moisture on ordinary crops have been obtained by using twenty-five per cent of the water-holding capacity of the soil at planting, decreasing gradually to fifteen per cent, remaining at that point until the leaves are formed; then, increasing quickly to forty per cent and allowing the water to fall rapidly to from 12 to 15 per cent and remain there during the fruiting and maturing period.

Shallow soils with gravel or open subsoils leach the moisture rapidly and there is less danger of over-saturation, but the continual pouring of water through such soil will also carry away the fertilizing elements in solution must soon deplete the soil. Find out how much water the soil will hold in suspension and irrigate accordingly. The soil is a chemical laboratory and the irrigator is the chemist. The soil must have moisture, air and the heat of the sun to keep the chemical action at work making plant food. When the soil has too much water there is no air, hence no chemical action. With too much air there is no moisture and no chemical action.

With proper moisture and cultivation the chemical action is complete, the capillary attraction bringing up the moisture from the lower levels to the top mulch. Here the sun and air manufacture the fertilizing elements and the next rain of irrigation washes them down to be taken up by the roots. The process repeats itself without end so long as we water and cultivate properly. Cultivation is more important than irrigation, and in the arid regions one is of little use without the other. Do not overlook the fact that a weed is a pump and that it draws water out of the soil at a rapid rate.

Of course it is difficult to control exactly the amount of moisture but a great deal can be done in this direction and will amply repay anyone who will take the trouble to apply water to crops scientifically. The most economical method of irrigating land and at the same time one that gives almost complete control of the

STATEHOOD MAKES A DIFFERENCE. The man who has believed, or confessed to believe that "statehood would make no difference," is hard to find these days, in view of the immediate and vigorous session of activity in all lines of development of New Mexico's resources.

Commercial clubs, chambers of commerce, railroads, irrigation companies, mining corporations, all have felt as once the thrill of new life which has come with the admission of the new state and the whole of New Mexico is pulsing with renewed activity. It is in evidence on every side, in the amount of building that is going on in New Mexico's towns and cities, in the armies of workmen now employed on irrigation and development projects, in all kinds, in the building of railroads and telephone lines and in the concerted and intelligent movement to make New Mexico a great farming state.

The railroads recognize the opportunities which now confront them and these corporations are joining in a campaign to demonstrate the agricultural possibilities of the country. The Santa Fe has had its expert, Prof. J. D. Finley in the field for many months now, and the success which attended his work in organizing the farmers and showing them what they can do has resulted in a considerable enlargement of the scope of the railroad's industrial department in New Mexico.

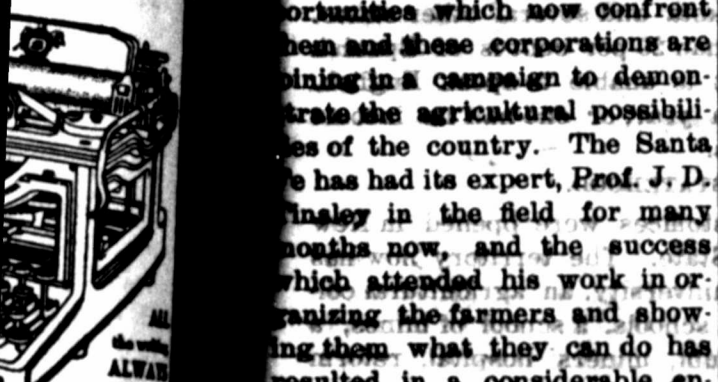
The El Paso and Southwestern railroad has fallen in line and has put an expert agricultural demonstrator, Mr. Trimble, in the field in its territory in eastern New Mexico, with headquarters at Tucumcari. His work has already had the result of giving a substantial boost to the farming industry in that part of New Mexico, and in this case as elsewhere the initiative of the railroad has given the farmers the start needed and is now showing them how to get results. The St. Louis, Rocky Mountain and Pacific railroad has a demonstration farm in Colfax county and is vigorously conducting an agricultural department in the northern part of the state. The Rock Island has engaged in similar work for some time past and in the aggregate the railroads are doing a tremendous work in demonstrating the possibilities of the country as farming land, advertising them throughout the country. The scale of the railroad work has expanded tremendously in the past year or so and the effect is too evident to need comment.

TO BRING DRY FARMING DOWN TO PRACTICAL BASIS

The practical service which the railroad industrial department are chiefly rendering to the state is in bringing the science of dry farming or scientific soil culture to a business basis. The dry farming proposition in the beginning, several years ago, was overworked and a general slump followed when many hopeful homeseekers, who did not understand the situation, came in to New Mexico with the idea of making a fortune out of the ground with no capital and small labor. The railroad and experts are now working with the idea of showing the farmers exactly what can be done and how to do it. They figure that a successful dry farm that can show results, tangible results in crop raising, is worth less than a dozen acres of the best of practical. In other words, they are working to define the practical business limits of the dry farm as a money maker. With their experience and expert knowledge of soils and crops, these men are collating the facts how to make the most out of every foot of their ground and every drop of water and the result will be that dry farming will be brought down to brass tacks and the immigrant from the east

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Report of the Condition of
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RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$90,762.00
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures	13,794.00
Cash and Sight Exchange	16,809.00
Insurance and Abstracts	3,000.00
Total	124,365.00
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock	\$25,000.00
Undivided Profits	4,488.00
Deposits	74,897.00
Bills Payable	20,000.00
Total	124,365.00

ORDINANCE NO. 31.

An ordinance prohibiting the keeping of intoxicating liquors within the town limits of the town of Portales, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, with the intent to sell, barter, give away or otherwise dispose of same and for other purposes.

Be it ordained by the board of trustees of the town of Portales, New Mexico.

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person to keep at any place of business, office, club room or hall or elsewhere excepting as hereinafter provided, within the corporate limits of the town of Portales, any intoxicating liquor of any kind with intent to sell, give or barter the same in violation of the provisions of ordinance No. 4 of the town of Portales, and possession of any such intoxicating liquor at any such place, within the corporate limits of the town of Portales by any person and the presence of such liquor upon such premises of any person shall be prima facie evidence of an intent to unlawfully dispose of such liquor by such person in violation of this ordinance and in violation of the provisions of said ordinance No. 4.

Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any person, or his bailee or agent, engaged in the business of a common carrier, to knowingly ship, transport or convey or hire or otherwise, any package or other intoxicating liquor of any kind, from any point within the corporate limits of the town of Portales to any other point within the limits of said town, or to knowingly make delivery, in any manner whatsoever, of any such intoxicating liquor to any person, unless such package be so labeled on the outside cover thereof so as to plainly show the name of the consignee, the nature of the contents, and the quantity contained therein, and such person transporting, conveying or delivering intoxicating liquors as aforesaid shall keep a record of such transportation, showing the name of the consignee, the nature and quantity of such liquors and the date of delivery thereof which record shall be permanently preserved in a book kept for that purpose only, and shall be open to the inspection of any citizen of Portales during all business hours.

Section 3. That any liquid drink or beverage whatsoever containing any percentage whatever of any intoxicating, malt, vinous, mixed or fermented liquor shall be included and covered in the preceding sections of this ordinance although the same may be called "Mead," "Vi Vi-tone," "Hop-beer," "Hop-tea," or any other name whatsoever.

Section 4. That upon the filing of a complaint or information by any person or persons, that intoxicating liquors are kept upon the premises and described in such complaint, by the person named in the complaint, with intent to violate the provisions of this ordinance, a warrant shall be issued by the Justice of the Peace or the Police Judge of the town of Portales, commanding the town Marshal of the said town to arrest the person or persons charged or described as keeper or keepers of such premises and to search the premises described in such complaint or information and to seize and to take into custody all intoxicating liquors found in or upon such premises and safely keep the same subject to the order of the court. Such complaint or information shall describe the place to be searched with such particularity as will identify the same and shall describe the intoxicating liquors alleged to be on such premises as particularly practicable; but not any description, however general, that will enable the officer executing the warrant to identify the property to be seized shall be sufficient but no such complaint or information as herein provided shall be made, except the person or persons making same shall have information or evidence which leads him or them to believe that intoxicants are kept upon the premises in violation of this ordinance.

Upon return of the warrant and the trial of the cause upon such complaint the Justice of the Peace or Police Judge shall determine the cause as provided by this ordinance and according to law and shall, when such liquor is seized upon such warrant, if he finds upon trial of the cause that such liquors were kept upon such premises as charged in the information or complaint, order that the same be destroyed.

Section 5. The term "person" as used in this ordinance shall mean all natural persons, corporations, firms, partnerships, associations, and all joint stock companies whatsoever.

Section 6. Before any license shall be issued to registered druggists or pharmacists authorizing such druggists and pharmacists to buy and sell intoxicating, malt, vinous, mixed or fermented liquors within the town of Portales as provided in section 2, ordinance No. 4 of the town of Portales, he shall execute and deliver a good and sufficient bond to the town of Portales in the sum of \$2,000.00 to be approved by the board, conditioned for the observance in good faith of all and every of the provisions of the said ordinance No. 4 as the same are applicable to registered druggists and pharmacists and upon conviction of the offense of violating any of the provisions of the said ordinance No. 4 relative to the sale of said liquors by registered druggists and pharmacists such bond shall be forfeited to the town and such registered druggist or pharmacist so offending shall in addition to the penalty of such bond and forfeiture and the penalties following therewith, be forever prohibited from selling or dispensing liquor under and by authority of said ordinance No. 4 and further upon his conviction of such offense the license issued to him as herein and in said ordinance No. 4 provided, shall be forfeited and become and be of no effect.

Section 7. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance or who shall fail to comply with any of the provisions thereof shall be deemed guilty of an offense against the town of Portales and upon the conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not under \$25.00 nor exceeding \$100.00 or by imprisonment during not under 10 days nor exceeding 30 days or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court trying the cause.

Section 8. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon and after its passage and due and lawful publication and all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Passed and approved and ordered published this 30 day of June 1910.

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SOME TIMELY BREVITIES

J. H. GAMBRELL in Western Evangel

This is such a free country that anyone who wishes to can act a fool, but all who are disposed to do the acting will do well to remember that there is a big expense account attached thereto and they themselves will have to foot the bill.

Right thinking parents will not leave to others the matter of providing social life for their children but will take a hand in it themselves. Many young people have been borne down by social currents when the major part of the censure therefor belongs to the parents.

A man who is willing to damage any good interest in his town for the sake of making money is pronouncedly one of Mr. Roosevelt's undesirable citizens. Undoubtedly the room of such a man would be worth infinitely more than his company.

Presumably it has always been a question among right thinking people how far a man can go wrong morally and be entitled to their respect. There is evidently a dead line somewhere, beyond which if a man or woman goes, all people are absolved from all obligation to them. Wise people will keep just as far away from this dead line as possible. The others will go right on over it and when in deep trouble will blate like dying calves.

Young ladies are to be commended when they give themselves to reform work, but when they make up their minds that they want to keep house for a drinking man they had better let the contract take effect after the work of reformation is completed.

Not every man who says he wants to help build up his town really helps in the matter. His ideas may run on a down grade plan. For example, any man who thinks the condoning of immoralities helps in the building of a great town or city really stands for disintegrating forces in social and business life.

The man who is willing to graft on the moral, social and business life of a town, defenseless immoralities is by no stretch of language a constructionist but he is a destructionist, working right at the heart of the community life.

The voter ought never to cast his ballot for any man for official position when he would not sit down and give deliberately written recommendation. If every man who votes were to become by his ballot, the bondsman for the man he votes for, much of the reckless voting now-a-days would be at an end.

Every officer who means to do his duty and not commit the crime of perjury has a clear-right to the support of every law abiding citizen in his community. Law breakers are always organized for the purpose of resisting officials and law abiding citizens ought to stand together right behind their conscientious and faithful officers. Officers often fail because they have not the support of law abiding citizens. Such things are a reproach to the citizenship of any community.

SOME THINGS ABOUT NEW MEXICO

New Mexico has an area of 122,400 square miles, being larger than the Kingdom of Italy, or than any State in the Union, with the exceptions of Texas, California and Montana. In 1900, less than 250,000 acres of this vast area were under cultivation—and that mostly in forage crops. The rapidity of recent progress may be judged from the fact that at the beginning of 1909 there were 2,500,000 acres under cultivation, and this year there will probably be nearer 5,000,000 acres. The public and private irrigation works now under construction will cost \$10,000,000, and will reclaim half a million acres of arid land. Of the 40,000,000 acres of vacant public lands, it is estimated that at least 18,000,000 acres can profitably be dry farmed. Although regarded as a desert region, the territory has within its borders 7,000,000 acres of national forests. Possibly half of these consists of land that no stretch of the imagination can denominate forest land; but the are at least 8,000,000 acres of standing timber—an area greater than that of Massachusetts, New Jersey, Vermont or Virginia, and three times as large as Connecticut.

The discovery that vast areas of the Southwest, heretofore regarded as useful only for grazing, and not very valuable even for that, may be farmed with profit, has led to a remarkable influx of settlers. Within the past two and a half years, nearly 45,000 entrymen have filed homestead entries upon 6,500,000 acres of the public lands, adding not far from 200,000 to the population. When the census of 1900 was taken, the population of New Mexico was only 195,000. It now certainly exceeds 450,000, and by some is estimated at half a million; and the present census will show it to have outdistanced Delaware, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Hampshire, North Dakota, Utah, Vermont and Wyoming, and to be closely crowding Florida, South Dakota and several other states. Of the entire population, not more than 20 per cent is of Spanish descent, and less than 10 per cent is unable to speak English. The territory expends \$1,000,000 a year, or one-half its income from taxes, for educational purposes.

EQUIPMENT FOR STATEHOOD.

It is claimed that more new postoffices were opened in New Mexico, during 1908, than in any State. The territory now has 125 newspapers, seventy banks, a university, an agricultural college, a military school, two normal schools, a school of mines, a blind asylum, deaf and dumb asylum, miners' hospital, reform school, asylum for the insane and other charitable institutions supported by the territory.

It is as an agricultural commonwealth, that New Mexico is destined to make its most important contributions to the wealth of the nation. The Rio Grande is sometimes called the American Nile, with particular reference to the fertility of the soil of its valley. Numerous irrigation projects are rapidly increasing the area to which intensive farming methods may be applied. One of these is the Elephant Buttes project, of the National Reclamation Service, which will provide water for 180,000 acres. An important private project is practically completed at Bluewater, and numerous others are under way. The chief agricultural products are alfalfa and other forage crops, corn wheat, vegetables, fruits, oats, beans, potatoes, peas, barley and sugar beets.

Next to agriculture, the territory's greatest source of wealth is stock raising. There are now on the ranges not less than 5,500,000 sheep, 1,000,000 head of cattle, 200,000 goats, and 200,000 horses, mules and donkeys.

New Mexico ranks as the oldest mining region in the United States, operations of this kind dating back to the early days of the Spanish occupation. The relative importance of the territory as a producer of gold and silver declined with the value of silver, until its present output of the precious metals barely exceeds \$500,000 in value annually. Yet there are numerous mining regions that require nothing but capital to develop them into important producers. The territory is traversed by the same mountain systems that are so highly mineralized in Colorado, Arizona and Northern Mexico, so that it is only reasonable to believe that systematic development will prove it to be rich in gold and silver as any of its neighbors. It produces ten million pounds of copper, four million pounds of lead, and half a million dollars' worth of zinc annually, with the mining of those metals not developed to a tenth of its possibilities. It has a thousand square miles of gypsum deposits, saline lakes whose shores are covered with thousands of tons of salt, mountains of iron ore, and the greatest deposits of alum and mica known to exist. Its production of turquoise is limited only by the demand, peridots, garnets, emeralds, sapphires, tourmaline, opals and other precious and semi-precious stones have been found.

However, the most important mineral resource of the territory is coal—anthracite, bituminous and lignite. According to the latest investigations of the Geological Survey, there are at least 8,584,000 acres of coal land, estimated to contain one hundred and sixty-four billions of tons of coal in workable seams—a natural resource of inconceivable value.—National Monthly.

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THAT STREET HARANGUE

Saturday morning about ten-thirty o'clock, the town was awakened by the call of Mr. C. M. Compton. He had gone up against the editor in last week's issue; got the worst of it, he said, and wanted a chance to vent his feelings. The people were asked to hear him patiently, which they did for almost an hour and thirty minutes. There were many amusing things and some dirty things handed out in the harangue which made the editor really sorry that he undertook a reply at all though he spoke but twenty minutes. But at any rate, we feel sure we have learned one thing,—that while we are equal with Mr. Compton in debate or with the pen, we accord him absolutely first place as a speaker who in language and conduct will not be governed by the common rules of joint debate which have been approved by all parliamentarians. We refer to the part of his speech in which his language would have embarrassed any audience of ladies.

The editor gathered many interesting things from Judge Compton's address. For example, the Judge said he had "stood by the people for five years." But we ascertained that the Judge has spent four and one half years of that time in office or making a death struggle to get in office.

He also claimed that these five years he had spent doing his "duty as an experienced lawyer." Now we have no doubt that thru his sons and in other ways the Judge does considerable business along the line of profession of law; also that he has had plenty of experience; but we have it from a very reliable source that personally he can't get license in New Mexico to practice law.

The Judge grew very earnest in his liberal remarks and demanded that we tell him where he had acted the part of a "boss."

As our twenty minutes talk bade us to make reply to this, we venture to say: (1) It begun round a good deal like a "boss" when the Judge arranged with other candidates to help him run the convention scheme and gave it out that they were going to succeed. (2) It ended still more like it when Judge and the two other candidates, in the combine with him, can to say openly that they had the nominations "cinched" especially so since the people had no chance to vote on the matter. (3) It came, however, to the "real thing" when the committee went into session at Portales and every movement of Judge was observed and acted upon by the convention people.

(4) The Judge has delivered the threats of a boss. In the committee meeting the people were threatened with a "closed-door" session unless they ceased berating Judge McGill so lustily.

After the committee meeting the manager of the Herald was given notice that his paper would be put out of business and the editor swallowed whole, blood and so to speak, if it dared lift a voice in opposition to him and his convention combine. Then in his speech Saturday, he mournfully stated that unless we desisted in our fight—he overlooked the fact that he and his crowd began it—that he would have to ask the democrats of this county "to withdraw from the Herald." My! but it must be great to be able to carry around the democrats of the county in one's pocket; order them to vote the way one wants them to vote and tell them to quit an editor and make them quit him, right short off like that! Well, that's some boss, isn't it? More later.

He says we "fought against his son being made county chairman." That is not so. The vote was very close between Monroe Compton and Judge T. E. Mears—indeed it lacked but one vote being a tie. We could have

changed the result by putting two men "next" to the scheme which most of us understood was on then, to put the county machinery in Judge Compton's hands; but we didn't do it; we said not a word one way or the other, either public or private. We only regret now that we did not, since our fears have been wrought out into reality.

He says that Judge McGill left La Lande with four proxies. Of course this is not so; never was true. Judge McGill had but one proxy—that of Mr. Eastwood of Tolar and J. O. Wood from La Lande, had one proxy—that of J. O. Benson of Dereno, while Judge Compton had the Floyd proxy and his son had the proxy of the delegate from Longs.

The Judge had a certain turn for the better in his feelings while he spoke and said he "never was a convention man." No! but some of us wondered how and why he worked so hard to run the convention scheme over the people here at the committee meeting. We suppose, however, that he meant that he really didn't believe in the convention after all; he just worked for it as being the best and quickest way of getting the nomination he wanted.

Judge Compton made the rather surprising statement that the editor of the Herald had almost wrecked his religious career. Now we are at a loss to know how this could be since Judge Compton quit the Baptist ministry and the Presbyterian pulpit and had been turned out of the Baptist Church at Portales before we ever knew him, and so far as we know, he has never made application to re-unite with the Baptist Church or any other church since we have been in Portales.

The dirtiest thing handed out in Judge Compton's street speech was his sacrilegious attack on the good women of every name and order of the town of Portales who prayed to the God of heaven and petitioned the voters of Portales—whatever candidate they supported—not to forget the women and children and allow the saloons to come back in Portales. Why did he want to drag the Christian womanhood of the town down to the level of calling their names and ridiculing their unselfish endeavors to save the town of the saloons? Why? We can not imagine. The women neither did nor wished him any harm; nor did they undertake to influence the vote for any special candidates. They only sought to keep the hot-headed men from forgetting the main issue. Thanks to the aldermen elected on the ticket with Judge Compton and to J. D. Osborn and Ed Brown, not only the saloons but the "speak-easies" have been put out of Portales, and that too without the assistance of the mayor.

Judge Compton thinks that because we happen to be a preacher that we ought to let him and his convention combine get together and parcel out the nominations, without consent or knowledge of the people, and that is an awful crime against high-heaven if we protest against his methods and machine. May we say frankly, that we think that a preacher or anyone else who edits this county democratic paper and who keeps still when he sees the people being manipulated and the offices divided up in any such a high-handed way, is not only a coward and unworthy of his place as editor or preacher, but in fact is just as guilty as the men who are trying to herd and to manipulate the people as if they were cattle or toys to amuse oneself with. Are we to shut our eyes to the methods of this machine rule, because we are a preacher? Are we to betray the trust committed to us as editor and keep still when principles in which we believe with all our hearts are being trampled beneath the feet of men who are scrambling for office, just because we are a

preacher? Now the fact is, we must either do this or resign the editorship. Which shall we do; play the hypocrite and pretend that everything is fair and lovely in the methods of this machine, keep absolutely quiet or resign? Now we are ready to resign when the right sort of a buyer comes along; but so long as we know right from wrong we will fight any machine, anywhere, and at any time it undertakes to herd the people as cattle and put the brand of the machine upon them. It was sufficient for Caesar, Anthony and Lepidus to combine and parcel out the Roman world and the people; the time has come when the people ought to rule, must rule and will rule!

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JUDGE MCGILL'S PLATFORM

To the voters of Roosevelt county:

Having announced myself as a candidate to represent you in the Convention which will formulate a Constitution for the state of New Mexico, and as the time is so short that it will be impossible for me to see each of you personally before the convening of your precinct and county conventions, and feeling that it is due you to know some things I shall stand for if elected, I take this method of expressing myself on some of the paramount issues that will come before said convention:

First, I am in favor of a sane and conservative constitution, yet broad enough to admit legislation that will secure to every citizen full protection and equal rights to all and special privileges to none. I favor an efficient system of primary election laws for the nomination of all elective officers including the nomination of United States senators.

I am in favor of the initiative and referendum, which may be invoked by the people, for legislative and other reform, believing that the more power you give the people in the managing of the affairs of the government the farther you get it from the machine.

I am in favor of fixing maximum tax rates so that corporations will bear their part of the expenses of the government, and no more, equal taxation to all, elected by the people.

I am in favor of a corporation commission with power to regulate railroads, express companies and other public service corporations and making illegal and void all bonds issued by such corporations without the approval of said commission.

I am in favor of a homestead exemption to the head of a family providing that said homestead shall not be subject to forced sale for debts except for the purchase money or improvements on same and for the tax on same.

I am in favor of an efficient and uniform system of election laws so framed as to insure to the people a free ballot and a fair count.

I am in favor of a provision in the constitution that will admit of legislation controlling manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, either by absolute prohibition or local option.

I am opposed to the constitutional convention creating new counties or changing county lines or location of county seats.

I am in favor of all judges of the courts as well as all other state, county and district officers being elected by the people.

These are some of the main issues that will come before the convention and if I am favored by an election at your hands, I pledge my best efforts to have the substance of the same put into the constitution.

Respect. submitted, W. M. MCGILL.

WANTS INFORMATION

Inez, N. M., July 15, 1910.—Roosevelt County Herald, Portales, N. M.

Dear sire: I want you to publish in the Herald the following information for present and future reference and use:

(1) How many precincts and what are they that should be represented in the Roosevelt county democratic convention, to meet on August 6th, 1910.

(2) How many precincts were represented, and by whom, in the late meeting of the County Executive Committee? Also, what precincts were represented by proxies, and which were not represented?

(3) Give the name and location of each voting place in Roosevelt Co. These things ought to be well known, sooner the better, by every voter, especially democratic voters, in our county. Please to give us this information and such similar knowledge in next issue of the Herald.

Yours, J. M. Stockbridge.

The information which Mr. Stockbridge requests has been given in part in the issues of the Herald of the 7th, and 14th inst., yet the point is well taken that this is a matter upon which the people should be well drilled, and for this reason alone the information here asked for is reproduced.

The answer to question No. 1 is as follows:

- The following are the voting precincts and the precinct committeemen as prepared by the county chairman and given us yesterday morning. The number of delegates to which each precinct is entitled in the county convention to be held at Portales, August 6, is put opposite the name of the precinct and its respective committeeman: Portales, S. J. Nixon... 6 delegates; Elida, T. D. Cain... 2; Charlotte, Joe Morgan... 1 delegate; Ingram, Nathan Cook... 1; Hawkeye, Geo. Robertson... 1; Macy, W. R. Dillard... 1; Upton, V. J. Campbell... 1; Inez, E. P. Williams... 1; Tolar, E. E. Eastwood... 1; Nobe, C. E. Gafford... 1; Taiban, W. M. Wilson... 1; La Lande, J. O. Wood... 1; Arch, Henry Townsend... 1; Bethel, S. J. Stinnett... 1; Pearson, J. O. Benson... 1; Dereno, J. E. Catchings... 1; Carter, J. M. Grisso... 1; Dora, J. S. Payne... 1; Delphos, Duck Hardy... 1; Causey, G. W. Jones... 1; Rogers, O. F. Chaney... 1; Doss, J. S. Pruitt... 1; Bailey S. H., W. C. Terrill... 1; Floyd, Simon Lain... 1; Painter, H. Hawkins... 1; Midway, Joe Lafayette... 1; Red Lake, J. M. Franz... 1; Springer, B. W. Kinsolving... 1; Perry, I. L. Steele... 1; Kermit, (blank)... 1; Minco, A. E. Herndon... 1; Adobe, J. W. Williams... 1; Mann's Store, (blank)... 1; Turner, (blank)... 1; Richland, (blank)... 1.

Answer to question No. 2:

Representation was had in the session of the County Executive Committee which was held in Portales, Wednesday July 6, by the following precincts, by original selection, appointment, proxy, etc:

- 1. Portales... Sam J. Nixon. 2. Elida... T. D. Cain. 3. Red Lake... J. M. Franz. 4. Mineo... E. A. Herndon. 5. Springer... B. W. Kinsolving. 6. Plateau... J. J. Vaughn. 7. Floyd, Simon Lain (C. M. Compton). 8. Hawkeye... Geo. Robertson. 9. Upton... V. J. Campbell. 10. Dereno, J. E. Catchings (Ponder). 11. Dora... J. S. Payne. 12. Bethel, S. J. Stinnett (Morrison). 13. Longs, J. J. Jordan (Compton Jr.). 14. Macy... W. R. Dillard. 15. Ingram... Nathan Cook. 16. Tolar... E. E. Eastwood (McGill). 17. Taiban, W. M. Wilson (Allredge). 18. La Lande... J. O. Wood. 19. Pearson, J. O. Benson (Wood). 20. Carter... J. M. Grisso. 21. Causey, G. W. Jones (Johnson). 22. Rogers... O. F. Chaney. 23. Arch... Henry Townsend. 24. Cromer, R. A. Cromer (Reese). 25. Painter... H. Hawkins. 26. Inez... E. P. Williams. 27. Perry S. H... I. L. Steele.

The first 15 of the above committeemen, while in executive session at Portales, Wednesday, July 6, voted to install the convention scheme as the method of selecting our delegates to the constitutional convention and also voted to install themselves as a part of the county executive committee for an indefinite length of time. The Herald has protested against this procedure in no uncertain terms, taking as its text the resolution which created the present county executive committee at the meeting held in Portales in the month of March. If the reader will read this resolution, substituting the word "convention" where the word "primary" is used, it can readily be seen that it is now in order for the various precincts to select their committeemen who shall serve and represent them in the county executive committee, that organization may remain intact, at the time the delegate



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is chosen to the county convention to be held here August 6th. This resolution follows:

"Resolved that this convention appoint a committee consisting of one from each precinct who shall serve until the coming primary election or until their successors are elected and qualified; and that one precinct committeeman shall be elected by the democratic voters of each precinct at the next primary election, who shall be the executive head of such precinct and who shall hold his office for two years or until his successor is elected and qualified and he shall receive the vote as cast and tabulated by the judges holding the primary election and shall meet the committeemen from the various other precincts on a day to be fixed by the county democratic committee herein designated and such committeemen from all the townships, together with the chairman assembled shall constitute the executive officers of the democratic party of Roosevelt County."

The answer to question No. 3—We refer you to the answer made in question No. 1 for the names of the voting places, but as for the location of each we would suggest that you have your precinct chairman name a place and set the hour of the day and then see to it that every democrat in the precinct is on hand at the place and at the time so designated.

NOTES

Be sure that there is no possible misunderstanding about who your precinct committeeman is and after this has been ascertained request him to fix the hour of the day—Saturday, July 30—then see that a full representation of the democrats of your precinct is had, then go into convention, select a delegate who shall represent your precinct in the county convention which is to be held at Portales, Saturday, August 6th, with instructions, if you like, to vote for some three of the candidates who have announced themselves.

After you have selected your delegate to the county convention, you could then consider the matter of selecting your precinct committeeman to reorganize the county executive committee. The Herald believes that the circumstances attending the present situation demand that action be had in this manner and also believes that its contention would be sustained in any court of equity in the land. What do you think about it, Mr. Voter?

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 All 50c and 65c Silks go in our clearing sale at **39c**
 Osake Silk, a nice sheer goods, 35c value, clearing sale price, per yard **27c**
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We have secured the agency of the Tailor Made Clothing Company, of Chicago, Illinois, and have just received their line of samples for Fall Clothing, so come in and, if we can't fit you in a suit out of our large stock of clothing, we will take your measure and have one made to order.

Edwin Clapp Shoes.
 We have received our line of Edwin Clapp Shoes for fall and winter, and these are mens high grade shoes in Vici Kid, Gun Metal and Patent Leather, they are made in all the newest styles and lasts, Vici Kid and Gun Metal **\$6.00**
 Edwin Clapp, Patent Leather Shoes **\$6.50**

Silver and Ide Shirts.
 We have secured the agency of the Silver and Ide brand of Shirts and our new fall line will be here about August 1st, and we invite all of the gentlemen to come in and inspect the swellest line of Shirts that has ever been in Portales.

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Ladies Only, from 10 to 11 o'clock Saturday morning, ten yards of Red Seal Gingham and six spools of Clark's O. N. T. Thread for only **\$1.10**
 Only one lot to each lady customer.

Men Only, choice of any \$1.00 Shirt in the house, one 50c Tie, one 25c pair of Hose, from 2 to 3 o'clock, you buy this lot for **\$1.00**
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We will continue to sell all our Ladies Suits and one-piece Dresses at One Half Price until they are all cleaned up. Remember, we don't carry anything over. Ladies Skirts will be cleaned up at ridiculously low prices. See them whether you want to buy or not.

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GILLENWATER WITHDRAWS FROM RACE

I desire to announce to the Democrats of Roosevelt County that I am compelled to resign from the race for Delegate to Constitutional Convention, and this because of the fact that two of my children are now down with typhoid fever. My family physician has advised that my presence at home is absolutely necessary, and I feel that my first duty I owe to my family. It is with much regret that this announcement is made, and I desire to thank the many friends all over the county who have so loyally supported me thus far in the campaign. Although I am now out of the race my every effort shall be used in behalf of the cause for which the common people are compelled to fight.
 W. A. GILLENWATER.

I, W. E. Patterson, hereby certify that I am the family physician for W. A. Gillinwater of Portales, that two of Mr. Gillinwater's children have been sick with typhoid for thirty five days, and that the condition of his family makes it absolutely necessary for him to remain at home.
 W. E. PATTERSON, M. D.

CAMPAIGN LIES

Let the people be on their guard against campaign lies. It is being circulated around that Portales wants all three candidates to the constitutional convention in order to draft a law exempting her irrigation enterprise. Of course that is a lie, since no such law could be passed, if desired. Another lie we heard going the rounds at Carter this week was, that those eight appointments made at the last hour, were made by Judge McGill of La Lande. Of course Judge McGill never made any appointments; never had the power to make any. C. M. Compton Jr. by the aid of his father made all the appointments and it is interesting to know that of the 15 so appointed, 10 voted the convention scheme. The convention combine candidates are

now saying they favored a primary—we were nearly dead to see a primary—but that we have no law for a primary. No! but we have nominated every county officer this way ever since we had a county and we would have nominated our delegates this way this time but for the convention combine made up of Compton Hall & Gillenwater.

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MORE SIDE WALKS.

Portales is fast realizing some good side walks. The northwest side and the southwest side of the square have complete side-walks and the work on other sides are progressing. Bascom Howard is leading the way by having a concrete side-walk laid in front of his residence. Let the good work go on.

Dr. J. R. Bryan came in from a visit to Oklahoma last week.

C. M. Compton Sr. made a trip last week out on the cut-off to La Lande and other points west of Clovis in the interest of his candidacy.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. R. McQuatters last week a fine, bouncing boy. The young daddie is having some trouble to know just what to do with himself.

Glenn Blankenship came in from Ft. Sumner Monday and will spend a few days resting with home folks.

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Nomination of Socialist convention for delegates to the constitutional convention.
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 By Guy O. Breeding, Secy.
 J. J. Roberts, Chairman.

NOTICE OF SALE

In the District Court, Cause No. 477, Roosevelt County, N. M.
 Henry Rankin, as trustee of the Elida Mercantile Co., a bankrupt, Plaintiff vs. H. A. Shannon and Mrs. A. W. Shannon, Defendants.
 In an action brought by said plaintiff against the above named defendants, a final decree was rendered by the district court aforesaid, on the 14th, day of April, A. D., 1910. Whereby the defendant H. A. Shannon was found to justly owe the plaintiff the sum of one thousand four hundred and sixty-one and ten one hundredths (\$1,461.10) dollars with six per cent per annum interest thereon since December 14th, 1908, which with interest to Sept. 14th, 1910, will amount to \$1,800.00 and, whereas, by said decree the lien in the plaintiff's favor on the property described below was foreclosed and said property ordered sold for the satisfaction of the indebtedness mentioned, together with all the cost, and the sheriff of Roosevelt county was appointed, with the usual powers of a master, to sell such property as in said decree is provided.

Therefore, in consideration of the premises, notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as such sheriff and master, will by virtue of said decree, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, on Wednesday, the 14th, day of September, 1910, at the hour of 12:30 p. m., the following described property, to-wit:
 The undivided ten-twenty-firsts (10-21) interest of the defendant, H. A. Shannon, and all the right, title and interest of said defendant, H. A. Shannon and Mrs. A. W. Shannon, or either of them, in and to lot number nine (9) in block seventeen (17) of the town of Elida, N. M., according to the plat of said town on file with the probate clerk and recorder of said Roosevelt County together with all and singular the improvements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining. Such sale to be made before the court house door of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

In witness whereof said sheriff has hereunto subscribed his name on this the 13th, day of July, 1910.
 R. A. Bain,
 Sheriff Roosevelt Co., N. M.

NOTICE

TO ALL CONCERNED
 "Local Option Herd Law" having carried in prec. 24, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, it is the order of the board that the same be published in the Roosevelt County Herald for three consecutive issues, thereof, and that "Local Option Herd Law" become effective in said prec. No. 24, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, as per the 1909 session acts of the legislature of the territory of New Mexico, authorizing and governing such election, and that all neat cattle, horses, mules, asses, swine, sheep and goats be prohibited from running at large in said prec. No. 25, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, as per session acts.
 Signed: C. V. Harris, chairman.
 Attest: C. P. Mitchell, clerk.
 No further business appearing the board recessed to meet the 11th, day of August, 1910, at the call of the chairman.
 Signed: C. V. Harris, chairman.
 Attest: C. P. Mitchell, clerk.

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS

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Yours truly,
 T. J. Molinari, Portales, N. M.

Egbert Wood, who has been visiting his parents and friends in Stamford, Texas, returned Monday of this week, thoroughly satisfied with this country.

Judge W. R. McGill, candidate for the constitutional convention, came in Monday on the south-bound. He was on his way to the Rogers picnic.

The family of Dr. C. E. Worth came in from Indiana Monday. The doctor will no longer hang out at the boarding house and he is already wearing a smile that won't come off.

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Mrs. W. I. Luikart and children left yesterday to visit home folks at Altus, Okla.

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