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Selling Out at Cost...

I will sell my entire stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes and Notions at absolute cost.

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Don't forget to try Newsom's pies. Are you buying Roosevelt county brooms? If not, try one.

If your property is for sale I can sell it. Joe Howard

Oh! those hot cakes and maple syrup at Newsom's.

Have Farrish to make a coal stove out of your wood stove.

Joe Howard can sell your property, list it immediately.

Bring your eggs and chickens to Faggard.

Go to Newsom's for chili and tamales. 10c.

Your butter gets you 25c at Faggard's.

Highest market price paid for butter and eggs at Goodwin's.

For the choicest soups, go to Newsom's, 10c and 15c.

Try a gallon of old fashion ribbon cane syrup made by a farmer in East Texas, at Faggard's.

Go to the Palace of Sweets for fine candies, elder, coca cola and hot drinks of all kind, fine cigars, smoking and chewing tobacco, fresh fruits and nuts of all kinds, fresh bread, cakes and pies.

J. R. BANISTER, Prop.

Say! you just try one Newsom's Luscious broiled steaks.

List your property with Joe Howard, immigration agent.

Phone Faggard when you want any thing in groceries.

Newsom's lunches. If you are going on trip, better get one.

For Sale—Milk Cows, first-class, fresh J. A. Fairly.

Just received a nice lot of queensware and glassware, see us before you buy. HANES & WILSPORD.

The Presbyterian Aid Society have announced a Washington Birthday social at the Vendome. A good time is anticipated and an invitation is extended to all friends to be present.

George E. Scott of Floyd N. M. will buy your bounty land script, also quiet titles.

See Bain for your blacksmithing and wood work. Slover's old stand.

Leave orders for hand made boots at Portales Leather House.

Hand made harness a specialty at the Portales Leather House.

We will save you money on new furniture, come and see us. HANES & WILSPORD.

Wanted—At once—A girl who is not afraid to work. NEWSOM.

Get your gun repairing done at Johnston's photograph gallery.

D. A. Parrish will begin a writing school next Monday night at the School house.

George W. Baker calls attention to the fact that all his real estate has been withdrawn from the market. No real estate firm has any authority henceforth to price it.

A snug bank account to draw on when you are sick or out of work is far more satisfactory than any amount of sympathy. We will do all we can to assist you in starting that fund. FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

The Women's Club will hold its next meeting Feb. 7th at the Presbyterian church at 3 o'clock, p. m. All members are requested to be present and bring others with them as much business to be transacted for the year.

Ferry and Gus Moss, sons of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Moss, arrived from Ft. Worth, Texas, last week and will make improvements on their farms. The 29th were accompanied by two cousins, Arthur and William Pearce, who will, probably locate with us.

...The City Drug and Furniture Store...

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That we carry the only complete and up-to-date line of Furniture to be found in Roosevelt County is a fact so well established that it requires no further comment. Remember that here you get "More for the Same, or the Same for Less." Everything exactly as represented, and represented exactly as it is. Also a full line of School Books and Stationery. Remember the place, stone building, opposite First National Bank.

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Our Undertaking department is complete. No extra charge for disinfecting and preparing the dead for burial.

Prompt attention given to mail orders.

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Being the only registered Pharmacist in the city you will make no mistake by bringing me your prescriptions or buying your poisons here. Neer's Loadstone Liniment cures Frost Bites.

Dr. W. W. Penn.

Six kinds of barrel syrup at Faggard's.

Best flour in town at Faggard's.

Give Parrish a trial on your sewing machine.

You can get a good photo at the Elite gallery regardless of the weather.

The Elite gallery has been delayed in building by the storm, but is now ready to do all kinds of photo work.

All kinds of leather work at Portales Leather House.

For best locations and information about the country see county surveyor, J. D. Hurley.

Newsom is up-to-date in all lines of delicacies to be found in cities fifty times the size of Portales.

Following is the total number of land filings made in Roosevelt county: In Roswell district, from January 8 to 31, 1906, in Clayton District, from January 8 to 31, 1906, total 234.

If you are not well get Newsom to serve you an order of French Bouillon, or Vigora. It will do you good.

Joe Howard & Sons have located thirty-one homesteads during the past two weeks, besides selling several pieces of deeded land.

Newsom can fix you the following cheese sandwiches, imported Roquefort Swiss and McLaughlin's domestic Swiss and Limburger.

Come and see us for furniture, queensware, glassware and cooking utensils. HANES & WILSPORD.

R. A. Bain will give you satisfaction on your blacksmithing, carriage and wagon work. Slover's old stand.

Barbequed meat, bread, pies, cakes, coffee and soft. Next door to Fred Crosby's Barber shop.

DICK FREEMAN.

Remember that we have the celebrated Harper flour, the best flour that comes to New Mexico. John Goodwin.

A penny saved is a penny earned, and a dollar deposited in the First National Bank may be a nest egg for a fortune.

The growth of our business has been both steady and rapid. If not our customer already, we invite you to become one.—First National Bank.

Joseph Boggs and family, of Veteransburg, Indiana, arrived last week and will make Portales their future home. Mr. Boggs, besides purchasing a fine farm four miles south of town, also invested heartily in town property.

A fee, is it, "Hornblowerski?" Yet a fee standing by your side, looms up like an English mastiff in comparison with the smallest specimen of animal life known.

Brains and eggs or not bad, if properly prepared and served. Neither is Norway No. 1 Mackerel. Pigs feet or honey comb tripe. Some like white fish, Russian pickled sardines.

Herrings, Russian caviars, imported French sardines, as well as all the better grades of domestic, clam chowder and clam soup suit the taste of some. Weini wurst and horsesradish are good enough some say, better than link sausage and sauer kraut, will let you decide. NEWSOM.

The Presbyterian Synodical Missionary, Rev. John R. Goss, will preach at the Presbyterian Church Sunday, the 4th inst. A church meeting of the meeting of the members will also be held after services to consider the resignation of the pastor.

One night this week two sneak thieves went to the home of Mrs. Jack Johnson and killed about fifteen of her finest hens. She heard the racket and started for the hen yard, whereupon the thieves left. A good shotgun and about four loads of buckshot would tend to lessen the frequency of such visits and might be the means of putting a few sneak thieves out of business.

Little Vest.

January 12, 1906, an angel was dispatched to pluck the beautiful bud, Vestel Lessor, and transplant her to bloom in the Paradise of God. Her little body was interred in the city cemetery to be raised after time ceases immortal. It went down corruptible but will be raised incorruptible. She was 6 years 8 months and 4 days old, lovable, gentle and kind. She was the pride of her home, the earthly hope of her parents, loved by all who knew her and a faithful member of the Sunday school and children's society. God, who knoweth the paths of mortal beings and who "weeth all things well," saw fit to call her to himself. A dark shadow was cast by her death upon the hearts of her parents and play-mates, yet the cloud causing the grief has a silver lining. Weep not as those "who have no hope" out by this bereavement let your lives be bound more closely to heaven, the eternal home of your darling, the place where your sweet treasure has gone.

Out there beneath the heavens bright A little cloud is made, But not so dark as the one that is hid, Your darling's form is laid.

Your hearts are sore your sorrow great, Your hopes seem buried there, But God will look for you from your hearts, Will for the troubles care.

Oh, he in whom your hearts could, Who loves you here below, Lives back the clouds, lifts the gloom, Because his love you know.

He look her to himself from earth, And bowed your souls in grief, See dress in peace with him above And to your hearts this is relief.

You would not call her back again On time's uneven shore, For being there it makes you love Your father more and more.

For now your girl your precious girl Is called from time's dark shore, And bathes in love around its throne In love forevermore.—J. F. RORRICK.

Sick Headache.

This distressing ailment results from a disordered condition of the stomach. All that is needed to effect a cure is a dose or two of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. In fact, the attack may be warded off or greatly lessened in severity by taking a dose of these tablets as soon as the first symptom of an attack appears. Sold by Pearce & Dobbs.

A Money Crog.

Why not raise hogs? This one country where no disease of hogs exist. It has been demonstrated that hogs can be made to grow and thrive on green sorghum, a pea field will finish them if you want to put a finishing touch to make lard hogs, grind your Kaffir corn, cook it, make a sour mash and feed that. It is a well known fact that the distilleries throughout the country have immense pens of fat hogs. Go thou and do likewise if you want money. One man ten miles from town has sold one of the butchers \$600.00 worth of hogs he raised in 1905.

Committee Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the Democratic central committee of Roosevelt county on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock February 10, 1906.

Notice.

I have found the place to buy my goods. Everything kept fresh and clean, your money's worth of anything, when you buy at the Palace of Sweets.

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday school at ten o'clock. Helping Hand Society in the afternoon. No preaching as the pastor is absent in charge of the music at the Roton protracted meeting. Take your turn hearing sermons at Baptist and Methodist churches. Read the book of the Acts of the Apostles and see that the children are memorizing scripture.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead Application No 1968. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 27, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M., on February 7, 1906 viz: Styn Moses, of Bethel, New Mexico, for the northeast quarter of section 8, T. 1 S., R. 33 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz: William O. Hooper, Thomas M. Smith, Flue A. Anderson and John T. Green, of Bethel, N. M.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead Application No. 3639. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 27, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office at Portales, New Mexico, on February 7, 1906, viz:

William B. Ford, of Portales, New Mexico, for the northeast quarter of section 20, T. 2 S., R. 33 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Charles P. Stone, John F. Morgan, Edward Clifton and Edward W. Doss, all of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead Entry No. 3353. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 27, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Portales, New Mexico, on February 7, 1906, viz:

Robert K. Puckett of Portales, New Mexico, for the northeast quarter of section 7, T. 2 S., R. 35 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

John W. Puckett, Jacob T. Rhodes, Walter Fuleher and Leslie Smith, all of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

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Notice for Publication.

Homestead Application No. 1903. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 11, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at Roswell, New Mexico, on January 29, 1906, viz:

Benjamin F. Hardin, of Portales, New Mexico, for the southeast quarter of section 20, T. 2 S., R. 34 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

W. T. Roberts, Claud Lawrence, James Dumas and John Bushong all of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead Application No 1546. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 27, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M., on February 7, 1906 viz:

Jacob T. Rhodes, of Portales, New Mexico, for the northwest quarter of section 8, T. 2 S., R. 35 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz:

Charles Woodcock, Mitchell M. bounds, John W. Puckett and William K. Breeding all of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead Application No 1968. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, December 27, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M., on February 7, 1906 viz:

Styn Moses, of Bethel, New Mexico, for the northeast quarter of section 8, T. 1 S., R. 33 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz:

William O. Hooper, Thomas M. Smith, Flue A. Anderson and John T. Green, of Bethel, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

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Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Clayton, New Mexico January 18, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Aaron Horn of Blacktower, New Mexico, contestant against homestead entry No 5916, made April 22, 1905, for the SE 1/4 section 13, township 2 north range 34 east, by Dennis A. Fischer, contestee, in which it is alleged that said Dennis A. Fischer has wholly abandoned said tract; that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry, and next prior to the date hereof; that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the Army Navy or Marine Corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman or marine, during the war with Spain or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged. Now therefore, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on March 10, 1906, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on March 17, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Clayton, New Mexico.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed January 18, 1906, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

EDWARD W. FOX, Register.

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PORTALES, N. M.

An exchange speaks cheerfully of the "brothers of gold." Congratulations.

Mabelle Gilman says Pittsburg millionaires lack culture. Mabelle ought to know.

Ultra-fashionable dogs in New York are now wearing earrings. But don't blame the dogs.

Gen. William Booth says he has eaten no meat in seven years. Vegetarian or trust bustler?

A Cleveland broker committed suicide because he lost \$500,000. It happened to be his own money.

Be kind to the rich, gentle reader. Just think of the things that will be printed about them after they die.

We question the old saying. "There's nothing so bad that it might not be worse." How about a rotten egg?

A Detroit man has invented a safe air ship. Details are not given, but of necessity it must run along the ground on wheels.

Rev. Dr. Parkhurst says that no man ought to swear. Correct! And no man ought to do anything to make other people swear.

Wall street has been worried for a few weeks by "tight money." Now it knows how the most of us feel the whole year 'round.

Any one can become famous easily. Just write a letter to somebody advocating that people be chloroformed for some reason or other.

Congressman Salzer has found out that Croesus was worth only about \$11,000,000, but some of us would like to be even as rich as that.

A woman died in Pennsylvania the other day, leaving 114 descendants. Would it not be well to have her portrait put on a postage stamp?

Another reason why an elastic currency would be popular is that currency could then be used for garters instead of carrying it in their stockings.

A New York actress has left the income from \$15,000 for the care of a dog, a parrot, and a cage of lovebirds. It ought to be worth more than that.

Of course, Secretary Wilson's plan of reforming the American ben will include instructions to do all her laying at home and her scratching at the neighbor's.

Whenever Castro takes up his morning paper and finds that the world isn't talking about him he hurries out and insults the French diplomatic agent.

Until it is known whether John Gibson Hale is a husband and father his remarks on marriage and child-rearing will not be permitted to go in the record.

Some of the young men at the Annapolis naval academy insist that it doesn't hurt a cadet to compel him to stand on his head. But does it really do him any good?

Andrew Carnegie is awakened every morning at 7 o'clock by the notes of an organ. If the average man were as rich as Andrew he would have that organ set for 10 o'clock.

The Louisville Courier-Journal's suggestion that before we attempt to discover the north pole in an airship we had better first discover an airship is pertinent and to the point.

If Dr. Osler and Prof. Norton are right, why not adopt the Spanish method and have a series of duels like that between the Marquis de Amijo, aged 82, and Gen. Rios, aged 77?

A hypnotist in Wisconsin was knocked out by one of his subjects as he came out of a trance. Some hypnotists ought to be knocked out as soon as they begin waving their hands.

Benjamin Franklin would be deeply interested, no doubt, if he could come to life now and see a modern newspaper, but he would hardly be surprised. Benjamin Franklin was far-seeing.

A Chicago woman who kept a boarding house claims she was drugged and married against her will by the star boarder. Some men will do anything to escape the necessity of working for their living.

Dr. Charles Elliot Norton also wants to put the insane, the hopelessly diseased and victims of accidents to a peaceful death. He might include the hopelessly useless; but, confound them, they won't stand still and be killed.

Prof. Wilder of Cornell takes the trouble to write to the papers to say that the baboon and the gorilla should not be confounded. We pass this along for the benefit of the excited orators in the next heated political campaign.

A New York banker says there will be a terrible panic unless we hasten to secure an elastic currency. People who wear their money below the garter will, however, be likely to cling to the opinion that our currency is elastic enough.

A perfect lady, writing for the Chicago Tribune, says that Mr. McDonough was presented to the trustees of the British Museum the skull and black bones of the great bear whose remains were found in the Arctic.

The State Committee of Y. M. C. A. met at Waco Thursday and Friday.

Texasian authorities are making war on usurers and money sharks.

A. W. Grove, a M. K. & T. brakeman, had a foot severely mangled in the yards at Denison Thursday and may lose the member.

An oil excitement is brewing in Lamar County, near Chico, where gas is abundant and traces of oil have been found in some wells.

J. V. Watkins is now closing up the details preliminary to the construction of the Corsicana-Palestine Interurban electric railway.

J. J. Hale, a prominent resident of Hunt County, was found dead Thursday night with his head blown off. The shotgun was fired by a string tied to the deceased's toe.

Dr. E. B. Biallock, of Woodlawn, Harrison County, who was a member of the Twenty-seventh Legislature, is a candidate for lieutenant-governor.

One of the truck growers of Laredo, who had about thirty acres planted to cabbage and cauliflower, reports that the freezing weather of the last week has ruined these plants.

A negro crap game in a box car at Tully's Switch, near Tyler, resulted in the fatal stabbing of one of the players. The man who did the stabbing escaped.

Over 25,000 bales of cotton were marketed from wagons at Abilene this season—a remarkable showing for a country that is not in the cotton raising business.

The first shipment of rails for the extension of the Beaumont, Sour Lake and Western was made from the steel mills Jan. 28, and will be received at Beaumont about Feb. 10.

The new gas plant for the chemical laboratory of Georgetown University is being installed and the physical laboratory also has received a shipment of new apparatus.

James Haynes has received notice that he has been re-appointed as collector of customs at Laredo.

On Wednesday the three-year-old child of W. J. Mockery, living near Granger, was so badly burned from catching fire from a burning trash pile, that it died Friday.

Col. Ulrich Lott, promoter of the proposed Brownsville, Hidalgo and Northern road, states that preliminary survey will begin about Feb. 10, when two corps of engineers will be placed in the field.

The Big Sandy depot was destroyed by fire Wednesday night. The Texas and Pacific and Cotton Belt lost all their freight and baggage and records. The Pacific Express company lost everything on hand.

The surveying corps locating the proposed Texas, New Mexico and Pacific Railway, a line from McKinney to Denton, reached Prosper Friday, thus completing the survey between Denton and McKinney.

Chickasha has raised a subscription for the Washita Valley Interurban Electric Railway. About \$25,000 was subscribed and assurances given that \$25,000 more would be received. This subscription secures for Chickasha the division point of the proposed road.

F. P. Sargent, chief of the Bureau of Immigration, will probably visit Galveston next month to look into the matter of providing better accommodations for the immigrants that are brought to that port.

James Petters, who came to Orange from Beaumont three months ago, and has since been in the employ of Geo. McDonald, the contractor and builder, as timekeeper and in other capacities, was arrested on two charges of forgery.

Hon. John M. Henderson, a lawyer of Daingerfield, has announced as a candidate for Representative from the Floridian district, composed of Morris, Titus and Red River Counties.

The 5-week-old infant of J. W. Shannon and wife, of Paris, died Friday from injuries received Tuesday. While the mother was out of the room, the infant's 27-month-old brother tried to pick it up from the bed and dropped it on the floor.

The State Treasurer has commenced to clip coupons from bonds held by the permanent school fund, which interest is due payable April 10. Inasmuch as something over \$75,000 in interest is due April 10.

Vice-President L. S. Thorne of the Texas and Pacific stated in the course of a conversation that the Texas and Pacific, in connection with the other Gould lines north, will inaugurate a fast mail train out of St. Louis Thursday.

A hearing will be had by the Commission Feb. 20 to consider application of the town of Harbin, Erath County, to require the Fort Worth and Rio Grande to provide adequate depot facilities.

There are now ten patients in the Pasteur Institute, and Dr. Worsham states that all are doing splendidly, and that the institute has its first case to lose, having effected cures and prevented hydrophobia in every instance.

SIX LIVES ARE LOST IN LOWELL HOTEL FIRE.

An Early Morning Fire Becomes Uncontrollable.

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 27.—At least six persons lost their lives in a fire which partly destroyed the Richardson Hotel, one of the leading public houses of this city, early this morning.

The fire started a few minutes before 2 o'clock and the flames rapidly communicated to other parts of the structure.

A large number of guests were in the hotel and those who were in the upper part of the building had little chance to escape by the stairways.

The firemen at 2:30 found the dead bodies of six women on the top floor of the hotel.

The Richardson Hotel is a moderate-sized structure of brick and is four stories in height with a flat roof, situated at the intersection of Middlesex and Dutton streets. The hotel was usually patronized by commercial travelers.

When the firemen had reached the scene the flames had penetrated to several of the floors, and dense smoke was issuing from the windows.

The firemen and police rescued many guests, twenty or more of whom had been injured.

Gen. Cabell's Order. Headquarters Trans-Mississippi Department United Confederate Veterans, Dallas, Tex., Jan. 26.—General Order No. 96: The Lieutenant General, commanding the Trans-Mississippi Department of United Confederate Veterans announces with great sorrow the death of Major Gen. Joseph Wheeler, who died at the home of his sister in Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 25, 1906, surrounded by his family and friends.

Gen. Wheeler was one of the most distinguished cavalry leaders during the war between the States. He was noted for his daring and his skill as a leader. He was appointed a Major General during the Spanish war and won great distinction at the battle of Santiago, Cuba. At the close of the war he was appointed Brigadier General in the United States Army, and placed on the retired list.

His name and fame will live until time is no more. This is not time or place to recount his many deeds of bravery.

The different divisions, brigades and camps throughout the Trans-Mississippi Department, U. C. V., will take memory of this distinguished soldier. By order of W. L. CABELL, Lieutenant General U. C. V., Trans-Mississippi Department; Official: MILTON PARK, Assistant Adjutant General.

The Youngest Confederate. Fort Worth: John H. Smith of Nashville, Tenn., said to be the youngest man or boy who served in the Confederate Army during the Civil War, was in the city Friday. At the age of 10, soon after the war broke out, Smith went to the front as a drummer boy for the Third Tennessee Regiment, commanded by Gen. Brown, and throughout the four succeeding years of the struggle he played a conspicuous part. He beat the charge for his regiment at the battle of Shiloh, where men were killed around him, and at the battle of Stone River in 1862. During the same year at Chickamauga while the fight was at its most severe stage, he dropped his drum and picking up the rifle of a dead comrade, took his place in the firing line.

A poultry show was held at Willis Point Saturday, and a county organization of poultrymen was formed.

Found Fatally Wounded. Bremond: John Klos, a young married man, was found Thursday seven miles east of Bremond, mortally wounded, with a shotgun. Nothing is known of the shooting, but it is supposed to have been accidental, as he went hunting the day before he was found and failed to return in the evening. Search was instituted, finding him badly shot in the face, as though the gun had been discharged with the muzzle pointing up.

Big Colonization Plan. Fort Worth: W. T. Wagoner, of DeCatur, has closed a deal with R. S. Allen and associates, of Houston, whereby the Wagoner colony lands situated in Wichita and Wilbarger Counties, consisting of about 40,000 acres, were acquired by Allen et al., the consideration being above half a million dollars. The land was bought by the organization for colonization purposes.

New Oil Field Found. Houston: Information comes that a new oil field has been developed in Texas. It is on the Huntington mound, two miles from Fulshear, on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad, and was drilled by Mr. Huntington and has a depth of 1,200 feet. It is reported as a flowing well with a capacity of several hundred barrels a day. The oil is said to be of a high grade and very valuable. It does not require the use of a pump.

Will Bear Fruit. Waco: Comment here on the work of the National Waterways convention is to the effect that the work accomplished will bear excellent fruit. With a regular fund available it is believed that enormous development and progress would result. The matter will be pressed along these lines, it is understood, with a view of getting congress to appropriate say \$50,000,000 annually for this work.

John Burns' Struggles. John Burns, the English cabinet member, has a gift of happy and pungent phrase. In "Who's Who," he writes that he "came into the world with a struggle, struggling now, and prospects of continuing it." This was panned, of course, before his selection for cabinet office, but this fact does not affect its truth. The description of his education is equally characteristic. "Batesian and at night schools, and still learning."

A Despairing Woman. Weak, Nervous and Wretched From Wasting Kidney Troubles. Mrs. Henry A. Reamer, Main and Garst Sts., South Bend, Ind., says: "When I began using Doan's Kidney Pills I was so weak I could hardly drag myself across the room. I was wretched and nervous, and had backache, bearing-down pain, headache, dizziness, and weak eyes. Dropsy set in and bloating of the chest choked me and threatened the heart. I had little hope, but to my untold surprise Doan's Kidney Pills brought me relief and saved my life. I shall never forget it."

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

Inasmuch as marriage is a combination of interests, it must be a trust.

"Nails are a mighty good thing—particularly finger nails—but I don't believe they were intended solely for scratching, though I used mine largely for that purpose for several years. I was sorely affected and had it to do. One application of Hunt's Cure, however, relieved my itch and less than a box cured me entirely."

J. M. Ward. Index, Texas.

Winning very much depends in not losing—heart.

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

It's too much to expect an all-round politician to be exactly square.

Those Who Have Tried It, will use no other. DeLancey Gold Water Starch has no equal in quantity or quality—10 oz. for 10 cents. Other brands contain only 13 oz.

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Among these writers were such medical lights as Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennett Medical College, Chicago; Prof. H. A. Bennett, M. D., of Cincinnati, Ohio; John King, M. D., of Cincinnati, Ohio; Dr. Grove, M. D., of Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia; and scores of others equally eminent.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures the worst cases of female weakness, prostrates nervous and delicate constitutions, irregularities, curbs painful periods, dries up discharges and weakens drains, cures those known as pelvic catarrhs, and a multitude of other diseases peculiar to women. Clear in mind, it is not a patent medicine, but a secret medicine, but the "Favorite Prescription" of a regularly educated physician of large experience in the cure of such peculiar ailments who frankly and confidently takes his patients into his full confidence by telling them just what his "Prescription" is composed of. Of no other medicine put up for women's special ailments, and sold through druggists, can it be said that the maker is not a patent medicine, but a secret medicine, but the "Favorite Prescription" of a regularly educated physician of large experience in the cure of such peculiar ailments who frankly and confidently takes his patients into his full confidence by telling them just what his "Prescription" is composed of.

Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce, by letter, free. All correspondence is guarded as sacredly secret and womanly confidences are protected by professional privacy. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Dr. Pierce's Peppermint Cure constipation.

It is a well known fact that cotton, or any other crop, produced with Virginia-Carolina Fertilizers will bring the highest possible price on the market. Make healthy, strong, well-developed, early cotton, with full grown bolls on the fruit limbs at the time as well as all the way up to the very top and tip of the branches of the cotton plants, by liberally using Virginia-Carolina Fertilizers.

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This is to Certify that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, is purely vegetable and does not contain any calomel, mercury, creosote, morphine, opium, strychnine, cocaine, nitrate potash (salt-petre), bromide potassium, narcotic alkaloid, whiskey, wine or any harmful or habit producing drugs. Swamp-Root was discovered through scientific research and study by Dr. Kilmer, who graduated with honors and is now actively engaged in the practice of his profession, which calling he has successfully followed many years.

Jonas M. Kilmer, senior member of the firm of Dr. Kilmer & Co., of the City of Binghamton, County of Broome, State of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says that the foregoing certificate, is in all respects true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me April 28, 1898.

James S. Harnes, Notary Public.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything, but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble, it will be found just the remedy you need. Swamp-Root makes friends. Each bottle contains the same standard of purity, strength and excellence. You may have a sample bottle of Swamp-Root free by mail, if you have not already had one. When writing to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure to mention reading this generous offer in this paper.

If you are already convinced that Swamp-Root is what you need, you can purchase the regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles at drug stores everywhere. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

The woman who refuses to divulge a secret is called a mean, stingy thing.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed, it swells and obstructs the ear-drums, which are then forced back, and the hearing is lost. When this inflammation can be taken out and the tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be restored forever, and the cause of deafness is removed. We have a cure for every case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by other means. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists. Take Hall's Kidney Pills for constipation.

Rare French Honor. M. Casimir Perier, who resigned the French presidency, has just received a rare decoration, the gold medal of the Assistance Public, which is vastly more rare than the Legion of Honor has become in these later times. M. Loubet is one of the few living recipients. Since his withdrawal from politics into private life, M. Casimir Perier has devoted himself with great energy and devotion to the relief of the gold medal conferred upon him is a tribute richly earned by years of work and example.

Facial Paralysis. Nervous Distortion of Face Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. What appears to be a slight nervous attack may be the forerunner of a severe disorder. No nervous sufferer should neglect the warning symptoms, but should see that the starved nerves are nourished before the injury to the delicate organism has gone to an extent that renders a cure a difficult matter. The nervous tissue nourishment through the blood, the same as every other part of the body, and the best nerve tonic and food is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The experience of Mr. Harry Bemis, of Truthville, Washington county, N. Y., substantiates this.

"I had been feeling badly for a long time," said Mr. Bemis, "and in the early part of September, 1902, I was compelled to quit work on account of my ill health. My trouble was at first extreme nervousness, then my sight became affected and I consulted an oculist to help me. They acted very surely in my case; my face came back into shape and in time I was entirely well."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists or by mail by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. A booklet on Nervous Disorders sent free on request.

He who is himself deceived cannot help deceiving others.

It's Dangerous to neglect a cold; the results are too often very serious. Bronchitis, pleurisy, pneumonia and consumption are frequently the consequences. Upon the appearance of a cold sore throat or chest use Simmons' Cough Syrup. It soothes the irritation, loosens the phlegm and promptly cures you.

The man who stakes his happiness on a maid always makes a mistake.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, soothes the gums, reduces inflammation, cures colic, cures wind colic. It is a bottle.

You cannot touch other hearts unless your own is touched.

Advertisement for Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, featuring a bottle image and text describing its benefits for kidney, liver, and bladder ailments.

Continuation of the Swamp-Root advertisement, including a testimonial from Jonas M. Kilmer and a list of ailments it treats.

Advertisement for 'We Have Many Similar' featuring a testimonial from a man who cured his chronic rheumatism.

Advertisement for 'Rich, Juicy Radishes Free' from the Salzer Seed Co., highlighting the benefits of their radishes.

Advertisement for 'Secretary Taft's Horse' from the Salzer Seed Co., describing the horse's qualities.

Advertisement for 'Americans in Favor' from the Salzer Seed Co., promoting their products.

Advertisement for 'Maryland Physician Cures Himself' from the Salzer Seed Co., featuring a testimonial.

Advertisement for 'Doctor Cured of Eczema' from the Salzer Seed Co., featuring a testimonial.

Advertisement for 'Prince Louis is No Butcher' from the Salzer Seed Co., featuring a testimonial.

Advertisement for 'Israel Zangwill, Pugilist' from the Salzer Seed Co., featuring a testimonial.

Advertisement for 'Dodd's Kidney Pills' from the Salzer Seed Co., highlighting their effectiveness.

Advertisement for 'Cotton' from the Salzer Seed Co., promoting their fertilizers.

Advertisement for 'New Oil Field Found' from the Salzer Seed Co., reporting on a new discovery.

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Large vertical advertisement on the right side of the page, containing various testimonials and product information for Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root and other remedies.

Tumors Conquered Without Operations

Unqualified Success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in Cases of Mrs. Fox and Miss Adams.



One of the greatest triumphs of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the conquering of woman's dread enemy, tumor.

So-called "wandering pains" may come from its early stages, or the presence of danger may be made manifest by excessive monthly periods accompanied by unusual pain extending from the abdomen through the groin and thighs.

If you have mysterious pains, if there are indications of inflammation, ulceration or displacement, don't wait for time to confirm your fears and go through the horrors of a hospital operation; secure Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once and begin its use and write Mrs. Pinkham of Lynn, Mass., for advice.

Read these strong letters from grateful women who have been cured:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—(First Letter.) "In looking over your book I see that your medicine cures tumors. I have been to a doctor and he tells me I have a tumor. I will be more than grateful if you can help me, as I do so dread an operation."—Fannie D. Fox, Bradford, Pa.

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—(Second Letter.) "I take the liberty to congratulate you on the success I have had with your wonderful medicine. Eighteen months ago my periods stopped. Shortly after I felt so badly I submitted to a thorough examination by a physician, and was told that I had a tumor and would have to undergo an operation. I soon after read one of your advertisements and decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. After taking five bottles as directed, the tumor is entirely gone. I have again been examined by a doctor."—Miss Luella Adams, Colman Hotel, Seattle, Wash.

Such unquestionable testimony proves the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and should give confidence and hope to every sick woman.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all ailing women to write to her at Lynn, Mass., for advice.

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EVENTS OF EVERYWHERE.

Controller J. W. Stephens has made formal announcement for renomination and reelection for controller.

The Bank of San Luis Obispo, the oldest institution of the kind in that city, has closed its doors by order of the bank commissioner.

According to advices a mutiny has again broken out at Vladivostok. No details are available, the censorship being operative over press and private telegrams.

Three hundred and eighty-two patents were issued to Texans during the year. Ninety-seven were obtained by residents of Oklahoma and thirty-six by those of Indian Territory.

It seems that the rumor that France had sent warships to Venezuela was premature, inasmuch as the cruisers alleged to have gone to Venezuela waters really went to Martinique.

Nathan Wesley Hale, a republican congressman from Tennessee, can claim descent from Oliver Cromwell, and one of his ancestors, General Nathan Towson, was a quarter master general under George Washington.

Francis Murphy, who for thirty-four years has pleaded throughout the English speaking world for the cause of temperance, is dying in Southern California. He is 69 years of age, was born in Ireland and came to America when he was 16 years old.

Captain Bertin, a French army officer, who was attached to the Russian army during the late war, arrived in San Francisco last week, on his way home. He said the damage done to the city of Mukden had been exaggerated, and that there had been no serious destruction of property there.

Announcement has been made by Almas F. Barrett of Chicago, that Lincoln's Orchestral Band will come to Dallas in the latter part of April for the purpose of giving a grand spring musical festival. Mr. Barrett has been in the city several days making preliminary arrangements.

The board of directors of the Waxahachie Chautauqua met in called session Friday and arranged attractions for the Chautauqua, which is to be held July 24 to Aug. 8. There were present Rev. J. C. McConnell of Ferris, Rev. J. C. Smith and O. H. Chapman of Waxahachie and Rev. W. B. Preston of Mesquite.

In a home two miles south of Thorndale, Pa., were born three sisters, who are still living and whose combined ages surpass those of all trios recently published. They are Mrs. Hannah Witmore, now of Philadelphia, aged 97; Miss Ester Steel, aged 88, and Miss Dorothy Steel, 86, a total of 271 years for the three sisters. The last two named reside in the house where they were born.

Thomas A. Edison is somewhat of a joker. A correspondent was looking over the inventor's laboratory when his eye was caught by a curious model. It looked like a cradle with some kind of telephone attachment. "What on earth is that?" inquired the visitor. "I hope to make my fortune of that invention," said Edison, gravely. "It is a motor to run by sound. You attach it to a cradle and the louder the baby cries the faster the cradle rocks."

District Attorney Jerome in the near future will move against officers of various insurance companies which were under investigation by the legislative committee. A special grand jury is to be called to consider the cases.

Since the snows have fallen wolves have become very troublesome in the Territory.

It is generally thought that the extra session will be called to meet about March 19.

Permanent organization has now been effected by the International Jewish League formed in San Francisco last month for the purpose of aiding Jewish communities in any part of the world in the attainment of civil and religious liberty.

Asked about the report that he would resign as insurance arbitrator, former President Cleveland said: "There is not a particle of truth in the report, nor any excuse for its circulation."

An agreement was reached at Muskogee between the Muskogee Commercial Club and the Midland Valley Railroad for the shops of the road to be located in Muskogee, and to remain there for a period of twenty-five years.

Two young men, Edward Rathburn and Edward Len of Verdon, O. T., were fatally injured as the result of a duel fought in that town. Lane is severely cut about the head and face and Rathburn has stabs in his body.

Luke Benoit, aged 15, while out hunting near Church Point, La., accidentally shot, and fatally wounded himself. Benoit dropped a cigarette from his mouth, and in trying to catch it, pulled the trigger of his gun, the last taking effect in his neck.

With the finding of four more survivors of the Valencia disaster on Turret Island, one of the archipelago in the center of Barkley Sound, the total number of survivors accounted for reached thirty-seven persons.

John David, who for several years has been running a restaurant at Schulenburg, killed himself by shooting through the heart with a pistol. He had been sick several days. He is survived by a widow and three small children.

Last Bismarck Classmate.

The last of the nineteen classmates of Bismarck who graduated with him from the gymnasium in Berlin in the spring of 1833 has just died in that city. His name was Von Hanstein and he was a clergyman.

The weather reminds us of some people: It is particularly pleasant just after it has done something particularly vicious.

Superior quality and extra quantity must win. This is why Defiance Starch is taking the place of all others.

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Some grocers say they don't keep Defiance Starch because they have a stock on hand of 25 oz. brands, which they cannot be sold to a customer who has once used the 16 oz. pkg. Defiance Starch for same money.

An open secret is the shortest distance between two girls.—Life.

Piso's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as a cough cure.—J. W. O'HARA, 223 Third Ave., Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 8, 1905.

A pessimist believes the milk in the cocoanut is half water.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR EYE-ITCHES.

Defiance Starch is guaranteed to cure eye-itching. If you are afflicted with eye-itching, Defiance Starch will cure you in 10 to 14 days. See.

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Every housekeeper should know that if they will buy Defiance Cold Water Starch for laundry use they will save not only time, because it never sticks to the iron, but because each package contains 16 oz.—one full pound—while all other Cold Water Starches are put up in 4-pound packages, and the price is the same, 10 cents. Then again because Defiance Starch is free from all injurious chemicals. If your grocer tries to sell you a 12-oz. package it is because he has a stock on hand which he wishes to dispose of before he puts in Defiance. He knows that Defiance Starch has printed on every package in large letters and figures "16 oz." Demand Defiance and save much time and money and the annoyance of the iron sticking. Defiance never sticks.

You cannot tell much about God's army by its church parade.

Not "Just as Good"—It's the Best.

One box of Hunt's Cure is unqualifiedly and absolutely guaranteed to cure any form of Skin Disease. It is particularly active in promptly relieving and permanently curing all forms of itching scurf.

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Don't shake out or blow out; by using Defiance Starch you obtain better results than possible with any other brand and one-third more for same money.

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This total is realized from the sale of fresh meats (beef, mutton and pork), provisions, produce (poultry, butter and eggs), soaps, glues, oils, bones, fertilizers, feathers, casings, hides, wools, pelts and other by-products derived from cattle, sheep, hogs and poultry.

Margin of Profit.

The industry is operated on a margin of less than 2 cents to each dollar of sales. Swift & Co. do not sell at retail. Their entire output is sold at wholesale to many thousands of dealers in various parts of the world. There are hundreds of local slaughterers throughout the United States, who buy their live stock in competition with the packer doing an interstate and international business. Likewise the packer must sell in competition with the local slaughterers. There are no secret processes in the industry, no complicated and expensive factories, and as live stock can be purchased in almost every hamlet and city, and the preparation of meats is simple in the extreme, local slaughtering will long remain a factor in the production of fresh meats and provisions.

Economic Advantages.

The large packing houses will, however, always have these advantages: Locations at the chief live stock centers, with the opportunity to buy the best live stock; manufacturing in large quantities, at the minimum of expense; utilization of all waste material; refrigeration; mechanical appliances; highly efficient business management. These advantages are reflected in the quality of the packer's output, a quality that has reached its highest development in the products bearing the name and brand of "Swift."

Purchasing Live Stock.

The principal live stock centers are Chicago, Kansas City, Omaha, St. Louis, St. Joseph, St. Paul and Fort Worth. The same methods of purchasing cattle, sheep and hogs prevail at all cities. At Chicago, which is the largest market, there are about two hundred and fifty buyers, representing packers, local slaughterers in various cities and exporters. Of this number, less than a score are employed by Swift & Company.

The farmer ships his live stock to Chicago, consigns them to a commission firm at the Union Stock Yards, who sees that they are unloaded and put in pens. Then the buyers inspect them, make their offers to the commission dealer, who accepts or rejects as his judgment dictates. All buying must be finished at 3 o'clock each day, and the buyer must pay spot cash. If the commission man has no satisfactory offers, he can hold his stock over to the next day. He gets his commission from the farmer, and naturally strives to get the highest possible price for his client.

Wholesale Distributing Houses.

A wholesale distributing house is a giant refrigerator, but instead of shelves there are trolley rails, from which are suspended hooks to hang the carcasses. Some of the houses cost as much as a hundred thousand dollars to build and equip. As a rule they are of pressed brick, the insides being lined—floor, walls and ceiling—with highly polished hardwood. The floors are covered daily with fresh sawdust, and all are kept spotlessly clean. There are over three hundred of these wholesale houses in various cities of the United States, and the public is always welcome to visit them.

Packing Plants.

All the Swift & Company plants are located at the great live stock markets, in the heart of the great agricultural sections, where can be purchased the finest grades of cattle, sheep and hogs. We have seven packing plants, employing at each from two to eight thousand persons. The following gives the locations and sizes of the different plants:

Packing Plants.	Buildings.		
	Buildings.	Floor Space, Acres.	Land, Acres.
Chicago	44 1/2	57 1/2	47
Kansas City	7	30	19 1/2
Omaha	6	26	23
St. Louis	7 1/2	19 1/2	31 1/2
St. Joseph	6 1/2	25 1/2	19 1/2
St. Paul	5	12	16
Fort Worth	3	15	22

Employees.

The total number of persons employed in all the Swift packing plants and branch houses aggregate over 26,000 persons. Conditions for employees in the various manufacturing and operating departments is continually improving with the construction of new buildings and the installation of new and up-to-date equipment.

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I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election as Treasurer and Tax Collector of Roosevelt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.
 J. M. FAGGARD.
 I hereby announce myself as a candidate for sheriff of Roosevelt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.
 W. W. ODOR.
 By request of numerous friends I announce my candidacy for re-election as assessor of Roosevelt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.
 JOSEPH LANG.
 I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election as sheriff of Roosevelt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.
 JOSEPH LANG.
 I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election as assessor and collector of Roosevelt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.
 B. J. REAGAN.
 I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election as probate clerk and ex-officio recorder of Roosevelt county, subject to the Democratic primaries.
 B. F. JONES, JR.

Wants Wife With Claim.
 The following letter was received this week by one of the real estate men:

CHILDRESS, TEXAS,
 January 25th 1906.
 Dear Sir:—Your letter received yesterday and in reply I want to know if the vacant land is good land. How deep do you have to dig to get water? The trouble with me is I have not got enough money right now to live on land. I am a poor man, I work for wages on a farm for a living. Is there much work to do out there? In regard to those ladies who own claims, I wouldn't like to file on a claim and keep batch much and I could hold down 2 claims if I married one of them. I believe it would be a good idea to marry a girl that had a claim and live on it, if I could do that. Now if you see anybody that wants to marry I am her buckles-berry. I am not very hard to please, of course I would take any old thing. This is my kind of a woman,—black hair and eyes and fair complexion. I want a woman that will weigh from 100 to 200 pounds or more, pretty form, from 5 to 6 feet high, that is the kind of a woman I want and just so she has a claim but one who has horses will do or one with chickens either. I prefer a religious girl, I am a member of the Methodist church. You see some nice pretty girls and tell her about me and if you get up a correspondence between me and her as to my character, I am a good character as any man. I don't use tobacco in any form nor interesting liquors and that is as much as I can say.
 As to the girl, I want one with a good claim, the right kind if nothing else, of course if she has horses or cattle it will be all right. I will give you a description of myself, I weigh from 175 to 185 pounds, 6 feet high, fair complexion, black hair, gray eyes, and 25 years old. As the land being taken up very fast? Is it black sandy land? How large a place is Portales? I may come over there in the spring but can't come now. How far is Portales from Amarillo, Texas? Please do all you can for me in finding me a girl with a claim, I am a poor man and want a home. Please let me hear from you again.

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 H. E. JOHNSTON, Sec.
W. O. W., meets in hall over Bank of Portales 1 & 3 Monday nights.
 Hamilton Camp No. 17.
 W. M. COX, C. C.
 G. W. CARR, Clerk.
Juanita Tribe No. 24 Improved Order of Redmen, meets every Wednesday night in W. O. W. hall.
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 People the world over were horrified on learning of the burning of a Chicago theater in which nearly six hundred people lost their lives, yet more than five times this number or over 3,000 people died from pneumonia in Chicago during the same year with scarcely a passing notice. Every one of these cases of pneumonia resulted from a cold and could have been prevented by the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. A great many who had every reason to fear pneumonia have ward off by the prompt use of this remedy. The following is an instance of this sort: "For much cannot be said in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and especially for colds and influenza. I know that I cured my daughter, Laura, of a severe cold, and I believe it saved her life when she was threatened with pneumonia." W. D. Wilson, Logan, New York. Sold by Peares & Dobb.

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Notice for Publication.
 Homestead Application No. 1043.
 Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, January 20, 1906.
 Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Portales, New Mexico, on March 7, 1906, viz:
 Available D. Miller of Texico, N. M., guardian of Joseph L. Carson and Mae Carson, minor children of William M. Carson, deceased, for the southeast quarter of section 22, T. 1 S., R. 34 E.
 He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
 Samuel E. Turner, Thomas H. Turner, Joshua E. Morrison and James Dumas, all of Portales, N. M.
 HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice for Publication.
 Homestead Application No. 4650.
 Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, Jan. 20, 1906.
 Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales N. M., on March 7, 1906, viz:
 Bradford B. Barr, of Portales, New Mexico, for the southeast quarter of section 12, T. 2 S., R. 33 E.
 He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
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 Homestead Application No. 1327.
 Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, January 20, 1906.
 Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office at Portales, New Mexico, on March 7, 1906, viz:
 Thomas J. Davis, of Portales, New Mexico, for the west and east sections 25, T. 1 S., R. 34 E.
 He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
 Charles L. Carter, James B. Barnes, Robert L. Wood and Thomas H. Turner, all of Portales, N. M.
 HOWARD LELAND, Register.
Notice for Publication.
 Homestead Application No. 1694.
 Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, January 20, 1906.
 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 W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on March 7, 1906, viz:
 Ellis Turner, of Portales, New Mexico, for the west and east sections 27 and west section 28, T. 1 S., R. 34 E.
 She names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
 Joshua E. Morrison, Samuel E. Turner, John A. Fairly and Robert L. Wood, all of Portales, N. M.
 HOWARD LELAND, Register.
Notice for Publication.
 Homestead Application No. 1097.
 Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, January 20, 1906.
 Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office at Portales, New Mexico, on March 7, 1906, viz:
 Thomas H. Turner, of Portales, New Mexico, for the southeast quarter of section 25, T. 1 S., R. 34 E.
 He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
 Joshua E. Morrison, Samuel E. Turner, John A. Fairly and Robert L. Wood, all of Portales, N. M.
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Contest Notice.
 Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, January 5, 1906.
 A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Solen E. Moore contestant, against Homestead entry No. 4179 made May 14, 1903 for the southwest quarter of section 21 and the east half of section 22, township 2 S., range 35 E., by George W. Howard Contestee, in which it alleged that the said George W. Howard has wholly abandoned said tract; that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry and next prior to the date hereof; that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law; and that said alleged abandonment from said land was not due to his employment in the army Navy or Marine corps of the United States in time of war; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegations on or before 2 o'clock p. m. on March 2nd, 1906 before U. S. Commissioner W. E. Lindsey at his office at Portales, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 2 o'clock p. m. on March 16, 1906 before the Register at the United States Land Office in Roswell, New Mexico.
 The said contestant having in a proper affidavit filed January 13, 1906, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.
 HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Contest Notice.
 Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, November 28, 1905.
 A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Jefferson W. Boyd contestant, against Homestead entry No. 3048, made Oct. 10, 1902, for the southwest quarter of section 14, Township 2 S., range 33 E., by Clarence N. Webb, contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Clarence N. Webb has wholly abandoned said tract; that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry, and next prior to the date hereof; that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law; and that said alleged abandonment from said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine corps of the United States as private soldier, officer, seaman, or marine, during the war with Spain or otherwise; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegations at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 9, 1906 before U. S. Commissioner, W. E. Lindsey, at his office in Portales, Roosevelt county, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 23, 1906 before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, New Mexico.
 The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed January 3, 1906, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.
 HOWARD LELAND, Register.
 DAVID L. GEYER, Receiver.

Notice for Publication.
 Homestead Application No. 1694.
 Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, January 20, 1906.
 Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on March 7, 1906, viz:
 Ellis Turner, of Portales, New Mexico, for the west and east sections 27 and west section 28, T. 1 S., R. 34 E.
 She names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
 Joshua E. Morrison, Samuel E. Turner, John A. Fairly and Robert L. Wood, all of Portales, N. M.
 HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice for Publication.
 Homestead Application No. 1097.
 Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, January 20, 1906.
 Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office at Portales, New Mexico, on March 7, 1906, viz:
 Thomas H. Turner, of Portales, New Mexico, for the southeast quarter of section 25, T. 1 S., R. 34 E.
 He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
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Notice for Publication.
 Homestead Application No. 1691.
 Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, November 25, 1905.
 Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office at Portales, New Mexico, on January 8, 1906, viz:
 James G. Barnes, of Portales, New Mexico, for the southeast quarter of section 30, township 1 south, R 34 east.
 He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz:
 Robert Hicks, Charles L. Carter, Enoch Boren and George Turner, all of Portales, N. M.
 HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice for Publication.
 Homestead Ent'y No. 4013.
 Department of the Interior, Land Office at Clayton, New Mexico, January 24, 1906.
 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 W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Portales, New Mexico on March 8, 1906, viz:
 Hessel D. Ferrall of Texico, New Mexico, for the northwest quarter of section 22, T. 2 N., R. 35 E.
 She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz:
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 EDWARD W. FOX, Register.

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