

# PORTALES TIMES.

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**JOHN DEERE WALKING CULTIVATOR**  
For \$19.50, and others in proportion, at  
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## THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

PORTALES, NEW MEXICO,

**CAPITAL, SURPLUS AND PROFITS, \$60,000.00**

### Condensed Statement.

of condition of First National Bank of Portales, New Mexico, at close of business, May 30, 1907:

Resources.	
Loans	\$189,351 47
U. S. Bonds and Premiums	13,000 00
Banking House and Fixtures	6,540 87
Cash and due from Banks	133,616 83
Total	\$354,508 97
Liabilities.	
Capital	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus and Profits	13,124 44
Circulation	12,500 00
DEPOSITS	\$278,884 53
Total	\$354,508 97

I. W. O. Oldham, cashier of the above Bank certify that the foregoing statement is true and correct  
W. O. OLDHAM, Cashier.

We Have Over

**1/4  
MILLION  
DEPOSITS**

...A Word With You...

**T**HIS is the oldest National Bank in Roosevelt County and its success in the past is the best guarantee of its future. But three or four years ago the combined deposits of all the banks in the county amounted to less than one hundred thousand dollars, at present we, alone, have deposits in excess of a quarter of a million. We believe that, in connection with the general prosperity of this section of the country, our uniformly fair and conservative methods have gone far toward attaining this splendid result. We solicit your business, whether it is great or small, and promise the same careful, courteous consideration that is accorded the largest accounts. We invite you to call in and get acquainted with our people and our methods.

*Our Statement Tells Its Own Story  
Our Success Proves Our Methods*

### EVERYTHING TO BE READY

For the Grand Celebration in  
Portales, July 4th

A Hound Chase Added to the List  
of Amusements

Arrangements for entertaining the people at Portales on July 4th is being pushed and there is not much doubt but what everything advertised will be carried out to the letter. The committee on grounds are arranging to have suitable shade built. There are four car loads of lumber on the school house ground, bought by the district for the new school house, which comes in handy for building this shade. The beef is already arranged for to be barbecued.

Contract has been made for the balloon ascension, which will cost the committee \$125. Montz Price is the name of the balloonist. He has been here about a month and has a mammoth balloon. He has been in the business seven years and belongs to a family of aerial riders. His father is now head aeronaut of the Vanderbilt aeronaut club of New York City. His wife lost her life last August at Springfield, Ill., making a leap with the same parachute he will use here. His mother was killed dropping from a balloon in Colorado about 18 years ago.

Mr. Price's balloon is being repaired this week as it got some holes burned in it and got torn while attempting to make an ascension at Texico two weeks ago. They are working on the balloon in the Woodman hall. It contains 1000 yards of canvas and will stand when inflated 80 or 90 feet high. They are putting some new widths of canvas all the way around the big part of it and it requires a strip of cloth 108 feet long, so requires quite a long piece of sewing to get it together. It is expected that a trial trip will be made before the Fourth to see that it is all right.

Another feature added to the enter-

tainment lately is a bound chase. This will take place on the school section and rabbits will be used for the hounds to chase. All who have dogs are invited to enter the contest, which will be decided on points. An entrance fee of \$1.00 will be charged for each race, winning dog to get 60 per cent of entrance fee and second to get 40 per cent. Keet Jones, W. H. Garrett and Ralph Kerr are members of the committee and to whom application should be made to enter dogs in the chase.

For the Indian chase the regalia of the Red Men is to be used by members and others to represent Indians. For cow boys of course we have the genuine article. Those who take part in this feature have already been practicing.

The past week has been an unusual one in the way of amusement attractions in Portales and the great need of a public hall has been demonstrated to our people. Managers have informed us that Portales was one of the best show towns on the road and that if we had a more commodious building many more good attractions would come here as it is a long run between here and another good show town. No better investment could be made than money invested in a building suitable for and lodge entertainment purposes in Portales.

"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," rendered by home talent at the court house Thursday night, was a grand success. The leading part, that of Mrs. Wiggs, acted by Miss Ora Kuykendall, was especially commendable and the part was done to perfection. Owing to the high favor with which the performance was taken, it was decided to render the play again last night.

Langdon Gregg, who has been Judge Lindsey's stenographer and right hand man, has quit the land office and gone to banking, having accepted a position in the First National bank. He is succeeded in Judge Lindsey's office by Watson King.

The Anglo-American show, menagerie and circus is billed for Portales today. Two performances and street parade at 1:30.

A. H. Long, who is postmaster at Longs and runs a general store, was in Portales yesterday on business. He reports a thriving business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sledge returned Thursday from their visit with relatives in Mississippi.

Portales souvenir spoons, something new and up-to-date, at Hanna & Son's.

## Gents' Furnishings...

### SHOES....

We carry the largest line of shoes to be found in the Pecos Valley. Our line comprises all the best things to be had in any modern shoe store. If you are not already a customer, we want you to be. We carry in stock the following celebrated lines:

*Hanna & Son, The Walk-Over,  
Star Brand, Dorothy Dodd,  
Star-Five-Star, H. C. Goodman.*

In these lines we can fit you up with anything, from the cheapest to the best.



We carry the largest open stock of **John B. Stetson Hats** in the country, comprising all the late nobby shapes, as well as the staples. As we buy them direct from the factory and in **Large Quantities**, we are always able to give our customers new styles and stock, as well as the lowest prices. We also carry a full line of the cheaper hats, that range in price from 50 cents up.

...**SHIRTS...** In this department we carry the famous **Gold and Silver Line** of Shirts and collars, as well as all the cheaper lines.

We have just received a big shipment of **Ladies Long Silk Gloves**. They are, practically, all sold up in the Eastern Markets, and this shipment will be the last we will be able to get this season, so come at once while we can fit you. Prices range from \$1.25 to \$2.50 and come in black and white only.

**We Want Your Business. No Trouble to Show Goods.**

## Warren-Fooshee & Company

**A Good Well of Water** IS not complete without **A SAMPSON WIND MILL**. You cannot afford to place the inferior wind mill on your claim. Before buying, see the model "SAMPSON," on exhibition at

South Side Square.  
Next Door to Arkansas Store.

**Brantly, Russell & Co.**

# Portales Times

BY G. V. JOHNSON.

Entered as second-class mail matter at the post office at Portales, New Mexico.

## REPUBLICAN IN POLITICS.

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SUBSCRIPTION \$1.00 PER YEAR.

TELEPHONE NO. 83.

The stage of experimenting in New Mexico is passed. More stable prices of real estate values are being established which makes a more settled condition among her people. Let us stand up for New Mexico.

Two prominent citizens of Carlsbad, Judge A. A. Freeman and Hon. J. O. Cameron, have gone to Seattle, Washington, to make their future home. Their departure was greatly regretted by the Carlsbad people and just before they left a banquet was given in their honor.

General Fred Eunston comes into public notice again from a remarkable statement he made to the San Francisco celebration committee asking for the participation of the United States troops in the Fourth of July parade. After thanking the committee for the kind invitation, he said he was loath to parade his men in the streets "to be," as he quoted, "sneered at and jeered at by the unwhipped mob." The committee was at a loss to know what reply to make.

The reports of the shortage of the wheat crop has been such that even the farmers have invested a great part of their spare cash in laying up a supply of flour. The report of the Department of Agriculture shows the condition of the winter wheat this year compared with the last two years as follows: June 1, 1907, 77.4; June 1, 1906, 82.7; June 1, 1905, 85.5. This shows a prospect of five per cent below last year and eight per cent below 1905 which is quite a reduction, but not enough to worry much about, nor cause the nation to go hungry for want of bread.

Little old Japan, which has been making so much fuss about their subjects in San Francisco, who want education at our expense, has been given an effective hint by President Roosevelt. Viscount Aoki, Japanese ambassador to the United States, made a diplomatic demand to President Roosevelt that the United States should pay indemnity to Japan for San Francisco mob outrages. President Roosevelt so promptly disapproved and dismissed the ambassador that Japan saw fit to at once order Aoki back home.

An associated press dispatch from Chicago, dated June 22, makes a remarkable statement regarding passenger rates on railroads. It states that beginning July 1st passenger rates on all railroads in the United States will be reduced to two cents per mile. This is reported to have come about not as a result of a formal agreement, but as an ultimatum served on the other roads by two of the largest roads, that they would establish the two cent rate. It hardly looks possible that this can be true.

## THE 1907 TAX LEVY

"The tax levy for the fifty-ninth territorial fiscal year, which ends January 1 next, is only 21 mills, coppers and all. Of this 5 mills to the general county fund, 2 mills to the school fund and 14 mills to territorial purposes. In view of the generally efficient territorial government, this figure is extremely reasonable, and even that would be cut down if there was a general stiffening up in the matter of collections."—Roswell Register-Tribune.

There is an unintentional error or two in the above which the New Mexican desires to correct. The fifty-ninth fiscal year commences on the first of December, 1907, and ends on the first of December, 1908. The regular territorial tax levy for territorial purposes for the year have been fixed at fourteen mills on the dollar, the same as for the fifty-eight fiscal year. For general county purposes with which the Territory has no concern a tax levy of five mills has been declared in accordance with law. This is the maximum for general county purposes, but there will be many special tax levies in various counties levied by the boards of county commissioners such as for payment of interest or coupons of bonded debts, new jails, new bridges, road purposes and other special items; a general tax of two mills on the dollar for the maintenance of public schools has also been levied by the auditor in accordance with law.

The Register-Tribune is correct in stating that with a stiffer collection of taxes the levies could be still more reduced. Right here it is well to add that with a better, more just and more equitable assessment the above tax rate of twenty-one mills could be squarely cut in two and there would be plenty of money for all taxable purposes. The principle trouble is in the assessment; there are many classes of property that are returned ridiculously low. For instance, take a corporation called the American Lumber Company, in Albuquerque, the entire valuation of that concern on the assessment rolls of the fifty-eight fiscal year was \$45,000 on the first of March, 1906. The New Mexican is reliably informed that corporation carried insurance during that year of \$600,000 on its machinery and lumber on hand. The Albuquerque Water Supply Company's assessment for last year was \$38,000 but that company wanted \$260,000 from the city of Albuquerque when the question of selling its property and plant to the municipality was before the people in April, 1906. The New Mexican knows of confirmed land grants in central and northern New Mexico from which owners derive an income of from \$4 to \$6 per acre and more for timber alone annually, while the assessment returns show the valuation per acre at from 50 cents to \$2. Examples of this kind can be given ad libitum. Yet it is gratifying to note that better methods and better assessments are the rule now and that there is improvement sure if slow.

This should be ascribed to the beneficial work of the provisions of laws passed by legislative assemblies, Republican in politics and under Republican administrations up to the year 1906, and the time that the fake reform Governor Herbert J. Hagerman assumed office. During the year

of his administration there was a retrograde movement which, however, owing to his removal by the President has received a check and conditions are now again tending the right way.—New Mexican.

## UNIFORM TEXT BOOKS

The territorial board of education have selected a series of text books to be used in the public schools of the territory as follows:

Primers, basal, Wide Awake, published by Little, Brown & Co. supplemental, Wheeler's, published by W. H. Wheeler company.

Readers, basal, Nos. 1 to 6, inclusive, Brooks', published by the American Book company, supplemental, Nos. 1 to 3, inclusive, Art Literature Readers, published by Atkinson, Metzger & Grover.

Spellers, Reed's Primary and Reed's Word Lessons, published by Maynard, Merrill & Co.

Grammars, Reed & Kellogg's Graded Lessons and Reed & Kellogg's Higher Lessons, published by Maynard, Merrill & Co.

Composition, Language Through Nature, published by Rand, McNally & Co. and Webster's Elementary composition, published by Houghton, Mifflin & Co.

Arithmetic, Walsh's 3 Book Series, published by D. C. Heath & Co., Wentworth & Hill's Exercises in Arithmetic, published by Ginn & Co., Nichol's Arithmetical Problems, published by Thompson, Brown & Co., Southworth's Arithmetical Problems, published by Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co.

Geography, New Natural 2 book series, published by the American Book Co.

Writing, Medial Slant, published by Ginn & Co.

History, Montgomery's 3 Book Series, published by Ginn & Co.

Physiology, Conn's published by Silver, Burdette & Co.

Civics, Boynton, published by Ginn & Co.

The books selected will be used in all of the public schools of New Mexico and the use of other books will not be permitted.

The fact that selections were made of books published by a dozen different firms would seem to indicate that the board made careful selection of the best text books published by each of the firms.

A special to the Santa Fe New Mexican of recent date says: On inquiry at the Bureau of Insular Affairs, in the War Department it is learned that Captain George Curry sailed from Manila for the United States June 16th on the government transport Logan. The ship is due in San Francisco barring accidents July 15th. Captain Curry will immediately proceed to Washington, where instructions await him to go to Oyster Bay for a consultation with the President. It is expected that he will reach Santa Fe, between the 20th and 25th days of July.

New Mexico is all right. It is increasing rapidly in population and wealth and has untold agricultural possibilities and mineral resources. It is now the best field for investment in the United States as conditions are just now ripe for permanent and substantial development and improvement.

# Brantly Russell & Co.



WE have added to our Implement business a complete line of the very best and newest things in Shelf and Heavy

**Hardware, Tinware, Graniteware, Stoves, Cutlery, Ammunition,**

There is not a thing in our store that is not the best that can be had on the market.

We do not expect to monopolize the retail trade in the hardware line, but we would like to have your business, and we assure you that we will treat you right. We are new people in a new country, with new goods.

## ...FARM IMPLEMENTS...

We have everything in Farm Implements, including the *Dead Easy Cultivator, Out-O-Cite Cultivator, Disc Harrows, Sulky Plows, Drag Harrows*, the very best that can be had. Our prices are correct and you will agree with us after you investigate. We are located on the west side of the square, next door to the Arkansas Store, don't fail to call when in town.

# Brantly, Russell & Co.

Portales, New Mexico.

South Side Square

Next Door to Arkansas Store

## PORTALES STAR BAKERY

We have all the modern conveniences for doing perfect baking and employ only the very best bakers.

### Bread, Pies and Cakes

Of every description will be found at our place on the south side of the square. We solicit a liberal share of your patronage.

### FANCY CANDIES

We have a nice stock of Fresh Fancy Candies, don't fail to call at the Star Bakery.

MRS. BOGGS, Proprietress

A. I. LOOPER E. BOREN JIM SCOTT  
J. W. THOMPSON W. M. NICKELL

## PORTALES IMMIGRATION CO.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS  
HOMESTEAD LOCATORS

WE are selling land every day and respectfully solicit those who have Farms and City Property for sale to list with us. We guarantee a square deal. Office in the rear of Andrae's store

PORTALES, N. MEXICO

# Jones & Servis...

Coal, Grain and Feed, Wholesale Beer and Ice. Yard west of Santa Fe Track

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The Very Finest Wines, Liquors and Cigars

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

Budweiser and Schlitz Beer, Two Bottles for 25c.

# JOE HOWARD & SONS...

LAND AND COMMISSION AGENTS

If you fail to do business with us the first time, it's your fault  
If you fail to do business with us the second time it's our fault

## FARMS AND CITY PROPERTY

Oldest and most successful land firm in Roosevelt county. For quick sales list your property with them. Numerous eastern agents employed to send them buyers. Notary Public in the office.

Office Next Door to Citizens National Bank

# GREAT DISPERSION SALE!!



*The*  
**Stetson**

It is a fact, which we have observed during the years that have passed, that the men of discrimination and judgment, the professional and business men, as well as the men of fashion, invariably ask for a Stetson Hat.

We have the Stetson Soft and Derby Hats in all the latest styles.

**Blankenship & Woodcock**  
*Mercantile Company*

**Commencing July 1st**

And

**Continuing Twenty Days**



It is true that every man cannot, of course, be President, but every mother's son anticipates the day when

he can easily get a

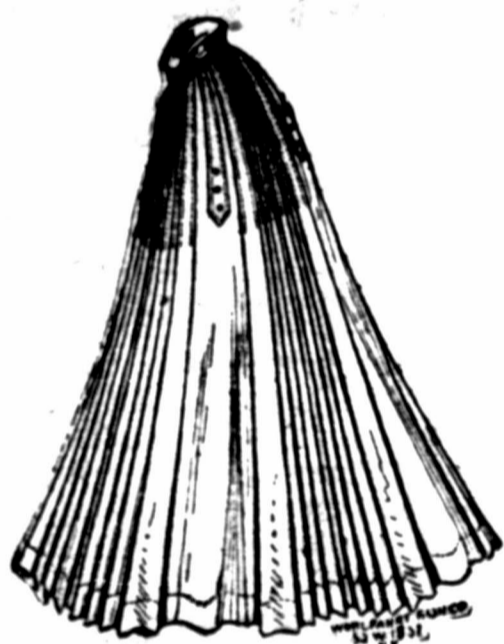
**Stetson Hat**

The cost is little in comparison to the satisfaction.

We have the Stetson Soft and Derby Hats in all the latest styles.

## To Make Room for Our New Fall Stock

We have just added nearly 1500 feet more floor space to our already large building and we are still in need of more room.



Must move this large stock in twenty days.

Our entire Clothing Stock will be on sale at a sacrifice.

A Big Discount on Everything in the DRY GOODS and CLOTHING Lines.

The finest and newest line of Dress Goods west of Amarillo. Bargains in every line.

- |                                                                          |     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| 300 Ladies and Misses 10c to 15c Vests, our price .....                  | 5c  |
| Regular 25c Ladies Vests, our price .....                                | 15c |
| Ladies Silk Vests, worth \$1.00, our price .....                         | 50c |
| 500 Mens, Ladies and Childrens Collars, worth 15c, slightly soiled ..... | 5c  |



100 Pairs Mens Shoes, one to two pair of a kind, 50 per cent discount.  
150 Pairs Ladies and Misses Shoes and Slippers, one to three pair of a kind  
Great Slaughter in prices.  
Ladies 15c to 20c Hose, 8 1-3 to 10c per pair.

Misses and Childrens Ribbed Hose, worth 15c to 20c, our price, 8 1-3c to 10c per pair.  
Large Line Ladies Shirt Waists, 25c and up.  
Heavy line Men's Laundered Shirts, price, too low to mention.

Our Shoe Department is the Largest in the Country, You can Buy Shoes Now Cheaper than You Can buy them Again.

**...Our Stock is Too Large, We Must Reduce It...**

**REMEMBER THE DATE, JULY 1st, and RUNNING TWENTY DAYS**

**THE BLANKENSHIP & WOODCOCK**  
Mercantile Company, Portales, New Mexico.

GO TO THE  
**RACKET STORE**  
FOR ALL KINDS OF  
Enamelware, Tinware, Glass-  
ware and Chinaware  
and Gents' Furnishing Goods

Just received, a nice, fresh line of  
**FANCY GROCERIES**  
Call and get prices. Prompt Free De-  
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Fire Insurance  
I represent the Oldest, Biggest, Most  
Substantial and Safest Fire Insurance  
Companies in the Whole World.

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Abstracts accurately made made. Full  
line of legal blanks. Office opposite  
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I will survey your claim for \$5.00, and  
will take especial care to make survey  
to fit original survey. Phone 63.

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Office at White's drug store, 'phone  
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Calls answered day or night. Office first  
door north of Portales hotel. Office  
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Office at Neer's drug store, diseases of  
eye, ear, nose and throat a specialty,  
glasses accurately fitted, office phone  
16, residence 49.

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**DR. JOHN S. PEARCE,**  
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Office in Pearce & Dobb's drug store,  
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**DR. J. E. CAMP,**  
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Office in Red Cross drug store,  
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Residence, four miles west of Floyd  
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Floyd, New Mexico.

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Office in Bank of Portales building,  
Portales, New Mexico.

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PORTALES, NEW MEXICO

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Civil Engineers and Surveyors  
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Irrigation, Highways, Railroads,  
Bridges, Reports made on land, etc.

**AMARILLO, TEXAS**

**County Correspondence**

**Floyd Items.**  
BY B. B.

Crops look fine since the rain and  
farmers are busy.  
N. Bingham and W. C. Adams were  
in Portales the first of the week.

E. C. Price and family spent Sunday  
at the home of Mrs. Lucy Spears.

Sherman Masters and wife were  
pleasant callers at the Bingham home  
Sunday.

Miss Ella Riggan came in Saturday  
from Hereford, Texas where she has  
been visiting friends.

Amos Spears and family left Wed-  
nesday for a visit with friends and re-  
latives in Oklahoma.

Two rabbit drives were made north  
of Floyd this week in which over two-  
hundred rabbits were killed.

Mr. Bates and Thomas Lenseard re-  
turned Wednesday from Plainville,  
Texas, where they have been running  
a well drill.

Claud Spears and family left the  
latter part of last week for Riley, New  
Mexico, where Mr. Spear has work  
this summer.

Doff Marvin received some very pain-  
ful injuries the first of the week by a  
horse striking him with his front feet,  
afterwards kicking and stepping upon  
him before he could get out of the way.

Iowa and Alabama sorghum in three  
and five gallon cans, cheap at Laster's.

**Fairview Items.**  
(Three miles southeast of Carter.)  
BY FARMER.

George Stokes has been suffering  
with neuralgia for the past week.

Every body enjoyed themselves at  
the singing at Geo. Stokes last Sunday  
evening.

W. M. Gibson, of Ranger, has  
bought a widows claim and will move  
here shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mayse arrived  
at Portales last week from California  
and are expected here in a few days.

Next Sunday singing will be held at  
Frank Thomason's and to begin at  
3 p. m. prompt. Everybody invited.

We hear Charles Stearns and sister,  
Ollie, will soon arrive from Johnson,  
Arkansas, and settle on their claims.

Charlie Thomason has decided to  
stay in New Mexico. He thinks it is  
the finest country to be found in the  
world.

They are looking for Speight Sparks  
the first of next month. Old maids  
that want to marry must comb their  
heads and look sweet.

Remember the Sunday School picnic  
at the Sheep ranch, 8 miles north of  
school house on the 4th and don't for-  
get your well filled baskets.

We have been informed that the so-  
called detectives, Mrs. Stella Haddock  
and Miss Hattie Jones, have located  
the thieves and an arrest may be made  
shortly.

Marvil Nail and family are planning  
on starting sometime in July, and  
drive back to Arkansas. They will  
take their time and fish and hunt along  
the way, they expect to be a couple of  
months on the road.

**Died Suddenly**

Elida News:  
Sunday morning W. B. Holderman,  
who resides near Redlake, shot and  
wounded a wolf which was prowling  
around near his home. Mr. Holder-  
man and his son then mounted their  
horses and with the dogs gave chase to  
the wolf which had not been chased  
more than about 100 yards when Mr.  
Holderman suddenly fell from his  
horse dead. Mr. Holderman was  
55 years old and in apparently good  
health. The exact cause of his death  
is not known though it is supposed  
that he died from heart disease and  
that being unused to horseback riding  
the jolting was too severe for him and  
perhaps caused the bursting of an  
artery. The News extends sympathy  
to the bereaved family.

I'll stop your pain free. To show you  
first—before you spend a penny—what  
my Pink Pain Tablets can do, I will  
mail you free, a trial package of them—  
Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets. Neu-  
ralgia, headache, toothache, period  
pains, etc., are due alone to blood con-  
gestion. Dr. Shoop's Headache Table-  
ts simply kill pain by coaxing away  
the unnatural blood pressure. That is  
all. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis.  
Sold by Pearce & Dobb's.

**Robbed on the Train**

Texico Democrat:  
Mrs. Robert Watt, a sister to Mrs.  
Guy Gamble, of this city, arrived on  
the south bound train yesterday to pay  
her sister a visit. She was met at the  
train by Mr. Gamble and family, and  
after alighting from the train she missed  
her pocketbook. On re-entering  
the train a passenger was accosted and  
inquiry made relative to the missing  
purse.

The stranger denied having any  
knowledge of the pocketbook, but his  
actions aroused suspicion, and Mr.  
Gamble followed the man, later called  
Deputy Sheriff Johnson. The two  
stalked the stranger until he went to  
the Robinson Hotel, where he engaged  
a room. A few moments after the  
stranger entered the room Sheriff John-  
son pushed open the door and found  
the man in the act of examining the  
contents of the purse. He was taken  
into custody and gave his name as J.  
L. Hylaman, and his residence as Clear  
Lake, South Dakota.

He was arraigned before Alford, and  
in his own defense testified that he  
found the pocketbook in a newspaper  
that he had been reading, and had  
rolled up and put in his pocket. Judge  
Alford did not take much stock in his  
story, and held him over to the grand  
jury and placed his bond at \$2,000. In  
default of bail the prisoner was taken  
to Portales yesterday and lodged in  
jail.

**The Mendelssohn Trio Concert**

A very enjoyable evening entertain-  
ment was given here the 14th instant, by  
the above named Trio. Any lover of  
music in the Pecos Valley cannot well  
afford to miss hearing these artists.

Mrs. Ellis has a clear, well trained and  
pleasing voice; Miss Morgan, the pian-  
oist, is a master hand at rendition and  
technique, while Mrs. Cook, the violin-  
ist, is superb in artistic rendition and  
could not fail to win applause from the  
most exacting audience. We hope to  
have the pleasure of hearing these  
ladies again during the year.

**Special Reduced Rates to Carlsbad,  
New Mexico.**

For the New Mexico Irrigation cele-  
bration, to be held at Carlsbad, New  
Mexico, July 3d, 4th and 5th, the Pe-  
cos Valley lines will sell round trip  
tickets at greatly reduced rates. The  
rate from Portales, New Mexico, to  
Carlsbad and return will be \$6.60.  
Tickets on sale July 1st to 5th inclu-  
sive, with return limit leaving Carlsbad  
not later than July 7th, 1907.

D. L. MEYERS, Traffic Manager.

**Free Coffee.**

On the Fourth of July the Blanken-  
ship & Woodcock Mercantile company  
will demonstrate the superior quality  
and flavor of the well known and popu-  
lar St. Elmo Blend coffee. A pavillion  
will be erected on the celebration  
grounds and waiters provided to serve.  
This company has secured the services  
of that eminent chef, W. W. Newsom,  
to personally conduct and superintend  
the preparation of this aromatic bever-  
age. There is absolutely no charge for  
this coffee, and there will likewise be  
no limit to the supply.

**Snap Shots.**

Leaf lard at Reagan & Davis.  
Knives, knives, knives at Laster's.  
Reagan & Davis cook meat every day.  
A few more Victor cultivators left at  
Laster's.

Go to Reagan & Davis for fresh and  
cured meats.

Mrs. Garrett is closing out her sum-  
mer hats. Get one cheap.

The best sorghum seed to be had,  
plains grown, can now be bought at  
Laster's.

Blanc Queen White shoe dressing at  
the Red Cross drug store, the best on  
the market.

Farmers, bring your chickens and  
eggs to the P. V. restaurant and re-  
ceive cash for them.

Reagan & Davis will deliver your  
meat in time to be cooked for break-  
fast. Phone No. 45.

Feed stuff is fast advancing in price.  
Laster has just received a car load and  
you had better buy now.

Leave your orders with Reagan &  
Davis at night for your meat for break-  
fast and it will be delivered.

A. B. Austin is now prepared to de-  
liver anything in his line—bread, pies,  
cakes, confectionery or ice cream—to  
any part of town. Phone in your orders.

Candy, the very finest, sweetest and  
best—the kind the young ladies like,  
the kind the children like, the kind  
the old folks like, at the Red Cross  
drug store.

JAMES F. STONE, President. S. A. MORRISON, Cashier. E. BLANKENSHIP, Vice-President.  
I. A. FAIRLY, Assistant Cashier.

**THE  
Citizens National Bank,  
Portales, New Mexico**

Capital and Undivided Profits, \$56,500.00.  
Condensed statement of the CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK, of Portales, New Mexico, made  
at the close of business, April 13, 1907

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans	\$170,252 92	Capital	\$ 50,000 00
U. S. Bonds and Premiums	12,573 61	Surplus and Profits	7,225 52
Banking House, Furniture and Fix.	4,879 83	Circulation	17,500 00
Cash and Due from other Banks	51,950 74	DEPOSITS	171,640 27
Total	\$241,967 09	Total	\$241,967 09

I, S. A. Morrison, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above state-  
ment is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
(Signed) S. A. MORRISON,  
Sworn to before me this 27th day of May, 1907. W. O. YOUNG, Notary Public.

DIRECTORS—J. P. Stone, B. Blankenship, S. A. Morrison, J. A. Fairly, G. M. Williamson, L. T.  
Lester, Joe Howard, Dr. J. S. Pearce, W. W. Humble.

**WHITE SAYS:**

There are a great many reasons why he  
should have your trade, some of the  
most prominent being as follows:

FIRST—The purity of our Drugs and Chemicals  
SECOND—Our ability to accurately compound them  
THIRD—Our free Bicycle delivery  
FOURTH—Our desire to please our patrons  
FIFTH—Your inability to do as well elsewhere

We carry the only complete line of Perfumes and Toilet  
Articles to be found in the city. Try our WHITE SHOE  
DRESSING. 'Phone us your wants, we'll do the rest

**The Red Cross Drug Store**  
Telephone Number 24

**WILLIAM E. STEWART,**  
...LIVERY...  
Good Rigs, Gentle Teams, Fashionable Turnouts Fine  
Funeral Car. Call or 'phone when You Need a Team.

**Purity and Cleanliness**

Cleanliness is necessary for purity in foods, and especially  
in beer. No one realizes this important fact more than Pabst.  
In the great Pabst Brewery at Milwaukee, everything is  
as neat and clean as in your own kitchen. Every grain of  
barley is washed and scoured before it is made into malt.  
Even the air in which the malt is grown is washed by being  
drawn through fourteen zinc screens, over each of which  
flows a constant stream of pure water.  
The great shining copper brew-kettles are washed and  
sterilized before each brew of

**Pabst  
Blue Ribbon**  
The Beer of Quality

From the time the beer is brewed until it is delivered to your home  
it never comes in contact with the atmosphere nor with human hands.  
Before it is bottled, Pabst Blue Ribbon Beer is forced through wood  
fiber filters. The bottles are thoroughly cleaned, then filled and pasteurized.  
Pabst cleanliness, like Pabst purity, cannot be excelled.

When ordering beer, ask for Pabst Blue Ribbon.  
**Made by Pabst at Milwaukee**  
And bottled only at the Brewery.

Jones Bros.,  
Portales, New Mexico.

# TOWN LOTS GOING FAST

In Portales, the Best Town on Earth

**\$25.00 a Lot--Big Inducements and Easy Payments**

See Us For Complete Information  
**JOE HOWARD & SONS, The Land Men**

## Joe's Restaurant, Newsom's Old Stand.

Regular meals 25 cents. Short orders day or night. The best of everything and everything of the best.

## How is Your Time PIECE?

I will repair your watch\*and regulate it and do it right. Jewelry repaired. At Red Cross drug store

W. E. MILLER

## H. J. WHITE

### BLACKSMITH and MACHINE SHOP

First-class work in all lines, including Carriage, Buggy Wagon Work and Horse Shoeing.

Drill Work a Specialty.

Shop on Main Street west of the Railroad. Your patronage solicited.

FOR LATEST DESIGNS IN

## JEWELRY

CALL ON  
**J. A. HANNA & SON**

SOUVENIR POSTALS  
 SWASTIKA WORK

We also sell Diamonds, Watches, Clocks, Silverware, Cut Glass, Fine Cutlery, etc.

REPAIRING PROPERLY AND PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO

West Corner of Square in Former Racket Store Building, Portales, New Mexico.

## Trees! Trees! Trees!!!

Trees for fruit, trees for shade, trees for ornament. If you are going to plant trees of course you want the best. Trees that will live, trees that will grow, trees that will bear, trees with a vigorous nursery growth. The Stark Brothers Nursery and Orchard company's trees possess every desirable quality. OSCAR PREUSSER, Aengt.

## Local and Personal.

Reagan & Davis cook meat every day. Get it at the Red Cross. No trouble to show goods.

J. B. Crawford and family were in town Wednesday.

The F. V. restaurant will serve fresh fish every Thursday.

S. I. Roberts, clerk of the district court, was here one day this week.

Call Reagan & Davis, phone No. 45, they will deliver you fresh and cured meats.

Woody McCall lost a pair of gold rimmed spectacles. Finder please leave at Times office.

We are experiencing genuine good old summer time in this part of New Mexico this week.

If you want your wife to meet you with a smile just send her a sack of White Lily flour, the best on earth, to be had at the Arkansaw store.

Laster is agent for the Acme cream separator and has one on exhibition at his store. This is a first class separator and everyone should have one.

Work on the Faggard building is progressing rapidly. They will have a fine new building there very soon from the way the way the walls are going up.

C. W. Morris & Sons are putting up a building in their camp yard for a camp house. It is a two story building and the upstairs will be for the accommodation of ladies.

The Blankenship & Woodcock Mercantile company store is being decorated and the goods being put on display for their big sale which commences July 1st and continues twenty days.

W. T. Whitlatch will sell his household goods and farm implements at public auction today. He has property and business at Durant, I. T., which demands his attention and will go back there.

A. B. Austin has purchased a four room house and lot in the southeast part of town from Ben Woods. The house is now occupied by Judge Carter and family. Mr. Austin will get possession in about a month.

The Times office has this week printed a small four page religious paper for Rev. E. Wallace. This paper is called "Search lights on dark corners." Rev. Wallace has been in Roosevelt county about a year, and has filed regular appointments at Arch. Rev. Wallace advocates the doctrine of the Church of Christ, and expects to make arrangements to publish his paper regularly every month.

J. F. Chambers, who has lately come to this country from Michigan and settled on a claim near Delphos, was in Portales Wednesday getting lumber to build on his claim. While here he had his name added to the Times subscription list.

John Meeks, of the Blankenship & Woodcock Mercantile Co., has completed his new house two blocks southwest from the square and moved into it this week. This is one of the neatest and best houses in town.

DEEDED LAND CHEAP—160 acres, level, no sand, good water at 28 feet, six miles southeast Portales. Sell for \$1,700 if sold by July 1st. Address Mrs. W. C. Hawkins, Estancia, N. M.

Reduced prices for the summer trade at the Red Cross drug store, on all kinds of jewelry for both, ladies and gents, including watches, silverware, cut glass, etc.

Preaching at Methodist church Sunday morning and night, choir practice Saturday night. A cordial invitation to all. S. E. Wilson, Pastor.

Competition is the life of trade—See our line of ladies dress goods before buying—Arkansaw store.

Fresh fish at the P. V. restaurant every Thursday.

Hard wheat flour at \$2.85 at Laster's.

Piles get quick and certain relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Please note it is made alone for Piles, and its action is positive and certain. Itching, painful, protruding or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Large nickel-capped glass jars 50 cents. Sold by Pearce & Dobbs.

## Presbyterian Church

Regular services Sunday, subject of sermon at 11 a. m., "The Triumphant Entry." All are cordially invited. LAWRENCE RUSSELL, Pastor.

## Cancer Cure.

Parties troubled with cancer may be permanently cured through my treatment. Piles cured without the aid of knife. Dr. S. F. CULBERSON.

W. G. JOHNSON, PRESIDENT C. W. MORRIS, VICE-PRESIDENT  
 J. A. FAIRLY, CASHIER

## PORTALES Bank and Trust Company

Paid Up Capital \$25,000.00

We transact a general banking business and extend every accommodation consistent with safe and conservative banking. Your patronage will be greatly appreciated. Temporary banking house in R. M. Sanders' Harness store.

## Kemp Lumber Co...

## ..LUMBER..

Wholesale and retail Lath, Shingles, Moulding, Doors, Sash Mantles, Grates, Tiling, Cedar Posts, Fence Stays, Cypress Troughs, Lime and Brick, Portland Cement, Fire Brick and Clay, Building Paper and all Building Materials.

YARDS WEST OF SANTA FE TRACKS.

W. L. McLAUGHLIN, Local Manager, Portales, N. M.

## THE MISSOURI STORE

T. L. WIGGINS, Proprietor

**GROCERIES**—We receive weekly shipments of Groceries so at all times have a supply of the Choicest, Freshest and Best goods in that line. A supply of choice Hams received every Monday. A car of Missouri soft wheat Flour just in. Every sack guaranteed—none better, try a sack. Goods delivered to all parts of town.

**BARGAINS** in odds and ends of Clothing and Furnishings which go at half price while they last

North Main Street, Portales, N. M.

See those all over laces and embroideries at Mrs. Garrett's. They are going at cost. 300 acres of timber land in Louisiana for sale or trade for Roosevelt county property.—See Joe Howard & Sons.

# Arrangements are Nearly Completed For THE GRAND CELEBRATION IN PORTALES, ON JULY 4TH

SOME OF THE MANY ATTRACTIONS WILL BE  
ORATORY, MUSIC, GRAND BARBECUE, INDIAN CHASE, HOUND  
RACE, BALLOON ASCENSION, PLENTY OF GOOD SHADE, ETC.  
**GRAND DISPLAY OF FIRE WORKS**

**TO BE HELD ON SCHOOL HOUSE SQUARE**

*Come and Enjoy Yourself One Day in the Year*

#### RELIC OF SCOTTISH QUEEN.

Englishman Owns Handbag Once Property of Unfortunate Mary.

In the possession of Dr. A. F. Germain of Brighton, England, is a beautiful embroidered little handbag. It is an interesting relic of a bygone time, and figured in a famous scene. When the unfortunate Mary, queen of Scots, was led to execution this little satchel of violet velvet formed part of the costume she wore. It contained a rare and costly handkerchief. As she passed to the block, Mary took the dainty handkerchief out and handed the bag to her favorite attendant, Lady Jane Douglas. She cherished it ever after as a memento of her lamented queen. The little bag is made more interesting and valuable by the fact that Queen Mary herself embroidered and made it. The needlework is very beautiful and rare, being peculiar to the time of the beautiful young queen. Until recently the bag has been in the possession of the Douglas family in Scotland, being kept at Castle Dumfries among the family heirlooms. A late Lady Douglas presented it to a favorite brother-in-law, Sir William Watkins Wynn, and this gentleman, realizing the appreciation of Dr. A. F. Germain for this interesting relic of the unfortunate Queen Mary, gave it to him, and it is still in his possession. The bag is prized very highly by Dr. Germain, and he keeps it in a glass case, with a descriptive historical note attached to it.

#### DO BEST WORK AT NIGHT.

Quiet Hours the Proper Time for Intellectual Labor.

Prof. Victor Halloweau of the Paris Academy of Medicine declares that the best intellectual work can be accomplished between midnight and dawn. "The true secret of long continued, valuable brain work," he says, "is to cut the night in two. The scholar, the inventor, the financier, the literary creator should be asleep every night at ten o'clock, to wake again at, say two, in the morning. Three hours' work, from two to five, in the absolute tranquillity of the silent hours, should mean the revealing of new powers, new possibilities, a wealth of ideas undreamed of under the prevailing system. From eight to eight or 8:30 sleep again. Take up again the day's work; the brain will still be saturated with the mental fruits of the night vigil; there will be no effort in putting into practice or carrying further what was planned or begun those few hours before. The habit may be hard to acquire, but mechanical means of waking at first will induce the predisposition."

#### Great Land Owner.

The Duke of Northumberland is the largest land owner in England. His estates stretch almost from sea to sea, and he can ride 100 miles and not once leave his own domain. In appearance he is tall and thin, with reddish hair and flowing whiskers. He is old-fashioned in manner, and shows many of the attributes of a grand seigneur. And he has all the pride of the Percys and keeps up to the full their Olympian traditions. He was once heard to say: "You will have to go a long way back in our record to find a Percy who was either idle or a spendthrift." In religion he is an Irvingite, like his father, and he has converted the duchess to his own belief.

#### Fritz on the Dachshund.

Little Fritz was told to write an essay on his favorite dog and he wrote the following on the dachshund: "Der dachshund was a German dog dot looks like a bologna sausage mit legs. Vonce fader had a dachshund dot vos so long ven ut ran around der block ut had to hold up its head to keep from running over uts hind legs. Der dachshund was an obedient dog, but ven you call him to come quick he is always long. He can't help ut—he vas born dot vay. Above all, der dachshund ves der only member ut der dog's family whose breath comes in long bants. Al! der rest comes in short bants. Hurrah for der dachshund!"

#### They Moved Down to Boston.

Mrs. H. G. Wells and other grown-ups have had their merry gibes at Boston, but here is a little miss whose unconscious irony puts their best efforts to shame. "Why," asked Dorothy the other night on going to bed; "why can't we see fairies?" "Because they do not live in the fields and woods here any more," replied her nurse. "Where are they, then—in heaven?" "Perhaps so." "Oh, I know," said Dorothy after a moment of silent thought. "The angels got tired of their old mansions in the skies, so they let the fairies have them and moved to Boston."—Judge.

#### Not a Botanist.

"When we were out automobiling on the boulevard yesterday I stopped to look at the rhododendrons." "What part of the car is that?"

#### Social.

"Are you getting acquainted in your new neighborhood?" "Well, some. The postman and the iceman seem to be quite cordial, but I haven't met the ashman yet."—Philadelphia Ledger.

#### FREAK STATUARY TO ORDER.

Sculptor Tells of Queer Orders Given Him by His Patrons.

A sculptor was talking about freak statuary. "I turn out a lot of it," he said. "Not that I like to. I have to. So many of our millionaires have uncouth tastes. I made last fall portrait busts of a western millionaire and his wife. The wife wears spectacles, and nothing would do but I must put spectacles on her bust. I argued, but in vain. That bust stands in the millionaire's spacious library to-day and spectacles rest on its nose. I did last month a bust in colors, a bust of a young girl. The marble hair I gilded, the marble eyes I painted blue, and the marble lips and cheeks I flecked with red. A hideous thing, yet the family was immensely pleased. The freakiest of my freak statues stands in a Boston garden. It is the statue of the owner's grandfather, an old Presbyterian divine. The aged man stands in the center of a bed of jonquills, and out of the top of his plug hat a jet of water spurts, falling into a marble basin that he holds in his hands, a basin wherein swim half a dozen goldfish. The idea of treating one's grandfather like that!"

#### HAD PREPARED FOR ORDEAL.

Christening Rehearsal Struck Clergyman as New Idea.

"These college girls," said a clergyman, as he gazed at the white and superb ranks of beautiful graduates, "are a boon to the race. They introduce new ideas. I christened the other day the first baby of a married college girl. Now, babies usually cry while they are being christened, but this one was as quiet as a lamb. Throughout the ceremony it smiled up beautifully into my face. 'Well, madam,' said I to the young wife at the christening's end, 'I must congratulate you on your little one's behavior. I have christened more than 2,000 babies, but I never before christened one that behaved so well as yours.' The young mother smiled demurely. 'No wonder he behaved well,' she said. 'His father and I, with a pail of water, have been practicing christening on him for the last ten days.' The idea of rehearsing a baby for a christening! Who but a college girl would think of such a thing?"

#### Pure Carelessness.

"There's no use your feeling so dreadfully depressed over the loss of your diamonds. Why do you carry on so?" "Because I'm so provoked when I think that if I had lost them five years ago their value wouldn't have been half what it is now."

#### Irreverent Yankee.

Adam Engel, a few days before he closed his historic chop house in Herald square, lunched with a Denver correspondent. "The loss of this chop house will be a great loss to New York," said the correspondent. "It will be like," he went on eloquently, "the obliteration of some historic light." "I hope," said the modest Engel, "that it won't be so bad as that. Speaking of lights, by the way, I hope that my chop house's departure won't inflict any such loss as a certain Yankee, by an uncontrollable impulse, once inflicted on a Buddhist temple in Japan. They say, you know, that a priest, showing this Yankee over an ancient shrine, led the man reverently to a small silver lamp. 'This lamp, sir,' he said, 'has not been extinguished for seven centuries.' The Yankee puffed out his cheeks and blew. 'Well,' he said, 'I guess she's out now, anyway.'"

#### Provocation Enough.

A deaf old gentleman dined with a family where grace was always said. When the guests were seated the host bowed his head and began to repeat the accustomed verse in a subdued, reverent tone. "Eh? What's that?" demanded the deaf old gentleman, who sat beside him. The host smiled patiently and began again, in a louder, more deprecatory voice. "Speak a little louder. I don't catch what you say," the old gentleman persisted. A low ripple of laughter went round the table. The host, his face crimson with embarrassment, raised his voice and repeated the verse. The deaf gentleman did his best to hear, but failed. He placed one hand upon his host's arm. "What did you say?" he demanded frantically. The host cast him an angry glance. "D—n it, I'm saying grace," he snapped.—Lippincott's Magazine.

#### "Beauty Doctors" Copy Old Rome.

Juvenal, the Roman satirist, writes indignantly of the absurd waste of time given to the care of the complexion, of the lotions and jellies and powders for the preservation of the skin. "But anything overlaid with so many oft-changed cosmetics, and a poultice with flour, both baked and boiled, shall we call it a face or a sore? This thing, swollen and ridiculous, the unfortunate husband has to contemplate—only for her lovers does she wash her skin clean." The modern beauty doctors, writes Mrs. H. W. Nevinson in the fortnightly Review, have plagiarized their methods from ancient Rome—the massage, the stroking, the oiling—and would be willing to admit that some of the most valuable secrets, including the "Roman mask," which eradicated wrinkles, are lost to them.

#### BLACK EAGLE



Black Eagle is a full blood Spanish Jack, fifteen hands high, coal black with mealy points, good bone and muscle, six years old and a fine individual. He has good action, good disposition and a sure foal getter. He will make the season of 1907 at Jones & Servis' feed yard on Saturdays, and at my place, two miles northeast of Portales, at other times.

Terms:—\$10.00 to insure colt to stand and suck; \$6.00 for the season; \$2.50 for single service. All except insurance money to be cash at time of service. Parties disposing of mares or removing them from the county forfeit the insurance and the service fees become due and payable at once. Care will be taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur. Good pasture at fifty cents per month, when desired.

#### H. Y. Pendergraft

#### Boots and Shoes Made to Order.

If you want a fine hand made pair of boots or shoes to fit your feet and cure your corns and bunions, come to Hatfield, the expert foot fitter and cowboy boot maker, at R. M. Sanders' harness shop. We do up-to-date, fine repairing in ladies' and gents' shoes, the finest in the territory. Just try us and be convinced that we are there with the goods and do not want the whole plant for our work either.

Get a free sample of Dr. Shoop's "Health Coffee" at our store. If real coffee disturbs your stomach, your heart or your kidneys, then try this clever coffee imitation. Dr. Shoop has closely matched old Java and Mocha coffee in flavor and taste, yet it has not a single grain of real coffee in it. Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee imitation is made from pure toasted grains of cereals, with malt, nuts, etc. Made in a minute. No tedious wait. You will surely like it. Sold by Pearce & Dobbs.

**A. B. AUSTIN,**  
**BAKERY,**  
**CONFECTIONERY**  
 Fresh Bread, Pies, Cakes and Cookies. A nice stock of Nuts, Candies and Fruits, also line of  
**FANCY GROCERIES,**  
 We try our best to please you. Bannister's Old Stand.

**Humphrey & Sledge,**  
 Is resident agent for Sweetwater Marble Works. Monumental work of all kinds. See him for designs and prices.  
**MONUMENTS,**

Call on me for Careful and Accurate  
**SURVEYING,**  
 Best of Transits. Prices as reasonable as Consistent with Good Work.  
**W. F. TALLANT,**  
 Portales, New Mexico.

**H. G. JUSTICE,**  
 Manufacturer of  
 and Dealer in  
**Harness and Saddles**  
 Boots and Shoes Made to Order.  
 -REPAIRING DONE.  
 Opposite Morris' Wagon Yard.  
 PORTALES, N. M.

ALL KINDS OF  
**BLACKSMITHING**  
 New Work and Repair Work, Carriage and Wagon Work  
**HORSESHOEING**  
 Work on Horses with Crippled Feet a Specialty.  
 Your patronage solicited.  
**J. S. PRUETT**  
 Shop South of Arkansaw Store.

CALL ON  
**J. W. OSBORN**  
 FOR BEST  
**GROCERIES**  
 Low Prices Square Dealing  
 Prompt Delivery  
 North Side of the Square  
 PORTALES, NEW MEXICO

**Portales Barber Shop,**  
 Fred Crosby, Proprietor.  
 First-Class Baths. Agents for Amarillo Steam Laundry. Portales, New Mexico.

**Samuel A. Dotson,**  
 ••TINNER••  
 Tin Roofing and Tank Building. All work guaranteed. Shop north side Main street back of Dumas' restaurant

**Stag Saloon,**  
**Liquors**  
 W. A. KENNON, Proprietor.  
 Dripping Springs and Hill & Hill whiskey, and Clarks Pure Ryé. All Bottled in Bond.

**Farmers Agricultural Fair**  
 Lists will be circulated in each community that the farmers, as well as all business men, may subscribe and take stock in order to purchase land contiguous to Portales to build thereon, that we will have conveniences to have and hold our annual county farmers fair.  
 As soon as a sufficiency of stock is taken a permanent organization will be perfected. This is a move in the right direction and should receive the undivided support of every citizen of Roosevelt county. Address:  
 R. Y. GREGG.

**Will Portales Secure U. C. V. Annual Reunion?**  
 The Bedford Forrest Camp No. 1606, U. C. V. at a regular meeting of our camp in Portales, Saturday, June 22nd, 1907, a committee of three comrades, A. J. Looper, J. G. Barnes and J. H. Marten were requested to submit to the citizens of Portales a question as to what inducement they will offer as to expenses toward holding our next annual reunion in Portales.  
 R. Y. GREGG, Adjutant.

**Roosevelt County Getting Settlers**  
 Roswell Register-Tribune:  
 J. A. Carter, of Carter, Roosevelt county, is in the city. To give an idea of how the country up in Roosevelt county is being settled up, Mr. Carter gives us an illustration that when he took up his claim sixteen months ago there were only five or six houses in sight of his place. Now he can stand in his yard and count 127 houses—"and," he added "they are not shacks like one commonly sees on dry land claims, but many are good residences of from four to eight rooms." These transmigrations are, to the old-timers, a source of no little humiliation. He is always glad to see the uninterested arrive and ever ready to lend them a hand, but—here's the rub—he prophesied they'd all starve to death. On the contrary they came here, got fat, sent for their kinfolk in the God-forsaken East or North—and then along with the old-timer, build school houses on every hill and a little white church in each village.

**First National Bank**  
 Texico Democrat:  
 The First National Bank of Clovis organized last Saturday by electing the following directors:  
 C. O. Leach, W. E. Lindsey, Ed J. Neer and W. O. Oldham, all of Portales and J. S. Edwards, W. A. Davis, R. C. Reid, Dr. A. L. Breeding and B. D. Oldham of Texico. R. C. Reed was chosen president of the bank. B. D. Oldham vice president, W. A. Davis cashier and J. S. Edwards assistant cashier.

By glancing at the list of directors it will be observed that the board is composed of men closely associated with the First National banks of Portales and Texico, together with some of the other banks in this section known as the Oldham banks.

The First National Bank of Clovis makes the sixth bank opened by the above parties. All of these banks are in a most prosperous condition and are rated very high. It is the policy of the management of these banks to extend to customers every facility and accommodation consistent with sound banking. A perusal of the statement made by any of the banks above mentioned will show that they are conducted on a safe and conservative basis.

**NOTICE OF RESTORATION OF PUBLIC LANDS TO SETTLEMENT AND ENTRY.** Department of the Interior, General Land Office, Washington, D. C., April 20, 1907. Notice is hereby given that the public lands within the following described areas are hereby withdrawn from public sale, to be offered for sale under the provisions of the Act of February 24, 1871 (16 Stat. 430), to the highest bidder for cash, at not less than the appraised price, the money to be paid at the time of sale, such sale to be held by the Register and Receiver of the United States land office, at their office at Clayton, New Mexico, on the eleventh day of July, 1907, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. The lands will be offered for sale in tracts, separately, in the order in which they appear in the list on file in the local land office at Clayton, New Mexico.  
 R. A. BALLINGER, Commissioner.  
 Approved April 20, 1907.  
 JAMES RUDOLPH GARFIELD, Secretary of the Interior.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
 Department of the Interior, land office at Clayton, New Mexico, May 29, 1907.  
 Notice is hereby given that Henry F. Foster of Blackwater, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final commutation proof in support of his claim for homestead entry No. 6277, made May 4, 1906, for the northwest quarter of section 5, township 2 north, range 35 east, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on July 10th, 1907. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:  
 William J. McConnell, Marion J. Sparks, Lewis J. Daniel, Lester J. Hobbs, all of Blackwater, New Mexico.  
 EDWARD W. FOX, Register.

In the district court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico.  
 Wiley Gross, plaintiff  
 vs.  
 Elizabeth Gross, defendant. No. 195  
**NOTICE OF SUIT**  
 To Elizabeth Gross, defendant in above action: You are hereby notified that a suit has been commenced against you by the plaintiff, Wiley Gross, in the district court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, wherein plaintiff asks an absolute divorce from you on the grounds of abandonment.  
 You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said case on or before the 10th day of August, A. D. 1907, 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.  
 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 17th day of June, 1907.  
 [SEAL] S. I. ROBERTS, Clerk of said court.  
 By R. Y. GREGG, Deputy.

**Notice of Pendency of Action.**  
 Ola Davis, Plaintiff. No. 189.  
 vs.  
 Eli Davis, Defendant.  
 District court, Roosevelt county.  
 You, Eli Davis, defendant in the above named action, wherein Ola Davis is plaintiff, are hereby given notice of the pending of said action in the district court, in and for Roosevelt county, New Mexico, and that the general object of said action is the dissolution of the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant.  
 And you, Eli Davis, defendant, are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said action on or before the 22d day of July, 1907, judgment will be rendered in said action against you by default and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.  
 And that the name of plaintiff's attorney is Sam J. Nixon, and his postoffice address is Portales, Roosevelt county, New Mexico.  
 Witness the signature of the clerk of the district court and the seal of said court this 30th day of May, 1907.  
 [SEAL] S. I. ROBERTS, CLERK. 6-1-51  
 By R. Y. GREGG, Deputy.

**Notice of Pendency of Action.**  
 G. C. Huntley, Plaintiff. No. 187.  
 vs.  
 Florence M. Huntley, Defendant.  
 District Court, Roosevelt County.  
 You, Florence M. Huntley, defendant in the above named action, wherein G. C. Huntley is plaintiff, are hereby given notice of the pending of said action in the district court, in and for Roosevelt county, New Mexico, and that the general object of said action is the dissolution of the bonds of matrimony existing between the plaintiff and defendant.  
 And you, Florence M. Huntley, defendant, are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said action on or before the 20th day of July, 1907, judgment will be rendered in said action against you by default and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.  
 And that the name of plaintiff's attorney is Sam J. Nixon, and his postoffice address is Portales, Roosevelt county, New Mexico.  
 Witness the signature of the clerk of the district court and the seal of said court this 23d day of May, 1907.  
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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, General Land Office, Washington, D. C., April 20, 1907.** Notice is hereby given that certain lands within the Fort Sumner abandoned military reservation, New Mexico, amounting to 164.00 acres, not heretofore offered for public sale, will be offered for sale under the provisions of the Act of February 24, 1871 (16 Stat. 430), to the highest bidder for cash, at not less than the appraised price, the money to be paid at the time of sale, such sale to be held by the Register and Receiver of the United States land office, at their office at Clayton, New Mexico, on the eleventh day of July, 1907, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. The lands will be offered for sale in tracts, separately, in the order in which they appear in the list on file in the local land office at Clayton, New Mexico.  
 R. A. BALLINGER, Commissioner.  
 Approved April 20, 1907.  
 JAMES RUDOLPH GARFIELD, Secretary of the Interior.

**CONTEST NOTICE.**  
 Department of the Interior, United States land office, Roswell, New Mexico, May 10, 1907.  
 A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Kate H. Owen, contestant, against Harry Boucher, entry No. 2659, made October 24, 1906, for northeast quarter, section 18, township 1 north, range 36 east, by Harry Boucher, contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Harry Boucher 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 of said affidavit; that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law; that his alleged absence from the said land was 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 at 10 o'clock a. m., on July 18, 1907, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at Portales, N. M., and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m., on July 29, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States land office in Roswell, New Mexico.  
 The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed June 10, 1907, 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.  
 HOWARD LELAND, Register.

**CONTEST NOTICE.**  
 Department of the Interior, United States land office, Roswell, New Mexico, May 22, 1907.  
 A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by John W. Flannery, contestant, against homestead entry No. 7643, made April 20, 1906, for northeast quarter of section 8, township 4 south, range 36 east, by Ike Chapel, contestee, in which it is alleged that Ike Chapel 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 of said affidavit; that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law; that his 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 allegations at 10 o'clock a. m., on August 6, 1907, 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 August 17, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States land office in Roswell, New Mexico.  
 The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed June 8, 1907, 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.  
 HOWARD LELAND, Register.

**CONTEST NOTICE.**  
 Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, N. M., May 10, 1907.  
 A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Homer F. Biggs, contestant, against homestead entry No. 3867, made October 22, 1906, for the southeast quarter of section 30, township 2 south, range 35 east, by William E. Swihart, contestee, in which it is alleged that William E. Swihart 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 of said affidavit; that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law; that his 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 allegations at 11 o'clock a. m., on July 19, 1907, 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 July 30, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, New Mexico.  
 The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed June 12, 1907, 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.  
 HOWARD LELAND, REGISTER.

**CONTEST NOTICE.**  
 Department of the Interior, United States land office, Roswell, New Mexico, May 22, 1907.  
 A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by John W. Bull, contestant, against homestead entry No. 7636, made April 20th, 1906, for southeast quarter of section 35, township 3 south, range 36 east, by William L. Simmons, contestee, in which it is alleged that the said William L. Simmons 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 of said affidavit; that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law; that his 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 allegations at 3 o'clock p. m., on August 7, 1907, 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 August 20, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States land office in Roswell, New Mexico.  
 The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed June 17, 1907, 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.  
 HOWARD LELAND, Register.

**CONTEST NOTICE.**  
 Department of the Interior, United States land office, Roswell, New Mexico, May 10, 1907.  
 A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Martin L. Shofner, contestant, against homestead entry No. 9358, made Sept. 12, 1906, for the southwest quarter of section 24, township 2 south, range 35 east, by James Hogue, contestee, in which it is alleged that the said James Hogue 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 of said affidavit; that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law; that his 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 allegations at 3 o'clock p. m., on July 17, 1907, 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 July 29, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, New Mexico.  
 The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed June 10, 1907, 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.  
 HOWARD LELAND, Register.

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