

PORTALES TIMES

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PROFESSIONAL.
John Ellard, Vice-President.
J. B. Sledge, President & Cashier.
The Bank
of Portales
Portales, N. M.
Directors—J. B. Sledge, R. F. Sledge,
John Ellard

PROFESSIONAL.
Dr. FRANK J.
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
Druggist.
Office in Drug Store. Portales.
Washington E. Lindsay,
ATTORNEY.
U. S. COMMISSIONER,
Notary Public, Commissioner of Deeds for
State of Texas.

THE FOURTH

Discussion of Omitted Parts of Independence.

Today is the day the "great historian" will scrape the cobwebs from the blue sky, and tell you something he has studied from patriotic works written by grand men whose dust is sacred to every one in America. But will he give us something new? It is doubtful, unless he reads this article. Will he tell us that Betsy Ross created the design of the grand flag that was adopted the 14th of June, 1777? Or will he remain silent? Will he tell us that a Fourth was celebrated previous to 127 years ago? No, he will not, lest he reads this. Will he tell up the old story that America held out the first torch of freedom? If he does, history's off. He should say we owe our form to a sister republic, that tasted the sweets of liberty about 20 years before. The Fourth of July in 1755 was an important day in the annals of our own soil. Will he tell you about it? Or will he cut it out? We owe our freedom to France. Will he tell you about it? Or will he begin in middle and chop off too soon? Will he honor Braddock? Or will he soar too high, and miss the history of the first independence? Will our freedom be given its true beginning, its historic starting point?

Religion.

The meeting at the Methodist church has been moving along nicely all the week. Rev. Hill done some of the best preaching that could be done. He seems to be gifted with power on high, and the church has certainly been revived by his preaching. Several people gave themselves over to Christian thinking. Tomorrow the big tent meeting will begin, and the good effects will continue for a few days. One year ago God's word in Portales was not heralded by many reverends, but now there are several good preachers, and through their efforts many brethren have visited Portales.

The Check.

Our column on checks last week was all right. And if the check business is handled cautiously by the banks few losses will occur. Judging people by their faces is not good business, neither do clothes make the man, nor age denote honesty. The anxious person who bites at proffered assistance by a stranger has brain fog, and needs a lesson in losses that will cause him to wear patches. The only way is to do business, and do business with honest people.

Young "Manhood."

The young man who tried to draft on Oklahoma through the Portales Bank for \$35, and who afterward took three blank checks from J. B., on one of which he abstracted \$20 from Mr. Chambliss, is still boarding in company with George the confidence man in the county jail, awaiting an answer from a poor old father, who has been disgraced by a strapping lad of 21.

Law Suit.

The civil case of Blankenship & Woodcock, this week before Justice Morris, wherein the above firm sued Clabe Lamb for debt, on an attachment against the Stag saloon book, which had been transferred by Lamb in satisfaction of a debt, was decided in favor of the prosecution. Notice of an appeal was made by the defendant.

New Pastor.

Rev. Mead, it is announced, has accepted a supreme call by the Presbyterian church here, to take the place of Rev. McAdie, resigned. Rev. Mead is a graduate of Princeton, and will arrive in a week or two.

Lemonade Weather.

There is lemonade today. 'Tis lemonade weather, and since one year ago there are more than one dispenser of cold drinks. Portales, in its infancy, had just as good a time on the Fourth as the people are having today.

Not Dry.

Texas isn't very dry this year, notwithstanding there are 146 counties under the local option law. There has been plenty of rain there. But then it so happens that there are 58 counties free from law and have had wet rains and bottled wet goods from which the latter have been shipped into the adjoining counties to equalize things. Take our own country, for instance, we have the best vinegar and mineral water on earth, and Amarillo and Hereford know it to a Queen's taste. People up that way, too, have a wet time of it. Even the milkmen acknowledge that the dry spell is over. Now we ship out wet goods in blind jugs, because it has been demonstrated that transparent jugs are detrimental to the quality of the vinegar on account of the light. Our vinegar and water is the pure stuff, and we are proud of its reputation.

He Wants a Rebate.

Married people are exempt \$200 of taxable property. A young man gave in his assessment, then got married. He afterward wanted the exemption. As Mr. Breeding could not give it, he was advised to apply to the board.

1,000 Schedules.

W. K. Breeding, county assessor, has about a thousand schedules, counting three to the heads of families the county has 3000 taxpayers.

The Striped Shirt.

"Arrest man with striped shirt," was about the telegram sent from Roswell to Sheriff Odum. There was a general scattering, and by evening—which means near sundown to dark in U. S. language—every stranger had changed shirts.

IN MEMORIAM.

James Milton Pinkerton Entered the Great Beyond.

Last Tuesday morning at 2 o'clock, the angel of death visited our community and took from our presence James Milton Pinkerton, merchant and postmaster. He was affected with some kind of bowel trouble, with which he was taken about ten days before. Uncle Milt was born in Mississippi, May 21, 1844, and died June 30, 1903, being 59 years, 1 month, and 9 days old. Having lived on the frontier most of his life he has had many privations and trials, but he battled bravely with them and now leaves a good little home for his children. He had been a member of the Church of Christ for several years, and had been a very consistent Christian. It is, indeed, hard to give up the loved ones who have been with us so long, and we are bowed down with grief to see our earthly father quit the walks of men and pass over Death's dark river, where we can see him no more in this life, but even in this hour of gloom, there is a ray of light, and we can "sorrow not as those without hope," but with a bright hope of being again united with loved ones when the battles of life are over and it comes our time to step off the stage of action. May all the bereaved ones realize that by a consistent life they will soon be where the "Mists have tolled in Splendor From the summit of the hills; and there 'we shall know each other better, and 'know as we are known.'" "We shall meet our loved and own, Some sweet day, some sweet day; Gathering 'round the great white throne, Some sweet day, some sweet day; Be the tree of life so fair, Joy and rapture everywhere, O, the bliss of over there, Some sweet day, some sweet day."

The Chile and Candy Kitchen

has been moved from its old location next to Faggard's to the building next to the Bank of Portales.
R. W. Hughes.

Died.

J. M. Pinkerton, merchant at Elida, about 59 years of age, died at Bethel Tuesday of bowel trouble.

Mr. Shook, Waco, Tex.—Your letter at hand.

The baseball team will not be here today. Several of our people have gone to S. Dakota with cattle trains. Incorporation should follow the organization of a commercial club. One of the Hunt boys have arrived from Texico with a race horse. Scurlock & Wooding, the butchers, have the contract to supply the meat for today. If the salvation tent depends on Providence to keep it from blowing down, a good wind will get the best of the dependers. Blankenship & Woodcock have a magnificent display of machinery for the farmer, on the public square, which bespeaks a prosperous valley and people. Inland Valley has a man, Mr. Severs, 102 years old, who gets about very well. There is no mistake about his age as he is still retaining his memory and recalls many incidents of his early boyhood days. Chas. Mann moved into town into one of Mr. Williams' residences. Mrs. Deats made her husband a present of a baby Thursday morning. Chas. Henderson is the proud father of a baby, born June 22d. R. M. Sanders, Portales' harness maker, has placed Mr. Smith in charge of his establishment, and went to Dakotas on a visit for a week or ten days. Some good contests are promised for today. Score keepers will confer a favor if they will furnish all the results to the Times for publication. The young man who went into the check business last week was rather coarse in his work, but now that he has a booth in the calaboose maybe when he comes out he may do better. Our rainy season began here a month before the usual time. July is supposed to be a rainy month and May and June a little rainy, but this year some good showers have fallen a little ahead of time. We are requested to announce that the past few warm days have killed the thin shelled bugs that alarmed our potato growers last week, and that now the Irish product promises to become a mainstay crop, after all.

Children's Day.

The day will be observed at the Presbyterian Sunday school, next Sunday morning at the regular Sunday school hour. The little folks are being drilled in music by Miss Winn and in their recitations by Miss Stella Seymour. They already have little banks, in which they are saving nickels to go into the general fund for organizing new Sunday schools in New Mexico and Arizona. Superintendent Carter and W. E. Lindsey are expected to give short addresses.

Choose Wisely.

No town can afford to be without good schools. Good schools bring good people to any community. Poor schools drive them away.—Hos. Register.

Registered Bulls.

Harry W. Hamilton, manager of the Slaughter farm, says, "We will ship 60 head of registered bulls to Portales tomorrow morning."—Hos. Record.

75,000 Acres.

Phelps White, the manager of the LPD outfits, says he has leased 75,000 acres of land in Crosby county for ranch purposes.

Our Soil.

The low place in the street opposite the Arc Light has been filled in with Inland Valley dirt—the best soil in the world.

The Banker.

Old Man George, the banker failed to give bond while in Roswell last week. He paid Ben Birdwell's and his own expenses down and back.

For Sale.

Pigs 6 weeks old enquire
GEO. F. WILLIAMS.

MAJ. JONES

Passed to the Where Silent Majority Dwell.

Uncle Jones died Wednesday evening and was buried Thursday. He died of paralysis of the heart. The Major had been here only a few months, and owned a claim east of town. He was very poor and was characterized whenever in town, from the fact that he had a fringe of whiskers around under his chin, and that his clothes were patched like Job's coat, all colors of cloth rudely sewed. People will remember him also as a tall man. The county will have to foot the funeral bill. The poor old man was buried on his claim.

A MISFIT INDEPENDENCE.

POP said that independence was the greatest thing he knew. And when my daddy says a thing it's generally true. It helps a man to triumph for the right and send his foes Up where the great Pecos river is, up where the woodbine grows. But woe is me that it should be; It didn't work that way—with-me, And this is how it was, you see: On Fourth July in Portales when I got up settled in my mind That Buck would be just the freest of the independent kind; I'd have my way all through the day, no matter what should hap, And that is why face down I lie across my daddy's lap, And that is why I cry, "Oh, my!" as he lays on the strap. He told me just at breakfast time to help him feed the cows, And when I Bucked and said I wouldn't we'd the prettiest rows, But I was firm, for I was free, Just as he said I ought to be, And then I skipped. And woe is me! I Bucked about the livelong day, And then there was the duce to pay, For when I got back home that night My daddy's wrath was out of sight. He wouldn't hear a word from me About the glories of the free, But simply put me on his knee And gave it to me—one, two, three— From which I judge that while it's clear That independence has no peer For nations fond of liberties, It doesn't do for families, Else pop has gone and changed his mind Or mine was not the proper kind.

The Womans' Home Mission Society of the M. E. Church will have a literary meeting at the church Monday, July 6, at 4 o'clock. All are cordially invited to be present. Program: Devotional exercises—Mrs. Hill. The need of city mission work in the south—Mrs. Maloy. God's tenth—Mrs. Breeding. Why we should become conventional—Mrs. Green. Recitation—Allie Breeding. Our reading course—Mrs. Jno. Hopper. Rescue work—Mrs. Lu Hopper. Report from annual meeting—Mrs. Oldham. Summary of year's work—Miss Carr.

Preaching Next Sunday

at the Methodist church at 11 a. m. and 9 o'clock p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Junior Epworth League at 3 p. m. All the young people are wanted at 4 p. m. to organize a Senior Epworth League. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 9. Everybody invited. M. D. Hill, P. C.

A PUBLIC MEETING OF CITIZENS

will be held Monday in the Bank of Portales for the purpose of organizing a commercial club. The Times is very much in favor of the movement and opens its newspaper columns for the benefit of Portales. Our only charge for such organizations, churches and aids, is for job work. Please bear this in mind, as the editor of this paper must live.

M. T. Jones Lumber Co.

Are Still Offering Bargains in Building Material. They have the Prices and the Material, also to offer you And are anxious to supply your wants. M. NEWMAN, Manager, Portales, N. M.

Burton-Lingo Co.

Jas. C. Galbraith, Local Manager Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Lumber, Sash, Doors, and Building Material. Talk is Cheap. Our stock speaks for itself. Lowest Prices.

Post Office Hours Today.

From 1 a. m. to 3 p. m. In connection with this we are reminded that the authorities at Washington have reported favorable to Postmaster Leach on the reports of the condition of the office made by a recent inspector, and in addition has raised Mr. Leach's salary \$200.

Roosevelt County Officer Appointed by Governor

Otero on the 23d of MARCH, 1903.

Sheriff	William W. Odum
Treasurer and Col.	C. O. Leach
Probate Judge	Charles L. Carter
Clerk Probate Court	W. E. Lindsey
Assessor	W. K. Breeding
School Supt.	Cecil McAdie
Surveyor	John A. Fairly
Commissioners	W. O. Oldham, Robert Hicks, E. Blankenship.

Territorial Officers.

M A Otero	Governor
J H Vaughn	Treasurer
W G Sargent	Auditor
Librarian	Lafayette Emmett
J W Reynolds	Secretary
B S Rodey	Delegate in Congress

National Officers.

President	Theodore Roosevelt
Secretary of State	John Hay
Secretary of Treasury	L. M. Shaw
Secretary of War	L. Root
Attorney General	P O Knox
Postmaster General	E C Payne
Secretary of Navy	W H Moody
Secretary of Interior	E A Hitchcock
Secretary of Agriculture	J. Wilson

Cheap Cash Groceries and Dry Goods

For the accommodation of the Bethel people we have established a general store in that town, where goods can be bought cheap for cash.

Blankenship & Woodcock, George Meriwether, M'g'r.

FIRST GATHERING.
How the signing of the Declaration was observed.
Portales will be the seat of the celebration of the Fourth. The first celebration of the Fourth of July took place at Philadelphia in 1777, along about the time when Judge Murray was born. This was on the first anniversary of the Declaration of Independence. The immortal document was read before a large assemblage of patriotic citizens. Guns were fired, bells rung, speeches delivered, and enthusiasm was general. This holiday was afterward adopted as an annual occurrence. They were extremely loyal in those early days, much more so than at present, despite all our noise and confusion.
One hundred years ago the day was ushered in by the firing of a salute of as many guns as there were states in the union at the time. There was a general program arranged, in which the spirit of loyalty was the uppermost and all important theme.
All of the ideas inculcated by the Declaration and the constitution of the United States, as they differed from the ideas of other countries, were read and explained by able speakers.
Since that day the flag has gone most everywhere. Wherever people behold it they see in its sacred emblazonry no rampant lion and no fierce eagle, no embattled castles or insignia of imperial authority; they see the symbols of light. It is the banner of dawn.

OUT IN PARADISE.
The smile that wont come off is on the faces of the cattlemen of the country. They are it. Cattle in fine condition—well graded—the old cows gone to market and the two-year-old steers going with the yearlings yet on hand, and the calves dropping every day. The country is a flower garden; the grass growing, and money in the bank. An ideal condition. Now, boys, which those old cows or those that will make beef and let them get fat by fall, even if you have to give the calf to a young thirty cow to raise.

Elementary School Physiology.
For pure confusion of thought the following brief essay by a board school child of 12 on the "Human Body" would be hard to beat:
"The human body is divided into three parts—the head, the chest, and the tummy."
"The head contains the eyes, ears, nose, mouth and brains, if any."
"The chest contains the heart, lungs and part of the liver."
"The tummy is entirely devoted to the vowels of which there are five, namely, a, e, i, o, u, and sometimes y and z."

Baptist Church Notice.
Preaching Sundays in the forenoon at 11.
Preaching Sunday evenings at lamp light.
Sunday school mornings at 10 o'clock.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evenings at lamp light.
This is a good announcement, and it is hoped other pastors will take advantage of the free space.
T. F. Medlin pastor, J. N. McFatter, superintendent of Sunday school.

Methodist Church.
There will be preaching Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the Methodist church by the pastor, Rev. Hill.
Sunday School at 10 o'clock a. m. Everybody cordially invited. Strangers, you are especially invited.

Presbyterian Church
Sunday school at 10 o'clock, preaching at 11, song service and preaching 8:30 o'clock night. Cecil McAdie, pastor. Wednesday night prayer.

Who Are the Agents?
Blankschop & Woodcock, of course, for the best harvesting machinery made—the old reliable—McCormack harvesters and reapers, and mowers. A carload will be in a few days. Examine them before buying elsewhere.

No Man's Land.
Property is assessable on the eastern strip of unsurveyed land, and the Texas-New Mexico line is set as far as taxable property is concerned. The line is correct, except farther south of Roosevelt county, where the dispute occurs.
Try a shave with Crosby's Barber He will treat you right. Clean towels and sharp razors.
G. F. Williams of Jones county, the ex-county surveyor, is here with his old friend Judge Carter, prospecting.
"Yellow black bugs are bothering my potato vines quite smart," remarked a farmer. This reminds us of the farmer who said, "I killed a white blackbird yesterday evening about 2 o'clock."

Repulsive Features.
Blackheads, pimples, greasy nose and muddy complexion, which are so common among women, especially girls at a certain age, destroying beauty, disfiguring and making repulsive, features which would otherwise appear attractive and refined, indicate that the liver is out of order. An occasional dose of Herbine will cleanse the bowels, regulate the liver and so establish a clear, healthy complexion. 50c at the drug store of Pearce & Dobbs.

Cures Scatica.
Rev. W. L. Riley, L. L. D., Cuba, New York, writes: "After 15 days of excruciating pain from sciatic rheumatism, under various treatments, I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment, the first application giving my first relief, and the second, entire relief. I can give it unqualified recommendation. 25c, 50c and \$1 at Pearce & Dobbs."
Look out for the visitors to-day. Do not neglect them. They may become citizens.

The Boss Worm Medicine.
H. P. Kumpke, Druggist, Leighton, Ala., writes: "One of my customers had a child which was sick and threw up all food, could retain nothing on its stomach. He bought one bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge, and it brought up 119 worms from the child. It's the boss worm medicine in the world." White's Cream Vermifuge is also the children's tonic. It improves their digestion and assimilation of food, strengthens their nervous system and restores them to the health, vigor and elasticity of spirits natural to childhood. 25c at Pearce & Dobbs.

The Perfect Liver Medicine.
Mrs. M. A. Jolley, Noble, O. T., writes: "I have used Herbine for a number of years, and can cheerfully recommend it as the most perfect liver medicine, and the greatest blood purifier. It is a medicine of positive merit, and fully accomplishes all that is claimed for it." Malaria cannot find a lodgment in the system while the liver is in perfect order, for one of its functions is to prevent the absorption of fever producing poisons. Herbine is a most efficient liver regulator. 50c at Pearce & Dobbs.

Night Was Her Terror.
"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption, so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but, when all other medicines failed, 3 \$1 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 38 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free at Pearce & Dobbs drug store.

Brutally Tortured.
A case came to light that for persistence and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equalled. Joe Golobick of Colusa, Cal., writes: "For 15 years I endured insufferable pain from Rheumatism and nothing relieved me though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters and its the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." Just as good for liver and kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Pearce & Dobbs.

No Pitty Shown.
"For years I was after me continually," writes F. A. Gullidge, Verbena, Ala. "I had a terrible case of Piles causing 24 tumors. When all failed Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. Equally good for burns and all aches and pains. Only 25c at Pearce & Dobbs."

Working Night and Day.
The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. These pills change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain fog into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c per box. Sold by Pearce & Dobbs.

Repent of Your Sins
And use Hunt's Lightning Oil for all pains, catarrh, neuralgia, rheumatism, cuts, burns, colic and diarrhea. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. The Times will remain at 50c a year for a short time, then it will go to the \$1 mark.

Ice Water Coolers.
Very nice and reasonable. At Blankschop & Woodcock's.
F. Washam is improving. He has been sick several days in bed.

Locals.
You can get patented land here at from \$4 to \$10 an acre near town.
Dr. Simmons' Sarsaparilla has a specific action upon the secretions and excretions and assists nature to expel from the system all humors impure particles and effete matter through the lungs, the liver, the kidneys and the pores of the skin. 50 cents and 50 doses.
The Times is the best thing now. It has a circulation larger than has ever been reached by any paper in Portales.

Dr. Simmons' Sarsaparilla imparts new life and energy to all parts of the body. Good as well for baby as grandfather. 50 cents and 50 doses.
Pearce & Dobbs, exclusive agents for Hawke's celebrated spectacles, crystallized lenses, the best on earth.
The climate here is so invigorating that even a preacher cannot help but fight occasionally.

Get a bottle of Red Seal Sarsaparilla of Ed J. Neer, my druggist.
Blankschop & Woodcock have an order with the Times for several thousand and letter heads. Give us a chance to quote Dallas prices on our work.
Pearce & Dobbs, exclusive agents for Hawke's celebrated spectacles, crystallized lenses, the best on earth.
Pests sell in Portales at the stores at 15c, and from the wagons it is possible to get them at 10c.

Pearce & Dobbs have started their cold summer drinks, coca-cola, etc.
The weather is not so hot here but that you can work all day out in the sun.
Try a Face Massage at the Portales Barber Shop.
It is easier to hold down a claim here than in a colder country.
6,000 tablets just received by Pearce & Dobbs.
Best Jewelry in town. Guaranteed, and price will suit you.
Nabers brothers, blacksmiths, have a nice display of horse shoes, plinches, etc., in the postoffice.

How to Succeed in Business.
Keep your liver in good condition by using Simmons' Liver Purifier (tin box). It corrects constipation, cures indigestion, biliousness, stops headache, gets your heart in the right place so you can smile at your neighbor.
Clean Up!
Crosby's Bath Rooms are fitted up with Porcelain Bath Tubs. Buy a ticket, price \$1, good for four baths. Everything clean.
J. C. Llewellyn is now our county superintendent of schools, and has ordered the poll-tax receipts, etc., printed by the Times.

Mistakes are Costly.
You can make no mistake by using Hunt's cure for Itch, tetter, ringworm and itching piles. No cure—no pay.
Sheriff Odum has bought the Alex Booth residence in the east part of town; consideration, \$500.
We Tell No Secrets.
It is an open secret that Hunt's Lightning Oil cures every thing except broken hearts and softening of the brain. 25 and 50 cents.
SMALL ADS.
Ads. not over an inch, in this column, 15c an issue, 50c a month.

W. O. MARTIN
Contractor & Builder
Plans and Specifications.
Shop and Office, Llewellyn's Lumber Yard

For Sale.
Mason & Hamilton organ, good as new. One 21 hand wagon.
Cheap for cash or will trade for cattle. Call at Wilsford Bros. grocers.
Spurs and Bits,
If you want a nice pair of hand made spurs or bridle bits you will find them on hand at R. M. Sanders. Also Lap Dusters, finest in town. He also carries a line of
Nets

Why Not Buy Property?
In the Benson tract adjoining Portales, where you can buy 5 Acres \$80 For sale at the Bank of Portales.
Gasoline Engine
For Sale.
Fairbanks Morris Jack of All Trades gasoline engine, new, never been used, less than cost. See it at G. W. T. Williams. 3 horse power. 21
G. W. Ross,
Contractor & Builder
Portales, N. M.
Work guaranteed. Plans and specifications furnished on application. tf
TIPTON, THE
BLACKSMITH,
Portales.
Back of Commercial Hotel
List Your Property
with Page & Whitlaw
Ranch on town property. Office in the Bank of Portales.
Dr. Scott, & Dentist
Office in back of
Pearce & Dobbs' Drug Store
Portales.

LEGAL.
Notice for Publication.
Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, May 28, 1903. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler, has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the U. S. Commissioner at Portales, New Mexico, on July 15th, 1903, viz:
GRACIE B. SMITH.
Homestead application No. 2379, for the North West quarter of Section 19, T. 2 S., R. 35 E.
She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: James M. Ackerman, Lucy J. Kidd, Joshua E. Morrison, Roberts Smith, all of Portales, N. M.
HOWARD LELAND, Register.
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ROBERTA SMITH,
Homestead application No. 2370, for the North East quarter of Section 19, T. 2 S., R. 35 E.
She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: James M. Ackerman, Lucy J. Kidd, Joshua E. Morrison, Gertrude Smith, all of Portales, N. M.
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ETTA A. SELF,
Homestead application No. 2590, for the North West Quarter, Sec. 26, T. 1 S., R. 33 E.
She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Calvin C. Allen, William J. Martin, Laura Hendrickson and William E. Self, all of Portales, N. M.
HOWARD LELAND, Register.
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D. E. Griggs
CLUB & SALOON.
Pure Liquors
My Specialty
Bottled and Jugged Goods Always Ready
Table & Wines & Cigars
Portales
List of Letters.
List of letters uncalled for in the postoffice this 4th day of July, '03. Please call for "Advertised Letters," printed in the Times.
Miss Berta McLendon
Mrs. J. L. Roberts
Piert Mlutman
Myrtle Smith
W. E. Roberts
Mattie Robertson
Mr. Mims Smith
H. C. Smith
H. Smith
Jessie Wiggins
J. L. Gibson
A. J. McKanna
C. F. Johnston
E. H. Roberts
Jno Robertson
F. J. Robinson
F. L. Moore
Mark Handal
L. D. Sowell
Will Foster.
Please call for "Advertised letters." C. O. Leach, P. M., Portales, N. M.

Alsey Alford is convalescent. He has been sick several days in bed.
Portales & Transfer
M. M. Scott
Good Teams. Good Wagons.
Piles Don't Get a Chance to Rest on My Business. I deliver promptly and Carefully.
Heavy hauling, Light hauling, Particular hauling.
Maps of New Mexico
25 Cents
At TIMES office.
Post Paid.

Portales Drug Store,
PEARCE & DOBBS,
Pure Drugs, Paints, Oils, Toilet Articles, Etc.
Prescriptions Carefully Compounded Day or Night.

Phone 45
SCURLOCK & WOODING
NO DRY GOODS, LUMBER, PAINT, BUT EVERYTHING, IN FRESH MEAT.
Free Delivery
PORTALES, N. M.
W. K. Breeding and Mr. Garrett had a large flag made, which now waves over the Times-Priddy-Commercial-Johnsen-Kincaid-Bryant block.
As is customary we warn our people to be careful about fire today, especially fire-water.

B. L. SPENCER,
The Furniture Man
Assortment of Chairs, Wire and Cotton Mattresses, Pictures of All Kinds.
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