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THE First National Bank

Portales, New Mexico.

Condensed statement of the First National Bank, of Portales. N.M. as made to the Comptroller of the Currency at the close of business, April 28, 1909.

RESOURCES.

	ds and Premiums	51,600	
Banking H	louse, Furniture and Eixtures	8,705 33,053	17
	Total	414,026	36

Capital Stock	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus and Profits	24,875 00
Circulation	49,400 00
Deposits2	89,751 33
Total	\$414,026 \$6

I certify that the above is a true and correct statement. WALTER O. OLDHAM, Cashier.

If you want money come to see us whether you are a depositor or not. It's our business to carefully and patiently consider any legitimate business matter presented to us. Notice the above statement and get an idea of our condition.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

PORTALES, NEW MEXICO

Go to the O. K. barber shop. Landers cleans and blocks hats. to be a good move to send four

MORE IRRIGATION

Committee Goes to Garden City, Kansas, to Investigate

A Similar Plant Now in Operation at That Place

meeting was held at the court Flue Anderson. house last Saturday. The com- Only sufficient funds were coltract with Mr. Rittenhouse re- Garden City, and not quite suffiimportant details to cover in the to go at their own expense. Accontract that the committee had cordingly Flue Anderson and C. committee and give them till other business. next Saturday to report.

gation to Garden City, Kansas, was taken up and it was decided

representative citizens up there to investigate the pumping prop-MEETING WORK ositions and what is being accomplished, and to pay their expenses. A committee was appointed to nominate eight suitable men from which to elect the four men to go as delegates. The committee reported the names of Robert Hicks, J. B. Crawford, Flue Anderson, C. M. Dobbs, T. E. Mears, N. Wise, M. Winn, and Joe Howard. The four men chosen from these were N. Wise. Another enthusiastic irrigation C. M. Dobbs, T. E. Mears, and

mittee on formulating the con- lected to send two of the men to ported. The report was to the cient for that. However, some effect that there were so many other of our citizens volunteered as yet been unable to get it in M. Dobbs, two of the delegates, stisfactory shape, so that the and Joe Howard and A.M. Lumpinterests of the farmers would kin, who pay their own way, be protected in all particulars. started Thursday for Garden day forenoon the Portales Bot-The committee had put in a lot of City. They will, probably, be tling Works caught fire and the hard work on the document but gone about a week. W. E. Lind- entire plant was destroyed. Only Thomos Laydon was arrested it was a matter of great moment sey, B. Blank aship and probably a small amount of stuff was got at Texico Tuesday by J. E. Carand it would require several days others expect to start Sunday to out of the building. This is a ter and brought by him to Porfor them to get it in shape. The make investigations at Garden very severe loss to Mr. N. H. tales and lodged in jail. The meeting decided to continue the City and other points on this and Deahl, the owner. He was just charge against Laydon is the

Another meeting was called The matter of sending a dele- for next Saturday at two o'clock p. m. at the court house.

Landers cleans clothes,



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. About eleven o'clock Wednes-

Portales Bottling Works Burned. insurance. It is to be hoped that he will make arrangements at once to open up his business

in the height of his business sea- theft of mail matters from rural son and was having a splendid route No. 1, box 54. He is held run as he made good stuff, pop on territorial warrant pending and ice cream. We are not in- time to secure U. S. warrant to formed as to the amount of his be approved by U. S. District loss but undertand he had \$1500 Attorney D. J. Lahey at Santa Fe.

PRICE IS IT



WE ARE HIGHLY PLEASED with our Great Dump Sale and since the rains we have hopes of doing a big business this fall and winter and we will go to market with the intention of buying the largest and best stock of merchandise that has ever been brought to Eastern New Mexico. We still believe Roosevelt County the best county and Porlales the best town in Eastern New Mexico. 2

Our big line of Hart Schaffner @ Marx and Spero Michael @ Son's fall and winter Clothing will be here by the time we get in our new building. We must clean up all of our Spring and Summer Suits at reduced prices.

Men's Soft Collar Shirts

Our New York buyer has just sent us fifty dozen nice Pongee and Mohair Shirts worth \$1.25. But they were bought at a barbain and will sell them 89c at.....

Our New Fall Ginghams

We have just received twenty new patterns of Red Seal Gingham to select from at 122c Big line of Ginghams at per yard, 15, 12 1-2 and . 10c

Dress Goods

All Spring and Summer Dress Good in White and figured Lawns will be sold at reduced prices.



All of our Slippers in Men's, Ladies', Misses' and Children will be cleared up at greatly reduced prices as we carry nothing over.

Men's \$4.50 and \$5.00 slippers at..... Men's \$2.50 and \$3.50 slippers at......

Watch out for our big Removal Sale which will be inaugurated about the last fifteen days of August. We must reduce our stock before we move for our buyer will buy new goods for our new building. We had rather cut the price than move the Goods.

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TELEPHONE NO. 83.

Irrigation by Private and Public Enterprise.

"Without disparaging anything that the Reclamation Service has done or is doing," says the Santa Fe New Mexican, "it is a wrong impression that is gaining ground especially in the East, that private enterprise has done nothing as yet to ereclaim the arid lands of the Southwest. As a matter of fact, irrigation canals and reservoirs existed in New Mexico in prehistoric times Cranford, Delphos, N.M. Jesse Guartey, Elida. N.M. Jesse Guartey, Elida. N.M. T. C. Tillotson. Register already and even during the past few decades, long before the government lent its aid to reclaim the arid west, millions of dollars had been expended in New Mexico and elsewhere. The Carlsbad irrigation works were built by private enterprise and afterwards bought by the government. The Elephant Buttes

Department of the Interior, U.S. Island onto a Roswell, N.M. April 20, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Lorenza L. Chastain of Carter, N.M. who as March 3, 1906. made homestead entry No. 7660, serial No. 010091. [or southeast quarter section 32, township 3 south range 35 east, N.M. P. M. has filled notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W.E. Lindsey, U.S. commissioner, at his office in Portalea, N.M. on the 10th day of September, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ephraim J. Maples, Samuel F. Anderson, Oliver B. Carter, E[e] D. Fortner, all of Carter, N.M.

T. C. Tillotson, Register. government lent its aid to reproject was planned many years ago by private capital and would be an actual reality today had not the government prevented and at last taken over the project itself. The Rio Hondo project, one of the first finished by the government, has not yet reclaimed the 14,000 acres it was planned it should irrigate.

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office and Roswell, N. M. June 7. 1999.

Notice is hereby given that Ellis M. Hibler. of Pearson, New Mexico, who, on March 12, 1997. Made homestead entry No. 11360, serial No. 012/137. for southeast quarter, section 18, township I south, range 31 east, w.M.P.M. has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, United States commissioner, at his office in Portlades, which of Maxico, who, on March 12, 1997. Notice is hereby given that Ellis M. Hibler. of Pearson, New Mexico, who, on March 12, 1997. Notice is hereby given that Ellis M. Hibler. of Pearson, New Mexico, who, on March 12, 1997. Notice is hereby given that Ellis M. Hibler. of Pearson, New Mexico, who, on March 12, 1997. Notice is hereby given that Ellis M. Hibler. of Pearson, New Mexico, who, on March 12, 1997. Notice is hereby given that Ellis M. Hibler. of Pearson, New Mexico, who, on March 12, 1997. Notice is hereby given that Ellis M. Hibler. of Pearson, New Mexico, who, on March 12, 1997. Notice is hereby given that Ellis M. Hibler. of Pearson, New Mexico, who, on March 12, 1997. Notice is hereby given that Ellis M. Hibler. of Pearson, New Mexico, who, on March 12, 1997. Notice is hereby given that Ellis M. Hibler. of Pearson, New Mexico, who, on March 12, 1997. Notice is hereby given that Ellis M. Hibler. of Pearson, New Mexico, who, on March 12, 1997. Notice is hereby given that Ellis M. Hibler. of Pearson, New Mexico, who, on March 12, 1997. Notice is hereby given that Ellis M. Hibler. of Pearson, New Mexico, who, on March 12, 1997. Notice is hereby given that Ellis M. Hibler. of Pearson, New Mexico, who, on March 12, 1997. Notice is hereby given that Ellis M. Hibler. of Pearson, Ne planned it should irrigate, for the simple reason that there has been no surplus flow, thus far, to Reewell, N. M. June 7, 1999. fill the reservoir. In Colfax, in San Juan, and in other counties, private enterprise has reclaimed more than a quarter of a million acres in this terminal properties. New Mexico on December 4, 1906, made homestead entry No. 18272, serial No.011539 for northeast quarter section 14, township 2 south range 31 east N.M.P.M. has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above deadribed, before W.E. Lindsey, United States commissioner, at his office in Portales. New Mexico, on the link acres in this territory and will, in the course of the next few years, add another quarter of a million acres in this territory and will, in the course of the next few years, add another quarter of a million w. E. Lindsey, United States commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on the 10th day of September, 1999.

Claimant names as witnesses: Albert H. Lewis Joseph B. Naylor, Calvin A. Jones, James A. Tinsley, all of Portales, N.M.

T. C. Tillotson, Register, years, add another quarter of a million acres, long before the NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. government will have placed a Department of the Interior, U. S. land office bundred thousand acres under ditch in New Mexico, although credit must be given for the construction of the Leasburg diversion dam in the Rio Grande. However this must not be lost sight of. The government is not building these works free of charge, it expects the beneficiation of thousand acres under Roswell, N.M., May 20, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Nathaniel B. Griffin of Lacy, N.M. who, on February 3, 1904, made homestead entry No. 4902, serial No. 09181, for south half southwest quarter and south half southwest quarter section 31, township 1 north, range 33 east, N.M.P.M. has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, United States commissioner at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on the 24th day of August, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: George P. Smith, of Portales, N.M., Isaac T. Guest, George W. Mauldin, James S. Mauldin, all of Lacy, N.M. charge, it expects the beneficiaries to repay every cent of the cost. Speaking on this very Roswell, N.M. May 27, 1909

square foot of arid soil in the state of Coloredo and that the state of Coloredo and that the state of Colorado, and 'yet the value of the agricultural products of this state is not loss than 250.

T. C. Tillotson, Register of this state is not less than \$50-000,000 a year. What has been

The article goes on to state that the government is now at work in Colorado on one of its largest irrigation enterprises and it will be principally completed this summer, but when finished the land it will irrigate will be only about one-thirtieth of the total area under irrigation in that total area under irrigation in the irrigation in the irrigation.

Department of the Interior, United States land office, Roswell, N. M. May 27, 1909

Notice is hereby given that David M. Coulson of Painter, N. M. M. Mo. 08 April 25, 1906, made homestead entry No. 7731, serial No. 010372, for northwest quarter section 14, township I south, range 31 and Reich and No. 010372, for northwest quarter section 14, township I south, range 31 and Reich and No. 010372, for northwest quarter section 14, township I south, range 31 and No. 010372, for northwest quarter section 14, township I south, range 31 and No. 010372, for northwest quarter section 14, township I south, range 31 and No. 010372, for total area under irrigation in that state.

Claimant names as witnesses: William A. Painter. Homer B. Adams. Bev E. Parmley. Thomas E. Pitman, all of Painter, N.M.

T. C. Tillotson. Register

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Department of the Interior, U.S. land office at Roswell, N.M., June 4, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas H. Wash, of Arch, N.M. who on July 18, 1904, made homestead entry No. 5266, serial No. 09315, for the southeast quarter section 24, township 2 south, range 36 east, N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U.S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, N. M., on the 9th day of September, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: William H. the 7th day of September, 1707.

Claimant names as witnesses: William H.
Williams, William M. Nickols Alfred A. Bouiter,
Joe Bradley, all of Arch, New Mexico,
T. C. Tillotson, Register.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, N.M., May 13, 1999.

Notice is hereby given that Jacob W. Clendennen, of Portales, N.M. who, on April 23, 1904, for north half northaest quarter and east half northwest quarter section 12, township 2 south, range 35 east, N.M.P.M. has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, United States commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on the 9th day of September, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Arthur R. Smith, Charles C. Hunter, both of Portales, N.M. George I. Poindexter, Thomas L. Chalk, both of Arch, N.M.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S., land office at Roswell, New Mexico, June 16, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Clarence F. Young of Elids, N.M. who, on January 16, 1907, made homestead entry No. 10680, serial No. 011754, for the southwest quarter section 33, township 2 south, range 32 east, N.M.P.M. has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before A. I. Maxwell, United States commissioner, at his office in Macy, N.M. on the 10th day of September, 1909.

Claimant names as witness: Samuel Worth. Harry S. Worth, both of Macy, N.M. Frank

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Department of the Interior, U.S. land office at towell, N.M. April 30, 1909.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, N.M. June 7. 1909.

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The article goes on to state

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Department of the Interior. U.S. land office at Roswell, N.M. May 21, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Albert L. Jackson, of Pearson, N.M. who on March 25, 1907, made homestead entry No. 11541, serial No. 01252, for southeast quarter section 25, township 1 south range 29 east N.M.P.M. has filed notice of intension to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U.S. commissioner, at his office at Portales, N.M. on the 7th day of September, 1909. Claimant names as witnesses: Ben Bateman. Thomas E. Bateman, Gilson D. Clark, George C. Earnest, all of Pearson, N.M.

T. C. Tillotson, Register.

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CONTEST NOTICE.

people in pushing this great work of irrigation and time will soon see that the people of Portales are equal to the emergency, by placing this valley on the map as an irrigated district.

The first issue of the Clovis Daily Journal issued Wednesday, July 28th, has reached our exchange table. T. J. Mabry is

T. C. Tillotson, Register.

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Claimant names as witnesses: William H. Beck. L. Wright Carleton, Samuel T. Shaw, James C. Dunlap, all of Portsles, N.M. T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. land office a Roswell. New Mexico, May 20, 1999.

Notice is hereby given that Annie M. Coyle. of Rediake, New Mexico, who, on May 9, 1908, made homestead entry, No. 15166. serial number 014923, for the northeast quarter, section 32, township 3 south, range M east, New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on the 24th day of August, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Lee Hardy, William B. Searcy, Fred L. Coyle, Andrew F. Eggers, all of Rediake, N.M.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office at Roswell, New Mexico, May 28, 1909.
Notice is hereby given that Abraham B. Large of Portales, N. M. who on December 16, 1903, made homestead entry No. 4798, serial No. 96281, for southeast quarter, section 28, township 1 south, range 35 east New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, N. M., on the 8th day of September, 1909.
Claimant names as witnesses: Stephen R. Yates, William F. Smith, Newton C. Landers, John M. Faggard, all of Portales, N. M.
T. C. Tillotson, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, U. S. land office a

Roswell, N.M. June 1, 1909,
Notice is hereby given that Carrie G. Storts,
of Turner, N. M. who, on April 30, 1908, made
homestead entry. No. 15064, serial No. 016945
for southeast quarter, section 32, township 2
south, range 35 east, New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final ridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office at Portales, N. M. on on the 8th day of September, 1909

Claimant names as witnesses: Joe Howard, of Portales, N.M. Myra Fore, of Rogers, N.M. Samuel F. O'Neal, of Turner, N.M. William A. Turner, of Turner, N.M.

T. C. Tillotson, Register.

Notice of Suit. In the district court of Roosevelt county, New

George A. Hobbs, plaintiff,)

Mexico.

George A. Hobbs, plaintiff., No. 510

Zora Hobbs, defendant.

To the defendant, Zora Hobbs, in the above suit: You will take notice that a suit has been filed against you in the district court for the Fifth judicial district of the territory of New Mexico, for the county of Roosevelt, in which George A. Hobbs is plaintiff and Zora Hobbs is the defendant and numbered 510 on the docket of said coutr. The general objects of the suit are as follows: The plaintiff asks for an absolute divorce from you on the grounds of abandonment, and prays that he may be restored to the status of a single person and for such other and further relief as the nature of the case may require and the court shall direct. You are further notified that if you fail to appear and plead or answer in this case on or before the 6th day of September, 1909, judgment by default will be rendered against you in this suit and the allegations in plaintiff s complaint will be taken as confessed and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint. Reese. Carter & Reese are the attorneys for the plaintiff and their business address is Portales, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court

Witness my hand and the seal of said court this the third day of July, 1909, (SEAL) S. 1. ROBERTS, Clerk. By LLEWELLYN CARTER, Deputy.

CONTEST NOTICE.

CONTEST NOTICE.

U. S. Land office, Roswell, N. M., June. 23, 1909.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Edward McDaniel Roswell, contestant, against homestead entry. No. 9706, made October 8, 1906, for southwest quarter section 26, township 2 south, range 33 east, N. M. principal meridian, by Charles N. Drew, Ryan, I. T., contestee, in which it is alleged that entryman has wholly abandoned said tract and had not resided upon and cultivated same for more than it months prior to the date of said affidavit, and that said absence from the land was not due to his employment in the army, or navy 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'clocki a.m. on August 7, 1909, before the Register and Receiver at the the United States Land office in Roswell, N. M.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed June 23, 1909, 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.

Harold Hurd, Receiver.

CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior, United States Land office, Roswell, N. M., July 1, 1909.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by James B., Crawford of Portales, New Mexico, contestant, against homestead entry No. 14473, made March 14, 1908, for southeast quarter northeast quarter, section 24, township 2 south, range 35 east, by G. Lee Bradshaw. contestee, in which it is alleged, under date of April 23rd, 1909, that the said G. Lee Bradshaw 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 amidavit; that the said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by the said party to the date of said amdavit; that the said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by the said party as required by law; 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 any capacity, 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 10, 1999, before Washington E. Lindsey, United States commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock, A.M., on August 17, 1909, before the Register and Receiver at the United States land office in Roswell, New Mexico.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed July 1, 1909, set forth facts which show that, after diligence, personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such sotice be given by due and proper publication.

T. C. Tillotson, Register.

New Undertaking Car



This cut is a likeness of the new Undertakers Car I have just received and added to my undertaking establishment, not so much for my own convenience, but that my friends, when they may so desire, may have a suitable conveyance in which to transport their deceased friends and dear ones to their last rest ing place without being forced to the expense of providing a hearse. This car is a modern one, in every respect, and in every way suitable for the purposes for which it is designed,

and for which I have provided it. It is not always convenient, nor possible, to secure a hearse and, in most cases, the expense is beyond the ability to pay, so I have purchased this equipage that my friends might have its use free of charge. It may be well, also to remember that, aside from being the only licensed Embalmer and Undertaker in Portales, I have a very modern undertaking establishment and will do everything in my power to render you efficient and satisfactory service, Calls answered day or night. Telephone, office, 67 two rings; residence, 67 three rings,

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, United States Land office at Roswell, N.M. June 22, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Albert A. Brodie, of Pearson, New Mexico, who, on April 17, 1909, made homestead entry serial No. 017521 for northeast quarter, section 23, township I south, range 30 east, N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on sioner, at his office in Portales, New The South day of August, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: James W. Farmer, Sidney F. Benge, Horace B. Pritner, Augustus L. Crippen, all of Peason, N.M.

T. C. Tillotson, Register.

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Department of the Interior, United States land flice at Roswell, N.M. June 22, 1909. office at Roswell, N.M. June 22, 1909.

Notice is bereby given that Charles B. Brodie, of Pearson, New Mexico, who, on May 13, 1909, made homestead entry serial No. 018100, for northwest quarter section 23, township 1 south, range 30 east, New Mexico Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, N.M., on the 30th day of August, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: James W. Farmer Sidney F. Benge, Horace B. Pritner, Augustus L. Crippen, all of Pearson, N.M.

T. C. Tillotson, Register.

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Department of the Interior, U.S. land office at Roswell N.M. May 24, 1909,
Notice is hereby given that Bev E. Parmley, of Painter, M.M., who on April 5, 1906, made homestead entry No. 270. serial No. 010279 for northeast quarter, section 11, township I south range 31 east N.M.P.M. has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described before W. E. Lindsey U. S. commissioner at his office at Portales N.M. on the 7th day of September, 1909.
Claimant names as witnesses: George H.Clary, John M. Price, Samuel L. Bruce, William E. Painter, all of Painter, N.M.
T. C. Tillotson, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U.S. land office at Roswell, N.M. April 12, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Frederick L. Coyle, of Rediake, N.M. who, on April 15, 1908, made homestead entry No. 14570, serial No. 014679 for northeast quarter section 13 township 4 south, range 33 east N.N.P.M. has filed notice of intention to make final commutation word. range 33 east N.M.P.A. has filed notice of inten-tion to make final commutation proof, to estab-lish claim to the land above described before w. E. Lindsey U.S. commissioner at his office in Portales N.M. on the Mth day of Angust, 1949. Claimant names as witnesses: William W. Morefield, Elmer Nelson, Andrew C. Bedgood, Anna M. Coyle, all of Redlake, New Mexico. T. C. Tillotson, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, U.S. land office, at oswell, N. M., May 17, 1909, Notice is hereby diversity that Notice is hereby given that Augustus L. Crippen, of Pearson, New Mexico, who, on March 26, 1908, made homestead entry No. 14623, serial No. 014458, for northeast quarter, section 28, township I south, range 30 east, New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of intention principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, N. M., on the 23d day of August, 1909. Claimant names as witnesses: Loddie E. Brodie, Walter H. Martin, George F. Benge Sidney F. Benge, all of Pearson, N. M.

T. C. Tillotson, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, New Mexico, May 17, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Grover C. Spray, of Portales, New Mexico, who, on April 8, 1907, made homestead entry No. 11649, serial No. 012346, for southeast quarter, section 20, township 3 south, range 35 east, New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on the 23d day of Angust, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: James S. Fraser, John Howl, both of Carter, N. M., Florence J. Kimman, Willie L. Beavers, both of Portales, New Mexico.

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************* Local and Personal. T-------

R. R. Roberts left Wednesday for Oklahoma on business.

Ed O'Connell arrived Wednes day evening from Clovis on busi-

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ad Saylor, a son, Wednesday August 4th.

Wortham H. Odom and Cash Austin were at Clovis Sunday and Monday.

C. A. Murray, of Matador, Texas, a nephew of J. D. Brown, is here visiting him. Roy Flick arrived from Clovis

Sunday and is again on duty at visiting friends. Portales for the telephone com-

O. E. Adams went to Clovis Tuesday to work on that end of the line for the telephone com- bert and Uriel returned today pany.

H. C. Graves, the hustling lahoma, was here a few days the picnic at the DZ headquarters supply. this week on business.

Miss Marguerite Johnson re-Texas, where she has been visit- a fall and winter stock of goods. ing her uncle and aunt.

ident at this place, now a resident of Missouri, arrived last this their home. week to look after some land he has here.

Father Christman, of Roswell, was here Tuesday and received atives in Oklahoma. the new Catholic church building from the contractors, Tucker brothers.

Tony Hunter came in Sunday from the 99 ranch, owned by A. L. Chesher, and visited his few days.

W. R. Hardin and wife, fatherin-law and mother-in-law of G. Jim Turner and family returned Knowles, N. M., to visit him a where they had been visiting.

that it is going to be a hum dinger homa. of a good house.

Crawford who live eleven miles New Mexico. southeast of Portales.

R. T. BRISTOW for which he got \$15.00 per ton, and Tucumcari. C. W. Morris & Sons were the **NEW MEYICO**

Texas, the past few months, over there last spring. was at home for a few days the

again to Plainview. organized at Boyd's store in the S. A. Dotson. southeast part of the county and real estate business.

who live at Pearson. One died of that part of town. Sunday and was buried Monday, and the other died Tuesday and was buried Wednesday.

Austin and daughter went to vis- name of Adams & Crow. it in central Texas, and Miss White to attend school at San Antonio.

part of last week. The little will help her. fellow is getting along as well as could be expected.

tivities in Amarillo.

Lee Jennings, a nephew of W. M. Cox, has been here visiting him.

Mrs. Harvey Oatman, of Clovis, was visiting friends here Saturday.

Mrs. R. W. Hughes left Wednesday for Higgins, Texas, on a visit.

Walter Farmer and J. O. Wood left Thursday for Yesso to look at the country.

Wallace Austin left Sunday for Amarillo to take a position in the offices of the Santa Fe Railway company.

Mrs. W. E. Chambless arrived Sunday from Oklahoma and is

W. W. Odom, arrived from Clovis Wednesday evening to visit his family.

from their visit in Roswell.

tomorrow. W. I. Luikart left Saturday turned Sunday from Dalhart, for the New York market to buy and Bryan's office at Neer's

W. P. Keeling and family, of in each month. Fred Nichols, formerly a res- Odessa, Texas, moved here last week and will probably make a years subscription to the Ladies

returned last week after having of good literature. visitied a few weeks with rel-

F. W. Kennedy has taken the Floyd Stone, resigned.

Clarence Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Williams, armother, Mrs. S. E. Hunter, a rived Wednesday from Dallas, Texas, to visit his parents.

L. Reese, arrived Tuesday from Tuesday from Graham, Texas, Mrs. R. T. Brantly, who has

Tucker Bros report that the been visiting her sister, Mrs. work is progressing nicely on Levi Whiteman, left Saturday Store. Watson King's residence and for her home in Loveland, Okla-

Miss May Holloway, who had Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Austin and been visiting with A. L. Woody Miss Minnie White visited Sun- and family near Arch, left Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. day for her home at Hollene,

J. H. Burk of Arch was haul- ing, who live near Richland, left ing in and marketing ten tons of Tuesday to work on the Rock maize and kafir heads this week Island cut-off between Amarillo

Arthur Finley, of Gama valley, was here the first of the week Claud Edmonson of Arch, who after a load of effects he and Mr. has been working at Plainview, Dean had left here when moving

A. B. Austin has installed a first of the week, returning new hollow wire gasoline light that is a dandy. It is a 700 The Vaughn, Horton & Ross candle power Turner special inland company has recently been | virted light, and was installed by

The work on Joe Howard's two have taken out license to do a new residences is progressing rapidly. He is going to have two Died, the infant twin girls of good houses and they will make Mr. and Mrs. Alma Matthews, a big improvement in the looks

R. H. Adams and J. B. Crow, who have been running the E. A. Schweining tin shop, have pur-Mrs. A. B. Austin and daugh- chased the business from Mr. ter Ione and Miss Minnie White Schweining and are now conductleft Tuesday for Texas. Mrs. ing the business under the firm

Inda Humphrey and family ALL KINDS OF left last Thursday by team for Colorado, Texas, where they The little two-year old son of formerly lived and will visit. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brown was They go partly on account of severely burned with cresoline Mrs. Humphrey's health with on its breast and limbs the latter the hopes that the trip overland

Dr. L. R. Hough has let a contract to build a 16 by 16 foot ad-Mrs. R. A. Bain and children dition to his residence in Portales. arrived Monday from points in Tucker Bros, securing the con-Texas where they had been vis- tract. A large colonial porch iting. Mr. Bain, who had been will be built in front of the reswith them in Texas, arrived last idence and it will be finished week, having attended the fes- up in fine style making it one of the best houses in town.

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Gamel Produce company and get the cash. West of Portales · I will pay per pound, 8c

for hens, 17c for fryers, and 10c for turkeys, and want all I can Mrs. J. W. Yates and sons Huget. -A. B. Austin. The Portales Grain and Coal

company has just received a car A large number of Portales of Rockvale nut coal. See them real estate man of Perry, Ok- people are getting ready to go to before putting in your winter Dr. Presley's regular appoint-

ment is at Doctors Patterson Drug store every third Monday

Remember that \$1.00 pays for club library, giving you access Mrs. Belle Tipton and children to about three hundred volumes

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Woman's Club.

being Mesdames Stone, Pew. their father.

Hardy, Culberson, Aldredge, Mesrs, Bain, Molinari, Hightower, Williamson, and Miss the week in town visiting her tower, Williamson, and Miss Camille Mays. Mrs. Stone gave James Whitcomb Riley. Mrs. Hardy recited "The Raggedy Man" with credit to herself and fitting up to start a wild west medical care for their son who is sick.

"Butch" Goodwin has been fitting up to start a wild west medical care for their son who is sick.

"Butch" Goodwin has been fitting up to start a wild west may be a start a wild west great pleasure to the Club. Miss Mays gave 'Society on the Slantislaus." Mrs. Williamson gave Francis Bret Harte. Mrs. remainder of August the Club will meet every two weeks. Mrs. G. M. Williamson, Sec.

A "42" Club.

Seven young ladies met with Miss Lynne Weatherby last Friday night to organize a "42" club. Miss Nannie Farmer was elected president; Miss Callaway, vice president; Miss Weatherby, secretary; Miss Stewart, treasurer; Miss Osborn "janitor." After a number of games of "42" and refreshments were served the young ladies were taken for a ''moon light'' drive chaproned by Mesdames Callaway and Weatherby. The colors are pink and green. The meetings will be every two weeks. Those present were Misses Farmer. Marguerite and Zenoma Calaway, Osborn, Stewart, Roland, Weatherby and Mrs. Claud Dorchey of Oklahoma.

Mrs. F. E. Smith and daughter, Miss Ione, took the train at Portales Wednesday for their home in Oskaloosa, Iowa, and will visit a few days in Kansas City on their way home. They had been here about two months visiting Mrs. Smith's sons and daughter, Miss Lena, on their claims near Inez. F. M. Smith, the long head of the Smith brothers, H. Hill, all of Portales, N. M. brought his mother and sister to town to see them off.

It is reported that there was a splendid rain of about an inch fell in the Pearson valley last Thursday. This was very much appreciated as this district has been very dry. Those who have their crops started in that valley now have hope of being able to raise some crops.

The Montoya Republican edited by W. C. Hawkins, formerly editor of this paper, stated that his son, W. Brevard Hawkins, has recieved the appointment as cadet to the New Mexico Military Institute, through the kindness of Councilman Meecham.

Mrs. J. E. Morrison returned Monday after having visited about a month in Memphis, Tennessee, and other points. Miss Alma Morrison, youngest sister of "Uncle Jo sh." returned with her and will make an extended visit here.

We beg to call the attention of our readers to the display ad of Central Plains College at Plainview. Texas, which appears in this issue. This school has had remarkable success and is clean. safe and worthy of patronage of our best people.

Nice little, pleasant gentle, easy, safe and sure pills, are Rings Little and throw your tinware away be-Liver Pills.—Sold by Portales Drug cause it leaks. Take it to SAMUEL A. DOTSON, the tinner.

G. C. Brock, who was quite The many friends of Rev. G. sick, is able to be out this week.

Bring your eggs and poultry g and affair as friends by the to Fred Crosby at Newsom's old

Uncle John Reynolds and good things including everything wife left Monday to visit their son and daughter at Crowell,

> George Renner, of Norman, Oklahoma, visited a short time last week in Portales with his brother, Fred Renner.

S. R. Yates and J. S. Yates returned Wednesday from Ok-The Woman's Club had an in- lahoma, where they had been teresting meeting, those present called on account of the death of

tower, Williamson, and Miss the week in town visiting her

Man" with credit to herself and fitting up to start a wild west show. He is shipping today a car to Hot Springs, Arkansas, and has eleven head of genuine untamed broncos, accompanied by the man who rides them all, Ed Lindsey. Mr. Goodwin's family and Ed Lindsey's wife left on the passenger train today for Hot Springs, No doubt they are

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, United States land office at Roswell, N.M., June 29, 1909

Notice is hereby gives that John W.H. Isom, of Longs, N.M. who on January 24, 1907, made homestead entry No. 10777, serial No. 011796, for north west quarter section 29, township 4 south, range 36 cast, N.M.P.M., has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before H. F. Jones. Probate Judge Koosevett Co., at his office in Portales, N.M., on the 15th day of September, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: James R. Long U. S. Fraze, W. I. Murphy, G. H. Parks, all of Longs, N.M. Williamson was leader. For the by the man who rides them all, Hot Springs. No doubt they are prepared to show the people of the east some of the ways of the real wild west. Mr. Goodwin and family were among the early settlers at Portales and we wish them success.

Farm Loans.

I am now prepared to negotiate loans on farm lands. T. J. MOLINARI.

I am still buying produce,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, United States land office at Roswell. N. M. June 16, 1909
Notice is hereby given that Fred L. Fleming, of Rogers. N. M. who on May 28, 1906, made homested entry No. 8065. serial No. 010520, for northeast quarter section 23, township 5 south, range 25 east N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office at Portales, N. M., on the 13th day of September, 1909. Claimant names as witnesses: John C. Hortter,

T. c. Tillotson, Register NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior. United States land office at Roswell, N.M. June 7, 1999.

Notice is hereby given that John E. Callahan, of Portales, New Mexico, who, on May 10, 1997, made homestead entry, No. 11908, serial No. 019232, for sotheast quarter section 27, township 3 south, range M east, N.M.P.M., has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W.E. Lindsey, U.S. commissioner. at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on the 9th day of September, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses. James J. Wat-Claimant names as witnesses: James J. Wat-

> T. C. Tillotson, Register. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U.S. land office at Department of the Interior. U.S. land office at Roswell. N.M.; June 7, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that John L. Horn, of Portales, N. M. who, on May 1, 1906, made homestead entry No. 7789, serial No. 010402, for N. half, N.W. quarter, sontheast quarter northwest quarter and northeast quarter south west quarter section 20, township 3 south, range 36 gast N.M.P.M. has filed notice of intention to make final, commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U.S. commissioner, at his office at Portales M.M. P. M. has filed notice of the control of hish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey. U.S. commissioner, at his office at Portales, N.M. on the 10th day of Sept., 1909. Claimant names as witnesses: John M. Mashburn, of Portales, New Mexico. Walter B. Richardson, Charles W. Ison, Berry H. Wilson, the last three of Rogers, New Mexico.

T. C. Tillotson, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, United States land fice at Roswell, N. M., June 4, 1909. office at Roswell, N. M., June 4, 1999.

Notice is hereby given that Charles W. Foster of Longs, N. M., who, on January 30, 1997, made homestead entry No. 10846, serial No. 011835, for lots 3 and 4 and south half northwest quarter section 5, township 5 south, range 36 east. New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, N. M., on the 9th day of September, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ferd Jackson, Benjamis F. Moreman, Claud A. Rector, Roscoe C. Darwin, all of Longs, New Mexico.

1. C. Tillotson, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U.S. land office at oswell N.M. June 14, 1909. Roswell N.M. June 14, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Elmore English, of Ingram N. M., who, on June 12, 1907, made homestead entry No. 12063, serial No. 04471, for southwest quarter section 20, township 2 south, range 31 east, New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final communications recognitions. commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, N.M., on the 11th day of September, 1909.

Chimagi names as witnesses: John H. Long, Arthur Cunsingham, Zachariab H. English, all of Ingram, N. M., Pryer E. Barger, of Upton, N. M. T. C. Tillotson, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, United S. ates land office at Roswell, N. M., June 28, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Andrew J. Walters of Longs, N.M. who on Jan. 23, 1906, made home-tead entry No. 13246 serial No. 01328, for south west quarter, section 25, township 5 south, range 25 cast New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office at Portales, N. M., on the 14th day of September, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Uzer, William R. Uzer, both of Richland, N.M. Hance Arnold, Luther Arnold, both of Longs, N.M.

T. C. Tillotson, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at oswell, N.M., June 24, 1909. Roswell, N. M., June 24, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that John R. Jones, of Upton, N. M., who, on March 15, 1906, made homestead entry No. 7226, serial No. 010173, for northeast quarter section 3, township 2 south range 31 east N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, United States commissioner at his office in Portales, N. M. on the 14th day of September, 1909. September, 1909.
Claimant names as witnesses: James E. Spear,
Jacob F. Wallis, Albert H. Hall, all of Floyd, N.
M. Horace R. Cowart, of Upton, N.M.
T. C. Tillotson, Register. eptember, 1909.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U.S. land office a Roswell, N.M., July 1, 1909

Notice is Bereby given that John T. Thompson of Macy, N.M., who, on December 10, 1907, made homestead entry No, 13450, serial No 013531, for sorthwest quarter section 13, township 2 north, range 32 east New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of his intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before A. I. Maxwell, U.S. commissioner at Macy, N.M., on the 15th day of September, 1909

Claimant names as witnesses: J. B. Shay, J. B. the 15th day of September, 1909
Claimant names as witnesses: J. B. Shay, J. B.
Patton, J. H. Garner, B. T. Perry, all of Delphos
N.M.
T. C. Tillotson, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, United States land office at Roswell, N. M., June 18, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that James J. Davis, of Portales, N. M. who on March 8, 1907, made homestead entry No. 11329, serial No.012116 made homestead entry No. 11329, serial No.012116 for south west quarter section 19, township 2 south range 34 east, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. K. Lindsey, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Portalea, New Mexico, on the 13th day of September, 19.9.

Claimant names as witnesses: James A. Tinsley, Frederick Kapteina, Samuel A. Dotson, Babe Freeman, all of Portales, N. M.

T. C. Tillotson, Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U.S. land office at Department of the Interior, U.S. land office at Roswell, N.M. June 29, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Henry C. Maxwell of Portales, N. M. who, on October 22, 1903, made homestead entry No. 4669, serial No. 09125, for northwest quarter section 31, township 2south range 35 east N.M. P.M. has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W.E. Linday U.S. commissioner, at his office at Portal Research of the section 25, to the section 25 Lindsey, U.S. commissioner, at his office at Por-tales, N.M. on the 15th day of September, 1909. Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas F. Eltales, N.M. on the ion day of Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas F. El-kins. Lewis P. Jones, Henry G. Justice, Corne-lius M. Dobbs, all of Portales, N. M. T. C. Tillotson, Register,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U.S. land office al Roswell N.M. June 22, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas J. Mehuron of Inez. N.M. who, on May 4, 1906, made homestead entry No. 7839, serial No. 010421, for south west quarter section 14 township 4 south range 36 east N.M. P.M. has filed notice of intenrange 36 east N.M.P.M. has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land adove described before W. E. Lindsey U.S. commissioner at his office at Portales N.M. on the 13th day of September, 1993. Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas J. Mulins, Anetta Shepard, both of Inez, N. M., John S. Seifried, of Rogers, N.M., Lloyd E. Canfil, of Portales, N.M. T. C. Tillotson, Register,

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Department of the Interior, U.S. land office at Roswell N.M. June 29, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Parker M. Fortner, of Carter, N. M. who on February 13, 1906 made homestead entry No. 684 serial No. 010000 for southwest quarter section 33 township 3 south range 35 east N.M.P.M. has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described before H. F. Jones, probate judge, at his office at Portales, N.M. on the 15th day of September, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Oliver B.Carter, Henry C. Kachert, Lorensie Chastian, Effel D. Fortner, all of Carter, N.M.

T. C. Tillotson, Register.

CONTEST NOTICE.

CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the interior. United States Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, July 8, 1909.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Martina Brown of Portales. New Mexico, confesseant, against homestead entry No. 07031, made May 20, 1909, for northeast quarter, section 8, township 1 south, range 30 east, by Farris Probst, contestee, in which it is alleged, under date of June 16th, 1909. that on July 20, 1908, plaintiff filed her affidavit of contest against the homestead entry of Louis Kurvear, No. 13775, who at that time had an entry of said land and had made default thereon; that relying upon her asid contest for ultimate entry of said land for her homestead, she, plaintiff, built a dwelling house on said land on or about February 1st. 1909, and established her residence therein and on said land on or about February 2nd, 1909, and has ever since that time continued to reside upon said land, occupy and cultivate and improve the same as her home: that on or about February 20, 1909, she, plaintiff, learned for the first time that her contest on said land was not subsisting and that one Raymond Fox has suspended application to make homestead entry of saidland: that thereupon and on or about February 23, 1909, she, plaintiff, made application to make homestead entry of saidland: that thereafter and on or about May 23, 1909, affant was informed for the first time that her leaves the said land had been awarded to defeadant, Farris Probet: wherefore plaintiff contests the said homostead entry of the said Farris Probet underselore plaintiff contests the said homostead entry of the said Farris Probet wherefore plaintiff contests the said homostead entry of the said Farris Probet wherefore plaintiff contests the said homostead entry of the said Farris Probet and charges the fact to be that she, plaintiff, has and has had and maintained a bona fide residence upon said land ever since on or about February 2nd, 1909. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer e

T. C. Tillotson, Register.

CONTEST NOTICE.

The said contestant having, in a proper affida-vit, filed July 26, 1999, 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.

T. C. Tillotson. Register.

CONTEST NOTICE.

Contest No. 5483.

Department of the Interior, United States land office, Roswell, N.M. July 26, 1909.

A sufficient contest affidavit baving been filed to the W. Thompson, of Portales. N.M. contestant, against homestead entry No. 026t3 made August 24th, 1908, for southwest quarter section 25, township 3 south, range 34 east N. M.P. M. by Sallie A. Driver, contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Sallie A. Driver has M.P.M. by Sallie A. Driver, contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Sallie A. Driver has wholly abandoned the said tract; that he has changed his residence therefrom for mere than six months since making said entry and next prior to the date of said affidavit; that the said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law, and that the 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 any capacity in time of warrespond and offer evidence touching said alle, gation at 10 o'clock a.m. on September 22, 1909, before H. F. Jones, probate judge, at his office in Portales, N.M. and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a.m. on September 30, 1909 before Register and Receiver at the United States land office in Roswell, N.M.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed July 26, 1909, 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.

T. C. Tillotson, Register. Harold Hurd, Receiver.

CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior, U.S. land office at Roswell N.M.. June 21, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Thyrza Callaway, of Portales, N.M. who on November 2, 1907, made homestead entry No. 13177 serial No. 01328 and on June 14, 1909, additional homestead entry serial No. 018861, for lots 5 and 12 section 5, and lots 8 and 9, section 6 township 1 south, range 35 east N.M.P.M. has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described before W.E. Lindsey, U.S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, N.M. on the 13th day of September, 1909, Claimant names as witnesses: Michael C. Reynolds, Charles C. Reynolds, James C. Dunlap John B. Harris, all of Portales, N.M.

T. C. Tillotson, Register quired by law; that said alleged absence from said land was not due to his empleyment in the Army, Navy, or Marine Corps of the United States in any capacity in time of war, and this the said contest ant is ready to prove at such time and place as may be named by the register and receiver for a hearing in said case. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a.m. on July 31, 1909, 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 August 9, 1909, before the register and receiver at the United States land office in Roswell, N.M. The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit filed June 9, 1909, set forth facts which show that, after due diligence, personal service of this 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. Harold Hurd, Receiver

CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office at Roswell, N. M., July 1, 1909.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by William L. York, Clear Lake, contestant, against homestead, entry, No. 7665, for the northwest quarter [N. W. 1/2] section 28, township 3 south, range 33 east, N.M.P. meridian by William G. Newman contestee, in which it is alleged that said William G. Newman has wholly abandoned the said tract; that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six, months abandoned the 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 the said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond, and ofter evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on August 23, 1909, before W.E. Lindsey, U.S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, N. M. and that final hearing will be held at 2 o'clock p. m. on August 31, 1909, before the Register and Receiver at the United States land office in Roswell, N. M.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Juty 1, 1909, set forth, facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this 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

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"Object! I should like to see him object after losing the fight himself." Marion laughed. "Well, do you think you can find the way down there for

Continued from last week

"I can find any way anywhere within 100 miles of here."

On the 20th of June McCloud did have something of an army of men in the Crawling Stone valley. Of these, 250 were in the vicinity of the bridge, the abutments and piers of which were being put in just below the Dunning ranch. Near at hand Bill Daneing, with a big gang, had been for some time watching the ice and dynamiting the jams. McCloud brought in more men as the river continued to rise. The danger line on the gauges was at length submerged, and for three days the main-line construction camps had been robbed of men to guard the soft grades above and below the bridge. The new track up and down the valley had become a highway of escape from the flood, and the track patrols were met at every curve by cattle, horses, deer, wolves and coyotes fleeing from the waste of waters that spread over the bot-

Through the Dunning ranch the Crawling Stone river makes a far bend across the valley to the north and east. The extraordinary volume of water now pouring through the Box canyon exposed 10,000 acres of the ranch to the caprice of the river, and If at the point of its tremendous sweep to the north it should cut back into its old channel the change would wipe the entire body of ranch alfalfa lands of the face of the valley. With the heat of the lengthening June days a vast steam rose from the chill waters of the river, marking in ominous windings the channel of the main stream through a yellow sea which, ignoring dunes, flanked the current broadly on either side. Late in the afternoon of the day that Dicksie with Marion sought McCloud, a storm drifted down the Topah Topah hills, and heavy howers broke across the valley.

At nightfall the rain had passed and

scured the face of the moon, but the distant thunder had ceased, and at midnight the valley near the bridge lay in a stillness broken only by the hoarse calls of the patrols and far-off megaphones. From the bridge camp, which lay on high ground near the grade, the distant lamps of the trackwalkers could be seen moving dimly.

Before the camp-fire in front of Mc-Cloud's tent a group of men, smoking and talking, sat or lay sprawled on tarpaulins, drying themselves after the long day. Among them were the weather-beaten remnants of the old guard of the mountain workers, men who had fought the Spider Water with Glover. Bill Dancing, huge, lumbering, awkward as a bear and as shifty, was talking, because with no apparent effort he could talk all night, and was a valuable man at keeping the camp awake. Bill Dancing talked and, after Sinclair's name had been dropped from the roll, ate and drank more than any two men on the division. A little apart, McCloud lay on a leather caboose cushion trying to get a nap.

The man sent to the bridge had turned back, and behind his lantern Dancing heard the tread of horses. He stood at one side of the camp-fire while the visitors rode up; they were women. Dancing stood dumb as they advanced into the firelight. The one ahead spoke: "Mr. Dancing, don't you know me?" As she stopped her horse the light of the fire struck her face. "Why, Mis' Sinclair!"

"Yes, and Miss Dunning is with me," returned Marion. Bill staggered. "This is an awful place to get to; we, have been nearly drowned, and we want to see Mr. McCloud."

McCloud, roused by Marion's voice, came forward. "You were asleep," said she as he greeted her. "I am so sorry we have disturbed you!" She looked cereworn and a little forlorn. the usual landmarks of trees and yet but a little considering the struggle she and Dicksie had made to reach the camp.

Light blazed from the camp-fire. where Dicksie stood talking with Dancing about horses.

"They are in desperate straits up at the ranch," Marion went on, when Mcthe mist lifted from the river. Above Cloud had assured her of her welcome. he bluffs rolling patches of cloud ob- "I don't see how they can save it. The

river is starting to flow into the old channel and there's a big pond right in the alfalfa fields."

"It will play the deuce with things if it gets through there," mused Mc-Cloud. "I wonder how the river is? I've been asleep. O Bill!" he called to Dancing, "what water have you

She's a-rising very, very slow, Mr. Me-

"So I am responsible for this invasion," continued Marion, calmly. "I've been up with Dicksie at the ranch; she sent for me. Just think of ft-no woman but old Puss within ten miles of the poor child! And they have been trying everywhere to get bags, and you have all the bags, and the men have been buzzing around over there for a week like bumble bees and doing just about as much good. She and I talked it all over this afternoon, and I told her I was coming over here to see you, and we started out together-and merciful goodness, such a time as we have

"But you started out together; where did you leave her?" "There she stands the other side of the fire. O Dicksie!"

"Why did you not tell me she was here!" exclaimed McCloud.

Dicksie came into the light as he hastened over. If she was uncertain in manner, he was not. He met her, laughing just enough to relieve the tension of which both for an instant were conscious. She gave him her hand when he put his out, though he felt that it trembled a little. "Such a ride as you have had! Why did you not send me word? I would have come to you!" he exclaimed, throwing reproach into the words.

Dicksie raised her eyes. "I wanted to ask you whether you would sell us some grain sacks, Mr. McCloud, to use at the river, if you could spare

them?" "Sacks? Why, of course, all you want! But how did you ever get here? In all this water, and two lone women! You have been in danger tonight. Indeed you have-don't tell me! And you are both wet; I know it. Your feet must be wet. Come to the fire. O Bill!" he called to Dancing, "what's the matter with your wood? Let us have a fire, won't you?-one worth while; and build another in front of my tent. I can't believe you have ridden here all the way from the ranch, two of you alone!" exclaimed McCloud, hastening boxes up to the fire for seats.

Marion laughed. "Dicksie can go anywhere! I couldn't have ridden from the house to the barns alone."

"Then tell me how you could do it?" demanded McCloud, devouring Dicksie with his eyes. Dicksie looked at the fire. "I know

all the roads pretty well. We did get lost once," she confessed in a low voice, "but we got out again." "The roads are all under water,

"What time is it, please?" McCloud looked at his watch. "Two minutes past 12."

Dicksie started. "Past 12? Oh, this is dreadful! We must start right back, Marion. I had no idea we had been five hours coming five miles."

McCloud looked at her, as if still accomplished in crossing the flooded bottoms. Her eyes fell back to the fire. "What a blaze!" she mumured as the driftwood snapped and roared. "It's fine for to-night, isn't it?"

"I know you both must have been in the water," he insisted, leaning forward in front of Dicksie to feel Mari-

"I'm not wet!" declared Marion. drawing back.

"Nonsense, you are wet as a rat! Tell me," he asked, looking at Dicksie, about your trouble up at the bend. I know something about it. Are the men there to-night? Given up, have they? Too bad! Do open your jackets and try to dry yourselves, both of you, and I'll take a look at the river."

"Suppose-I only say supposefirst take a look at me." The voice came from behind the group at the fire, and the three turned together.

come from?"

Whispering Smith stood in the gloom in patience. "Where do I look as if I make a mystery of it. Good women had come from? Why don't you ask are scarcer than riches, and more to me whether I'm wet? And won't you be prized than fine gold-in my judgintroduce me-but this is Miss Dick- ment-so I rode after them." sie Dunning, I am sure."

Marion with laughter hastened the introduction.

"No, only soaked. I have fallen into the river two or three times, and the last time a big rhinoceros of yours down the grade, a section foreman named Klein, was obliging enough to pull me out. Oh, no! I was not looking for you," he ran on, answering McCloud's question; "not when he pulled me out. I was just looking for a farm or a ladder or something. Klein, for a man named Small, is the biggest Dutchman I ever saw. 'Tell me, Klein, I asked, after he had quit dragging me out-he's a Hanoverian -where did you get your pull? And how about your height? Did your grandfather serve as a grenadier under old Frederick William and was he kidnaped?' Bill, don't feed my horse for a while. And Klein tried to light a cigar I had just taken from my pocket and given him-fancy! the Germans are a remarkable people-and sat down to tell me his history, when some friend down the line began bawling through a megaphone, and all that poor Klein had time to say was that he had had no supper, nor dinner, nor yet breakfast, and would be obliged for some by the boat he forwarded me in." And, in closing, Whispering Smith looked cheerfully around at said McClould. Marion, at McCloud, and last and Marion sprang to her feet. "Oh.

longest of all at Dicksie Dunning.

"Did you come from across river?" asked Dicksie, adjusting her wet skirt meekly over her knees. "You are soaking wet," observed

Whispering Smith. "Across the river?" he echoed. "Well, hardly, my dear Miss Dunning! Every bridge is out down the valley except the railroad bridge and there are a few things don't tackle; one is the Crawling Stone on a tear. No, this was across a little break in this man McCloud's track. I came, to be frank, from the Dunning ranch to look up two women who rode away from there at seven o'clock to-night, and I want to say that they gave me the ride of my life," and Whispering Smith looked all around the circle and back again and

Dicksie spoke in amazement. "How did you know we rode away? You were not at the ranch when we left." "Oh, don't ask him!" cried Marion,

"He knows everything," explained McCloud. Whispering Smith turned to Dicksle. "I was interested in knowing that they got safely to their destination-what-

ever it might be, which was none of my business. I happened to see a man that had seen them start, that was all. You don't understand? Well, "By heaven, Gordon Smith!" ex- if you want it in plain English, I made claimed McCloud. "Where did you it my business to see a man who made it his business to see them. It's all very shaple, but these people like to

Marion put her hand for a moment on his coat sleeve; he looked at Dicksle with another laugh and spoke to "And you are wet, of course," said her because he dared not look toward McCloud, feeling Smith's shoulder. | 'Marion. "Going back to-night, do you say? You never are?"

Dicksie answered quite in earnest: "Oh, but we are. We must!" "Why did you come, then? It's taken half the night to get here, and will take a night and a half at least to

get back."

"We came to ask Mr. McCloud for some grain sacks—you know, they have nothing to work with at the ranch," said Marion; "and he said we might have some and we are to send

for them in the morning." "I see. But we may as well talk plainly." Smith looked at Dicksie. You are as brave and as game as a girl can be, I know, or you couldn't have done this. Sacks full of sand, with the boys at the ranch to handle them, would do no more good to-morrow at the bend than bladders. The river is flowing into Squaw lake above there now. A hundred men that know. the game might check things yet if they're there by daylight. Nobody else, and nothing else on God's earth

There was slience before the fire. McCloud broke it: "I can put the 100 men there at daylight, Gordon, if Miss Dunping and her cousin want them,"

will you do that, Mr. McCloud?" McCloud looked at Dicksie. "If they are wanted."

Dicksie tried to look at the fire. "We have hardly deserved help from Mr. McCloud at the ranch," she said at

He put out his hand, "I must object. The first wreck I ever had on this division Miss Dunning rode 20 miles to offer help. Isn't that true? Why, I would walk 100 miles to return the offer to her. Perhaps your cousin would object," he suggested, 'turning to Dicksie; "but no, I think we can manage that. Now what are we going to do? You two can't go back tonight, that is certain."

"We must." "Then you will have to go in boats,"

said Whispering Smith. "But the hill road?"

"There is five feet of water across it in half a dozen places. I swam my horse through, so I ought to know." "It is all back-water, of course, Miss Dunning," explained McCloud. "Not dangerous."

"But moist," suggested Whispering Smith, "especially in the dark." McCloud looked at Marion. "Then let's be sensible," he said. "You and Miss Dunning can have my tent."

"Is this where you stay?" asked "Four of us sleep in the cots, when we can, and an indefinite number lie on the ground when it rains,"

"Which is your bed?" "I usually sleep there." He pointed to the one on the right.

"I thought so. It has the blanket folded back so neatly, just as if there were sheets under it. I'll bet there aren't any."

"Do you think this is a summer resort? Knisely, my assistant, sleeps there, but of course we are never both in bed at the same time; he's down the river to-night. It's a sort of continuous performance, you know." Me-Cloud looked at Dicksie. "Take off your coat, won't you, please?"

Whispering Smith was trying to drag a chest from the foot of the cot, and Marion stood watching. "What are you trying to do?" "Get this over to the table for a

"Billy man! why don't you move the

Dicksie was taking off her coat. 'How inviting it all is!" she smiled. And this is where you stay?"

"Let me have your hat, too." "My hair is a eight, I know. We rode over rocks and up gullies into the

"When it rains," answered McCloud.

brush-"And through lakes-oh, I know! I can't conceive how you ever got here at all. Your hair is all right. This is camp, anyway. But if you want a

glass you can have one. Knisely is a great swell; he's just from school, and has no end of things. I'll rob his bag." "Don't disturb Mr. Knisely's bag for the world!"

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surrounding country which is evidently well populated, as there were, from a conservative estimate, not less than one thousand people present. And the country is productive, the people thrifty and of a high standard morally and intellectually and was evierybody present.

At high noon Rev. A. J. Maxwell, the pioneer of Rogers, de- home and farm adjoining Rogers. livered a brief address of wel- He has a fine commodious rescome, then asked the blessing and idence and a large barn, and the feast began. Surely those splendid garden and crops. Rev. gathered around this table could A. J. Maxwell also has a fine not help but think that, if this is home there. One of the remarkreally New Mexico it is grand able things at Rogers also is W. place to be and live.

the young folks of the neighbor- ing what can be done with po-

ident from the start that the when the service is so well teams were quite evenly matched, managed. though the first few innings the Rogers boys were in the lead, but later the Portales boys picked up and the game resulted in a kidneys are what you should take at score of 13 to 8 in favor of Portales. Another game was played uric acid poison.—Sold by Portales which resultes in a score of 16 to 12 in favor of Rogers.

Rogers has two good general denced in more ways than one, stores. Fazer & Anderson are Their thriftiness is especially the old merchants, and recently shown by the good things they B. B. Nash has put up a good had to eat. Way out there on building and put in a good stock. what a few days ago was the There is also a blacksmith shop bald prairie, at present twenty and a feed mill there. Rogers miles from a railroad, they is in a very pretty country and spread a table many yards in evidently the soil is of superior lenght, covered it with snowy quality in that neighborhood. last Sunday. white linen, and piled high with They have had considerable rain the choicest of viands-pies in and the grass is tall and green. stacks of ten, layer cakes frosted The crops there are in good con- vor of Ingram. and chocolated, fried chicken by dition and looking fine. Some of the dish pan full, bread, salad, the kafir and maize is heading cold meats, pickles, and ice out and some of the corn in taswater, all in abundance for ev- sel, so they have good prospects for a crop.

W. W. Van Winkle has a fine S. Hamby's eighty acre field of After dinner there was an ad- potatoes. The potatoes look dress by Mrs. S. F. Culberson, fine, the field is clean of weeds tank. superintendent of schools, fol- and with a little more rain cerlowed by an address by S. H. tainly ought to make a good crop. Williams of Portales. Readings Mr. Hamby and his sons cer-turned to his home in Kansas and recitations were delivered by tainly deserve credit for show-

and entertaining features of the Transportation Co., of which L. company building for a lodge program was the awarding of W. Fiscus is manager, furnished room which will be occupied by prizes. These was a bevy of transportation for Portales peo- the Masonic and Odd Fellow babies entered in the baby con- ple to and from Rogers, which lodges. This move is made nec-Ruth, infant daughter of Mr. and there, a distance of twenty miles out of their old building, in Mrs. H. A. Pitts. The prize of in a little less than an hour. They which the lodges meet, in order a sack of flour to the largest ran three cars out there and two to put up their new building, and family represented on the ground of the cars took two loads out they expect to commence work was given to Mr. and Mrs. J. G. and two loads back. We cer- soon. Newton, their children number- tainly enjoyed the trip out there ing sixteen, eleven of whom are with Mr. Fiscus. These automobiles are proving themselves After the conclusion of the more and more a great convenprogram there was some bronco lence to Portales people and they riding and then began the big certainly appreciate having these ball games between the Rogers machines here for public service and Portales nines. It was ev- at reasonable rates, especially

> The Kidneys eleminate poisons by asting as filters for the blood. When they fail in this respect serious allments must result. Pineules for the Drug Store.

UPTON NEWS. Jess Wilson left Wednesday

for Oklahoma. Tony Kesler and Walter Upton left here Monday to hunt work. Sunday school every Sunday

at 10 a. m. at the school house. Mrs. Minnie Sternum was visiting her mother, Mrs. Norton,

Upton ball team played Ingram Saturday. Score, 12 to 13 in fa-

at the bride's home last Monday.

People of this place were very

Claimant names as witnesses: James C. Dunlap, William H. Beck, Michael C. Reynolds,
Peter E. Broocke, all of Portales, N.M.

T. C. Tillotson, Register. People of this place were very

much pleased with a fine rain last Thursday. This rain insures us some maize. Mr. Cyphers preached at this

place Sunday. In the afternoon he baptised two of Mr. Chandler's children in Mr. Gore's

Mr. Kingsolover, who has been visiting relatives here, re-

The progressive little country The progressive little country trading point of Rogers is going to start a second Monday trades day. Their first event of this kind will be next Monday. August 9th. Anyone having stock or anything they want to sell are invited to bring it there on that day and they propose to make it a great day for both people who want to sell for both people who want to sell and people who want to buy. H. A. Hammond, the auctioneer.

Ben Wood is at work preparing the hall on the second floor of One of the most interesting. The Vaughn Automobile and the Portales Bank and Trust babies entered in the baby conpleto and from Rogers, which lodges. This move is made nectalized in the baby conpletes. The prize of a pair of shoes was a great convenience, as they was finally awarded to Winnie took passengers from here out First National Bank will move Priddy, of Portales, N.M. James B. Priddy, of Portales, N.M. Priddy, of Portales, N.M. James B. Priddy, of Portales, N.M. James B.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U.S. land office at loswell, N.M. June 14, 1909. Department of the Interior, U.S., land office at Roswell, N.M., June 14, 1999.

Notice is hereby given that James P. Smith, of Arch, N. M. who on June 10, 1908, made homestead entry No. 15671, serial No. 015291, for northeast quarter section 28, township 2 south, range 37 east N.M.P.M. has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W.E. Lindsey U.S. commissioner at his office at Portales N.M. on the 11th day of September, 1909 Claimant names as witnesses: Russell W. B. Vencil, Harrison C. Trammell, Ira P. Carlisle, Ben H. Mixon, all of Arch, N.M.

T. C. Tillotson, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at office at Roswell, N.M. June 2, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that John I. Jones, one the heirs of Franklin S. Jones, deceased, of Floyd, N. M., who, on May, 16, 1904, made homestead entry No. 5136, serial No. 09278, for southeast quarter section M. township I south, range 22 east N.M.P.M. has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office at Portales, N.M. on the 8th day of September, 1909, Claimant names as witnesses: James E. Spear, Edward C. Price, John W. George, William H. Southerland, all of Floyd, N.M.

T. C. Tillotson. Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U.S. land office at Roswell, N.M. June 15, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Roland R. Hanna, of Portales, New Mexico, who, on October 16, 1907, made homestead entry No. 12962, serial No 013177, for northeast quarter section 29, township 2 south range 33 east, N.M.P.M., has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof to establish claim to the land above described before W. E. Lindsey, U.S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, N. M., on the 11th day of September, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: John H. Stone, John B. Maxwell, both of Portales, N.M. John J. Moreau, Rufus E. McAlister, both of Delphos, N.M.

T. C. Tillotson, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, United States land flice at Roswell, N. M., June 11, 1909. Notice is hereby given that Samuel T. Shaw.of J. W. Russell and M. O. Clevenger were in Portales Monday and Tuesday on business.

Jess Dodgen and Miss Lela
Jones were united in marriage at the bride's home last Monday.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, New Mexico, June 14, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that James F. Bull, of Dora, N. M. who, on March 10, 1906, made homeatead entry No. 7126, serial No. 010120, for northwest quarter, section 23, township 4 south, range M east, New Mexico principal meridian, has filed nptice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on the 11th day of September, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Robert D. Campbell, James C. Ferguson, Jesse M. McCormack, Fred L. Bull, all of Dora, N. M.

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turned to his home in Kansas last week. He held a series of meetings here that everybody enjoyed.

The proper way and method of treating a cough or cold is to first of all gently move the bowels. This you can most conveniently do by taking a dose or two of Bees Laxtive Cough Syrup. It is pleasant to take, ants promptly. Children like it.—Sold by Portales Drug Store.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior. United States land offics, Roswell, N. M., June 3, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Ferd Jackson, of Longs, N. M., who, on March 21, 1908, made homestead entry No. 14567 serial No. 014410, for lots 3. 4 and 5, and southeast quarter action 6, township 5 south, range 36 east M. M. principal, meridian, has filed northwest quarter section 6, township 5 south, range 36 east M. M. principal, meridian, has filed northwest quarter section 6, township 5 south, range 36 east M. M. principal, meridian, has filed northwest quarter section 6, township 5 south, range 36 east M. M. principal, meridian, has filed northwest quarter section 6, township 5 south, range 36 east M. M. principal, meridian, has filed northwest quarter section 6, township 5 south, range 36 east M. M. principal, meridian, has filed northwest quarter section 6, township 5 south, range 36 east M. M. principal, meridian, has filed northwest quarter section 6, township 5 south, and southeast quarter section 6, township 5 south, and southeast quarter action 6, township 5 south, and 5, and 5,

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CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land office, Roswell, N. M., August 2, 1909.
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Edward McDaniel Koswell, contests of the contest of the contests of the cont H. A. Hammond, the auctioneer, will be there to tender his services in his line of business.

ManZan, the great Pile remedy, prevents piles by preventing constipation. It is conveniently applied directly to the trouble by means of a small nozzel attached to the tube in which ManZan is put up.—Sold by Portales Drug Store.

Your old suit will look like new if you let Landers clean and press it.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Edward McDaniel Roswell, contestant, against howested entry. No. 9706, made to testant, against howested entry. No. 9706, made to testant, against homested entry. No. 9706, made to the testant, against homested entry. No. 9706, made to the testant, against homested entry. No. 9706, made to the testant, against homested entry. No. 9706, made to the testant, against homested entry. No. 9706, made to the testant, against homested entry. No. 9706, made to the testant, against homested entry. No. 9706, made to the testant, against homested entry. No. 9706, made to the testant, against homested entry. No. 9706, made to the testant, against homested entry. No. 9706, made to the testant, against homested entry. No. 9706, made to the testant, against homested entry. No. 9706, made to testant, against homested entry

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Department of the Interior U.S. land office at oswell N.M. June 29, 1909 Roswell N.M. June 29, 1909

Notice is hereby given that Thomas M. York, of Painter, N.M. who on November 2, 1907 made homestead entry No. 13121 serial No. 013283 for southeast quarter section 10 township 1 south range 31 east N.M.P.M. has filed notice of intention to make commutation year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before W. E. Lindsey U.S. commissioner at his office at Portales N.M. on the 15th day of September, 1909 Claimant names as witnesses: John M. Price, of Painter, N.M. Augustine W. Ferrin of Upton.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Onited States and Office at Roswell, N. M., June 28, 1999
Notice is hereby given that Minos T. Long, of Upton, N.M. who, on February \$, 1907, made homestead entry No. 1993, serial No. 0257, for northeast quarter section 28, township 1 south, range 31 east, New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office at Portales, N. M., on the 14th day of September, 1909.
claimant names as witnesses: Augustine W. Ferrin, Jesse Wilson, Charles H. Greathouse, John W. Russell, all of Upton, N.M.
T. C. Tillotson, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, United States land office at Roswell, N. M., June 29, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Louis S. Smith, of Inez. N. M. who on April 27, 1903. made homestead entry No. 15026, serial No. 014812, for southeast quarter, section 13, township 4 south, range 36 east, New Mexico principal meridian has filed notice of intention to make final comhas filed notice of intention to make final com-mutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W.E.Lindsey, U.S.com-missioner, at his office in Portales, N. M., on the 15th day of September, 1909. Claimant names as witnesses: Charley R. Pot-ter, Thomas J. Mehuron, James W. Rogers, Squire T. Ford, all of Inez, N.M. T. C. Tillotson, Register,

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Roswell, N. M. June 30, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Samuel D, Burke, of Arch, N.M. who. on October 31, 1903, made homestead entry, No. 4711, serial No. 09133. for southeast quarter, section 33, township 2 south, range 36 east, New Mexico principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. E. Lindsey, U. S. commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on the 16th day of September, 1909.

Claiman tnames as witnesser. Claiman tnames as witnesses: Jesse J. Williams Levi Boulter, Benjamin F. Mitchell, John H. Itovall, all of Arch, N.M.

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Department of the Interior, U.S. lan I office at Roswell N.M. July 7, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Joe Hufstutter, of Lacy, N. M. who on March S, 1911 made's homestead entry No. 3813 serial No. 08960 for northeast quarter section 3d township I north range 32 east N.M.P.M. has filed notice of intention to make final five year prosto establish claims to the land above described before W. E. Lindsey U.S. commissioner at his office at Portales N. M. on the 17th day of September, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: William O. Hooper, George W. Manidin, James S. Manidin Riley C. Cogdill, all of Lacy, N.M.

T. C. Tillotson, Register,

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Department of the Interior, U. S. land office at Roswell, New Mexico, July 1, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas A. Hall of Portales, N.M. who, on Nov. 3, 1907, usels homestead entry No. 16034, serial No. 611439, for southeast quarter section 21, township 2 south range M east, N. M. principal meridian, has fiss notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the iand above described, before W. E. Lindsey, United Status commissioner, at his office in Portales, New Mexico, on the 17th day September, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Royal J. Noble Joe Howard, Frances M. McDermott, Ahrahan I. Kuykendall, all of Portales, N. M.

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morning and 3:00 in the afternoon. One Mile South of Portales.

W. A. STUART.

Second Monday TRADES DAY

Beginning Monday, August 9, 1909, the second Monday in each month will be set apart as a TRADE DAY, and everyone is requested to bring anything or everything they may have to trade or sell to town on that day and we will assist you to dispose of it advantageously.

Rogers is One of the Coming Markets of Roosevelt County, Let's Keep it a Coming

You folks who want to buy and you folks who want to sell, likewise you all who just want to "rubber" are welcome as flowers that bloom in the spring. You can all contribute to to the success and pleasure of this day. H. A. Hammond, the auctioneer, will offer his services to conduct sales.

Rogers, New Mex.

Second Monday Trade Day