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PORTALES, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, SEPTEMBER 15, 1906.

NUMBER 29.

Local and Personal

A fine rain fell here Thursday night. Cowboy boots made to order at R. M. Sanders. All boot and shoe work done at R. M. Sanders is guaranteed. School opened Monday with an enrollment of upwards of six hundred. See Bain for your blacksmithing and wood work. Slover's old stand. A nice line of summer lap dusters at R. M. Sanders.

See W. R. Johnston for the latest in roller skates.

Ladies kid gloves in all lengths, colors and sizes at Warren-Fooshee & Co's.

Washing made easy by sending it to J. F. Tompkins, agent.

W. W. Sherrill, of Lewisville, Tex., is visiting in Portales this week.

See those new dress goods at Warren-Fooshee & Co's.

Dr. J. E. Camp will move his dental parlor to the Red Cross Drug store.

Burton-Lingo for all kinds of building material.

If you want your wife to be all smiles, send your laundry to J. F. Tompkins, agent.

If you like good bread just try the famous Polar Bear flour at Laster's.

Burton-Lingo for all kinds of building material.

R. K. Puckett was up from his ranch this week.

Ask Dick Minshaw who the farmer is who shells his corn by hand.

The best school shoes on the market sold by Warren-Fooshee & Co.

Three new cash registers for Portales this week.

Burton-Lingo for all kinds of building material.

Biggest stock of furniture ever come to Portales, due Sept. 1.

Wilsford & Son.

Ed J. Neer is having a barn built on the place he bought from Mr. Pendergraft.

Mrs. Garrett has moved her millinery store to the building formerly occupied by Warren-Fooshee & Co.

The First National Bank has always identified itself in a substantial way with the affairs that concern the good of the community.

We have some bargains in furniture. Wilsford & Son.

Mrs. C. E. Hall, of Elida, is visiting in the city this week.

Just received a car of cement. Burton-Lingo Company.

All kinds of hand made boots and shoes at R. M. Sanders harness shop.

You will find something new every Saturday on the bargain table at Wilsford & Son.

All daughters of the Confederacy be sure and meet at the Court house Saturday Sept. 21, 1906.

R. E. Curd has a full-grown bull which is only thirty-one inches tall and weighs only seventy-two pounds. He will take it to the Roswell fair.

Dr. Rigdon, the optician will be at Pearce & Dobbs' drug store, Saturday September 15.

Bovkin & Caraway have made several improvements on their meat market.

Wilsford & Son have a bargain table arranged for every Saturday, in their store, don't miss it.

Buck, a registered poland china toar, No. 11127, will do service at the farm of B. Blankenship, two miles east of town for this season. Service \$2.50 or choice of pigs.

How to smile when you look in the glass at yourself, patronize the Roswell Steam Laundry.

J. F. Tompkins, Agent.

Joe Chambe's and Mark Yates, of Booneville, Mississippi, were Roosevelt county visitors last week, the guests of C. C. Allen.

Don't smoke, but if you do smoke, smoke the best.

The Mercantile Cigars.

H. T. Ahrens, Prop. Club Saloon.

Miss Helen Seymour left this week for Boston where she will in connection with a collegiate course, study music at the Boston conservatory.

J. B. Crawford and J. J. Pinson, who made an overland trip to El Paso Co. Texas, returned this week. Both these gentlemen say that they did not see anything better than Roosevelt county is producing, even in the Artesian district.

Big ware house under construction for the purpose of storing our mammoth stock of furniture, stoves, queensware, glassware and undertakers supplies. Goods will begin to arrive Sept. 1. Don't fail to see our stock. No trouble to show goods.

Wilsford & Son.

Mrs. Mitchell & Carr have opened their ladies' furnishings store in the building east of Warren-Fooshee & Company's. While their goods are not nearly all here yet, they have a very nice display and are receiving considerable encouragement in the way of trade. There will also be a millinery and dressmaking department

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

ED J. NEER, Proprietor.

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.

FURNITURE.

We sell new furniture so cheap that you can't afford to buy second-hand goods. Be fair to yourself and investigate. Watch for the date of our reduction sale on Rockers.

Undertaking

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

Prompt attention given to mail orders.

DRUGS.

Being a registered pharmacist you can safely bring us your prescriptions. Our skill is your safeguard. Quality costs us more, but it holds our trade. New line of perfumes just received.

Exclusive Agent for Lincoln Paint, Especially Adapted to this Climate.

THE SEASON IS HERE



When property is continually changing hands. If you need money to invest in real estate, call and see us. The chief function of a bank is to receive deposits and to make loans. These things we are prepared to do, in a manner acceptable to our patrons. Every transaction between the bank and its customers, we regard as of a private nature, not to be divulged by us. Our methods, though conservative, are modern and liberal. A prudent, progressive policy is the mark at which we aim.

The First National Bank, Portales, New Mexico.

EAGLE SALOON.

G. C. JOHNSON, Proprietor.



The Very Finest Wines, Liquors and Cigars

Dripping Springs, Hill & Hill, Kentucky Dew, Hickory Club Guckheimer and Cedar Run Whiskies, all Bottled in Bond.

Budweiser and Schlitz Beer, Two Bottles for 25c.

Call at the Old Warren-Fooshee

Store to see Mrs. Garrett who has returned from the Eastern market where she bought the largest and most up-to-date line of millinery that has ever been brought to Portales. She spent several days in the trimming rooms at Kansas City which affords the very best opportunity for learning the latest modes in millinery. Mesdames Garrett and Hightower wish to thank the ladies of the town and county for their very liberal patronage in the past and hope to deserve a goodly share of the trade in the future.

The Turf Exchange Saloon.

U. N. HALL, Proprietor.

The Very Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

Paul Jones, Four Star, the Best Whisky on the Market, is Especially Recommended for Family Use.

OPPOSITE FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

WILLIAM E. STEWART.

...LIVERY...

Good Rigs, Gentle Teams, Fashionable Turn Out, a Fine Finera Car. Call or phone when you need a team.

Teacher of Music.

Mrs. Linnie Hamilton who has been an eminent teacher of vocal and instrumental music for fifteen years and who has had the most proficient training in the conservatory of Cincinnati, has opened a private studio at the Vendome Hotel.

Your patronage is solicited, terms four dollars per month.

Take advantage of this opportunity for it is a rare one along musical lines.

Jenkins-Rucker.

Mr. Jenkins and Miss Pannie Rucker were married last Saturday at 10 o'clock, a. m. at the M. E. church, and left on the 2:30 train for the north.

Don't forget Laster when you want feed and groceries.

The callboose has been moved from here to Texico.

Mrs. Garrett returned Sunday from Kansas City.

Will in future carry the best grade of cigars to be found in Portales.

Laster.

J. D. Osborn, of Thurben, Texas, is visiting his brother, J. W. Osborn.

Elbert Smith, of Carlsbad, N. M., is visiting "homefolks" and friends here this week.

Mrs. T. M. Laster left Thursday for Hubbard City, Texas, for a visit with relatives.

FOR SALE—Two good mules cheap apply to Acker & Cummins, Elida, New Mexico.

Earl Bayless, who has for some time been working on the telephone lines here, returned Tuesday to Roswell.

They are going, that enamel ware at 25 cents per piece at Laster's.

Flour, meal, graham, bran, kafir chops, sugar, coffee, rice, gasoline, coal oil, tobacco, potatoes, in fact everything that's good, at Laster's.

Just received another shipment of the celebrated H & K coffee. If you like a good cup of coffee give it a trial.

Laster.

For the latest in ladies belts and hand bags go to Warren-Fooshee & Co's.

WANTED—100 hands to pick cotton 500 bales to gather, houses furnished, on Floydado and Childress wagon road Whiteflat, in Motley Co., 7 miles north of Matador, Texas.

E. A. Day.

Pashatan Carter, son of Judge C. L. Carter, and Leon Jones left this week for Dallas, Texas, where they will take business courses.

Wanted—500 white cotton pickers, Brazos valley, Stone wall Co. Texas, at top price. Grass and water free. Via Lubbock, Espula, Saltflat and Gatling. Negroes not wanted.

R. H. Anderson, Mattie, Texas.

Warren-Fooshee & Co. are now in their new house just one door south of their old stand. They have just received the largest stock of dry goods ever brought to Portales. Their aim in the future, as in the past, will be to sell all goods on the closest margin of profit.

Warren-Fooshee & Co. have installed a new cash register in their home. It is the most modern machine made by the National Cash Register Co. In connection to the regular register it is equipped with an adding equipment that adds each separate clerks sales, the total sales for the day, week, month and year, records number of customers waited on and amount of each one purchase, prints and issues to each customer a ticket showing amount of purchase, number of customer, the day the month and the year. In fact it is a mechanical book keeper.

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J. P. STONE, President. S. A. MORRISON, Cashier. H. BLANKENSHIP, Vice-President. J. B. SLEDGE, Assistant Cashier.

The Bank of Portales,

PORTALES, NEW MEXICO.

At the close of business June 26th, 1906. Statement condensed from report to Territorial Auditor

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 55,464 77	Capital	\$ 30,000 00
Overdrafts	3,345 04	Surplus and Profits	8,526 09
Real Estate and Fixtures	6,417 27	Exchange Account	202 95
Cash and Sight Exchange	68,143 32	Due Deposits	97,149 83
Expense Account	2,308 47		
Total	\$135,678 87	Total	\$135,678 87

I certify the above to be a true and correct statement.

S. A. Morrison, Cashier.

Sworn to before me this 26th day of June, 1906. G. L. REESE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: J. P. Stone, B. Blankenship, J. B. Sledge, Directors.

Comparative Statement.

The deposits of The Bank of Portales on May 7th 1906, \$67,471 84

The deposits of The Bank of Portales on June 26th, 1906, 97,149 83

Which shows a gain, in one month and nineteen days, of \$29,678 19

The Times is in receipt of a letter from J. I. Slover, in which he states that he has bought a blacksmith shop at Santa Fe, and is enjoying a good business. Mr. Slover is a good blacksmith and a good citizen and his many friends here will be glad to learn that he is doing well.

Watermelon Premium.

The Times will pay \$2.00 cash for the largest watermelon brought to this office this year and \$1.00 cash for the second best. Melons must have been raised in Roosevelt county.

Particular Cigars for Particular People.

The Mercantile Cigars high grade goods are our pride, so if you wish something good smoke the Mercantile cigars.

H. T. Ahrens, Prop. Club Saloon.

To the Public.

I am Stark Bros. agent for fruit, and the way to get right is to start right. It pays to plant the best of anything so have the record of finding one they of the best nursery in existence. So if you want anything in that line for fall or spring it makes no difference how small your order may be we will appreciate it and will give you what you buy and the best that can be gotten. So when in town call on me at the Palace of Sweets.

J. B. Bannister, agent.

Stark Bros. Nursery & Orchard Co. Louisiana, Mo.

Drama & Operetta.

Will soon be given by home talent for square improvement. The trials of a young photographer will be interspersed with operettas by the Woodcock-Meeks Quartette. Watch for this as it is sure to be one of the best treats Portales people have ever enjoyed.

King-Harrison.

One of the prettiest weddings of the season occurred Wednesday night Sept. 5, at the M. E. Church, when Mr. Watson King and Miss Emma Harrison were united in marriage.

The church was neatly decorated in smilax and ferns.

The bride was gowned in white silk and beautifully trimmed in lace and ribbon.

The groom wore the conventional black.

Promptly at 8:30 o'clock. The bridal party entered the church to the sweet strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Mrs. J. W. Curtis. Mr. Wilson, the officiating minister met them at the altar and during the beautiful and impressive ceremony "Love is all in all" was played modulating again into the march as the ceremony closed and they turned to leave the church.

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DEATH FOUL AND HORRIBLE.

A Waco Business Man Murdered and Store Robbed. Waco, Texas, September 11.—Mathias Block, a wealthy retail dealer in groceries and meat, was murdered Sunday night as he sat at his desk at his place of business at the corner of Twelfth and Morrow streets, by being struck twice on the head with an ax, the object of the crime being robbery. Deceased operated both a grocery store and a meat market. His assailant took an ax, which was lying outside near the barbecue pit, and struck his victim with the blunt side, crushing in the skull. Block was a man of heavy build. He remained sitting in his chair, and in that position at four o'clock in the morning he was found dead.

Re-Organizers in Court.

Austin: The fight of the reorganized Republican Party of Texas has reached the Supreme Court in due form and the questions at issue will be argued before the court on Thursday, 20th instant. This order was made Monday morning and was signed first by Associate Justice Brown, in chambers at Paris, and concurred Monday by Associate Justice Williams, who is here. Chief Justice Gaines is out of the State, but is expected to return to Texas some time this week, and it is more than probable that the entire court will be on the bench when the special and important case is called on the 20th.

Shot to Death in His Buggy.

Houston, Texas: Monday afternoon the body of Sam Bongio was found dead just off the Harrisburg road, outside the city limits. The body was in a buggy that had belonged to Mr. Bongio, and he was evidently out driving alone when his violent death occurred. The wound was through the head from the right side made with a 41-caliber pistol, which was found in the foot of the buggy. The blood had run down from the seat into the foot of the buggy. Sam Bongio had lived here some twenty years and leaves a wife and several children. He was about fifty years old and was a wholesale and retail fruit dealer.

Texas Printers Organize.

Houston: The meeting of the employing printers of Texas was called to order by George M. Courts, of Galveston and Emmis Cargill, of Houston, was elected temporary secretary. The permanent organization of the convention was announced and ew officers formally installed. They were; President Tom W. Perkins, McKinney; vice presidents, J. V. Dealy, Houston; J. S. Hill, Waco; Paul Bennett, Paris; Giles M. Halton, Nacogdoches; Fred Beardsley, Galveston; T. L. Lamb, Beaumont; H. C. Fricks, Austin; Fred Bonlawre, Fort Worth; O. P. Wilson, Taylor; secretary, Henry Dorsey, Dallas; treasurer, Robert M. Clarke, San Antonio; sergeant-at-arms, A. B. Moore Fort Worth. The meeting was in response to a call sent broadcast over the State and signed by the representatives of nine large firms of employing printers. The object of the meeting is a combination for the exchange of ideas and by the friendship engendered by social contact to place the business upon a footing calculated to result to the benefit of all concerned.

A Lamar County Farmer Killed a Rattle Snake.

A Lamar County farmer killed a rattle snake a few days ago that had just swallowed a small puppy. George F. Murphy, of Denison, died of heart failure at Shreveport a few days since.

Tearful Productivity of Collin.

McKinney: W. O. Carey, of near Alto, eight miles east of here, has just finished marketing an extraordinarily good onion crop at McKinney, which he raised this year on a small patch of ground measuring by actual measurement less than two acres of land. A total of 250 bushels were marketed and netted Mr. Carey, who is a renter, about \$200, or nearly double the market value of the land producing the crop.

Good Report From Transvaal.

San Antonio: John McNally, a stockman of this city, is back from South Africa, where he accompanied a shipment of mules which were sold to the British Government to replenish the farms of the Boers. He says that his observations in the Transvaal leads him to believe that the Boers are again prosperous and happy. He will leave next week for Cape Town with another shipment of mules for the same purpose.

Negro Friend Dies Suddenly.

Culloden, Ga.: Charles Miller, a negro about 20 years old, was arrested, charged with an attempted assault on the 12-year-old daughter of a farmer. He was started to Forsythe in charge of an officer. When six miles from here he was overtaken by a crowd. The officer resisted, but was overpowered. The negro was taken away and in a short time about 100 shots were heard. His body was found later in an old well.

To Go "On Tick" Again.

Austin: Before the expiration of the week, it is almost safe to say that the funds to the credit of the general revenue in the state treasury will have been again exhausted and the state will again be operating on a deficit, that is, all warrants will have to be registered. The cash is now at a low ebb as Treasurer Robbins has just finished paying the current expenses.

PROHIBITION IN ELLIS.

Just A Matter of How Much Majority the Pros Have. Ellis, Tex., Sept. 10.—The local option landslide in this county Saturday was a surprise to even the most enthusiastic friends of prohibition. The pro majority in the county four years ago was less than 800 and many of the pro workers believed that the majority this time would be but little more. The most sanguine did not expect more than 1,500 or 2,000. Complete returns from forty-one of forty-seven boxes give the following in Saturday's local option election: For prohibition 3,946, against prohibition 1,995; majority in favor of prohibition 1,951. The six boxes not yet to report are small ones but it is claimed that four of these will give pro majorities. Lone Cedar, in the southern part of the county, and Alsford, in the eastern part, may possibly give small anti majorities. The total vote in the county will be little more than 6,000, or about 3,000 less than the vote cast four years ago.

Banks Show Great Increase.

Austin: W. J. Clay, State Superintendent of Banking, has issued statements showing the condition of Texas bank and trust companies since September 30, 1905. The tables for September, 1905, and up to the close of business August 31, 1906, shown an increase from twenty-two banks and seven trust companies in 1905, to ninety-four banks and eighteen trust companies in 1906. The aggregate resources of all State banks and trust companies in September, 1905, were \$4,241,856.94. In August of this year the resources had increased to \$114,096,104.14.

Will Make Losses Good.

Philadelphia: All the directors of the Real Estate Trust Company, said to have been wrecked by its dead president, Frank K. Hipple, have agreed to Received Earle's plan of reorganization. Mr. Earle received a message from Dr. Weir S. Mitchell, the only member of the body who is away from the city, agreeing that the directors contribute the amount deemed necessary. The other directors had previously assented.

Ended It All With a Razor.

Chicago, Ill.: Clarence K. Wooster, vice president of the People's Gas, Light and Coke Company, and prominent in club and social circles, killed himself at his home in this city by cutting his throat with a razor. Mr. Wooster is supposed to have been insane. About three weeks ago he suffered from heat prostration, and had for several days past been under the care of physicians.

To Reclaim Texas Wastes.

New Orleans: Dr. B. M. Hall, chief of the division of the Land Reclamation Bureau, comprising the States of Texas, Arizona and Oklahoma, is in El Paso, which will henceforth be the headquarters of the division, which have been in Arizona. An extensive piece of work will soon be undertaken near El Paso, which is hoped will result in the reclamation of a vast barren territory.

Henry Nathaniel, a negro, aged about 28 years, was run over and instantly killed early Sunday morning by an early Interurban Railway car. The accident occurred west of the Trinity River bridge at Dallas, Texas. He seemed to have fallen asleep on the track and was not discovered soon enough to stop the car.

The derrick was competed Saturday and drilling for oil by the new company, the De Kalk Gas and Oil Company, was begun Monday morning.

J. H. Burnett, of Guthrie, has purchased S. J. Higgin's farm, three miles east of Wichita Falls and will stock it with 150 milk cows and a herd of hogs. He has also purchased a lot and contracted for the erection of a large creamery and ice cream factory.

Dr. C. F. Champion, one of the four original physicians who settled in Enid at the opening of the Strip and who was well known among medical fraternities throughout the Territory, died recently at Wichita, Kans., from a complication of diseases.

While engaged in a friendly boxing bout with Charles H. Smith, a companion, at Little Rock, Carney Griffin became suddenly ill and died within a few minutes. Physicians state the young man's death was due to over-exertion.

At a meeting of representatives of several Farmers Union Locals held at Brandon it was practically decided to accept a proposition by G. L. White to furnish yard room, office room, etc., besides giving a cash bonus of \$500, provided a Farmers Union warehouse is erected there.

It is learned authoritatively that the Brownsville Road will be running trains into Houston and Galveston at the end of thirty days, probably using the Santa Fe tracks from Angleton.

Upon the advice of his physician, Colonel Campbell has cancelled all his engagements to speak, and will devote the next month to an endeavor to recover his health, which shows signs of giving way under the strain which he has lately undergone.

Joe Conrad, of Albany, was thrown from his horse, striking a tree, and was instantly killed.

Archie Serogin, of Corpus Christi, was caught in the saws of a gin at Gregory and so badly hurt that he died of the injuries.

Rather Rough.

Above the stairway there flickered a candle and then a deep voice called from the shadows: "Katherine, Katherine. Who is that sandpapering the wall this hour of the night?" A long stillness and then: "No one down here, father, dear. I guess it must be next door." The candle vanished and then from the gloom of the parlor: "George, you big goose, I told you never to call on me unless you had been shaved."

A Household Necessity.

I would almost as soon think of running my farm without implements as without Hunt's Lightning Oil. Of all the liniments I have ever used, for both man and beast, it is the quickest in action and richest in results. For burns and fresh cuts it is absolutely wonderful. I regard it as a household necessity.

States of Brazil.

Politically, Brazil is divided into 21 states (including the federal district), but so unequal is the division that three of these embrace practically her entire lowlands, as well as a portion of the western uplands, and exceed in area the remaining 18, which lie within the highland region, except for their narrow margins upon the coast. These latter, however, contain more than 96 per cent. of the population.

Cures Skin Troubles.

Edinburg, Miss. A. E. Richards Med. Co., Sherman, Texas. Gentlemen: I was troubled with Salt Rheum or Tetter in my hands for many years. I tried many remedies advertised for such diseases, but never got any relief until I got a box of Hunt's Cure.

Three Great Conversationalists.

The three greatest conversationalists with whom it has been my good fortune to come into touch were Maximal, Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes and Bismarck. Of these, Dr. Holmes was the most spirited in the bel esprit sense; Bismarck the most imposing and at the same time the most entertaining in point of wit, sarcasm, anecdote and narrative of historical interest, brought out with rushing vivacity and with lightning-like illumination of conditions, facts and men.

Tact.

He had crossed her and she was in a dangerous mood. "See!," she hissed, pointing her finger at him, "see how you have worked up my feelings. Why, I am purple with rage." But the young man only smiled. "No becoming," he mused, softly. "What is becoming, sir?" "Why, the purple. It just matches that purple waist you have on."

Jack Honea and his father, J. P. Honea, were walking together a few nights since on the City Hall Square at Waco, when the former was instantly killed by a pistol shot. The man who fired the shot is said to have unintentionally killed the boy. He surrendered to the Sheriff.

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ALL OVER TEXAS.

It is now confidently asserted that the Mineral Wells and Northwestern Railway will be extended to Trinidad, Colorado. Twirling a revolver around his finger in his saloon in Dallas, Thaddeus C. Helms was, it is thought, fatally shot. During a thunder storm lightning struck the home of States Gordon near Lindale, killing his son and badly shocking himself and daughter. The

In a rage, Henry Powers, a negro ex-convict at Georgetown, killed his wife, Fannie, by striking her with a heavy bar of iron several times.

The fourth bank of Weatherford has been organized, to be known as the Weatherford Bank and Trust Company, with a capital stock of \$125,000.

John E. Kingman, an aged man, killed himself at Shreveport, taking morphine and carbolic acid. He is said to have come from Austin, Texas, where relatives reside.

Olive, the little 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. McKinnon, died at her home in Olive, Texas, Tuesday from blood poisoning, caused by stepping upon a rusty nail.

Owing to a congestion of grain at Galveston and the inability of the Santa Fe to get its cars unloaded, the road has ordered its agents to decline further consignments of wheat to the Gulf port until after Sept. 13.

W. J. Adams, a widower forty years old, leaving a small daughter, suicided at Temple a few nights since in the dead room of the undertaking establishment where he worked.

Royal Akates of Texas, Indian Territory and Oklahoma convened in Fort Worth Thursday and the work of the association requires it to last three days. Nearly 300 delegates were present.

When Prof. Harry E. Goodell takes charge of the department of music at Trinity University, Waco, he will bring with him from Ohio, a violin recently purchased at a cost of \$500. The instrument was made by Theodore Hiberlein, one of the greatest manufacturers of violins in Germany.

Jesus Gonzalez, a Mexican well digger, disappeared from Austin four days. He was found alive at the bottom of a well which he had been digging on a farm south of town. His body was partly covered by a cave-in of earth. He was almost famished for food and water.

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Swords into a Plow.

During the centennial celebration in Philadelphia in 1876 the members of the Universal Peace union assembled to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the foundation of the order. A number of officers and descendants of officers gave their swords to be made into a plow as a symbol of peace. The weapons were afterward fashioned into a homely agricultural implement, which, however, instead of being a plow, took the shape of the ordinary field cultivator. This cultivator may now be seen in the hall at Geneva, Switzerland. It is an inscription giving the history of the implement.

The Limit.

Lawson—What a rash fellow Bjenkins is. Dawson—Rash! I should say so! Why, Bjenkins would even offer to be one of the judges at a baby show.—Somerville Journal.

The Age of Lead.

We are wont to speak of this era as the "age of iron," and there is no gainsaying that, industrially speaking, iron is a "precious metal." Nevertheless, few people realize how useful, if not absolutely necessary, to modern civilization, is that other metal, lead. Soft, yielding, pliable, it is not much like its sister metal, but those distinguishing qualities are what give it such a prominent place in the arts and industries. Modern plumbing, requiring many turnings and twistings, but without joints, would be almost impossible without lead pipe. The greatest civilizing agent in the world—the printing art—is absolutely dependent on lead. Hand-set type, linotype "slugs," monotype type—all are made of compositions of which lead is the chief component—to say nothing of the bearings in the presses as well as all other kinds of machinery in which "babbitt" metal is used.

Solder is another lead product—what a field of usefulness that one form opens up.

Then there is the most important use of all to which lead is put—paint, that necessary material which keeps our houses looking pretty—inside and out—and preserves them from decay. How many of us thank metallic lead for the comforts of paint? Yet the best house paint is nothing but metallic lead corroded by acid to a white powder known as "white lead." Of course, there are many imitations of "white lead," some of which are sold as white lead and some which are offered by the name of ready-prepared paint under the familiar pretense that they are "just as good" as white lead. But all good paint is made of the metal, lead, corroded and ground to a fine white powder and mixed with linseed oil.

White lead is also used in the coating of fine oil cloths and for many purposes besides paint.

"Red lead" is another product of metallic lead and is what is known as an oxide of lead, being produced by burning the metal. Red lead is the best paint known to preserve iron, steel or tin, and is used largely in painting metal structures, such as skyscraper skeletons, mills and bridges. There are many other products of the metal lead, such as litharge, orange mineral, etc., which are essential to many of the arts in which we never imagine that lead would be the least use.

Verily, we live in an age of lead as well as of iron.

First Coins Were Brass.

The first coins were struck in brass about 1184 B. C., and in gold and silver by Pheldon, tyrant of Argos, about 662 B. C.

STOMACH PAINS

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Brought Relief, and Cure for Spitting Headaches as Well. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, a remedy which has been before the American people for a generation, is still accomplishing wonderful results as is evidenced by the following interview with Mrs. Rachel Gardner, of Wilsey, Kans. "It was very strange," she says, "I never could tell what caused it and neither could anybody else. For a long time I had had spells with my stomach. The pains would commence about my heart and was so deadly agonizing that I would have to scream aloud. Sometimes it would last several hours and I would have to take laudanum to stop it. Besides this I had a headache almost constantly, day and night, that nearly crazed me, so you see I suffered a great deal. And when I think of the agony I endured it still makes me shudder."

"Doctor, did you say? Their medicine made me sicker. I couldn't take it and I kept growing worse until a friend advised me to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I did. I began to feel better and was soon wholly converted to this wonderful medicine. It did me more good than I had ever hoped for. I kept on with the pills and now I recommend them to all who suffer."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured severe cases of indigestion, bloodlessness, influenza, headaches, backaches, lameness, sciatica, neuralgia, nervousness and spinal weakness. The genuine Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are guaranteed to be free from opiates or any harmful drugs and cannot injure the most delicate system. At all druggists, or from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., postpaid on receipt of price, 60 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50.

MEXICO'S VAST SODA LAKES.

The Government Will Not Dispose of Them to Anyone.

Mexico is the possessor of such vast and valuable soda lakes that the government refuses to dispose of them to anyone or at any price. President Diaz believing that they are yet to become sources of enormous income to the country, just as the nitrate of soda beds are to Chile. At only one other place in the world is natural soda found under conditions which admit of industrial development, and even there it must be shipped hundreds of miles by rail and many tons of water must be evaporated by coal, to obtain a ton of the product. But at the Bay of Adair, only a mile from the coast of Lower California, under the blazing sun of the desert, lie vast lakes of crystals of carbonate of soda, with the appearance of masses of snow and ice, but from which will be made millions of tons of soap and other millions of tons of glass.

The world's consumption amounts to hundreds of thousands of tons annually, and nearly all of it is manufactured from common salt with the use of expensive machinery, while at Adair the nature does all the work in producing an article worth \$75 per ton. It is estimated that there is enough soda on top of the ground to produce 100 tons a day for 75 years.

Subject for Another Lecture.

"Oh, dear," exclaimed Mrs. Slapdash, when they were finally seated in the carriage. "I've only got one of my earrings on. I left the other on my dressing table." "Huh!" grunted her husband, "just like my lectures on your carelessness—in one ear and out the other."

The block of granite which was an obstacle in the pathway of the weak becomes a stepping stone in the pathway of the strong.—Carlyle.

STOP, WOMAN!

AND CONSIDER THE ALL-IMPORTANT FACT



That in addressing Mrs. Pinkham you are confiding your private ills to a woman—a woman whose experience with women's diseases covers twenty-five years. The present Mrs. Pinkham is the daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, and for many years under her direction, and since her decease, her advice has been freely given to sick women.

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation:

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. All letters are received, opened, read and answered by women only. A woman can freely talk of her private illness to a woman; thus has been established the eternal confidence between Mrs. Pinkham and the women of America which has never been broken. Out of the vast volume of experience which she has to draw from, it is more than possible that she has gained the very knowledge that will help your case. She asks nothing in return except your good-will, and her advice has relieved thousands. Surely any woman, rich or poor, is very foolish if she does not take advantage of this generous offer of assistance.—Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

Following we publish two letters from a woman who accepted this invitation. Note the result:

First letter. Dear Mrs. Pinkham—For eight years I have suffered something terrible every month. The pains are excruciating and I can hardly stand them. My doctor says I have a severe female trouble, and I must go through an operation if I want to get well. I do not want to submit to it if I can possibly help it. Please tell me what to do. I hope you can relieve me.—Mrs. Mary Dimmick, 59th and E. Capitol Streets, Washington, D. C.

Second letter.

Dear Mrs. Pinkham—After following carefully your advice, and taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, I am very anxious to send you my testimonial, that others may know their value and what you have done for me.

As you know, I wrote you that my doctor said I must have an operation or I could not live. I then wrote you, telling you my ailments. I followed your advice and an entirely well. I can walk miles without an ache or a pain, and I owe my life to you and to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I wish every suffering woman would read this testimonial and realize the value of writing to you and your remedy.—Mrs. Mary Dimmick, 59th and E. Capitol Streets, Washington, D. C.

When a medicine has been successful in restoring to health so many women whose testimony is so unquestionable, you cannot well say, without trying it, "I do not believe it will help me."

If you are ill, don't hesitate to get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once, and write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for special advice—it is true and always helpful.

Hasty Nervous Chewing of Food the Cause of Dyspepsia

If your teeth are fit, chew, chew, until the food is liquid and insists on being swallowed.

If teeth are faulty, soften Grape-Nuts with hot milk or cream, or allow to stand a minute soaking in cold cream.

"There's a reason," as follows: Grape-Nuts food is in the form of hard and brittle granules, intended to be ground up by the teeth; that work not only preserves the teeth but brings down the saliva from the gums so necessary in the primary work of digestion.

Many people say (and it is true) that when they eat Grape-Nuts they seem able to digest not only that food but other kinds which formerly made trouble when eaten without Grape-Nuts.

Chew! "There's a reason" for

Grape-Nuts

NO. 5187
Report of the Condition of the

First National Bank,

At Portales, in the territory of New Mexico, at the close of business, September 4, 1906.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$129,335.25
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	2,288.51
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	861.51
Banking House and Fixtures	5,231.45
Due from National banks, not reserve agents	44,819.99
Due from approved reserve agents	17,854.45
Checks and other cash items	5,940.15
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	32.14
Surplus fund	4,017.06
Special reserve in profit and loss	54,787.15
Legal-tender notes	8,251.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer	565.00
5 per cent circulation	565.00
Total	\$245,717.23
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	5,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid	1,617.00
Due to National banks	11,520.00
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	276.45
Individual deposits, subject to check	131,131.50
Demand certificates of deposit	650.00
Time certificates of deposit	11,995.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,715.00
Total	\$245,717.23

Territory of New Mexico, County of Roosevelt, ss: I, W. O. Oldham, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. O. OLDHAM, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Sept. 1906. W. A. DAVIS, Notary Public.

(SEAL)
Correct—Attest:
Ed. J. Naylor,
Director.

RECAPITULATION.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	\$131,724.19
U. S. Bonds and Premiums	13,561.51
Banking House and Fixtures	5,231.45
Cash and due from Banks	95,999.88
Total	\$246,517.03

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
Surplus Fund	5,000.00
Circulation	11,520.00
Deposits	178,400.00
Total	\$244,920.00

If I Were Hungry

And had 25 cents and were in reach of

The Roswell Hotel

I'd have something good to eat! Wouldn't you?

"It's the only 'dollar a day' house in Roswell; one block west of depot."

A. J. CRAWFORD,
Owner and Proprietor.

Notice of Suit.

In the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

E. E. Meeks, plaintiff,
vs.
C. May Meeks defendant.

No. 139.

To the defendant, C. May Meeks: You are hereby notified that a suit has been commenced against you by the said Plaintiff, E. E. Meeks, in the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, wherein said plaintiff prays that the marriage existing between you and plaintiff be dissolved, and for such other relief as the plaintiff may be entitled to receive, on the grounds of abandonment.

You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 15th day of Oct. A. D. 1906, judgment will be rendered against you in said cause by default and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint; that the name and post office address of plaintiff's attorney is: G. L. Reese, Portales, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 23rd day of August, A. D. 1906.

C. M. Bird,
Clerk of the Fifth Judicial District, New Mexico.

By J. A. Fairly, Deputy.

Notice.

As I have several applications and correspondents from people from the east, for homes in New Mexico, I have decided that the best way to get at them will be to go into the land business and all that have land to dispose of quick, list it with me. Every man in Roosevelt county and adjoining counties who have land to sell or want to help him sell this part of New Mexico should at once list his land with me. In no way I can get my present plan of advertising which will go to every part of the United States it won't cost you a cent but will help me and the country. I want to get out my descriptive list in the next few days.

J. R. Hannister & Co.

Commissioners Proceedings.

Proceedings of the Board, Aug. 18, 1906, of County Commissioners of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, at a call meeting held at the court house in Portales on August 18, 1906.

Present—J. B. Crawford, chairman, W. H. Montgomery, commissioner, E. C. Price, commissioner, B. F. Birdwell, clerk.

The Board met as a board of equalization.

In the matter of the assessments of the P. V. & N. E. Ry. Co. land raised from thirty cents an acre to \$1.00 an acre, now stands approved.

In the matter of the assessment of the H and A Price cattle raised from \$3 head to 50 head is now reduced to \$3 head.

In the matter of the assessment of W. W. Hunter cattle raised from 300 head to 600 head is now reduced to 400 head.

It is ordered that a special tax of 5 mills be spread upon the tax rolls for the year 1906, for school district No. 29. There appearing no further business the board took a recess to meet again the first Monday in September.

J. B. Crawford, chairman
Attest: B. F. Birdwell, clerk.

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Homestead Application No. 1856.
Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, August 25, 1906.

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Laura W. S. Lewis, widow of William E. S. Lewis, deceased, of Portales, N. M., for the northeast quarter of section 26, township 1 south, range 3 east.

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

George M. Brisco, Robert Hicks, John H. Martin and William S. Lewis, all of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

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John W. Coleman, of Portales, New Mexico, for the southwest quarter of section 14, township 1 south, range 3 east.

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

Clarence Lawrence, Samuel E. Turner, Robert E. Gregg, George J. Gregg, all of Portales, N. M.

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William O. Dunlap, of Portales, New Mexico, for the north half of northeast quarter and east half of northeast quarter section 32, township 2 south, range 3 east.

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

Lon D. Young, G. Lee Barrows, William H. Borking, George W. Hill, John S. Pearce and Charles F. Tompkins, all of Portales, N. M.

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John W. Coleman, of Portales, New Mexico, for the southwest quarter of section 14, township 1 south, range 3 east.

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

Clarence Lawrence, Samuel E. Turner, Robert E. Gregg, George J. Gregg, all of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice of Publication.

Homestead Application No. 2004.
Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, N. M., August 25, 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 October 6, 1906, viz:

William O. Dunlap, of Portales, New Mexico, for the north half of northeast quarter and northeast quarter section 32, township 2 south, range 3 east.

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

Lon D. Young, G. Lee Barrows, William H. Borking, George W. Hill, John S. Pearce and Charles F. Tompkins, all of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice of Publication.

Homestead Application No. 1791.
Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, N. M., August 25, 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 October 6, 1906, viz:

Charles O. Leach, Charles Woodcock, Joseph Land, Joshua E. Morrison, all of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice of Publication.

Homestead Application No. 2217.
Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, August 25, 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 October 6, 1906, viz:

John S. Lewis, of Portales, N. M., Hugh Lewis, Bethel, N. M., Lawson Terrell, of Portales, N. M., M. L. Price, of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice of Publication.

Homestead Application No. 2228.
Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, N. M., August 25, 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 October 6, 1906, viz:

John S. Lewis, of Portales, N. M., Hugh Lewis, Bethel, N. M., Lawson Terrell, of Portales, N. M., M. L. Price, of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice of Publication.

Homestead Application No. 4278.
Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, N. M., August 25, 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 October 6, 1906, viz:

John S. Lewis, of Portales, N. M., Hugh Lewis, Bethel, N. M., Lawson Terrell, of Portales, N. M., M. L. Price, of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice of Publication.

Homestead Application No. 4539.
Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, N. M., August 25, 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 October 6, 1906, viz:

John S. Lewis, of Portales, N. M., Hugh Lewis, Bethel, N. M., Lawson Terrell, of Portales, N. M., M. L. Price, of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice of Publication.

Homestead Application No. 5790.
Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, N. M., August 25, 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 October 6, 1906, viz:

John S. Lewis, of Portales, N. M., Hugh Lewis, Bethel, N. M., Lawson Terrell, of Portales, N. M., M. L. Price, of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice of Publication.

Homestead Application No. 1950.
Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, N. M., August 25, 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 October 6, 1906, viz:

John S. Lewis, of Portales, N. M., Hugh Lewis, Bethel, N. M., Lawson Terrell, of Portales, N. M., M. L. Price, of Portales, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, August 13, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Joseph B. Weaver, contestant, against homestead entry No. 626, made October 26, 1905, for southwest quarter of section 13, township 2 south, range 3 east, by Isaac Roberts, Contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Isaac Roberts 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 absence from the 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 allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on October 27, 1906, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M., and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on November 1, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, N. M.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed August 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.

DAVID L. GREY, Receiver.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, July 31, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Joseph B. Weaver, contestant, against homestead entry No. 269, made June 17, 1905, for southwest quarter of section 13, township 2 south, range 3 east, by Henry L. Smith, Contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Henry L. Smith 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 absence from the 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 allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on October 11, 1906, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M., and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on October 27, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, N. M.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed September 1, 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, August 3, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Joseph B. Weaver, contestant, against homestead entry No. 428, made June 8, 1905, for southwest quarter of section 13, township 2 south, range 3 east, by Louise M. Miles, Contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Louise M. Miles 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 absence from the 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 allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on October 23, 1906, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M., and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on October 27, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, N. M.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed August 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.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, August 3, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Joseph B. Weaver, contestant, against homestead entry No. 442, made August 13, 1905, for northeast quarter of section 28, township 13, range 3 E., by William M. Meador, Contestee, in which it is alleged that the said William M. Meador has abandoned said tract for two years and has failed to establish his residence on said entry, and has failed to pay the taxes on said land for two years; 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 in time of war; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on September 21, 1906, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M., and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on October 27, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, N. M.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed August 6, 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, August 11, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Joseph B. Weaver, contestant, against homestead entry No. 416, made August 11, 1905, for the northeast quarter of section 13, township 2 S., range 3 E., by John H. Martin, Contestee, in which it is alleged that the said John H. Martin has 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 absence from the 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 allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on October 6, 1906, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M., and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on October 27, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, N. M.

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HOWARD LELAND, Register.

CLUB SALOON,

H. T. AHRENS, Proprietor.

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Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, August 13, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Joseph B. Weaver, contestant, against homestead entry No. 626, made October 26, 1905, for southwest quarter of section 13, township 2 south, range 3 east, by Isaac Roberts, Contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Isaac Roberts 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 absence from the 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 allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on October 27, 1906, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M., and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on November 1, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, N. M.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed August 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.

DAVID L. GREY, Receiver.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, July 31, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Joseph B. Weaver, contestant, against homestead entry No. 269, made June 17, 1905, for southwest quarter of section 13, township 2 south, range 3 east, by Henry L. Smith, Contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Henry L. Smith 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 absence from the 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 allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on October 11, 1906, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M., and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on October 27, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, N. M.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed September 1, 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, August 3, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Joseph B. Weaver, contestant, against homestead entry No. 428, made June 8, 1905, for southwest quarter of section 13, township 2 south, range 3 east, by Louise M. Miles, Contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Louise M. Miles 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 absence from the 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 allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on October 23, 1906, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M., and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on October 27, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, N. M.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed August 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.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, August 3, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Joseph B. Weaver, contestant, against homestead entry No. 442, made August 13, 1905, for northeast quarter of section 28, township 13, range 3 E., by William M. Meador, Contestee, in which it is alleged that the said William M. Meador has abandoned said tract for two years and has failed to establish his residence on said entry, and has failed to pay the taxes on said land for two years; 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 in time of war; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on September 21, 1906, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M., and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on October 27, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, N. M.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed August 6, 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.

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